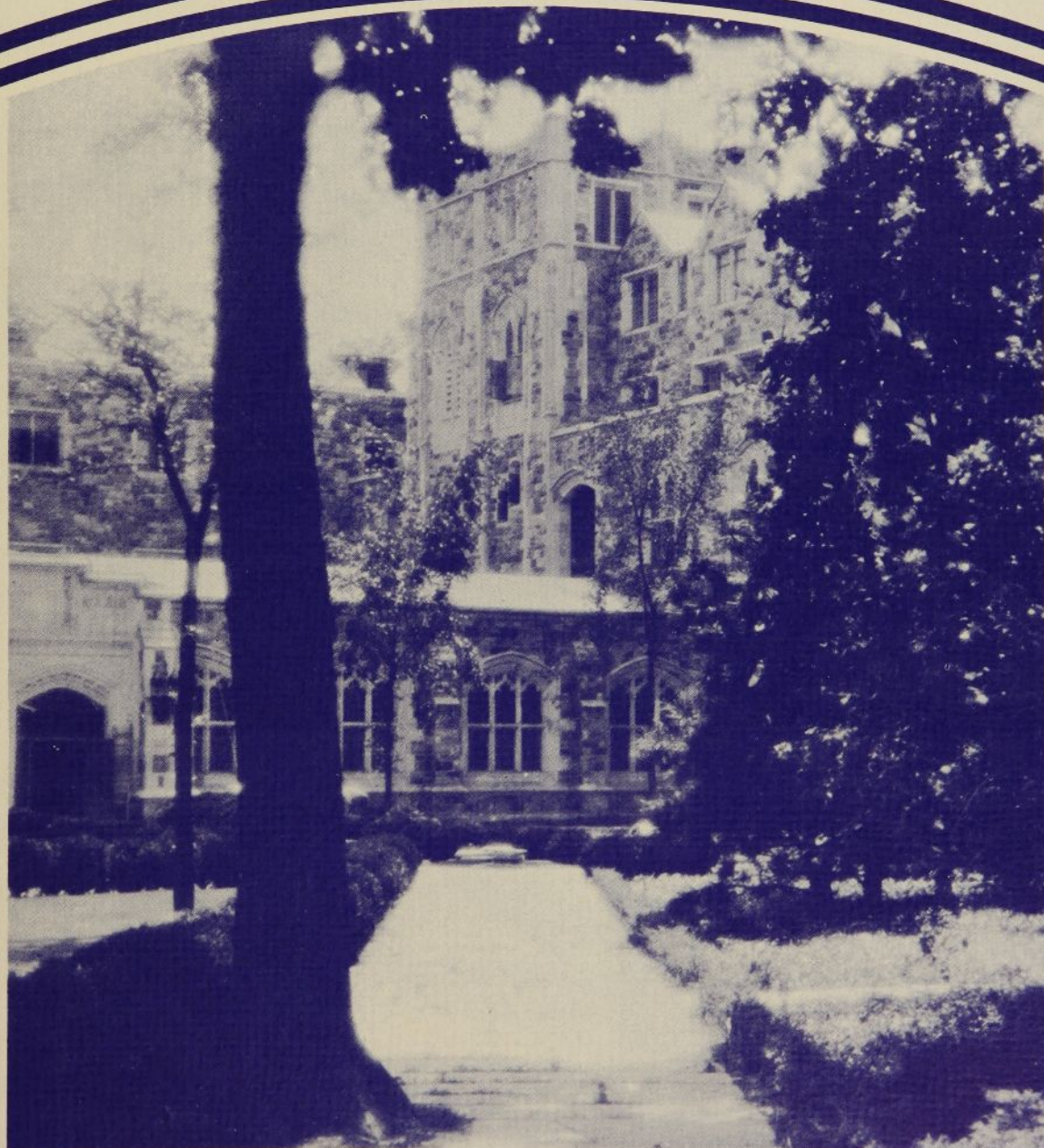


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Salutations to the alumni chapter correspondents! They broke all records with 48 letters of a possible 69—the greatest amount of news from the alumni centers of $\Delta T \Delta$, in a single number, in the Fraternity's history.

It is true that the hard-and-fast rule of dead line was stretched a few days, but the important fact is that the correspondents came through on appeal that they ought to swing into action, which is significant for it reflects the timely action of the alumni generally, when there is a job to do; that has been long since the capital account of the Fraternity, and will continue to be, so long as Delts recognize the principle of practical everyday service, as the lifeblood of $\Delta T \Delta$. We especially are pleased to offer for your critical observation, the keynote address of the National Interfraternity Conference by Alvan E. Duerr, former President of $\Delta T \Delta$, and chairman of the committee on scholarship and past chairman of the Conference. There is a detailed account of the new scholarship peak reached last college year by the undergraduate chapters, and a strong hint from Supervisor of Scholarship Henry M. Wriston that it ought to be higher.

Included are feature stories of three Delts—widely diverse in vocations, but similar in perseverance of purpose: Edgar H. Evans, successful business man and benefactor; Colonel H. C. Dodge, army officer whose life is dedicated to aid others in regaining health; and Richard Luther, hard-hitting export manager, with a forbearing understanding of the Far East. Contrast their professions; compare their humanism.

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Changes in the policy of *Around the Fireplace* are introduced.

There are 73 undergraduate chapter letters—the first complete news from the chapters for the current year. We regret that one chapter is missing; if you knew that chapter's dependable record as well as we do, you would wonder how it happened that way.

To the many contributors of news and ideas for the January, 1937 number of *THE RAINBOW*, a genuine "Thank you"!

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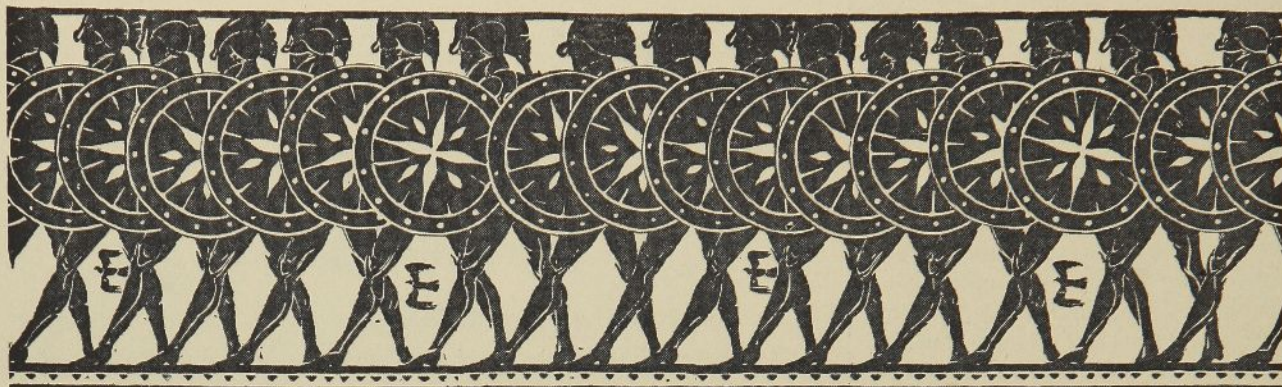
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The Fraternities and the Problem They Face

By ALVAN E. DUERR, Chi (Kenyon), '93, and Sigma (Williams), '93, Past President, Delta Tau Delta Fraternity, and Past Chairman, National Interfraternity Conference

SOME years ago a group of Oxford students made a tour of American colleges and universities, and one evening attended a fraternity dinner and listened to a fraternity song. One of them asked: "Is not the whole philosophy of loyalty to a fraternity a great fraud? To what is this loyalty? There is no way of life of the Alpha Beta Gamma fraternity different from that of the rest of the world? How can a man serve three Greek letters? What result does the attempt bring but terrible and crushing sameness, man to man, and fraternity to fraternity? It is just the wrong size. It is too small to be a permanent and enduring society, too large to be a body of boon companions. What is it, and why?"

Do the fraternity men of the country know either the *what* or the *why*? I read a good many fraternity magazines, but they haven't the answer. I have listened to a good many fraternity speeches in my time, but they haven't told me what it is all about. I have heard many a fraternity man proclaim that his fraternity was a flaming force for righteousness, but it wasn't clear just where the fire was. And yet, if we would but sit down and force ourselves to a sane and logical answer to our young Oxford student's questions, we should independently arrive at every answer that I can hope to offer.

Our problem is to make the fraternities distinctive and significant enough that no one need ask *what?* or *why?*

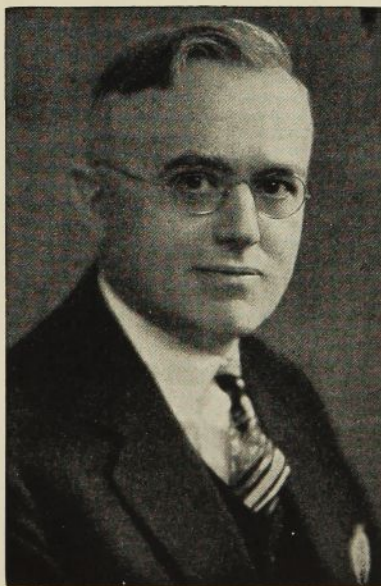
Let us try to formulate the theory. Fraternities originated purely to satis-

fy a social need, and their early efforts to augment the college curriculum were never intended to array them with the learned societies on the campus. Hence any criticism of the fraternity as failing to promote sound scholarship is not germane, simply because it was never intended to do this. But we may properly criticize the fraternity for accepting a static definition of the social needs of the undergraduate, and for adopting as the pattern of the social life of a group of students the same objectives which may be found in hundreds of small-town clubs throughout America. For if the fraternity is to be distinctive, we must keep it off Main Street.

There should be something different about the life of a young man who

is embarking upon the greatest intellectual adventure he may ever have. He should live in an atmosphere which will stimulate him and induce him to the utmost use of the opportunities offered by the college. Moreover, if a college course is training for life, then almost the major responsibility, as certainly the major opportunity, falls to the fraternity rather than to the college. For the determining factor in a successful life is not what you know, but how you use it; is not your technical training, but your strength of character and your social vision, which will direct your energies into channels that are wise for you and helpful to your fellow-men. But has the fraternity recognized this opportunity and this responsibility?

Now the college concerns itself little with the character of its students. If the fraternity, too, should neglect this, then its members will leave college with the same pattern of conduct which they brought from high school. But if the fraternity really wants to make itself significant to its members, and thus acquire a first lien on their loyalty and affection, it must recognize more clearly that the most important thing to youth is what is to become of it. Youth will offer no end of resistance to the flames which will temper its steel, but at heart it yearns for them and for the courage to stand the gaff; and if many of us find our alumni lukewarm to the value of fraternity life, is not the answer that in their own crucial years their fraternity failed to give them anything whose value persisted in later life, as it also



Alvan E. Duerr

failed to furnish the inspiration and the direction which would have guided them into paths of greater usefulness and more satisfying living?

College men will undergo infinite hardship in order to qualify for an athletic team. Why does training for life warrant less sacrifice? And why is the fraternity house not the proper place where men may learn that the same attitude of self-control which makes for athletic success will go far to assure them a useful career in later life? That is not taking life more seriously than life itself is. Nor does it mean taking all the fun out of life. It is merely an effort to get a better balance and a more rational approach, and to make a man's four years in the chapter house contribute to what awaits him after graduation. But this is a job for the alumni; for we may not expect the undergraduate to lift himself by his own bootstraps.

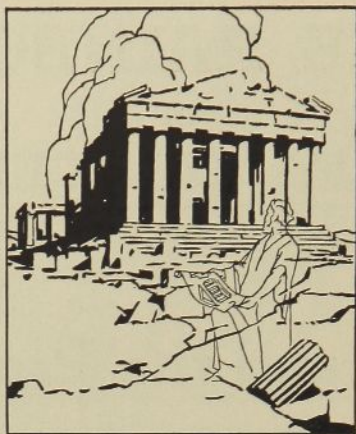
That, it seems to me, is the place of the fraternity, and that its function: To furnish a wholesome and stimulating social life for its members; to keep this in harmony with the objectives of the college; and thus to make possible the fullest development of the individual's capacities. The college can hardly compete with the fraternity in this undertaking, unless in self-defense it must assume the prerogatives of the fraternities; and so the fraternity may easily make itself indispensable, because it can influence so deeply what practical value the college's teaching shall have.

The whole *what* and *why* of the fraternity system is then to teach: How to live with one's fellows, and how to make the most of oneself. That is purely a problem of social adjustment, but one that is vastly more important to the individual than making examination marks or making money.

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Woodrow Wilson once said that "the college is a process of slow evolution from the school boy and the school boy's attitude into the man and his entirely altered view of life. It can be accomplished only in the college environment. The environment is of the essence of the whole effect."

Now officially the college preëmpts



in recitations and preparation only 25 per cent of the student's time. The remaining 75 per cent, constituting his leisure, and socially of far greater import to this "process of slow evolution," is, with many, surrendered to the fraternity; whence our opportunity and our responsibility.

Let us then examine the environment which these two agencies, the college and the fraternity, are furnishing for the gradual transformation of the boy into the man. We may subdivide it into seven categories: the educational objectives of the college; the faculty; the fraternity home; extra-curricular activities; upperclassmen and their traditions; the alumni; the national organization of his fraternity.

THE EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES OF THE COLLEGE: If we define the term "objectives" as a clear conception of function and service, the college can hardly be said to have objectives. Education has just been muddling along, hoping for the prophet who would tell it, too, the *what* and the *why*. And if the college has not yet discovered where it is going, is it any wonder that the fraternity, which is to accompany it on its journey, should be rather hazy about *its* destination? Nor is it surprising that youth, traveling in this rudderless boat, should be more marked for its cynicism than for its constructive thought. And it seems reasonable to suggest that no institution which gives a man a degree without having given him a philosophy of life is fulfilling its social purpose. And by philosophy of life I mean only giving him a few directions which are not plastered with the dol-

lar sign. In passing, it is not easy for the fraternity to create a purposeful environment for its members, when the very purpose of their attending the institution has not been defined.

THE FACULTY: Men, and not institutions, are the great influences in life; hence the faculty is a major factor in the student's environment. If an unofficial observer may venture a criticism, it seems to me that a basic weakness of college instruction is due to the fact that too many college instructors have not yet adjusted themselves to the social and economic realities of their environment, or attained a status that is satisfying to them. And their failure is pronounced enough to make them willing to attack and tear down what has thus far eluded their grasp. They have not been able to scale the mountain, and so they try to fill the valley with the mountain's debris. And they forget that a wrecking crew has little value unless the construction gang be close behind.

The successful teacher is the moral superior of his pupil; but how can anyone who is socially unsatisfied be morally superior? And how can anyone who is unadjusted in his relations to society possess that detached outlook which is indispensable to real scholarship and is the only guarantee of sound conclusions? And more important still, can such a man teach his students how to use their knowledge to the good of an order which baffles him? This seems to me the explanation of the negative and iconoclastic character of college instruction. And if we wonder why the present generation are not good fraternity men, it is worth noting that here is a fundamental antagonism between the influence emanating from such teachers and the whole concept of the fraternity.

This is important to the fraternity. For such an attitude in the teacher fails to stimulate and promote proper maturing of social concepts and a constructive realization of social obligation. And this means that the college as such is contributing far less than it should to high standards of social conduct and to that beneficent regard for one's fellows which induces a social-minded attitude and effort.

There is little hostility to the fraternity among college administrators; they are nearer to its spirit, and any lack of sympathy they feel finds a more practical expression. The indifference, or even antagonism, comes rather from members of the faculty who are less concerned with merely human or social considerations, even when these have supreme educational significance. And although their disapproval, with its ruthless emphasis on intellectual gymnastics, seems almost a defensive complex, it is a stumbling block to both college administrators and the fraternities themselves.

But is it not a mistake to meet such opposition with an antagonism of our own, especially when we direct it into wrong quarters? We have become so sensitive that we consider all criticism hostile, and so miss much of the stimulation to progress which comes only with constructive analysis. And this defensive attitude of ours has tricked us into refusing to turn the searchlight upon ourselves, and has thus deprived us of many an opportunity for coöperation with college administrations which are as deeply concerned as we that our chapters should be a vital force in undergraduate life. This is a major problem for the fraternities.

What can we do in this matter of the college faculty? Nothing, except to bring home to the college its full import; to suggest a closer scrutiny of the personal background of professorial candidates; and to urge that a Ph.D. should not cover such a multitude of sins. We may also properly urge the importance of providing for the faculty a personally satisfying and stimulating environment.

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That is the extent of the environment furnished primarily by the college. But before we pass on to the fraternity's share, there are two points which call for clearer thinking.

Scholarship is the business of the college, and *its* responsibility. That does not mean that we are not interested in the scholastic standing of our undergraduate members; for study is the job of the college student, and good scholarship means that he is acquiring himself like a man, with a

The Delta Creed

▪ I BELIEVE in Delta Tau Delta for the education of youth and the inspiration of maturity, so that I may better learn and live the truth.

▪ I BELIEVE in Delta Tau Delta as a shrine of international brotherhood: her cornerstone friendship, her foundation conscience, her columns aspiration, her girders self-restraint, her doorway opportunity, her windows understanding, her buttresses loyalty, her strength the Everlasting Arms.

▪ I BELIEVE in Delta Tau Delta as an abiding influence to help me do my work, fulfill my obligations, maintain my self-respect, and bring about that happy life wherein I may more truly love my fellow men, serve my country, and obey my God.

realization of obligation to himself and his surroundings.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to create such an atmosphere in the environment we furnish that men may utilize and enjoy to a maximum the privileges extended by the college. But the fraternity is not called on to convert its chapter houses into nurseries and tutoring schools which shall vitalize uninspired and ineffectual instruction. It is the problem of the college to inspire zeal for its teachings, and it cannot solve this problem by ignoring it and using the fraternity as an alibi.

And secondly, much of the behaviour attributed to fraternity men is not due to their membership in a fraternity but to their presence on a particular campus. You and I may de-

plore the conduct of a given chapter, but if this conduct is in line with public opinion on that campus, we can effect no remedy without the aggressive leadership of the college. We can, however, withdraw our chapter. And when fraternities refuse to accept unwholesome conditions which they cannot control, and refuse to bear the onus of an individualism which the college tolerates, they will begin to be a moral force in undergraduate life.

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And now we come to the environment supplied by the fraternity. First:

THE CHAPTER HOME: If one's own home is the source of most that is fine in life, so one's college home will make or break one's college career. The fraternity home is in many respects the best place to live that is open to the college student; however, our virtues present no problem, and therefore are not germane to this discussion. And it is not in a spirit of unsympathetic criticism that I refer to the average chapter house as a false front, with its imposing exterior, its impressive reception room, its cramped study-rooms, its unclean lavatories, and the skeleton in its closet in the form of a large mortgage to which the neophyte may not be introduced until he has assumed the badge of eternal membership. This is a serious problem, but a simple one. We can easily be more honest in our representations, and more business-like in our finance. It would not take much courage to *seem* what we are. And we could easily convert our chapter houses into places, not where we may impress an occasional guest, but where members may live comfortably and richly in the delightful intimacy of men who have much in common and are partners in one of the most glorious adventures in life—acquiring the art of living. The chapter house is a clubhouse, but a clubhouse for men whose job is slowly to emerge from boyhood into manhood.

But it is not easy to foster intimate living in a congenial group when chapters run as high as one hundred members. If the fraternity wants to remain a fraternity in fact as well as in name, it must discover some way



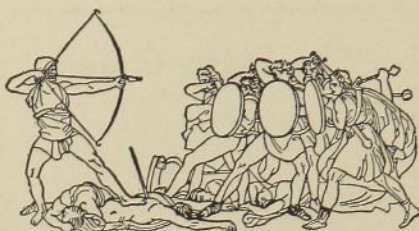
to keep its numbers down. Unfortunately, so many of us have built houses on a shoe string that our problem has become not so much how we may budget our chapters as how we may chapter our budget.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: Although these occupy much of the student's time and energy, they require little discussion. They have undoubted value in developing self-confidence and social facility; and the college's enthusiasm for them is probably based on the theory of idle hands. However, the only scientific attempts which have been made to trace their significance to a man's subsequent career fail to justify the emphasis placed upon them by the undergraduate. And there is too great a willingness to use the fraternity competitively to keep these activities alive. Further, the college should realize more clearly that the dominance of extra-curricular activities has largely destroyed leisure, and without leisure there can be no culture. For the individual these activities become a problem only when the side show encroaches upon the main tent, or when through them he is exploited for the aggrandizement of the chapter.

THE UPPERCLASSMEN AND THEIR TRADITIONS: The upperclassmen exert a powerful influence upon the younger members, both directly and indirectly, but their influence merely reflects their own home background and their response to all our factors of environment, and is thus nothing more than a barometer. If then a spirit of group responsibility has been instilled, and our other factors are functioning satisfactorily, upperclassmen will carry their full share of the load.

It is well known that the attitude and personnel of the average chapter change constantly and rapidly, and that there is consequently no persistence of type. This indicates the absence of a controlling agency, a lack which might well engage the attention of the alumni and the national organization.

We must remember too that the undergraduate spends one third of the year at home, and that his home life will affect the chapter's problem one



way or the other. This points directly to our informing ourselves much better than we do of the background of our candidates for membership. The fraternity is not a reform school, and it cannot hope to make silk purses out of sows' ears.

THE ALUMNI: Every fraternity in the country is wrestling with the problem of alumni interest, because an intelligently active group of alumni is the surest guarantee of a good undergraduate chapter. But we treat alumni loyalty as if it were something that we may demand. What right have you and I to tell a man that just because years ago he gave us what we wanted particularly—his prestige and his financial support—he must remain actively loyal to our organization for the rest of his natural life, especially if nothing but pep talks and dues have happened since?

We may not expect every alumnus to be a crusading undergraduate. Even though he feels deeply indebted to his fraternity, and though he is social-minded, there are more immediate demands on his time and energy. And perhaps he is giving himself to his community because at college he learned to give himself to his chapter. Our objective then was to inspire him to greater usefulness in his environment, not to greater usefulness to us.

Perhaps the fault lies with us, who profess to be the mentors of all fraternity life. Few of us have stressed the fraternity and its young members as a rare field for social usefulness; few of us have emphasized the fraternity's obligation to its youth, and so it has lost much of its appeal to its social-minded alumni; and these would normally make the best fraternity men. I suspect that if we were more precise in formulating vital objectives for our undergraduate chapters, thoughtless and care-free brothers would be less

inclined to use their old chapter house as a playground, and men who could make a real contribution would feel a greater urge to come back.

The great need of the fraternities is good men. We must resist the pressure to open our gates even wider, for promiscuity is no evidence of democracy. We need fewer and better men, and there is nothing reprehensible about an aristocracy, if it be an aristocracy of decency and altruistic service. The chapter house should be a breeding place of leaders of thought and action, who appreciate their opportunities and foresee their responsibilities. And when you offer to your alumni a share in such vital work, you will have no occasion to deplore their lack of interest.

We hear constantly the complaint that the undergraduate of today takes his fraternity much less seriously than the older generation did. If that is so, it means that in the years ahead you will have an even more serious alumni problem.

THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION: The most common criticism of our national leadership is that it is unprogressive in a changing world. Too many of us have our roots in the days of ordered loyalties and regimented enthusiasm; too few of us understand that the fraternity cannot be divorced from the educational system. That we are attempting to make the casual and inflated chapters of today fit into the pattern created for compact and intimate groups. In short, that we insist upon putting new wine into old skins.

And college administrators complain that too much of our thinking is an emotional glorification of the past rather than a dynamic realization of the present; and that our officers, who know nothing about education and little about youth, do not measure up to the task of counseling and coöperating with them in what should be a common undertaking.

We must examine these criticisms with the same open mind with which we considered the weaknesses of the college, so that we may apply the necessary remedy; for the quality of our leadership will determine the character of our organizations.

It is, however, a mistake to assume

that the national organization of the fraternities is the most important and influential factor in the environment of the chapter, and has therefore the greatest responsibility. As a matter of fact, it is the least important; and if we remember the dictum that the best governed state is the least governed, we may be well satisfied that it should be so.

We have always talked at these meetings as if the national organization were the final arbiter of what should prevail within a given fraternity. In a measure this is true, for that is what differentiates one fraternity from another; but reduced to its fundamental principles, it is not at all true. For it is the local campus which determines what form its fraternity life shall take, and those of us who have chapters at institutions like Dartmouth and Virginia know how helpless the national fraternity is in any attempt to change the local map. And all of us know how little we have succeeded in purging our own initiatory rites of the excrescences of Hell Week.

Isn't it the part of wisdom then to approach local problems locally? Instead of passing resolutions at this Conference, which will change history about as much as a Soviet broadcast influences American elections, and instead of wasting time passing laws which will never be enforced, why do not the secretaries concerned meet in a body with the local interfraternity councils and together arrive at a solution, which by the very fact of its origin *can* be enforced? If our secretaries are looking for a real job, the most constructive thing they can do at the present time is to help our good friends the Deans to build up a really strong and responsible interfraternity council on every campus, and throw the weight of their national experience and outlook into the solution of local problems which interfere with the proper development of their chapters.

For we need to remember that the fraternity idea is consistent only with the theory of democracy, where men may govern themselves and do for themselves. Yet, the prerogatives of our undergraduate chapters have been preëmpted more and more by the national organizations, until these are

not unlike the modern holding company. And I believe that we have here an important reason for the fainter interest of men in their fraternities, because we have taken from them too much of the need to do for themselves, too much of the stimulus to initiative and independent thinking, and too much of the responsibility for the well-being of the chapter. For these are the things which make for enthusiasm and loyalty.

What then *are* the functions of the national organization? They are many and indispensable:

It is a guarantee of permanence and stability.

It multiplies friendships.

It counteracts provincialism.

It fosters local competition and differentiation, which are essential to healthy growth.

It consolidates interests and agencies, and furnishes supervision which will serve as a guide and a check.

It is a clearing house of common experience under differing circumstances, and is a source of inspiration and leadership.

It substitutes effective group action for ineffectual individual effort.

It harmonizes techniques and effects economies through collective action.

It is the cohesive force which vitalizes the constituent parts, and lends to them prestige and the sense of power and worth which comes with sharing in a significant movement.

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That completes our analysis of the environment of the undergraduate at college, and of some of the problems entailed. It has necessarily been cursory, and yet sufficiently detailed to reveal many a task to which we may address ourselves. Let me make a brief summary of these:

1. To challenge the college to define its objectives, so that we may the more intelligently coördinate our efforts with its own.

2. To urge the college to provide instruction which will promote better its avowed objective of social responsibility.

3. To provide for our chapters

Bound Directories Now Available

A LIMITED NUMBER of bound copies of the Eighth General Directory, published in March, 1936, are available for sale at \$3.00 each. The Directory contains a listing of the membership of $\Delta T \Delta$, both by chapter and geographically, and other information about the Fraternity of historical and statistical nature. Orders for the bound copies of the Eighth General Directory together with remittances should be sent to the Central Office, 333 North Pennsylvania Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

physical surroundings entirely compatible with educational objectives.

4. To maintain a proper balance within the chapter between "activities" and the real work of the college, and to avoid exploitation of either the fraternity or its members.

5. To realize more clearly the importance of the home environment of our members.

6. To regard the chapter as an opportunity for serving youth.

7. To promote through our national organizations dynamic leadership in the interest of our chapters and their colleges.

None of these problems can be solved unless we face them realistically and set purposeful objectives for the fraternity. And these objectives, the *what* and the *why* of the fraternity system, should be: First, To instil in our members the desire to live lives of rich usefulness to themselves and to their surroundings; and secondly, To provide them with the means of achieving that end. As was said recently of us: we have the information that is necessary; we seem to have the wisdom; all that is needed is the will to do something.

(An address delivered at the National Interfraternity Conference, November 27, 1936.)

Delta Tau Delta Attains Highest Scholastic Record in the Fraternity's History

By HENRY M. WRISTON, Gamma Zeta (Wesleyan), '11, Supervisor of Scholarship

AST year the Supervisor of Scholarship was able to send cheering words because of the improvement over the previous year. This year the news is even better because $\Delta T \Delta$'s scholarship record during 1935-36 placed it in second position among all the fraternities having fifty or more chapters. Only Beta Theta Pi held a higher position. Moreover, on the National Interfraternity Conference rating the average was plus 1.38 as against plus .60 last year. This again breaks a record, being the highest average reported for our Fraternity since the rating basis was established in 1929. We still have a considerable distance to go to overhaul Beta Theta Pi whose average was plus 2.53. That is a goal to shoot at.

Sixty-seven chapters were recorded and all the statistics are based upon the reports from them. Seven chapters, therefore, are omitted from the discussion. They are Beta Iota (Virginia), Delta Epsilon (Kentucky), Omega (Pennsylvania), Beta Mu (Tufts), Beta Omicron (Cornell), Delta Beta (Carnegie Tech), and Delta Theta (Toronto). Of those reporting, more than half were in the plus column, thirty-eight to be precise, or 58 per cent of the whole. This again is an improvement over last year and the year before.

Five chapters were in first positions in their institutions. These were: Gamma Theta (Baker), Kappa (Hillsdale), Rho (Stevens), Alpha (Allegheny), and Chi (Kenyon). The year before, the Kenyon chapter was in first place as were the Hillsdale and Baker chapters. The Allegheny chapter was not represented a year ago, but the Stevens chapter advanced from eighth place to first. It should be observed that all of these first places were held in relatively small institutions and all but one were in small colleges of liberal arts. There was no university chapter which attained first

place upon its campus.

Six of the chapters finished in second place. They were: Beta Theta (Sewanee), Delta Alpha (Oklahoma), Delta Nu (Lawrence), Gamma Phi (Amherst), Gamma (Washington and Jefferson), and Gamma Delta (West Virginia). This represents a slight downward trend for the Sewanee chapter from first to second and also for the Oklahoma chapter. It represents no change for the Amherst chapter which was in the same position last year. The Lawrence chapter was in the same relative position but had a minus rating while this year it has advanced to a plus 7. The West Virginia chapter represents an improvement in relative position from third to second, but its average is not quite so good, being reduced from plus 8 to plus 7. The Washington and Jefferson chapter remains in second place this year, but its average drops from plus 12 to plus 7. It will be seen that no large university is included within this group, and it will also be observed that there was strong tendency for the same chapters to appear on the list of firsts and seconds in the two years.

Seven chapters finished in third place. In this group the university chapters made a better showing, but only one was of the larger state universities. Eighteen chapters or 27 per cent of the chapters reporting finished in first, second, or third place. This is a good showing but one which could certainly be improved. Finishing in first place may be a very tight matter statistically, but to finish among the first three is not asking a great deal. There has been only a slight improvement in this respect during the last year, for in 1934-35 seventeen chapters finished in one of the first three positions.

Again the Eastern Division made the best all-round record for the year duplicating its record of the year before. Fifteen chapters reported and of

those all but three were on the plus side of the ledger. The index of the group was plus 3.99. The best record was made by the Stevens chapter which was first among nine fraternities with a plus 15 average. The Allegheny chapter was in second position with a first among seven fraternities with a plus 13 average. Gamma Zeta (Wesleyan) faded after its spurt. It maintained its third position but was just barely on the plus side on the books of accounts. Beta Chi (Brown) dropped from third with a plus 9 to fourth with a plus 5. The Carnegie Tech chapter which won the award two years ago and which dropped to fifteenth place out of sixteen last year did not report this year. Other poor records were Beta Lambda (Lehigh) which finished in seventeenth place with a minus 8 average and Tau (Penn State) which finished in eighteenth position with a minus 6 average.

The Southern Division holds second place in the Fraternity-at-large. Its index is plus 1.79. Only two chapters had not reported. It is difficult to award the palm in this group because no chapter finished in first position. Only one finished in second position—the Sewanee chapter. It was second in eight fraternities with a plus 6 average, whereas Delta Delta (Tennessee) was third out of sixteen and had a plus 17 average, and Beta Xi (Tulane) was in third position out of eighteen with a plus 10 average. Because the plus average was so much higher and because it maintained its position among a larger group the Tennessee chapter is the winner. It was surpassed by Kappa Nu with a plus 29 average and Sigma Alpha Epsilon with a plus 19 average. The most remarkable plus average in the Southern Division was that of Gamma Psi (Georgia Tech), its average being plus 22, but it finished in fifth position out of twenty-three fraternities, slid-



THE Division winners are Delta Delta (Tennessee) in the Southern Division; Delta Alpha (Oklahoma) in the Western Division; Chi (Kenyon) in the Northern Division; and Rho (Stevens) in the Eastern Division.

ing down from second position the year before and losing also its plus rating from 25 to 22. In this Division only seven of thirteen chapters had a plus rating. There were some conspicuously bad records in the group. Notable was Beta Epsilon (Emory) which was twelfth out of thirteen chapters with a minus 22 average; Gamma Eta (George Washington) was in twelfth place out of fifteen chapters with a minus 9 average; Phi (Washington and Lee) was in fifteenth position out of nineteen fraternities with a minus 9 average; Beta Delta (Georgia) was in eleventh position out of sixteen with a minus 4 average; Delta Zeta (Florida) was in twelfth position out of twenty-two fraternities with a minus 3 average, and Delta Kappa (Duke) was in seventeenth place out of seventeen with a minus 3 average.

It needs no argument or elaboration to bring home the point that the Southern Division has a sharp cleavage between good scholarship and bad scholarship, and that there is vast room for improvement. Among those which were good it is difficult to differentiate, but between the good and the poor it is easy, and if there were to be special recognition for a poor record the Emory chapter would certainly receive the award.

The Western Division finished in third position, its index being plus .48. Only one chapter out of twenty-four was not reported. Thirteen of the twenty-three chapters had a plus rating. The Oklahoma chapter again received the award; it was second out of twenty-one fraternities with a plus 16 average. This was not quite as good as last year when it was first with a plus 18 average. The Baker chapter gave it a close race being first out of three fraternities with a plus 9, a slight improvement over the year previous when it was first with a plus 6 average. Baker, moreover, was the only chapter in the Division which finished in first place.

The weakest aspect of the Division was the Pacific Coast where six chapters were lowest with an average of minus .65. Of that group Beta Rho (Stanford) was fourth out of twenty-

two fraternities with a plus 2 average; Delta Iota (California at Los Angeles) was twelfth out of twenty-five with a plus 3 average; Beta Omega (California) was thirty-fourth out of thirty-nine fraternities; Gamma Mu (Washington) was eighteenth out of twenty-four with a minus 5 average; Gamma Rho (Oregon) was in a position all its own—seventeenth out of seventeen with a minus 18 average, which approaches the dimensions of a scandal.

Among the institutions in the Mississippi valley, Omicron (Iowa) made the worst record surpassing the Oregon chapter by being seventeenth out of seventeen fraternities with a minus 28 average. This wretched performance led to the suspension of its social privileges and a long article in the *Daily Iowan* describes the somewhat feeble attempts to explain away a record which is desperately bad. Beta Eta (Minnesota) finished twentieth out of thirty chapters with a minus 7 average; Beta Upsilon (Illinois) was in thirty-second position out of forty-nine fraternities with a minus 11 average. It will be seen, therefore, that in the largest state universities the poorest records tend to be made.

Beta Gamma (Wisconsin) was in twelfth position out of thirty-five fraternities with a plus 5 average; Beta Pi (Northwestern) was in sixth position out of seventeen fraternities with a plus 3 average; Gamma Pi (Iowa State) was in fourth position out of twenty-seven fraternities with a plus 16 average; Delta Gamma (South

Dakota) was in third position out of seven fraternities with a plus 1 average; Delta Xi (North Dakota) was in fifth position out of eleven fraternities with a plus 13 average, and Gamma Beta (Armour) was in fourth position out of six fraternities with a minus 1 average.

Turning to the prairie and mountain states, Beta Tau (Nebraska) was in sixth position out of twenty-three fraternities with a plus 1 average; Gamma Tau (Kansas) was in ninth position out of sixteen fraternities with a minus 3 average; Gamma Chi (Kansas State) was in eighth position out of twenty fraternities with a minus 2 average; Beta Kappa (Colorado) was in fourth position out of nineteen fraternities with a plus 4 average, and Delta Mu (Idaho) was in fifth position out of twelve fraternities with a minus 3 average.

The Northern Division finished in fourth position with an index of minus .30, all the chapters reporting, and eight of the fifteen with plus ratings. The first place goes again to the Kenyon chapter which is in first place among four fraternities with a plus 10 average. The Hillsdale chapter made a noble advance from fourth position out of four with a minus 10 average to first position with a plus 4 and gave the Kenyon chapter a battle for the award. Other records worthy of comment were Gamma Xi (Cincinnati) which was in third position out of 14 fraternities with a plus 16; Beta (Ohio) was in third place out of twelve fraternities with a plus 2 average; Beta Alpha (Indiana) was in third position out of twenty fraternities with a plus 4 average; Gamma Lambda (Purdue) was in eighth place out of thirty-two fraternities with a plus 9 average; and Gamma Upsilon (Miami) was in sixth place out of fourteen fraternities with a plus 4 average. There were, however, some conspicuously bad records: Delta (Michigan) was in thirty-second place out of thirty-six fraternities with a minus 6 average; Beta Phi (Ohio State) was in thirty-sixth place out of thirty-nine fraternities with a minus 20 average.

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Edgar H. Evans: Beta Psi's First Member

By KURT F. PANTZER, Beta Psi (Wabash), '12

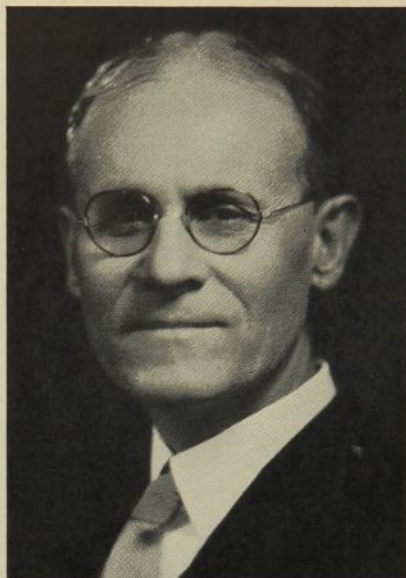
EDGAR H. EVANS, Beta Psi (Wabash), '92, of Indianapolis, has, since the turn of the century, been one of the most prominent Delts in Indiana, not merely by reason of his success in business, but by virtue of his great influence upon the educational, religious and cultural activities of his city and state.

At the age of sixteen, prior to graduation from high school, he entered Rose Polytechnic Institute, where he led his class until illness required him to discontinue the course. His interest to Delts begins with his career at Wabash College where he was a member of the local which was subsequently chartered by the Fraternity, chiefly as a result of his efforts. He was the first member of the chapter to be initiated.

Mr. Evans took the classical course specializing in Greek, and Latin. At that time, due in large measure to his influence, the chapter had the highest standard of scholarship which it has ever maintained. He headed the debating team in his junior year, won the Baldwin oratorical prize, and took second place in the state oratorical contest. Wabash was, in those days, very much under the joint influence of the classic tradition and the Presbyterian Church. The stamp of the Wabash of his day left an indelible impression, which is manifested by a review of his career.

After leaving college, Mr. Evans became associated with his father in the milling of flour. Applying himself to business as he had to education, he made his firm the principal flour mill in Indiana, and one of the largest in the Middle West. The original partnership with his father later became, by consolidation, the Acme-Evans Company. He was president of this corporation for over twenty-five years and became chairman of its board of directors in 1934.

Turning to religious and educational activities, Mr. Evans has been a member of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church for over fifty years,



Edgar H. Evans

holding office as deacon, and later as elder for over thirty years. He was president of the Indianapolis Y.M.C.A. for eight years, and is a past president of the Boys Club of Indianapolis, a club for underprivileged boys. Throughout he has maintained a close relationship with Wabash College. In 1902 his outstanding achievements were recognized by his Alma Mater in the form of an honorary master's degree. He has been a trustee of the College since 1918, and in 1924 headed up its million-dollar endowment campaign as national chairman. He has worked tirelessly to continue the Wabash tradition as a middle-sized non-coeducational institution featuring both a liberal education and thorough religious training. In recent years he and Dr. Joseph C. Todd, of the Indiana School of Religion, have devoted a great deal of time to study of the place of religion in the curriculum of the average small or middle-sized college of the country. A number of brochures upon the results of their investigations, which have been published, have received much favorable comment, both from religious and educational sources. He is not so

much interested in the promulgation of technical religious doctrines as in making familiarity with the Bible and its literature a part of modern scholarship. He believes the Bible to be the great cultural implement available to educators.

Mr. Evans's success in business has been signalized by such honors as president of the Millers National Federation, chairman of the Indiana Wheat Improvement Commission, member of the board of governors of the Indianapolis Board of Trade, and chairman of the Citizens School Committee of Indianapolis. That he has used his position for altruistic ends is illustrated by the fact he was chairman of the Indianapolis Near East Campaign in 1921, and Chairman of the Indiana Russian Relief Campaign in 1922. He has always been a worker for the Indianapolis Community Fund, National Red Cross and similar organizations.

It is natural that in connection with his various cultural activities, Mr. Evans should be attracted by the problem of how to make the national Greek-letter fraternity more of a cultural vehicle. He has worked with a group of Beta Psi alumni, who have given the chapter constant support and encouragement. He has extended not merely a helping hand, but considerable financial aid, to many members of the undergraduate chapter. He made possible the improvements, which have, since 1931, constituted the Beta Psi home the finest on the Wabash campus. As a trustee of Wabash College, he has obtained a more complete view of the status of the chapter, and he has imparted this view to others in order that chapter policies might harmonize with College policies.

Edgar Evans's career has taught him to know, respect, and love life. He feels that with the proper cultural influences, the chapter at Wabash can be made more and more of a vehicle to enable its members also to know, respect, and love life.

Colonel H. C. Dodge: Humanitarian

AFTER more than three years' service in the United States Army, which included a year in France as an Emergency Officer, Colonel Horace C. Dodge, Beta Kappa (Colorado), '01, was tendered an appointment for active duty in the Reserve Corps of the U. S. Public Health Service, with assignment in Colorado, to begin the work planned by the government for the relief of veterans disabled during the World War.

Several changes of duty and stations followed until May, 1923 when he was put in charge of the work of the Veterans' Bureau in Colorado. In September, 1925 Colonel Dodge was transferred to Washington, D.C., where he remained on the staff of the Medical Director for four years, during which time, as a medical supervisor, Colonel Dodge inspected nearly all of the hospitals operated by the Veterans' Bureau in the United States, and had an opportunity to observe the methods of administration and plans of treatment.

In May, 1929 Colonel Dodge was ordered to take charge of the hospital at Oteen, North Carolina, a few miles from Asheville, North Carolina, beautifully located in the Blue Ridge Mountains at an altitude of 2,400 feet which protects it from the intense summer heat of the South, and the mountains are a buffer protecting it from the extreme cold in the winter, giving a fairly equitable climatic condition, most essential in the sanitarium treatment of tuberculosis.

This Delt army officer had the pleasure of watching and assisting in, the development of Oteen to a wonderful institution. Today it occupies 320 acres of ground which contain fourteen major fireproof buildings and many auxiliary structures, equipped in every way with everything considered essential in the care of the tuberculous. The hospital is named Facility. With 850 beds and an average of eight hundred patients suffering from tuberculosis in its many forms, the Facility has become the largest institution of its



Veterans' Administration Hospital
Oteen, N.C.

kind in the United States. There is residence space for fifteen doctors who live there, the nurses' home which houses ninety-five nurses, buildings for the 157 servants, steam plant, laundry, recreation hall and theatre, radio building, garage for twenty-seven cars, and ambulances. A good description taken from the *Asheville Citizen* of September 11, 1932, will better describe the Facility: "It is a far cry from Oteen of war days to the Oteen of the present day. What was once some rude shacks on the mountain side on the Black Mountain Road near Asheville. Gradually the shacks disappeared and substantial buildings, admirably designed and well constructed, have been erected in their



Culbertson Studio Photo

Colonel H. C. Dodge

stead. Oteen has become a place of beauty as well as a place of healing. . . . The work that Colonel H. C. Dodge and his associates are doing is something everyone in Asheville should appreciate."

Under the supervision of an adequate staff of physicians, nurses, and other technical personnel, a strict regimen of treatment is undertaken, consisting principally of absolute bed rest. The patient having a good chance of making an arrest in his tubercular involvement is asked to give two years to the treatment. The patients, both men and women, are interested and coöperative with the result that about 15 per cent make arrested cases each year and are able to return to normal work and lives. Others are assisted by physiotherapy, collapse treatment, and surgical measures, during which time a determined effort is put forth by the staff to keep up morale. Occupational therapy, library service, and radio entertainment are furnished to augment that hope for recovery which is so characteristic of the tuberculous.

With the numberless details of business and medical administration, Colonel Dodge believes he received full compensation for his work at Oteen, through the unfailing courtesy and friendly attitude of the many patients who came and went, and the sincere expressions of gratitude of those who went away, during the period of seven years while he managed the institution.

Of the patients coming from all walks of life to Oteen, Colonel Dodge has many interesting memories: The patients who sought advice on business matters, how to educate their sons, how to help their sick daughters; the college professor classifying certain marine fossils received from Australia; the four wives who arrived at the bedside of a dying man; the unpleasant quarrel between the mother and brother of a deceased veteran over his estate, while the rights of the wife were ignored; interesting talks with a

former soldier whom Colonel Dodge first met in France after he had been released from a German war prison; and the Canadian soldier who went through the first chlorine gas attack at Ypres.

A pamphlet prepared by one of the veterans at Oteen had this to say about Colonel Dodge when he was head of that hospital: "Colonel H. C. Dodge is the sixth officer who has been in charge at Oteen since the World War. He has been here the longest of any of his predecessors and is by far the most popular man that has ever held this command.

"All in all, an ex-service man like his patients and buddies in the hospital of which he is in charge—that is the reason that the man who has charge of the most important hospital of its kind in the United States is respected by all, personnel and patients alike. His door is always open—there is no closed door policy at Oteen—all can come in to ask his advice and obtain an interview at any time. His sole occupation is to help

the men get well in the shortest period of time. He keeps in direct contact with the patients at all times. As a result, more men have obtained an arrested case at Oteen than at any other veterans hospital in the United States."

In the government service, changes in work and location are necessary, and some nine months ago, Colonel Dodge went west again, this time to Fort Bayard, New Mexico. It was formerly an army post in frontier days and later the first tubercular hospital set up by the United States Army. Fort Bayard is a most interesting old place, rich in the color and history of the great Southwest. It is on the edge of the desert with the Rocky Mountains in the near background. Colonel Dodge is helping, as he can, another group of veterans of the War win their way back from years of illness.

Colonel Dodge is a Delt father. His son is Horace J. Dodge, Gamma Eta (George Washington), '34, who is located at Fort Bayard.

Eighth General Directory Corrections

THERE was erroneous deceased information in the Eighth General Directory concerning the following listed men. These Delts are living and their names and addresses are:

Edward Taylor Gillette
Beta (Ohio), '16
Columbus, Ohio

Charles Quintard Wright
Beta Theta (Sewanee), '11
City Manager, Albany, Ga.

Neal Obeth Rumsey
Gamma Delta (West Virginia),
'20, and Beta (Ohio), '20
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Pittsburgh Karnea in August

Delta Tau Delta Attains Highest Scholastic Record in the Fraternity's History

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These furnish further evidence that the Fraternity is doing least well in the great state universities and that they need to buck up. Even in the small colleges, Epsilon (Albion) was fourth out of six fraternities with a minus 1 average; Beta Psi (Wabash) was in sixth place out of eight fraternities with a minus 7 average; Beta Beta (DePauw) was in eighth position out of twelve fraternities with a minus 2 average; Beta Zeta (Butler) was in third place out of six with a minus 9 average; Mu (Ohio Wesleyan) was fifth out of twelve with a minus 3 average; Zeta (Western Reserve) made a better record than these though not a conspicuous record, being sixth out of thirteen fraternities

with a plus 13 average.

When one turns from the statistics to reflect upon the situation, it is obvious that while there is reason for gratification at our progress there is yet no reason for pride. The All Men's Average upon which the statistical computations are based is not a thrilling figure in itself. It represents mediocrity at best, and considering that the Fraternity desires to select from among the strongest students and that the members of the fraternities have advantages which are denied to those outside, it is distressing to find so many averages on the minus side and so many others close to the median or only slightly better.

Modern educators do not think

much of grades in any individual case. There is a good deal of luck in whether one individual in one course at a single reporting period gets an "A," "B," or "C," but many statistical studies have shown that when large groups are studied statistically grades have a high reliability as an index of actual scholarship.

ΔΤΔ Fraternity, therefore, should set for itself two tasks—first, to overhaul its fleetfooted leader and take away the first position or give the Betas a real run for their money; the second is to get every chapter on the plus side of the ledger. Nothing else can be said to approach the respectability which is expected of any gentleman.

Dick Luther: Foster Son of the Orient

By GEORGE TUCKER
Beta Iota (Virginia), '29



A dinner party was given in the Philippines in honor of Certain-teed Products export manager.

UNHAPPY last week was Certain-teed Products Export Manager Richard Luther, Gamma Mu (Washington), '17, when $\Delta T \Delta$'s Secretary of Alumni Owen C. Orr ushered newshawks into his office, kicked shut the door, commanded him to talk.

Cried the Fraternity's No. 1 enthusiast: "You've been holding out on THE RAINBOW long enough. There are Delts in forty-eight states who are entitled to a version of your ten years in the Orient!"

Unable to escape, rotund, cigar-smoking Delt Dick Luther shook off his reticence, made Kipling look like a piker. He has rickshawed through China, back-tracked through Manchuria, zigzagged through Siam and the Dutch Indies, dallied in the Malayan states, been shot at in Tsinanfu, fêted in the Philippines, wined in Harbin, dined in Port Said.

Reason for this wholesale leapfrogging was to spread gospel of roofing, sheeting, tiling, other building equipment sponsored by Certain-teed Products Corporation, New York City, U.S.A.

To most stay-at-homes, the Orient is still a fen of slant-eyed refugees from the novels of Sax Rohmer whose greatest pleasures are derived from slitting Anglo-Saxon throats. Actu-

ally, if you hold to the beaten path, it is safe as Buffalo or Memphis. The American colonies have big, friendly Irish cops; the English have bobbies; the French, gendarmes, etc. Most of the roads are well policed.

"Of course," points out Ex-salesman Luther, "certain precautionary measures are desirable. For instance, one shouldn't wander into the midst of any Oriental mob. Mobs frequently become agitated, and the presence of foreigners inspires them to mayhem. Best move in a predicament like this is to grab the nearest coolie and laugh at him. The louder you laugh the better. The Chinese have a high sense of humor. If you laugh loud enough, the others will laugh with you."

EXECUTIONS

A prime talking point for romancers and fictionists is the facility with which certain provinces rid themselves of undesirables. Favorite modes of execution are (1), for pirates, beheading; (2), for bandits, shooting! When pirates are taken they are formed in line, told to bend over. The executioner then steps briskly down the line, whiffing off heads with a razor-edge sword. The heads fall forward, roll in the dust. The bodies slump grotesquely, lie still.

One fine day at Tsinanfu, in the

well-banded province of Shantung, well-fed Delt Dick Luther ambled out of his hotel, rubbed his eyes in amazement. Twenty-three bandits, strung together like so many cackling hens, were being escorted out of town.

For this minor unpleasantness no official firing squad had been detailed. The procession was in charge of a young lieutenant, a subordinate, several ragged soldiers. Once out of town, the bandits were flung into an uneven line. The lieutenant nodded to his subordinate. The subordinate drew a heavy service pistol, began shooting the prisoners through the head. A bored private trailed at his heel, supplying fresh pistols as the old ones were emptied. To make it "official," the bodies were then honored with the bayonet.

SUPERSTITION

Although the lower classes (coolies, untouchables, etc.) yield to none in their scorn of actual death, nowhere will you find a more unreasoning fear of the supernatural. One day, five years ago, Salesman Luther trudged sweatily into a village off the fringe of the Gobi Desert. At his side plodded a one-eyed giant, hatless, blonde hair flowing in the wind.

Bedlam instantly broke loose. Natives spilled out of huts, fled shrieking

into the brush. To them the wild giant with the eye-patch was something incarnate.

Explains Luther: "They had never seen a newspaper. How were they to recognize Floyd Gibbons?"

GREEKS-AT-LARGE

But China and the Orient isn't all a bloody business of pirates and bandits. Those endless quests to remote ports, to villages in the interior, to the crowded metropolises yield dividends



Mr. Luther smiles at the heat in Hongkong, China.

of unexpected pleasures. Alighting at Kobe, Japan, one day, Luther bumped into Fred W. Bender, National City Bank bigwig. Bender was a Delt, and the meeting served to remind of other Delts scattered through the out-of-the-way corners of the world. There was Chester Fritz, the Shanghai banker. In Harbin, "the Paris of the East," he spent many delightful hours with well-liked but now dead George Hanson. E. W. Frazer was the scion of a family of old clipper ship tycoons.

There was Paul Hopkins, of Shanghai Electric; Nelson T. Johnson, American Minister to China; Cecil Cross of Capetown, who was in the consular service; Paul Pearson, one-time governor of the Virgin Islands; E. O. Drake, British-American Tobacco Co. . . . these and other Delts Luther knew.

Says he: "So many of the boys began bobbing up I thought they were holding the Karnea out there."

Nearly ten years after his first invasion of the East, Luther was ordered back to the United States, complimented for his record, made export manager. He sits in an office at 100 42nd Street, eleven floors above the sidewalks; dictates to subordinates in the field.

No longer a bachelor, he is a family man now, with golf and bridge obligations, as well as business ones. He is

Pittsburgh Karnea in August



Dick Luther at a masquerade party aboard ship en route to the Orient. He claims he doesn't remember the lady pirate's name.

also a brother of Cinemactress Irene Rich.

"I see her frequently," Dick Luther says. "Irene has always wanted to retire to a tranquil, calm neighborhood, where the world doesn't break its neck hurrying by. And she has such a place. She has found a lovely, quiet apartment up on 66th Street, just across the street from a police station and a fire department."

New Paid Loyalty Fund Memberships

ADDITIONAL members of $\Delta T \Delta$ who now have Paid Loyalty Fund Memberships, by completing dollar-a-month contracts which were begun when the men were undergraduates, thereby entitling them to receive THE RAINBOW for life, are as follows:

1382. Adis, George William..Beta Upsilon, '36	1393. Ford, Frank Robert.....Delta Mu, '35	1409. O'Brien, Robert Manning
1383. Bourne, Grant Rogers	1394. Freygang, Gustav George.....Rho, '35	.....Gamma Upsilon, '30
.....Gamma Zeta, '34	1395. Graham, William Douglas	1410. O'Hara, Meredith Henderson
1384. Brown, Robert Heath..Gamma Zeta, '32	.....Gamma Zeta, '30	.....Gamma Psi, '35
1385. Brunk, Paul Charles..Delta Alpha, '31	1396. Hitchcock, Edward Cameron	1411. Peck, Hollis Farley
1386. Clifford, Thomas Hill .....	.....Beta Pi, '34	1412. Riddiford, William Edward
.....Delta Alpha, '30	1397. Hunter, Samuel Knox, Jr. ....	.....Beta Omicron, '35
1387. Coleman, John Andrew...Beta Phi, '28	.....Gamma Sigma, '30	1413. Rust, Henry George
1388. Desmond, John Eddy....Upsilon, '34	1398. Jarvis, John Almer	Delta Mu, '34
1389. Evans, Robert James..Beta Omega, '35	.....Omicron, '33	1414. Schoonover, Cortlandt
1390. Faber, Charles William.....Mu, '30	1399. Jarvis, Lemuel Davisson .....	.....Gamma Zeta, '34
1391. Farnham, Robert, Jr.....	.....Beta Lambda, '30	1415. Schultdt, William Jack...Gamma Pi, '31
.....Beta Lambda, '35	1400. Kimberly, A. Elliott	1416. Shields, Stuart Dudley.....Nu, '30
1392. Fergus, Harold Valentine..Gamma, '32	.....Beta Phi, '34	1417. Smith, Clarence J.....Delta Iota, '33
	1401. LaVarre, Claude Andrews....Phi, '33	1418. Smith, Robert Lane...Gamma Zeta, '31
	1402. Lawton, Irving Lester	1419. Sutton, David Van Dorn
	.....Beta Lambda, '36	.....Gamma Delta, '33
	1403. Lindsay, Thomas Crawford.....	1420. Thomson, John Holbrook..Gamma, '35
	.....Gamma Sigma, '34	1421. Wade, Arthur Clinton
	1404. Long, James Clarke....Delta Iota, '32	.....Delta Gamma, '33
	1405. Maddux, Forrest Edward, Jr..Omega, '34	1422. Walters, George Emerson
	1406. Moore, Richard Fulton .....	.....Beta Phi, '30
	.....Delta Iota, '33	1423. West, John Frank....Beta Gamma, '32
	1407. Neumann, Wencil Alexander, Jr...Delta, '36	1424. Wilkens, Richard Barlow, Jr.....
	1408. Neunuebel, Franklin William .....	.....Beta Theta, '36
	.....Beta Pi, '35	1425. Williams, Vincent Edward, Jr..Mu, '31

Colonel Walker Is Honorary Chairman of Pittsburgh Karnea

By W. STEWART TOWNSEND, Tau (Penn State), '32

WITH Colonel Lewis Walker, Alpha (Allegheny), '77, a member of $\Delta T \Delta$ for sixty years, Honorary Chairman of the Pittsburgh Karnea, plans are moving swiftly and smoothly to bring to Pittsburgh, August 25, 26, 27, and 28, the best and largest Karnea in the Fraternity's history.

Colonel Walker is well known throughout the Fraternity for his long and continued interest, especially in the affairs of Alpha (Allegheny). He is president of the Hookless Fastener Company at Meadville, Pennsylvania, and a member of the board of trustees at Allegheny College.

A fortnight before Thanksgiving some fifty odd Deltas, members of the Karnea Council, gathered in the Yale-Harvard-Princeton Club in Pittsburgh, to form working committees.

Headed by General Chairman Norman MacLeod, the Executive Committee is composed of George A. Doyle, Vice-Chairman; C. R. Wilson, Jr., Secretary, William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh; Harry R. Birmingham, Mark M. Grubbs, Paul E. Hutchinson, Earle R. Jackson, Edward T. Leech, and Charles F. Lewis.

C. C. Carr will direct the Publicity Committee; Earle R. Jackson, the Alumni Committee; and John V. Snee, the Undergraduate Chapters Committee. The Banquet and Entertainment Committee has for its chairman, Mark M. Grubbs; the Karnea Boat-Ride, Harry R. Birmingham; the Speakers Committee, Paul E. Hutchinson; and the Finance Committee will be headed by Charles F. Lewis, head of the Buhl Foundation.

The problem of inducing undergraduates from far-distant chapters to attend the Pittsburgh Karnea received a thorough workout in that November

meeting. On a plan suggested by C. C. Carr, public relations director for the Aluminum Company of America, $\Delta T \Delta$ alumni who call Pittsburgh their home, are making it possible for a number of deserving undergraduate members from their respective schools to attend the Karnea to be held in Pittsburgh next August.

These alumni are offering a Karnea ticket to the undergraduate member in their own schools who may win it in any competitive contest the chapter cares to work out. It is being suggested to the chapters that the ticket be given to a freshman who, during the present college year, has proved himself the best chapter member from the standpoint of his conduct in chapter meetings and among his fellow-brothers.

Starting this movement off in mass formation, ten alumni of Penn State have agreed to purchase one Karnea ticket each for the same number of Tau undergraduates. The ten alumni are Mark M. Grubbs, George F. ("Dad") Elliott, George A. ("Buzz") Doyle, J. F. ("Dutch") Mattern, George A. Barker, C. M. ("Solly") Martsof, Herbert Rader, Frederick W. ("Doc") Orr, L. J. ("Dutch") Berner, and Jordan Gauthier.

Chapters from a distance are not being forgotten either. Carr, himself, has agreed to purchase a Karnea ticket for a deserving undergraduate member from Beta Alpha (Indiana). Edward T. Leech, editor of the *Pittsburgh Press*, has agreed to do a similar thing for a member of his own chapter at the University of Colorado.

Dan T. Mullane will do likewise for one of the brothers from Butler University. It is expected that this idea will grow tremendously, as the Pittsburgh Committee for the Karnea is attempting to interest not only alumni



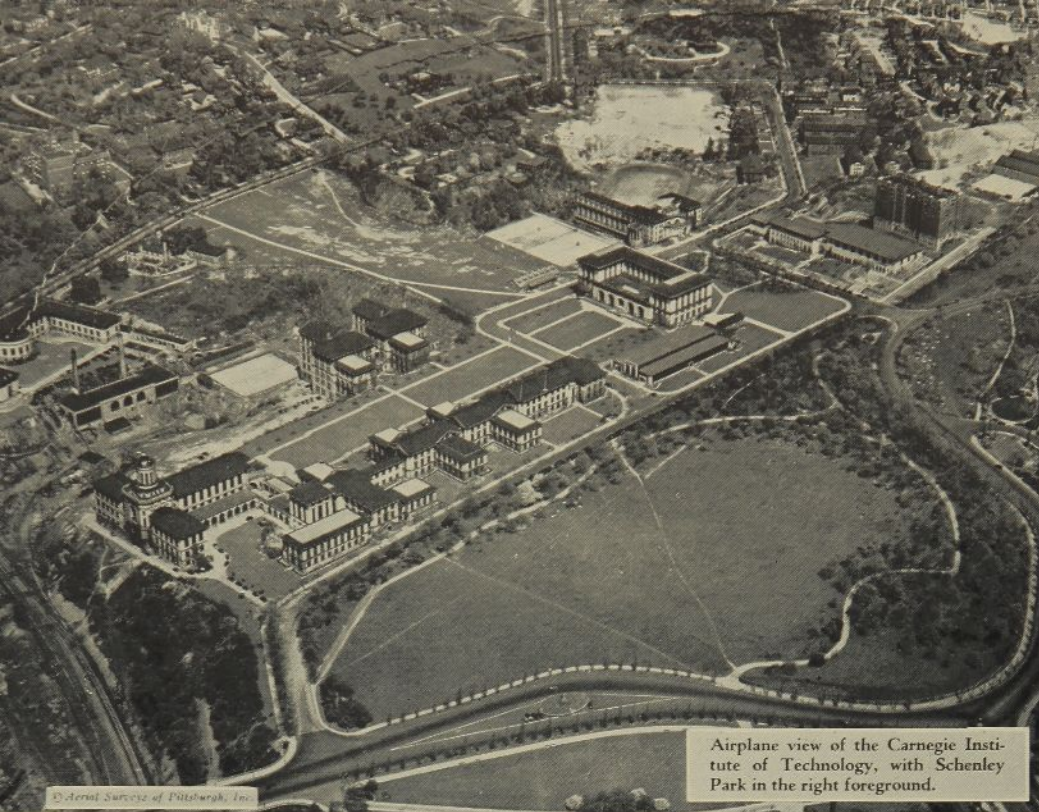
Colonel Lewis Walker

in that district, but alumni from all parts of the country.

Of course, the social inducements to the Pittsburgh Karnea for both undergraduates and alumni will be many and varied and will include a smoker, boat-ride, Karnea Ball, golf, swimming, a banquet, and many side trips.

In actual dollars and cents, the Karnea in August, 1937 will be one of the most inexpensive ever staged for those who attend. By the time this article appears, the total registration fee will be set. However it is almost definitely certain that a ticket to the Pittsburgh Karnea will not cost over ten dollars with a possibility of a two dollar reduction to undergraduates, if purchased by May, 1937.

The William Penn Hotel will be the official headquarters for the Karnea and all business sessions will be conducted there. However, no delegate, official or otherwise, need stay there unless he wishes. Pittsburgh possesses many fine low and medium-priced hosteleries, in addition to several fine Y.M.C.A.'s. There are two undergraduate chapter houses, Gamma Sigma (Pittsburgh) and Delta Beta (Carnegie Tech), in the city, and many private homes of $\Delta T \Delta$ members and their friends will be available to undergraduate members. Plan to attend the Pittsburgh Karnea August 25, 26, 27, and 28!



Airplane view of the Carnegie Institute of Technology, with Schenley Park in the right foreground.

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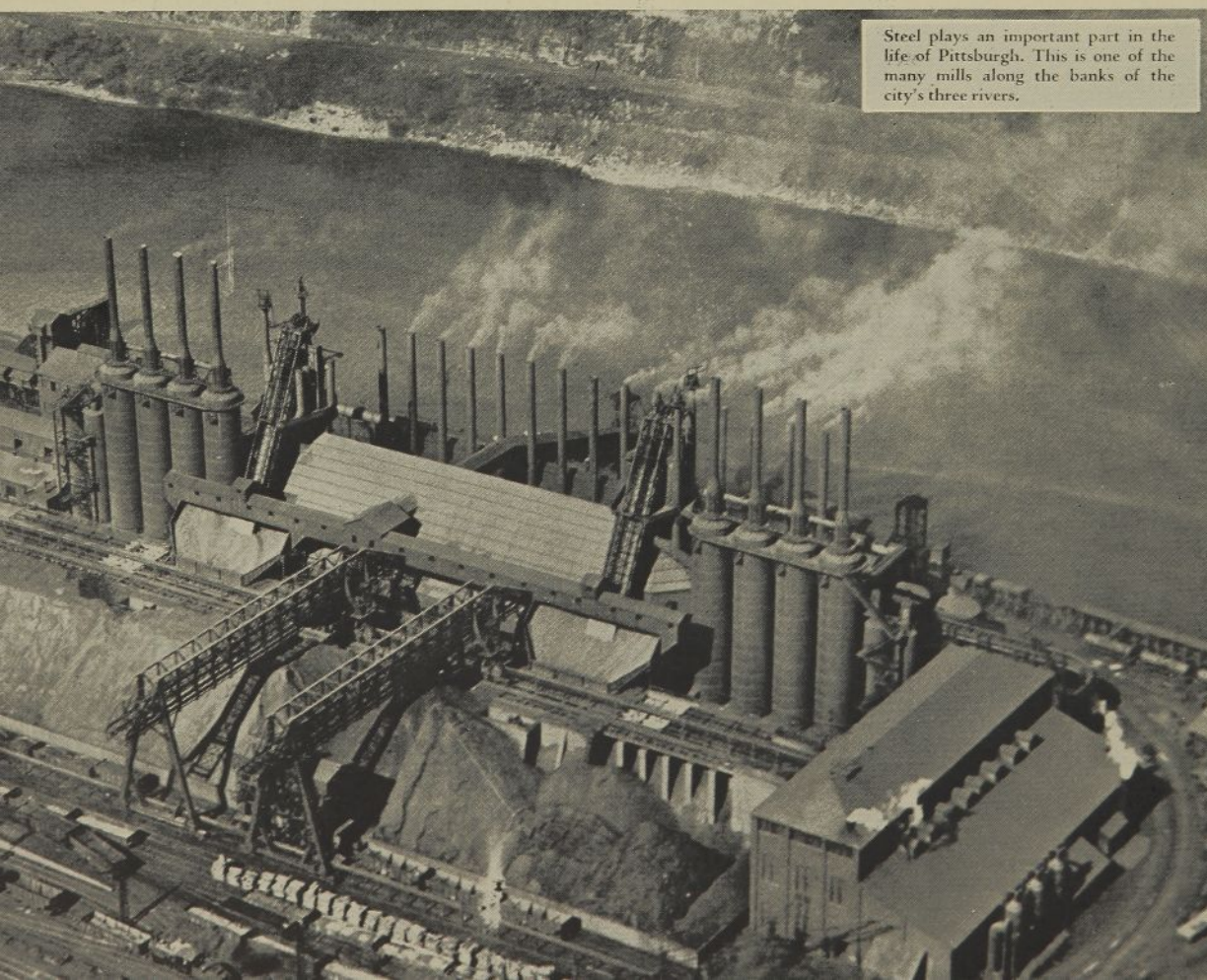


The William Street entrance.

The Cathedral University of Pittsburgh scraper building.



PITTSBURGH KAN



Steel plays an important part in the life of Pittsburgh. This is one of the many mills along the banks of the city's three rivers.



"The Point" at the angle" at the effluents of the Allegheny (right) and Monongahela (left) rivers.



The steamship of the excursion line on the Pittsburgh River.

Hotel, Grand
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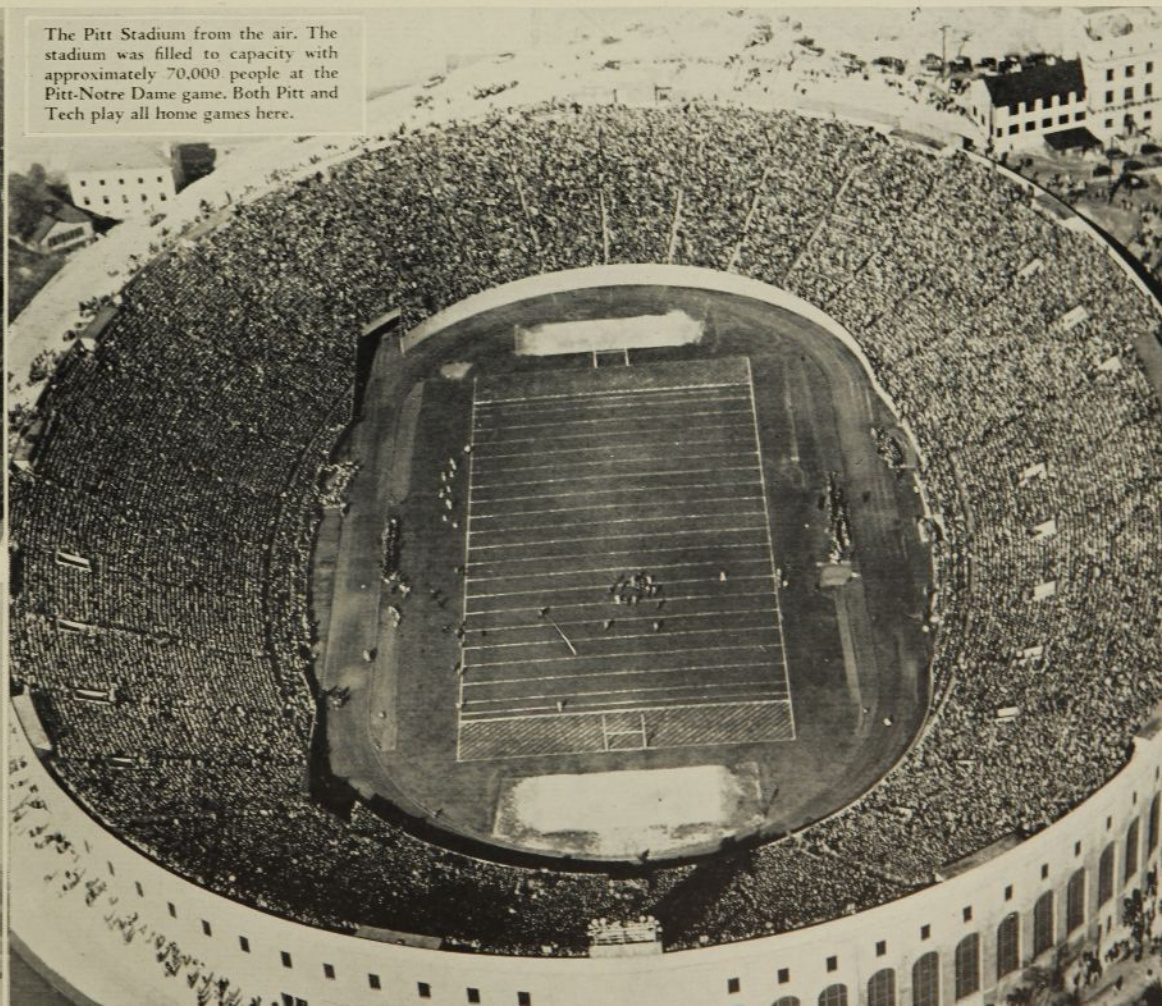


The 17th Street incline over the Penn-
sylvania R.R. tracks and Biglow
Boulevard.

AREA IN AUGUST ★ ★ ★



the "Golden Tri-
angle" of the Mo-
h and Allegheny Riv-
ers, the Ohio River.



The Pitt Stadium from the air. The
stadium was filled to capacity with
approximately 70,000 people at the
Pitt-Notre Dame game. Both Pitt and
Tech play all home games here.



Washington, one
of the
ships which ply
the Potomac River.



Zeta Chapter House

DURING the past year there have been several housing changes throughout the Fraternity, beginning with the construction of the new Gamma Xi chapter house at Cincinnati, described in the May, 1936 number of *THE RAINBOW*. Other newly constructed, remodeled, or purchased houses are those of Zeta, Pi,

Beta Alpha, Beta Mu, Beta Rho, Beta Phi, Beta Psi, and Delta Delta.

Zeta—Western Reserve. Zeta purchased from the estate of former President Williamson of Western Reserve University, his home facing the campus of Flora Stone Mather College for Women of Western Reserve



Beta Mu Chapter House

Building Programs Four Divisions of

University, and two blocks from the men's campus. The house, a three-story dwelling, is adequate for the chapter's needs and is desirable for fraternity occupancy. All rooms are large and attractive, and one feature is a large room on the third floor extending the length of the building, which provides a most adequate chapter hall. In addition to the beautiful, well-kept grounds, there is a four-car garage, the second story of which contains two rooms and a bath. This fraternity house is the finest on the Western Reserve campus, and for the first time the chapter has a house suitable for its needs.

Pi—Mississippi. In 1934, the University of Mississippi revoked the ruling which since 1925 had prohibited fraternities from having houses. Through arrangement with the PWA and the University, Pi is now building a new Shelter of the lodge type, located on Lot No. 1 on Fraternity Row. The lodge will accommodate at least ten men, and it will be of colonial style, with the exterior of whitewashed brick with a green roof, in keeping with the construction of the University buildings.

Beta Alpha—Indiana. In September, 1936, Beta Alpha occupied a beautiful new Shelter, built on the same location as that of the Shelter destroyed by fire February 11, 1935. The architecture is the Early American style that was typical of Virginia and the southern states. In planning the structure, special attention was given to the interior arrangement, particularly in bedrooms and study-rooms, in order to provide the utmost in utility to the occupants. Modern furnishings and dark woodwork were used throughout.

Beta Mu—Tufts. The Beta Mu Shelter, a Georgian adaption in keeping with the style of architecture determined for all Tufts buildings, was remodeled last summer. There is an

Throughout the Delta Tau Delta

attractive flagstone terrace running along the entire front. The interior finish is in country pine, with hard wood or tile floors throughout. With the many improvements made on all three floors, the house now provides very adequate and comfortable living facilities for twenty-five men.

Beta Rho—Stanford. The chapter has a most attractively remodeled Shelter. For several years, Stanford authorities did not permit chapter houses to make substantial alterations or improvements, as housing fraternities in some group-housing arrangement was contemplated. Last summer the exterior of the Beta Rho house was completely plastered, thus giving it an entirely new appearance. The improvements included enlargement of the dining-room, additional study-rooms, better sleeping accommodations and furnishings for the upstairs, and plumbing and kitchen repairs. New lighting arrangements and larger rooms give Beta Rho an almost-like-new Shelter.

Beta Phi—Ohio State. At Beta Phi during the past summer, interior improvements were made, and at the rear of the house an addition was built, which provides a new chapter hall and additional dining-room and recreation facilities. It is reported to be now one of the best arranged fraternity houses at Ohio State.

Beta Psi—Wabash. The Shelter at Beta Psi, which was formerly the home of the president of the College, is well located and adequate for the present and future requirements of the chapter with the improvements made during the past few months. The remodeling, among other features, included a new library, dormitory, lockers, additional study-rooms, an enlarged dining-room, and improvements in the chapter hall. The chapter's publication, *The Little Giant Delt*, says: "Beta Psi is going to have a chapter plant which it will be proud



Beta Alpha Chapter House

to show off, and what is more practical, a house which will be comfortable, roomy, and warm and home-like in every detail."

Delta Delta—Tennessee. In the May, 1936 number of *THE RAINBOW* appeared a picture of the newly purchased home of Delta Delta, located

two blocks from the campus, and now known as the finest fraternity house at the University. This former home of a Knoxville capitalist was easily convertible for fraternity house use, and it accommodates twenty-five men. The house was decorated and refurnished prior to the opening of college last fall.



Beta Rho Chapter House

Alpha Chapter: Three-Score Years Ago

By FLETCHER K. WHITE, Alpha (Allegheny), '83

As I remember, there were about twenty-seven members of Alpha when I joined the Fraternity in the winter of 1879. Later in life, many of these boys became prominent in the professional and business worlds.

Bishop Charles E. Locke and Bishop Charles B. Mitchell (Ned and Charlie, or Damon and Pythias, as they were called in those days) were roommates and classmates. They were graduated together and were later elected bishops in the Methodist Episcopal Church about the same time. These two bishops also retired within a short time of one another. Such a lifelong friendship on earth should continue in heaven!

John Bolard became a successful dentist and practiced for many years in Philadelphia. He had much to do with establishing new chapters of $\Delta T \Delta$ in other colleges and universities. Sol Chryst was elected to the bench in Warren, Ohio. Charlie Ensign, who was a chum of Sol, owned several drug stores in Warren. Charlie ("Chip") Richmond became a successful attorney in Meadville. Art Gill was a prosperous merchant in the

same town. Lowrie McClurg, a particular friend of my brothers, John and Will, owned a large book store in Chicago. L. L. Davis, another close friend of John N. White, served as a judge in the Allegheny County Courts for many years. Charlie Bruce became a prominent minister in the United Presbyterian Church.

I understand that Juddy Wann was successful in the business world. Warren Shilling, a fine fellow and a loyal Delt, was connected with a large steel mill at Sharon. Eddie Hughes became a prominent corporation lawyer. Dr. Frank Nodine practiced medicine in Meadville. Gill Nodine was a real estate merchant. My brothers, John N. White, William H. White, and J. C. White were all loyal Delts. John and Will practiced law in Pittsburgh. The latter was a member of the Legislature at one time. J. C. White, my younger brother, was a popular dentist in Sewickley for a number of years. I regret that I cannot report on all the good fellows I knew at Alpha. I have lost track of John Adams, Jim Doughty, Marsh Hovis, the Fish and

Blair boys, and many others. Such names as Colonel Lew Walker, Percy Cullum, Wesley Best, and Jim Andrews need no introduction to our Fraternity. The loyal interest of these men speaks for itself.

Our Fraternity oyster suppers and banquets were always a "howling success." The best of them was the Choctaw Indian Dance given in January or February of each year. Our dear girl friends always helped us to fix our headdresses and costumes and frequently decorated our banquet-room and table. The night of the dance, it was customary to assemble at the Fraternity hall (for we had no house in those days) to don our Indian robes and war paint, taking great care not to paint our sprouting moustaches. We would then march down the middle of the street in Indian style singing an Indian chant. After the feast was over and the pipe of peace had been smoked, Juddy Wann would lead the tribe around the banquet hall while we chanted another song. Then back we would file to our Fraternity rooms to lay aside our costumes until the next banquet. The people of Meadville used to call the Delt boys the "thoroughbreds."

Those were happy, care-free days and are still pleasant memories. The writer joined a number of secret societies after leaving college, but found that none were quite so near or dear to him as $\Delta T \Delta$. It isn't strange that I should love my Fraternity when you stop to think that my three brothers, and a brother-in-law, John L. Locke (a brother of Bishop Locke), who was district attorney in Cambridge, Ohio, for a number of years, were all members of Alpha. This, and the fact that I never had more loyal friendships than at Meadville endeared the Fraternity to me.



The Boys of Alpha, 1879

Seated: Charles M. Snyder, Gideon H. Mosier, George S. Davis, Fletcher K. White, James M. Decker, Charles H. Bruce, John D. Watson, Marshall J. Hovis, John H. Harper, Charles E. Locke, Bert Blair. Standing: Lowrie McClurg, Walter L. McJunkin, William H. White, Charles E. Richmond, Daniel A. Gill, Gilbert A. Nodine, William W. Shilling, Frank F. Lippett, Judson A. Wann, Charles B. Mitchell, Charles A. Ensign, Frank S. Chryst.

Fraternity's Founders Day Will Be Observed March 5

ONCE again the Fraternity is ready to lay plans for the celebration of Founders Day, a custom which has met with fine success during the past three years. The date set is Friday, March 5, 1937, at which time the members of the entire Fraternity, through the alumni and undergraduate chapters, are asked to hold specific events, such as banquets, reunions, chapter gatherings, initiations, and other events suitable for the proper celebration of this day, which will mark the seventy-eighth anniversary of the founding of $\Delta T \Delta$.

New Incentive

This year the Founders Day celebration takes on added significance because 1937 marks the year in which the Fifty-fourth Karnea meets at Pittsburgh. All programs in connection with Founders Day should emphasize the importance of this gathering of both alumni and undergraduate members of the Fraternity, which is confidently expected to draw at least 1,000 members.

Methods of Observing

Alumni and undergraduate chapters should appoint at once a Founders Day and 1937 Karnea chairman, who will head up the various committees necessary to develop an effective program.

Each alumni and undergraduate chapter should start now to lay plans for the proper celebration of Founders Day, Friday, March 5, 1937. The alumni chapters may combine their annual banquets or dinners with an invitation to near-by undergraduate chapters to participate, and arrange a program to have competent speakers outline the aims and objects of the Fraternity, its historical background, a brief picture of the present organization set-up, its financial policy, the work of its personnel program, its method of using traveling secretaries, its system of chapter advisers, etc. Where possible, officials of near-by



The Tower
Main building at Bethany

universities and colleges should be the guests of the alumni chapters at such banquets or dinners. In many cases, undergraduate chapters would be glad to have the opportunity to hold their annual initiation exercises preceding such banquets and dinners,

as outlined above. It might be possible also to have qualified members of the alumni chapters participate as members of initiating teams.

Publicity

Local alumni chapters are urged to make use of local newspapers and direct mail letters to their membership in outlining the local program for Founders Day, and to emphasize the fact that this year, local alumni chapters propose to be represented at the 1937 Pittsburgh Karnea. A contest, prizes, etc., can be worked up to arouse interest in both the Founders Day attendance and the attendance at the Karnea. Undergraduate chapters are urged to use their own chapter papers, the columns of the university or college papers, and local papers, and direct mail letters to their alumni, acquainting them fully with the Founders Day program, and emphasizing the fact that this year's Founders Day celebration is to serve as a means of arousing interest in the Fraternity being fully represented at the Karnea.



Birthplace at Bethany
In this old house in Bethany, Delta Tau Delta was founded in 1859

Three New Members of the Arch Chapter



C. T. Boyd

THE three new members of the Arch Chapter are C. T. Boyd, Gamma Omega (North Carolina), '21, Secretary; George F. Weber, Delta Zeta (Florida), '16, President of the Southern Division; and George W. Brewster, Beta Chi (Brown), '12, President of the Eastern Division. Secretary Boyd and Southern Division President Weber were appointed by President N. Ray Carroll, Zeta (Western Reserve), '08, and Eastern Division President Brewster was elected at the recent Eastern Division Conference. These gentlemen replace on the Fraternity's governing body, Secretary Harold D. Meyer, Beta Delta (Georgia), '12, who is going to Germany this summer to study the Hitler Youth Movement, and in preparation for his departure and because of his governmental work, he finds it necessary to resign at this time; Frank M. Cornell, Omega (Pennsylvania), '28, who has been President of the Eastern Division for two terms, or since April, 1932 the longest term of office allowed by the Fraternity Constitution; and Roy Petty, Gamma Xi (Cincinnati), '18, President of the Southern Division, who, because of a lack of time due to a change in business, has found it necessary to resign.



George F. Weber

C. T. Boyd

Mr. Boyd was a charter member of Gamma Omega Chapter. He also was a member of the chapter's alumni committee, and was secretary-treasurer of the house corporation. C. T. Boyd is a graduate of the University of North Carolina and the Harvard Law School. He is an attorney in Greensboro, North Carolina, and practices law as a member of the firm of York and Boyd. Mr. Boyd was appointed a vice-president of the Southern Division in 1935, and in 1936 he was reelected at the Division Conference in Knoxville, Tennessee. He has been a regular attendant of Southern Division Conferences and Karneas. He has handled many special assignments for the Fraternity, from time to time.

George F. Weber

George F. Weber has been chapter adviser at Delta Zeta since the chapter's installation and he has been a vice-president of the Southern Division for a number of years. Dr. Weber is a professor at the University of Florida and is very well known throughout the country. He is Florida State Pathologist. For various maga-



George W. Brewster

zines, George F. Weber is a contributor of articles of scientific subject matter.

George W. Brewster

George W. Brewster has been chapter adviser of Beta Chi for five years, and for the past three years, he has been a vice-president of the Eastern Division. Mr. Brewster is engaged in the warehouse business; his organization is the Fox Point Warehouse, Inc., a bonded public warehouse in Providence, Rhode Island. A close friend of Mr. Brewster is Alfred B. Lemon, Beta Chi (Brown), '13, who says: "When both of us were out of college and Beta Chi needed help he was one of the first to offer his aid. For twenty years now he has been helping and the position Beta Chi holds on the Brown campus, second to none, and its scholastic standing which is among the first four of the nineteen houses on the hill, is due to the persistent and unflinching efforts of George Brewster. . . . After twenty-seven years of close association with him (and he's still under fifty) the best tribute I can pay him is to say that I still hold to my first impression that he is the quiet, genial, and understanding, Mr. Brewster."

Division Conferences

Upsilon Is Host at Eastern Division Conference

J. L. BAUER, Rho (Stevens), '37, who attended the Eastern Division Conference writes: The Eastern Division at its Conference in Troy, New York, December 4-5, learned that $\Delta T \Delta$ was second in scholastic rating in the National Interfraternity Conference, and that the Eastern Division topped the three other Divisions, and all other fraternities in the eastern section. This honor and great successes in rushing, pledge training, and fraternalism were attributed largely to the excellent coöperation between the chapters, the retiring President, Frank M. Cornell, Omega (Pennsylvania), '28, and the field secretaries. The Division's new President is George W. Brewster, Beta Chi (Brown), '12, who has been adviser at the Brown chapter for the past five years.

At the business sessions, President-elect Brewster conducted a discussion on scholarship; David K. Reeder, Omega (Pennsylvania), '12, president of the Greater New York Alumni Chapter, emphasized the necessity for the chapters to cultivate the interest of their alumni; H. W. Stover, Beta Zeta (Butler), '21, Tau Chapter's adviser, described Tau's house corporation and chapter set-up to operate its \$90,000 plant on a purely business basis; Field Secretary Frank Sériviss, Gamma Upsilon (Miami), '35, explained the advantages of stressing in rushing $\Delta T \Delta$'s strong national standing, and asked the chapters to give fair trial to the new pledge training technique.

Principal speakers at the banquet were New York State Industrial Commissioner Elmer F. Andrews, Upsilon (Rensselaer), '15; George W. Wriston, Gamma Zeta (Wesleyan), '08; and Dr. William Otis Hotchkiss, president of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. Alvan E. Duerr, Chi (Kenyon), '93, and Sigma (Williams), '93, was toastmaster. By odd coincidence, each speaker without previous knowledge of the



other speakers' topics, included in his talk, the objective of the modern American fraternity: If the fraternity is to remain a constructive adjunct to the system of higher education, it must build into its men the qualities the college itself cannot supply, but which are necessary that society may profit from the man's abilities. These qualities may be defined best as the gentlemanly attributes of personality, of honor, and of getting on with one's fellow-men. The "lop-sided education" of the past, in neglecting these qualities, has given little attention to the relationship between the professions and society. In rounding off the man's education to include these, the fraternity can be of real service to the community.

The very successful Emerald Ball brought the Conference to a close. The delegates came away not only with happy memories of the Ball, but also with inspirations instilled in them through contacts and discussions.

Northern Division Conference to be "Little Karnea"

Some of the Delts who helped to make a successful Karnea in Cleveland in 1923, including President Harold C. Hopkins of the Cleveland Alumni Chapter, are working now with the undergraduate members of Zeta on the organization plans for the Northern Division Conference to be held in Cleveland, February 25-27. The Conference is to be a gala event in the history of the Division, and the prediction is that it will be a veritable "Little Karnea."

A significant feature of the plans is that the committee is establishing contact with every Delt alumnus in the states comprising the Northern Division—Ohio, Michigan, and In-

diana—a plan which is directly in line with the Fraternity's expansive program on alumni organization. This unusual plan in connection with a Division Conference is very commendable and the benefits derived from it will contribute much to the Fraternity generally.

Albert F. Munhall, Alpha (Allegheny), '16, of Cleveland writes of some details of the plans:

"Headquarters for the Conference will be at the Cleveland Club, located just off University Circle—about a punt and a pass from the Western Reserve campus. Those who attend will like the Cleveland Club—large rooms, reasonable rates, all facilities for rest, reunion or recreation including swimming pool, squash or handball courts, billiards, bowling, etc. The Club facilities will be open to everyone attending. If the crowd overflows the present reservations at the Club, four near-by hotels are reserving some rooms for make-up-your-mind-at-the-last-minute men.

"The program includes registration Thursday night, February 25, followed by Open House at Zeta's new home. On Friday there will be business sessions, a Cleveland alumni luncheon, and a smoker and buffet supper in the evening. Business sessions will be concluded on Saturday, there will be a chapter advisers' luncheon, chapter luncheons, initiation at Zeta at 4:00 P.M., and the Conference banquet at 7:30 P.M. at the Cleveland Club."

Regional Conferences of the Western Division

This year the Western Division, instead of having a meeting of the entire Division, is trying out the regional conference plan, which is the system that has been employed in off-Karnea years by the Eastern Division for the past several years, and which is now a definite part of the Eastern Division program.

The entire Division has been divided into three Regions, the Western, Northern, and Central. The

Conferences to be held by each of these Regions will be clinical sessions attended by the principal officers of the undergraduate chapters, chapter advisers, and house corporation officers. Special efforts are being made to secure a large turnout of alumni in the vicinity of each of these Conferences, both for business sessions and the final banquets. The Division vice-president located in each Region is in charge of the Conference. For the business sessions, each undergraduate chapter has been assigned one of the following subjects for discussion: rushing, pledge training, alumni relations, house management and finances, chapter traditions, fraternity interests, and chapter advisers.

The first of these Conferences scheduled for January 21-23 at Eugene, Oregon, with Gamma Rho as host, is for the Western Region, which includes Chapters Beta Rho, Beta Omega, Gamma Mu, Gamma Rho, Delta Iota, Delta Lambda, and Delta Mu.

The Northern Region will meet February 25-27 at Madison, Wisconsin, with Beta Gamma as host, and it will be attended by Omicron, Beta Gamma, Beta Eta, Beta Pi, Beta Upsilon, Gamma Beta, and Delta Nu.

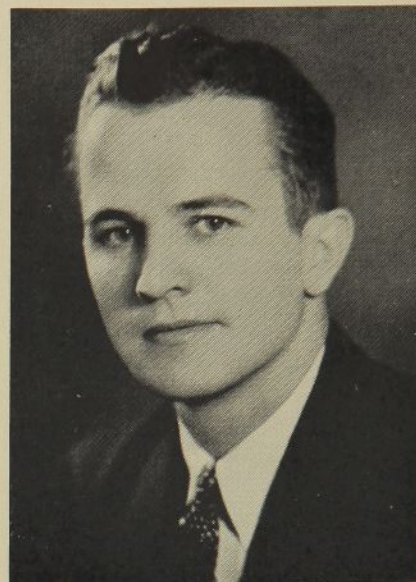
The Central Region will celebrate Founders Day in connection with the Conference March 4-6 at Lawrence, Kansas, with Gamma Tau as host. The chapters attending this Conference will be: Beta Kappa, Beta Tau, Gamma Theta, Gamma Kappa, Gamma Pi, Gamma Tau, Gamma Chi, Delta Alpha, Delta Gamma, and Delta Xi. A feature of this Conference will be the special initiation and Founders Day banquet to be given March 5 by the Kansas City Alumni Chapter.

Southern Division Conference

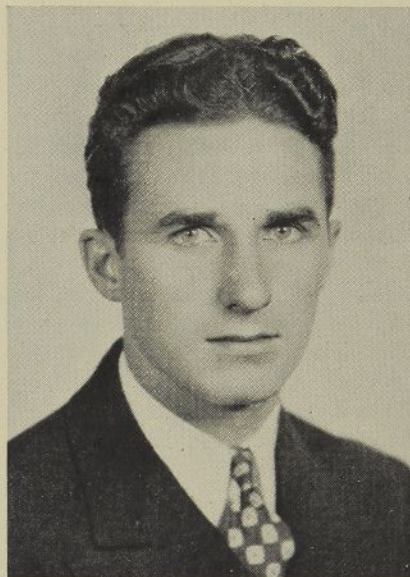
The Southern Division Conference will be held in August, 1937 at Pittsburgh. This Division has adopted definitely the system which provides for a Conference in the off-Karnea year, and every other year the Conference is held in connection with the Karnea.



Theodore A. Bergman



Harry G. Green



Eugene B. Hibbs

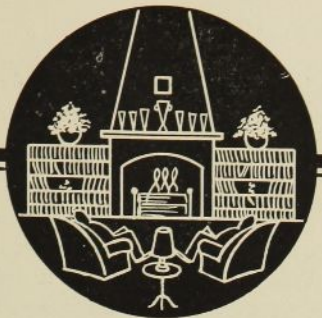


O. Franklin Serviss

The Field Secretaries

$\Delta T \Delta$ established the field secretary system in 1922 when one secretary was placed in service. Operating under the direction of the Central Office, the field staff is now composed of four men: Theodore A. Bergman, Epsilon (Albion), '27; Harry G. Green, Gamma Mu (Washington), '31; Eugene B. Hibbs, Gamma Tau (Kansas), '33; and O. Franklin Serviss, Gamma Upsilon (Miami), '35.

Their duties are manifold, and include working with the officers and men of the undergraduate chapters, alumni chapters, and house corporations. Important are the contacts made by the field secretaries with university and college officials, consistent with the fundamental principle that $\Delta T \Delta$ is a constructive adjunct to the system of higher education. As *liaison* between the Fraternity and the various related units, the field secretaries fill an important rôle in the development of $\Delta T \Delta$.



AROUND THE FIREPLACE

WITH GOOD DELTS

Around the Fireplace was where Stuart Maclean used to talk and dream about his Fraternity, where those who were near to him caught an occasional glimpse of his idealism, and were constantly urged on by his inexhaustible enthusiasm. And so it is proposed to carry on with these *Fireplace* talks, to the memory of a Good Delt, and in fruition of some of the seed that was sown, unwittingly perhaps, in those burning discussions of bygone years.

Around the Fireplace with Good Delts will be shrouded in its customary twilight, where faces are hardly seen, voices may not even be recognized, and only ideas count. For it is no individual who speaks as such, but the spirit of the men from far and near who during the past seventy-five years have labored and dreamed, that $\Delta T \Delta$ might one day be the great and living force which we all know she may so well be, if only the Good Delts have the vision and the courage to perform the simple tasks immediately at hand.

We have all been dilettantes at this fraternity business; for we have left its work, which basically is the enrichment of undergraduate life, to youth itself. Just as if we were to select our classroom instructors from the ranks of the students, or our physicians from the patients at the clinic.

Youth is the most precious time of life, because it predetermines so largely what the ripeness of its years shall be. And much of the youth of our members has been surrendered into our keeping. We may not dismiss idly the responsibility which that fact entails. We shall be a really great fraternity only when we discharge with the utmost fidelity, and with some show of genius, the privilege of helping youth to prepare for maturity and opportunity.

One of the last things that Stuart Maclean did for his Fraternity was to write a little book entitled *The Good Delt: His Book*. Its purpose was to give to our young pledged members some conception of the road that leads to useful membership in $\Delta T \Delta$. And *Around the Fireplace with Good Delts* we shall continue that discussion and explore that road to its end.

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$\Delta T \Delta$ has always been willing to face her problems, and to leave her standing in the community of fraternities to the judgment of posterity. It would not be profitable to divert ourselves with a story of how great a fraternity we are, when the only problem consistent with self-respect is how we may constantly become a greater fraternity. And so

Around the Fireplace with Good Delts will make no effort to lull the Good Delt into that attitude of false security and of false superiority which the contemplation of the great deeds of heroic ancestors is able to bring to some who themselves lack a taste for heroism.

As was said at the recent session of the National Interfraternity Conference, "too much of our thinking is an emotional glorification of the past rather than a dynamic realization of the present," and it is our ambition for $\Delta T \Delta$ that she should live now rather than immortalize the fact that she was alive a generation ago; that she should consciously mold men of character in the immediate present rather than, in the fear that she may be failing in this respect, emphasize unduly that at least she did turn out good men thirty years ago.

When an organization is doing something vital, it has neither the time nor the need to recall its own history or antecedents. Franklin Delano Roosevelt did not win the last election by telling the people of the United States what a big man his father was. Isn't there a point here for the fraternities of the country? For they, too, are facing an election.

The electorate is made up of two distinct elements, the college administrations, and the undergraduates. It is not easy to say which will exert the greater influence, because each element reacts closely upon the other. With both elements, however, the alumni are an influential factor.

It is therefore important that the Good Delt should be well informed on all the issues which are involved in the present critical analysis of the fraternity system, so that whatever influence he exercises may be intelligent and constructive, and may be exerted with due regard for the interests of his college, and with a deep sense of obligation for the well-being of the young men who are members of both the college and the fraternity.

Around the Fireplace with Good Delts will present some of these issues, not in the spirit of defending the fraternity, but of arriving at the truth. For to us the fraternity ideal needs no defense; and if any of its practice is faulty, the only hope of a continuing power lies in refusing to defend the indefensible. We have enough faith in the fraternity not only to admit its faults but to attack them vigorously.

But the college, too, is the object of very aggressive criticism. The feeling is general that the college is not equipping its graduates adequately for a career of useful-

ness to the society which has made their education possible. To quote again from the proceedings of the recent Conference: "No institution which gives a man a degree without having given him a philosophy of life is fulfilling its social purpose." What right have we to find fault with the indeterminate conduct and thinking of youth, when even the simplest guideposts have not been set? And the absence of these is the very crux of this whole fraternity problem.

The fraternity represents a philosophy of life, and so must share with the college the responsibility for not making this more effective. There has never been anything resembling good teamwork between the college and the fraternities in an effort to teach the undergraduate how to live harmoniously and effectively in the group and for the good of the group and the community as well as of himself. And the blame for this does not lie chiefly with the fraternities. And isn't this harmonious and effective living in the group the framework for almost any defensible philosophy of life?

Both the college and the fraternity have made the mass, and thus the resulting *average individual*, the unit of their objectives, rather than the actual and highly differentiated

individual whose major interest in life is to develop a distinctive personality to a reasonable maximum of its inherent capabilities. That is where and why both college and fraternity have failed.

And all the present recrimination and the return to the concept of the individual as a social unit is in tacit recognition of his failure. What is needed now is not more criticism, but more coöperation, which means merely a willingness to do something about it, and together.

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With that purpose, *Around the Fireplace with Good Delts* will join those who are trying to blaze the trail into the future of the college fraternity. We shall attempt to outline some of the problems and to answer some of the many questions that are directed to the fraternity at the present time, such as, Why the National Fraternity? What do we get for our money? Alumni Loyalty. It is our hope that these discussions will inspire both challenges and contributions, so that we may make this department in fact, as well as in spirit, the voice of the many to whom what Δ T Δ does for its youth is a matter of great importance.



FROM THE EDITOR'S MAIL BAG



Paul G. Hoffman, Gamma Alpha (Chicago), '12, president of the Studebaker Corporation, was named as one of twelve outstanding young men of the year 1936, by the editor of *America's Young Men*, the official Who's Who among the young men of the nation, according to a recent United Press release. This honor was conferred because of his outstanding contributions to traffic safety.

The second annual Δ T Δ church service at the Trinity Cathedral in Pittsburgh was held November 22. One hundred and fifty Delts attended and heard the sermon by the dean of the Cathedral, Dr. N. R. H. Moor, Chi (Kenyon), '14.

Dabney S. Lancaster, Beta Iota (Virginia), '11, dean of men at the University of Alabama, has taken a leave of absence from the University to act in an advisory capacity at Sweet Briar College in Virginia. When his decision was announced, four thousand students massed before the president's mansion in a demonstration, asking him to persuade Dean Lancaster to remain at Alabama.

James E. Melton, Beta Delta (Georgia), '25, and Lambda (Vanderbilt), '25, sang to a packed and enthusiastic audience in Gainesville, Florida, in a concert in December, under the direction of the Metropolitan Musical Bureau of New York City. The University of Florida Glee Club gave an informal reception for Mr. Melton.

Kappa (Hillsdale) Chapter on December 31, 1936, completed one full year of eleven reports in which no member was reported delinquent in his financial obligations to the chapter.

Kenneth J. Nelson, Beta Upsilon (Illinois), '37, headliner of the Illinois team this fall, was selected to play on the East team in the East-West game in San Francisco New Year's Day.

Beta Theta Pi granted a charter in December to a local fraternity at Lawrence College, Appleton, Wisconsin.

A short time ago four pledges of high-standard Beta Nu (M.I.T.) Chapter dropped below 3.00 (third highest grade given at the Institute),

and thereupon were no longer pledges.

William M. Cramp, Upsilon (Rensselaer), '25, formerly consul and third secretary at Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, has been assigned to Tegucigalpa as consul and third secretary, according to an announcement December 5 by *Foreign Service*.

The engagement of Pinky Tomlin, Delta Alpha (Oklahoma), '32, and Toby Wing, blonde screen actress, was announced in November at a screen colony party.

On December 24, Carl F. Kuehnle, Jr., Omicron (Iowa), '19, assumed the duties of president of the new Central National Bank in Chicago. For four years previous, Mr. Kuehnle was president of the Halsted Exchange National Bank, and during that period the bank's deposits rose from \$200,000 to \$8,000,000 and the bank's capital structure increased from \$100,000 to \$300,000.

Sewell L. Avery, Delta (Michigan), '94, in November became
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THE DELTA INITIATES



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621. Francis Carl Wehr, '39, 115 Union St., Bellevue, Ohio
622. Charles Henry Romig, '38, 231 6th St. N.W., New Philadelphia, Ohio

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543. John Jasper Daugherty, '39, R.R. 1, Charleroi, Pa.

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337. Joseph Phillip Rice, '39, Lodi, Ohio

M—OHIO WESLEYAN

522. Samuel Robert Smith, '39, 706 N. Race St., Dover, Ohio
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588. John Lemmon Freeman, '38, 2442 15th Ave., Moline, Ill.
589. Philip Emory Miller, '39, 607 Wellington Ct., Waterloo, Iowa

Π—MISSISSIPPI

69. Morris Paul Haynes, '39, Belmont, Miss.

Υ—RENSSELAER

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429. Richard John Forgham, '39, 3 Forgham St., Lyons, N.Y.
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441. Edward Floyd Bellinger, '40, 22 S. Kirklyn Ave., Upper Darby, Pa.
442. Richard Hill Dearolf, '39, 404 Stevenson St., Sayre, Pa.

443. Douglas Randolph Potter, '39, Bare Ridge Rd., Pleasantville, N.Y.

444. Lore Fricka Wiseman, '39, Torrance State Hospital, Torrance, Pa.

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468. Sterling Glenn Parker, '38, Coatesville, Ind.

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469. Ronald Oswald Lind, '38, 415 Lake St., Eau Claire, Wis.
470. William Twining Chadwick, '38, 903 22nd Ave., Monroe, Wis.

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383. John David Roan, '33, Zebulon, Ga.

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477. Richard E. Davis, '38, 1217 Smead St., Logansport, Ind.

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424. William Horace Manning, '37, Cutchogue, N.Y.

B I—VIRGINIA

335. William Abner Old, '38, 632 37th St., Norfolk, Va.

B K—COLORADO

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419. Chester Howard Battis, '37, 14 Paulina St., Somerville, Mass.
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421. Francis Harold Bennett, '39, 63 Spring St., Adams, Mass.
422. Nathan Owen Parker, '39, Beechwood St., Cohasset, Mass.
423. Laurence Bion Butler, '39, 15 Putnam St., Saugus, Mass.

B N—M.I.T.

356. Richard Thomas Cella, '39, 144 E. 45th St., New York, N.Y.

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371. Malcolm Cox Black, '39, 237 N. Fountain, Wichita, Kan.
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373. Robert Edmondston Coffin, '39, 750 Belmont N., Seattle, Wash.
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376. George Albert Parker, '38, 3052 Chestnut St., Riverside, Calif.

377. Brad Schaeffer, '39, R.R. 7, Dayton, Ohio

378. Andrew Lanquist Shirey, '39, 911 N. Roxbury Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif.

379. Timothy Eugene John Sullivan, '39, 2703 19th St., Bakersfield, Calif.

380. Gordon Grenville Whyte, '38, 1565 N. Palomares, Pomona, Calif.

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437. Robert Truby Stephens, '38, 774 Chalker St., Akron, Ohio
438. Robert Glenn Osborn, Jr., '39, 1945 Concord Rd., Columbus, Ohio
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547. Frederic Kendall Upton, '39, 232 South St., Concord, N.H.

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553. Richard Lakeman Brooks, '39, 86 Prospect St., Gloucester, Mass.

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352. Frederick Reglin, Jr., '38, 613
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354. Charles Thomas Dozier, '39,
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405. George Oldfield Pratt, '37, 47
Warren St., Hammond, Ind.
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378. Eugene Coffin, '37, Harring-
ton, Me.
379. Carl Russell Toothaker, '39,
R.R. 7, Gardiner, Me.
380. Earle Wilbur Tibbetts, '39, 22
Union St., Hallowell, Me.
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falo, N.Y.
319. George Byron Smith, '38, 105
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320. Howard Allan Davis, '39, 545
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322. Robert Victor Fullerton, '39,
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burg, W.Va.
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312. Albert Robert Boylan, '40, 15
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caster, Pa.
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setts Ave., Lexington, Mass.
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chester, Mass.
320. Admont Gulick Clark, '40, 144
Hancock St., Auburndale,
Mass.
321. Henry Bicker Bruyn, Jr., '40,
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stead, N.Y.
322. Andrew Wylie Crawford, Jr.,
'40, 165 Winthrop Pl.,
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323. Charles Henry Wight, '40, 222
Forest Ave., Glen Ridge,
N.J.
324. Raymond Alexander Smardon,
Jr., '40, 21 Greystone Rd.,
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325. Benton Searle Gaskell, '40, 8
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326. Albert Miles Clark, '40, 432
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254. Phil Lloyd Salkeld, '39, 118 W. Thompson St., Sapulpa, Okla.
255. Herbert L. Branan, '38, P.O. Box 288, Muskogee, Okla.
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168. Arthur Alfred Ellerd, '40, 211 16th, Sioux City, Iowa
169. Darrel Leonard Johnson, '40, 512 E. 6th, Mitchell, S.D.
170. Herman Schwartzkopf, '38, Iroquois, S.D.

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185. William Harold Fisher, '39, 510 Franklin St., Browns-ville, Tenn.
186. Edwin Lea Williams, '39, Maryville, Tenn.

187. James Neal Jetter, '39, Law-renceburg, Tenn.

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161. Emil Lee Mosebaugh, '39, 624 5th St., Donora, Pa.
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201. John Edward Casson, '37, 205 Monarch Park Ave., Toron-to, Ontario, Can.

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128. Randolph William Dorran, '38, R.R. 1, Helix, Ore.

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From the Editor's Mail Bag

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chairman of the board of the United States Gypsum Co., relinquishing the presidency, a position he has held since 1905, or four years after join-ing that organization. He is also president and chairman of the board of Montgomery Ward & Co., and director of other corporations.

For distinguished service in the field of science, Dr. Armin O. Leuschner, Delta (Michigan), '88, chairman of the astronomical depart-ment of the University of California, was the 1936 recipient of the Cath-erine Wolfe Bruce gold medal, accord-ing to announcement by the directors

of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific.

Gamma Delta (West Virginia) Chapter has at present four members of Phi Beta Kappa, one member of Tau Beta Pi, and one applicant for a Rhodes scholarship.



THE DELTA CHAPTERS



Alpha—Allegheny

PLEDGES: Samuel Hazlett, Tarentum; Ben Beacom, New Kensington; Robert Dugan, Erie; Dwight Bardes, Richard Murray, Pittsburgh; Henry Jacobus, Kane; Jack Wolford, Brookville.

The chapter at Meadville got off to a flying start this year, with the entire group returning to school, except Karl Von Senden and Bob Miner. The chief interest of the chapter this year will be, of course, to maintain our high scholastic standing on our campus, and the whole House is earnestly striving toward this goal. Alpha was first of seven fraternities last year.

At the present time, intramural athletics are taking up a great deal of the time and interest of the House. Several men reached high brackets in the tennis tournament, and Dan Boyer has reached the final round of competition. Volley ball has also been played off, and basketball and swimming are ahead of us. We expect to make a good showing in both these events. Intramurals in the House this year are under the capable direction of Dave Gattrall. The Deltas this year made a fine showing in football, with John Hopkins as senior manager, the two Lavelly brothers on the varsity, and McCrea, Hays, Schroyer, Dugan, on the squad. The House is also well represented on the soccer, swimming, and basketball teams.

The annual pledge dance was a huge success, with the entire active chapter, the pledges, and several guests enjoying themselves immensely. At present, the boys are looking forward to the fall formal, which is set for December 12. Several lively and well-attended radio parties have also been held by the chapter.

These few items will serve as an index of the diversity of the program for Alpha this year, and under the able leadership of President Al Wei-

ble, we are confident of one of the best seasons in the history of our chapter.

WILLIAM C. HUMMEL

Beta—Ohio

PLEDGES: Charles Blank, Robert Hughes, Dayton; Howard Blair, Painesville; Louis Chaboudy, William West, Portsmouth; Robert Chase, William Evans, Akron; Steve Emory, Stockdale; Harry Entwistle, Emerson Houf, Athens; Thomas Fitzsimmons, Cleveland; Arrend Grothaus, William Stitsinger, Hamilton; William Finzer, Middletown; Roger Daugherty, Warren; Jack Pritchard, Ashtabula; Eugene Rogers, Newark; Arthur Simpson, Girard; Jack Vochko, Ambridge; Richard Reid, Lima; Charles Martindill, Wellston; Richard Barber, North East, Pa.

The Delt intramural football team came from behind and won another award for the mantel. The second cup to be won thus far this year was the first prize for the best decorated house at Homecoming, October 10. Beta has three strong intramural basketball teams which should win a trophy.

Harlan Nelson, 210-pound tackle, won his second football letter playing with another Buckeye championship aggregation this fall. Leading Ohio this winter on the basketball court will be George Hood, sensational forward and one of the Buckeye's leading scorers last season. "Stretch" Grothaus will see service this year, with Marty Miller and Bob Englebeck. Pledges Gene Rogers and Howard Blair are members of the freshman squad.

Charles Bast, Bill Homer, Gordon Gilbert, Jack Kirk, Charles Romig, and Francis Wehr were initiated November 8 at the seventy-sixth fall initiation.

Jim Barrett, Beta prexy, is also president of the interfraternity coun-

cil, member of Torch, Blue Key, advertising manager of the *Green and White*, student newspaper, and is included in *Who's Who among American College Students*. Jim Whitehill was recently tapped for Torch, senior men's honorary. Whitehill is editor of the *Athena*, yearbook.

Working with Whitehill is Bob Gee, assistant editor, Charles Martindill, Roger Daugherty, Charles Chaboudy, and Dick Reid. William Cooper is advertising manager of the *Athena*. Jack Kirk, Karl Frye, Bill Bates, and Jack Pritchard are working on the *Green and White* in various capacities. Bradley Slack is editor of the *Ohioan*, monthly humor publication. Jack Colley, assistant editor; Jack Kirk, exchange editor; Lloyd Black, photographer; along with contributors Bill Luthy, Dick Barber, and Bill Morlang, leave little for Slack to do.

George Hood was recently selected to J Club along with Jack Meister; Hood is chairman of the 1937 Junior Prom, and Meister is a fine student and debater. BRADLEY SLACK

Gamma—Washington and Jefferson

PLEDGES: Philip Raeth, David Ross, Evanston, Ill.; James Young, Hartville, Ohio; Wendell Leapline, Connellsville; Allan Harrison, Ray Hambleton, Henry Belden, Fred Zollinger, Canton, Ohio; Robert Dixon, Munhall; Duane Leyda, Eighty-four; James Criswell, Pittsburgh; William Molvie, Wade Jennings, Dormont; Victor Bailey, Ward Grace, William Jacobs, Washington; Edward Fritz, New Castle.

Paul Koenig, our rushing chairman, deserves a great deal of credit for his recently completed work.

Jack Douglass, Bob Anderson, and Jim Kerr did not return this fall. We are lucky that none of them live too far away to prevent frequent visits. Gene Goll and Jay Stringer

have returned to the fold. Stringer was promptly appointed pledge master.

The old Shelter is almost filled to capacity. A heavy influx of sophomores necessitated the opening of two new rooms. Although the dormitory and the third floor have been redecorated and several other improvements made, serious thoughts of a new house are reported to be present.

The prospects for a winning intramural season are unusually bright. Under the leadership of Charlie Groeschell, the basketball team finished second in a close race.

Gamma and Delta Beta were recently the guests of Gamma Sigma at a Sunday evening supper preceding the service held for $\Delta T \Delta$ at Dean High Moor's Trinity Cathedral in Pittsburgh. It is our hope that the gathering at Gamma Sigma was the first of several get-togethers by the three chapters this year.

Theron A. Smith

Delta—Michigan

PLEDGES: Mark N. Beach, Arthur W. Moss, Ferndale; Fred C. Kintzer, Peoria, Ill.; H. Freeman Lathrop, Normal, Ill.; Dale McAfee, Grand Rapids; Erle L. Whetsell, Kingwood, W.Va.; Gus Dannemiller, Robert Schellhase, Canton, Ohio; Henry T. Dighton, Monticello, Ill.; Jack Erickson, Spokane, Wash.; Charles Hedges, Washington, D.C.; William F. Helmrich, Royal Oak; Ben F. Jones, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; John McCallister, Monroe; Gus H. Miller, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Howard K. Parker, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Don Smathers, Bradford, Pa.; Robert Stuhr, Chicago, Ill.; Rudolph Van Dyke, Jr., Dayton, Ohio; Carl D. Wheeler, Western Springs, Ill.

As can be seen from the list above, Delta had a very successful rushing season, ably managed by Murray Campbell and Bill Steytler. The result of their efforts was nineteen new pledges. Gus Dannemiller, Henry Dighton, and Carl Wheeler have relatives who are Delts, Gus' brother, Frank, being president of Delta now. We probably shall continue to rush a few men for the rest of the year, but

the house is so full that we are going to have difficulty placing all the men we have now.

The chapter is preparing for the coming athletic season under the able leadership of our new athletic chairman, Bob Christie. Prospects are bright, and several of the brothers have wagered side bets that we will finish towards the top in competition.

We were glad to have many of the brothers from other chapters drop in on us during the past football season. Delts from Illinois and Northwestern and alumni from those chapters came in goodly numbers to those games, while many of our chapter were given a fine reception at Ohio State.

The pledge formal, held November 14, was a roaring success. Jim Hollinshead took charge of the decorations and arranged the Shelter to resemble a Jungle Club, with the Northwestern Wildcat chasing the Michigan Wolverine among the trees. It was the best dance in several years, and the chapter and all visitors owe a vote of thanks to Jim for the splendid trimmings. We plan to have another dance soon after the Christmas vacation before the grind for finals begins.

The chapter wishes to report the initiation of Jack Walker, McComb, Ohio, and Vincent Butterly, Detroit, October 28. The ceremony was followed by the usual banquet in honor of the new brothers.

The chapter house has been entirely redecorated and small improvements will be made through the year, but our new mascot, a Great Dane, is making it tough for us in several respects, despite the efforts of Fritz Buchanan, his official guardian to housebreak him.

KIM BELDEN

Epsilon—Albion

GREETINGS from Epsilon of $\Delta T \Delta$! We had a fine vacation this summer and came back to the Shelter to prepare for one of our most successful rushing seasons. We pledged twenty-two new men this fall, and with ten pledges held over, the chapter has the largest pledge class on the Albion campus.

October 18, formal initiation was held for six men. The new actives are as follows: Jack Bird, Phillip French, Jack Martin, John McNair, George Seielstad, and Richard Stout.

With rushing and initiation well out of the way, the chapter plunged into plans for the fall formal which was held in the Shelter, November 14. Elmer Beers was in charge of the dance and is to be complimented for the good work he did.

In the recent elections, one of our brothers, Prentiss M. Brown, successfully completed a campaign for United States Senator from Michigan. Epsilon is proud to have had Prentiss Brown as an undergraduate member of the Fraternity. Brown was very active in the Fraternity in his undergraduate days and has kept an interest in the welfare of the chapter through the intervening years. We feel that he will carry on the highest traditions of the Fraternity in his new field of endeavor. Best of wishes from your Alma Mater, Prentiss Brown!

Roger Johnson, prexy of Epsilon, was placed on the M.I.A.A. all-state second team as left end in football.

Tuesday night before Thanksgiving the actives and pledges held a smoker. Cider and doughnuts were served.

The pledge class gave a party to the active chapter December 5. Everybody was to wear old clothes; no suit coats were allowed. Everybody enjoyed the party very much. We are now looking forward to our annual Black and White Party at the end of the semester.

DALE A. BUTLER

Zeta—Western Reserve

PLEDGES: Bob Baskin, Bill Berkeley, Chuck Fitzgerald, George Leet, Bill Neal, Cleveland Heights; Art Bibbs, Lakewood; Peter Davidson, Chagrin Falls; Arthur Battles, East Cleveland; Ed Hoffman, Evan James, Shaker Heights; Joe Kapl, Andy Sabanos, Bill Sawyer, Cleveland; George Noland, Shelby; Bill Robey, Caldwell; Jack Strater, Rocky River; Harry Timmerman, Gibsonsburg.

Zeta now occupies the finest frater-

nity house on the Reserve campus, thanks to the fine work of Cleveland Delt alumni, particularly "Hoppy" Hopkins, Frank Pelton, Curtis Harsh, Bob Cowan, Clem Frank, and Ed Henckel. The chapter wishes to express its sincerest gratitude to them and all other alumni who made the new house a reality. Any Deltas who are in Cleveland are cordially invited to visit us.

Faced with the task of replacing seven seniors, the chapter has pledged seventeen men who will, in time, be worthy to fill the gaps.

This year finds Zeta again at the head of the fraternity group at Reserve, with representatives in every branch of activity on the campus. Baskin, Bibbs, Holmes, Fonda, and Wood are members of the undergraduate honorary scholastic society; the chapter stood third in scholarship last term. Humphrey, Goldner, and Wyandt on the football squad, Gribben in track, and Gorman and Leet in swimming, are lettermen who represent $\Delta T \Delta$ in athletics.

In intramural sports, we are in third place, with a good chance of rising.

Holmes is the outstanding debater in the school, and with Goldner and Gribben, is a member of the upper-class honorary society.

Friday night open houses have been made a regular feature of the chapter's social life, and have proved very successful. Plans are being completed for our Christmas formal, to be held at the Mid-Day Club December 19. All alumni in the vicinity of Cleveland are cordially invited to attend.

Under the guidance of Henry Hamilton, Zeta looks forward to a most prosperous year.

HARRY LEET

Kappa—Hillsdale

PLEDGES: Stuart Stuckey, Lindley Stout, William Wall, Detroit; Maxwell Matthews, John Hays, Birmingham; Robert Pickford, Farmington, Conn.; James Fosdick, Muncie, Ind.; James Smith, Flint; Albert Graham, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; Spencer Buckley, Bad Axe; Michael Tunni-

son, Saratoga Springs, N.Y.; Carl Yager, West Unity, Ohio.

We are sure that these men will, upon initiation, be a great asset to the strength of the active chapter.

A very gala Homecoming this year was combined with a special occasion within the Shelter. This great occasion marked the twentieth year in which our beloved house mother, Mrs. Flowers, has been with the chapter. A banquet was given by the actives and alumni for Mother Flowers.

The chapter house has been remodeled. Among the new fixtures in our house are an addition to the kitchen, a new electric refrigerator, a new library, and a completely remodeled cardroom. We are also the very proud possessors of a great Dane pup named "Ritzie" which our adviser, Ed Lincoln, presented to the fellows.

Dad's Day was held November 7-8. The Deltas are the only fraternity on the Hillsdale campus that observe this grand occasion. This year there were twenty fathers present. They all had a good time and to show their appreciation, bought the house a new 1937 Philco radio.

Kappa's annual Bohemian Brawl was held November 20 in the Shelter. The house was decorated like an old-time saloon with crazy pictures hung on the walls, barrels for tables and chairs, a good orchestra (which is not typical of a saloon, but we had to have music), and a bar where cider and sandwiches were served. It was quite an affair and everyone seemed to enjoy it.

We are now working hard on our formal party which is to be held the first week in February in Battle Creek, and which has come to be known as *the party of Kappa*.

With all our fine events, however, we are still clinging to the old saying, "work before play," and we are working very hard to keep Kappa at the top on Hillsdale's campus, where it belongs.

JAMES P. O'HARA

Mu—Ohio Wesleyan

PLEDGES: Harold Bartlett, Thomas Davis, Warren; Hugh Castoe, Lima; Arthur Gooding, Orange; Donald

Hodgson, Lakewood; Milton Hader, George Eylich, Cincinnati; Robert Ley, David Steitz, Dover; George Morelock, Marysville; William Stewart, Syracuse, N.Y.

This year Mu once more takes the lead among Wesleyan fraternities. Brothers are to be found invading all activities.

We have a current rating of fifth in scholarship, but will not be satisfied until first place is reached, and that is the chapter's goal. Paul Riffle, scholarship chairman, is doing a fine job. The number of upperclassmen on the dean's list is most heartening, the following members having made it: Bill Searles, Gardner Shaw, Paul Riffle, Claude Fisher, Nevin Scrimshaw, Lucien Copley, Bob Crosby, Tracey Jones, Sam and John Smith, and Hal Kattus.

Mu's only contribution to varsity football is Tus Kattus. "Panther" Bartlett and Bob Ley were among the stand-outs for the freshman team.

Jack Anderson is junior manager of basketball, and is assisted by John Smith and Johnny Bowers. In track, Prexy Searles is head manager, and Paul Riffle and "Rajah" Early are assistant managers.

Nevin Scrimshaw and Claude Fisher received letters in cross-country. George and Don Hodgson splashed with the freshman swimming team, and Pledge George Eylich is out for basketball.

Recently we won the cross-country trophy for the eighth consecutive year, and the touch football team was barely nosed out for the league championship. The basketball players are now practicing.

Six Deltas are in the Ohio Wesleyan Glee Club which made a week's tour in the East, climaxing with a nation-wide broadcast from New York.

Bob Crosby played the lead in the first Wesleyan production of the year, our twins, Sam and John Smith, have major rôles in the latest play, and Lu Copley has been assigned a leading part in a studio drama.

Deck Alderman was recently elected "King" of the campus by an overwhelming majority.

We have had our prep formal and barn dance. Preparations are now being made for the Christmas formal.

JAMES RENDLE

Nu—Lafayette

PLEDGES: Richard Allen, Philadelphia; Henri Casenove, Jr., Englewood, N.J.; Joseph Danec, Columbus, Ohio; George Dochtermann, Passaic, N.J.; Eugene Hoff, New Rochelle, N.Y.; James Hollenbach, Jr., Altoona; John Hood, Pottsville; James Klock, Easton; David Renton, Plainfield, N.J.; Robert Stroh, Forty Fort.

After a successful dance week-end and Thanksgiving holiday, we at Nu have settled down once again and are awaiting the winter vacation. The dance week-end included a very successful closed dance under the direction of our social chairman, Phil Whiteway. Al Gemmill's newly organized band supplied the music.

Our chapter began the year with a successful rushing season under the able leadership of Al Gemmill and Tom Hartranft. We have pledged to date ten new men, of whom Dick Allen has been elected Junior Prom chairman, and Dave Renton and George Dochtermann have completed a commendable season on the freshman football squad and appear to be promising varsity material.

"Eggs" Hageman completed his first year as tackle on the varsity. Tom Hartranft and Carl Reinschild have been out in front leading the cheers at the games and rallies.

Jim Hazeltine, Nu's president, has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and he is now also business manager of the college choir, in which he is bass soloist.

In regard to scholarship, Nu's scholarship chairman, Joe Redman, has instituted a plan to raise the general average of the chapter. Three prizes will be awarded to the three men making the greatest advancement in their ratings over the preceding semester.

Bill Hintelman has been elected manager of soccer for this year.

Pete Blank has been out for varsity basketball and is certain of the first-

string center position. Tom Hartranft, captain of the swimming team, has made a call for swimmers and is looking forward to a successful season.

In intramural sports, the chapter is entering the soccer finals, and the prospects of a championship team in basketball this winter are very bright.

The success displayed thus far in Nu's activities predicts an even better record than that achieved in the last few years.

WILLIAM G. MUELLER

Omicron—Iowa

PLEDGES: William Brearton, Aberdeen; Allan Carey, Matthew Wolfe, Clinton; William Cleaver, Fort Wayne, Ind.; John Collinge, Vincent Furst, Edward McLain, Chicago, Ill.; George Gordon, Lamar, Colo.; Stuart Graham, William Hayes, John Walsh, Sioux City; Robert McCune, Ottumwa; Edward McDonnell, Davenport; John Rogers, Coon Rapids; Joseph Scannell, Iowa City; John Sheridan, Marshalltown; Robert Stickler, Red Oak; Arthur Manush, Burlington; James Eighmey, Waterloo.

Omicron had a very successful rushing season this year. We came through with the best bunch of boys on the campus.

Securing such men as Ed McLain, numeral winner in freshman football this fall; John Collinge, holder of interscholastic record for the 220-yard high hurdles and freshman track star; Ed McDonnell, junior class president; John Rogers, staff member of the *Daily Iowan*; and Vincent Furst, star pole vaulter of the freshman track squad; Omicron is well up in campus life.

Along in October the chapter gave a dance for the pledges. The music was supplied by Vette Kell, a Delt from Omicron, who played on the *Normandie* this summer and is now featured at the University of Iowa night club.

Charles Carey is a member of the Union Board committee which directs the activities of the student body. Gordon Carey was chosen vice-captain of the varsity golf team and

at present is No. 1 man on the team.

Adding to our large collection of trophies, we captured the interfraternity fall track competition. The boys really ran themselves out in the long cross-country events over hill and dale.

Phil Goodenough is assistant business manager of the campus comic, the *Frivol*. Joe Scannell and Charlie Carey are on the Hawkeye yearbook staff.

As usual, the actives really took the pledges to the cleaners in the annual pledge-active football game. With our referee, timekeeper, etc., how could we lose?

The chapter house is redecorated this year and one is attracted by a yellow linoleum in the entrance which bears the symbol of the pledge pin. Exclusive is the dining-room with its novel indirect lighting.

Initiation was held for Phil Miller, Bill Evans, and Jack Freeman, October 25. The neophytes were entertained at a banquet at the house afterwards.

ROBERT F. SENNOTT

Pi—Mississippi

PLEDGES: Dave Bernard, Sioux City, Iowa; Delbert Bailey, Union; Marvin Hartsfield, Oxford; O. T. Holder, Corinth; Frank Ferrell, Ashland; Llewellyn Heard, East Bangor, Pa.; Joe Lauderdale, Hernando; Robert Jacobson, James Nichols, Vicksburg; J. Walter Michel, II, Arthur Smith, Jackson; Tullous Rownd, Hammond, La.; James Schwartzfager, Hattiesburg; Joe Washington, Memphis, Tenn.

Comes now December, and with it the realization that Pi is, at last, to have a house. The contractor has promised that it will be ready for occupancy at the beginning of the second semester. This house will fulfill, most adequately, the present and future needs of Pi. It is the desire of the chapter that it be a home for Deltas who may wander into this vicinity.

Interfraternity athletics are just beginning to get under way. Pi expects to annex a few cups to ornament the mantel of the new house.

Since the last RAINBOW letter, Paul

Haynes has been initiated. The chapter was fortunate in having Field Secretary Hibbs with us on that occasion; and his assistance was appreciated.

Pledge Dave Bernard proved his mettle as a football player, and was recognized as one of the outstanding backs in the South being the spear head of Ole Miss' passing attack as well as the best kicker and line plunger of the outfit.

Pledge Michel has just been informed of his elevation to the post of assistant circulation manager of the school newspaper.

Coody, Beach, and Hawkins, senior lawyers all, are busily preparing for moot court.

John Noblin is to return to school the second semester. With his return, varsity tennis prospects for the coming season take a considerable jump. John has been a member of this aggregation since his sophomore year. We wish that he had returned this semester, since John was one of Pi's consistent performers on the basketball court.

Social activities of the chapter largely have been curtailed in view of the necessity of furnishing the house; nevertheless, the chapter plans a formal the second semester to close the house opening ceremonies. A banquet already has been held and others are planned in the near future.

WILLARD BARNES

Rho—Stevens

GLANCING over the recent events, we find that Rho took a decided leap ahead last spring and finished up the school year on top in scholarship rating at Stevens. The prospects of staying there appear excellent from the marks recently given out by the 'Stute. Carl MacHenry joined "the Baron" von Vittinghoff in that key-twirling fraternity, Tau Beta Pi, the other day.

Owing to a slight mix-up on dates, the Interfraternity Conference postponed freshman rushing until December. Consequently, we can not enumerate the men we pledged, but the lads look like a mighty fine bunch of fellows. Upperclass rushing has netted us two more fine sophomores. We

take this opportunity to welcome Pledges Lewis Dawson and Hugh Dunn into the house.

We had to delay our social schedule a bit, but we have big doings ahead for the lads and their lassies—a big dance in February and that never-to-be-forgotten week-end house party in May. Added attractions are alumni gatherings, Fathers' Night and Mothers' Day.

Around the campus J. B. Armstrong, this year's *Link* editor-in-chief and a recent Pi Delta Epsilon initiate, and Rog Moore help put the *Stute* to bed every Tuesday night. Bauer, Bissinger, Walker, and Dawson swing from the rigging of the stage while Manager Gamberton gives orders from below. Maestro Waterbury is kept busy extracting sweet music from the orchestra.

Field Secretary Franklin Serviss dropped in to say "Hello," and was gone again before we could say "Jack Robinson," but he will return in a few weeks for a regularly scheduled visit. Many thanks to J. J. Klein, our energetic chapter adviser, who has given so much of his time to strengthen Rho's position on the campus.

JOHN R. WELLS

Tau—Penn State

PLEDGES: H. Jack Allen, Butler; William Batchelor, Upper Darby;

George Berry, Jr., Greensburg; William S. C. Bradford, Sewickley; Kenneth Cowlin, Massillon, Ohio; Ralph Crowther, Terrance Hartwell, John McCray, Oil City; John H. Kauffman, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.; Edward Leech, Charles Niedringhaus, Mt. Lebanon; Rob Roy MacGregor, Bellevue; Howard McMillan, Glenshaw; Herbert Mengel, Jr., Freedom; Bradley Owens, Scranton; Grant Palmer, Windber; William Smith, Pittsburgh; Duane Swager, Rochester; John Wolfe, La Anna.

Although rigidly bound by an interfraternity council rushing code, Tau did itself and $\Delta T \Delta$ proud by the way it treated its rushees.

Under the 1936 set-up, chapters at State were allowed luncheon and dinner dates with the frosh and other such dates as were convenient, during the first rushing period of a week's length. Then during the second rushing period of half a week the rushees accepted dates with Houses of their preference, and the Houses dated those freshmen they wished to have as pledges.

Tau, in an effort to relieve the stilted atmosphere of luncheon and dinner dates, decided to have breakfast dates with the frosh. By means of the easy conversation and the pleasant informality of a fraternity breakfast, the rushees were able to form a more



Tau House Party

The Deltas of Tau, their guests, and their mascot pose for the candid camera during the annual fall house party given by the chapter at Penn State.

accurate opinion of the chapter and its members. Tau also entertained the rushees with bowling and swimming parties, and in some cases played golf with them. As a finale of the second period, the chapter staged a victrola-dance for the rushees and thus helped to acquaint them with the fairer sex of the college.

Pledge night, September 21, the rushees who accepted bids came to the house, and, after receiving their pledge pins, sat down with the actives to an unforgettable banquet.

Tau celebrated the annual fall house party at State on the week-end of October 30 to November 1. With some ninety actives, guests, pledges, and alumni in the house, Tau took an added interest in life and showed its guests just what times it could provide. Two dances were held, the first one, a formal dance on October 30, and the second one, an informal, open house dance on October 31. The afternoon of October 31 the Deltas sat *en masse* at the Penn State-Syracuse football game and helped cheer an aroused Nittany Lion to a thrill-packed, 18-0 victory.

ROBERT E. MASTERS

Upsilon—Rensselaer

PLEDGES: Richard Evans, Yonkers; James D. Fessenden, Troy; Richard Gonder, Edgar Grear, Jackson Heights; Philip Hopper, Endicott; Norman Lareau, Plattsburg; Charles Lounsbury, Salem, N.J.; Willard Ludke, Rockville, Conn.; Stewart Meyerhans, Lucien Wolff, Waterbury, Conn.; Stanley Silsby, Holyoke, Mass.; Robert VanAllen, Pt. Washington; Donald Walton, Pottsville, Pa.; Walter Watson, Hollis.

At the particular moment at which this letter is being written, the energy of Upsilon is pointed toward making the 1936 Eastern Division Conference to be held in Troy December 4-5 an unparalleled success. When this will finally have gone to press, we are confident that our efforts, particularly those of Charlie Graves and Ernie Warncke, chapter adviser, shall have proved gratifyingly fruitful.

A distressingly high number of Upsilonians (there's one for the record!) have found it necessary to spend some time in the hospital in the short time elapsed since summer. Joe Flagler is most unfortunate, the seemingly minor injury of a broken arm sustained in an auto accident having confined him to bed for a period of more than three months. Charlie Graves put in his bid for a hospital bed on the count of acute appendicitis. Finally, Dave Bridgwater hurt his foot badly in an auto crack-up returning to school this fall, and crutches were his only means of locomotion for some time.

We have recently transferred three fine men from the rank of pledgeship to that of full-fledged Deltas. They are Steve Ford, Dick Forgham, and Frank Ryder.

Under George Armbruster, director of pledge education, our fourteen new pledges are progressing in great style, instruction being from *The Good Delt: His Book*. These pledges are an unusually responsive bunch of fellows, and it is a pleasure to work with them.

Our alumni have been so kind as to install for us an oil burner, and hence, a dining-room cold enough mornings to make strong men weep, is a thing of the past. A new radio-victrola outfit is a source of new joy, the so-called "good-music lovers" having gone so far as to cajole the House into buying a recording of *The New World Symphony*!

PAUL W. BAKER

Phi—Washington and Lee

PLEDGES: Jackson Aiken, Louisville, Ky.; Hugh Ashcraft, Charles Green, Aubrey L. Simpson, Charlotte, N.C.; Edward Blair, Leo Reinartz, Middletown, Ohio; Charles Curl, Helena, Ark.; James Faulkner, Dallas, Tex.; Walter Guthrie, Washington, D.C.; Frank M. Hankins, Bridgeton, N.J.; Callaway Pollard, Burlington, N.C.; James Roberts, Flemington, N.J.; Alison Wyson, Pt. Washington, N.Y.; William Fray, Lexington.

With the routine of studies once

more beginning, Phi has turned its attention to campus activities. Ray Craft was varsity fullback on the football team, and it was his passing that won several of our games. Bob Kingsbury was captain of the cross-country team for the second straight year. He led the team to the first state title in several years and a second in the Southern Conference. Vaughn Beale and "Butch" Thuran were also members of this team.

In intramural football, Phi went to the semifinals, and two of its members, Hart Baker and Leo Reinartz, were placed on the all-intramural team.

Ad Wagner and Vance Funk, both monogram men, and winners of several Southern Conference medals, are again out for the swimming team. Tom Tennant, who won his numerals last year, and Deacon Wills are also candidates. Jack Aiken will be swimming breast-stroke for the freshman swimming team when that squad starts its season.

Charles Curl was a member of the freshman football team, and Al Wyson and Leo Reinartz are two of the leading candidates for the freshman basketball team. Dick Steelman is a candidate for the varsity basketball team. Dick is also the artist for all the campus publications. Jim Roberts is out for the freshman track team.

Dev Carpenter is publicity manager of Fancy Dress this year. On the college paper there are George Goodwin, Hugh Ashcraft, Jack Aiken, and Charley Green. Jim Faulkner is on the magazine business staff, and Walter Guthrie and Charley Curl are members of the annual's business staff.

Frank Hankins is out for the wrestling team and Ed Blair is a candidate for the freshman mat squad. Ed is also pianist in the college orchestra.

Squire Davies was initiated into Sigma Delta Chi. Dev Carpenter, Cal Shook, and Bob Abrahams are members of this organization.

A note to Alabama. Take care of Nate Brownell. Is he still a lady killer?

BOB ABRAHAMS

Chi—Kenyon

PLEDGES: Richard B. Baker, Clayton C. Brawley, Albert W. Wood, Cincinnati; Edward B. Campbell, Johnson City, Tenn.; Samuel C. Crobaugh, Shaker Heights; Theodore S. Cobbe, Jr., Canton; Robert L. Demaree, Tulsa, Okla.; James E. Herl, Pt. Clinton; Robert H. Hoffman, Alliance; Hugh MacLiesh, Hubbard Woods, Ill.; Donald E. Miller, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Norman W. Reed, Jr., Edward M. Schuller, Toledo; Joseph J. Rudge, Youngstown; Clark W. Story, Chillicothe.

With a record-breaking freshman class this year, Chi's pledge class of fifteen sets a new record. It is doing its best to keep up the traditions of the chapter by holding the offices of president of the freshman class, sports editor of the *Collegian*, and other minor offices which lead to better positions later on.

The active chapter is doing its share in managing the affairs of the college. John Tuthill was recently initiated by Phi Beta Kappa. Rodney Boren and Frank Marks represented Chi on the gridiron. The swimming team is in an embryo stage at this writing, but four men from Chi are out to do their best. George Eagon is the mainstay of the team, and with the support of Jim Patterson, Frank Marks, and John Herman, should make the team one to be envied this year.

The flying at Kenyon is becoming increasingly popular, and a majority of the interest is coming from Chi. Bill Lieurance, president of the Flying Club, holds a private pilot's license, Rodney Boren is ready to take his examination for an amateur license, and Bob Sonenfield will soon be eligible for his amateur license.

The Economics Club's officers are Frank Marks, president; Bill Lieurance, vice-president; and Bob Sonenfield, secretary-treasurer.

On the *Collegian* staff, Bob Demaree, a pledge, is the sports editor, Bob Mitchell is circulation manager, Norman Reed, also a pledge, is assistant circulation manager, and Bill Lieurance is assistant business manager.

Chi is well represented in the Dramatic Club by Quentin Smith, and on the basketball team, by Gordon Reeder, and Dick Veatch.

The presidency of the senior council went to Bob Davis this year.

Some very necessary improvements have been made on the parlor. In order to have a proper setting for the scholarship plaque which we won last year the parlor was changed and some new furniture added.

As a unit, the whole chapter is working together to make this year one which will exceed anything that has gone before, and a goal for the future.

BILL LIEURANCE

Omega—Pennsylvania

OMEGA became enlarged to the extent of seven new members in November when Eddie Bellinger, Dick Dearoff, Harry Howland, Hal O'Conner, Doug Potter, Al Thompson, and Lore Wiseman were initiated into the Fraternity. This group of initiates is particularly welcome, being both a capable group and a band of "good fellows." In addition, Bob Fabry of Beta Beta has affiliated with the chapter. We also have had as a visitor for some time, Russ Lynch of Pittsburgh.

The fall has been a prosperous one. The Navy Day dance was an especially outstanding success and was somewhat heightened by the fact that, just previously, the award of the Harman Cup for the best decorated fraternity house before the Navy-Penn game had been made to $\Delta T \Delta$.

The chapter has engaged extensively this fall in various forms of intramural athletics and has in general experienced a goodly share of success. Many of the members are actively engaged in managerial and other campus activities, and others hold positions of prominence. To mention a few, George Nichols is president of the Franklin Society and Fred Halstead is a member of the Friars, senior honorary society. Nichols, Dick Wehel, and others hold important positions on campus publications.

Recently, Harry Howland and Hal O'Conner were honored by presenta-

tion of the Beta Gamma Sigma freshman awards, given to the fifteen members of last year's freshman class in the Wharton School whose scholastic averages were outstanding. A current headliner is Joe Jenkins, who is being highly praised for his solo singing in *This Mad Whirl*, this year's Mask and Wig show.

The chapter is looking forward to the Christmas holidays and to the rushing season which will follow them. Everything points to a very successful season.

BILL CREMERS

Beta Alpha—Indiana

PLEDGES: Joe Huber, Peru; Chris Dal Sasso, Clinton; Joe Howell, Marshall, Ill.; Bob Stultz, Monticello; Henry Magel, Gail Eldridge, Jack Hatfield, Hiram Sexson, Ben Hatfield, Indianapolis; George Schilling, Chicago, Ill.; Jim Fausch, John Keleher, Michigan City; Morris Ritchie, Dick Lennox, Lebanon; Al Ackerman, Loogootee; Dee Bryant, Morocco; Don Jacques, Throntown; "Buck" Mauck, Princeton.

Comfortably settled in the new Shelter, Beta Alpha is looking forward to the best year in her history. It is a great relief to become once more an organized unit living under a single roof. We have pledged what we consider to be the most likely bunch of freshmen that we have had in some years. All of them seem to have the right Delt spirit and many of them are already becoming prominent in activities, as well as in social life and scholarship.

Beta Alpha was well represented on the football team which climaxed a successful season by tying Purdue 20-20 in a game that will be long remembered by those who were fortunate enough to witness it. Chris Dal Sasso, captain of the team, was injured in the Ohio State game and did not see any action thereafter, but Ray Fox and Bob Stevenson, regular players, added much to the strength of the team.

Ray Fox has been made president of the senior class, in addition to being president of the Union Board. He is a member of Sphinx, Dragon's

Head, Blue Key, "T" Men's Club, Board of Aeons, and several other organizations. With the initiation of Jerry Miller, we now have four members in Sphinx Club which is the best representation of any House on the Indiana campus.

The scholarship reports again showed us leading all other large fraternities. With the improved study conditions in the new house, our scholastic attainments this year should reach a new high.

November 25 we initiated five neophytes in our first meeting in the new chapter hall. They are Bill Stewart, Fred Myers, Al Fernandes, Dennis Fox, and "Gomer" Jones. We also have affiliated this year Alex Clark, Beta Beta; Sam Lehman and Lee Charters, Gamma Lambda; Bill Ferguson, Delta Zeta; and John King, Beta Psi.

Hugh Dillin has received considerable publicity because he is the youngest member of the 1937 General Assembly. Hugh will continue to edit the *Bored Walk*, campus humor magazine.

Our plans for a dedication program for the new house have been halted, but we are awaiting hopefully the chance to give this greatest Shelter the baptism which it so richly deserves.

ALBERT H. COLE, JR.

Beta Beta—DePauw

PLEDGES: Bill Blake, Marion; Jack Cox, Mattoon, Ill.; Ted Edwards, Rushville; George Haywood, Harris Haywood, Lafayette; Dick Hughes, Fred Tucker, Indianapolis; John Manning, Muskegon, Mich.; Jim Matson, Cincinnati, Ohio; Stan Melby, Denny Waterman, Evanston, Ill.; George Montooth, Rushville, Ill.; Bryden Northcutt, Lake Bluff, Ill.; Art Oltz, Hammond; Tom Potter, Teaneck, N.J.; Bill Quebbeman, Greencastle; Grant Smith, Greenfield, Mass.; Everett Vogt, Kirkwood, Mo.; Leon Walters, Muncie; Bill Welch, Logansport; Chess Wymond, Louisville, Ky.

Our first impression of the house this fall was pleasantly surprising. When we returned we found that our

Mothers' Club had had our Shelter redecorated. We are truly grateful. This was one of the factors in our successful rush. The other big factor in our rushing was a novel one, we believe. The chapter is indebted to Carlson, Guckenberger, and Bud and Frank Johnson for this idea. During summer vacation this quartette furnished a Covered Wagon house trailer in true Fraternity style, and made personal calls on boys in four Middle West states, covering several thousand miles. With the enthusiasm that such a rush program gave us, Beta Beta could not help but have an outstanding year.

Again this year Beta Beta has its quota of members active in extra-curricular work. Guckenberger, Watson, and Sellers are workers on the various campus publications. They are members of Alpha Delta Sigma, advertising honorary. "Monk" Moore and Tom Potter have joined Don Hadley and Sterling Parker in Delta Omicron Chi, pre-med honorary.

Again this year the Delts won intramural tennis by the excellent work of Gordon, Durham, Guckenberger, and Northcutt. Gordon and Durham came back in September with various tennis trophies collected this past summer. At present $\Delta T \Delta$ is leading in the race for the all-intramural cup. We expect to annex this soon.

In varsity football the work of Longshore, Grummon, and Bud Johnson was outstanding in DePauw's backfield. "Red" Montooth and Ted Edwards were awarded numerals for their work in the frosh line-up.

This year we have four men in the symphony orchestra, which, we admit, is something new in Beta Beta's recent history. Ev Vogt, John Manning, Marion Seller, and Parker Smith are the guilty ones.

That's what has happened so far, and we are anticipating even better reports for the rest of the year.

PARKER SMITH

Beta Gamma—Wisconsin

PLEDGES: Kenneth Higley, Marinette; Frank LaBreck, Eau Claire; Edgar Riley, Jr., John Riley, Platte-

ville; Orville Fisher, Fargo, N.D.; Ross Amos, Shorewood; John Klumb, West Bend; Joseph Knaak, McGregor, Iowa; Robert Shaw, Milwaukee.

We are now in the midst of extensive preparation for the Northern Regional Conference to be held here the week-end of February 26. Plans are being completed for smokers, formal dinner, dance, and initiation. It is possible that Glenn Frank will be the guest speaker of the occasion. A great deal of enthusiasm has been shown within the chapter regarding the Conference. We feel that, with the coöperation of the alumni and all other chapters, it will be an outstanding success.

Rushing started out slowly, as was the case throughout the campus, but with Robert Shaw doing a very fine job as rushing chairman, we are gaining momentum. By February an enviable group of potential Delts ought to be in training.

Kenneth Dahl has planned, and so far executed, a most successful social program. A Homecoming dance and buffet luncheon entertained one hundred guests. A Monte Carlo party was an enjoyable rushing function and a bowery party on the night of the Minnesota game proved enjoyable. The Christmas formal was the highlight of the first semester's social calendar. Some thirty couples ate and danced in the beautifully decorated Shelter.

Orv Fisher and Ross Amos were freshman football luminaries, and are now engaged in frosh basketball and boxing.

We finished our touch football season with a not-too-bad record. The last four games were played minus the services of All-University center, Bob Bernnard. With basketball season at hand, we are enthusiastically pointing to an equally successful season.

The studies of the Shelter have been beautifully redecorated. The fellows supplied the labor, and the corporation supplied the "where-with-all." In the next month it is expected that the bedrooms will be completely repainted under the same system.

Don't forget the Regional Conference! We will welcome the sugges-

tions and coöperation of all who are interested.

HUGH HIGLEY

Beta Delta—Georgia

PLEDGES: L. A. Ingram, Fayetteville; Jack Nelson, Atlanta; Earnest Long, Bartow; Bill Moses, Uvalda; Steve Tumlin, Marietta.

Our rushing season was not as successful as we would have had it, but such embarrassment was not entirely the fault of the rushing committee since we were forced to concentrate on a good many who had strong affiliations with other fraternities and these we were unable to overcome, although it appeared at the time that we might be able to do so. We have another chance, however, following the holidays, and prospects for the season subsequent to the Yuletide appear more than favorable. By our next report, we hope to announce at least six others.

Those we did pledge, however, are of the highest calibre and from all indications we can expect a great deal from them, and in time can adequately make up for the four members we lost by graduation, although those we lost were influential and prominent on the campus.

Malcolm Peterson is a member of the Gridiron, Panhellenic Council, vice-president of the senior class, president of the Round Table, and is a sitting-member of the Junior Cabinet.

Chauncey Clark is president of the Thalian-Blackfriars and senior manager of the boxing team.

Walter Jacobs is junior manager of the boxing team.

Lee Price and Ben Yow, officers in the advanced department, represent us in the R.O.T.C.

Our house, remodeled and redecorated during the summer, is now in excellent condition and is one of the show places of Athens, typifying as it does the most attractive in colonial architecture. We also have a new heating system.

Our social activities have been marked successes, particularly, a buffet supper we held at the conclusion of the Homecoming dances. Our next event will be a house dance.

We are pleased to announce that William Tate, University Dean of Freshmen, is now our chapter adviser. Incidentally, he is a former member of this chapter. He is doing much to help us. He is a real chapter adviser.

We have been honored by visits from Secretary Harold D. Meyer and Field Secretary Eugene Hibbs. Gene Hibbs spent several days with us during rush week and aided materially in the rushing. Secretary Meyer came in November, and during his stay gave us a most edifying talk on the problems facing the youth of today. We regretted he had to leave so soon.

James Melton, initiated at Beta Delta, is giving a concert in Atlanta during the latter part of the month, and several of the members are planning to attend.

We intend to continue our impressive improvement of last year in scholarship.

We really are expecting a most successful year. Our new president, Lee Price, is doing a fine job, and we were fortunate in his election.

BILL REICH

Beta Epsilon—Emory

PLEDGES: Fred Smith, Lakeland, Fla.; B. F. Hardy, Jr., Dillon, N.C.; Carol O'Neal, Atlanta; Sam Burbage, College Park; Walter Henson, Hazelhurst; W. H. Bateman, Sandersville.

This year should be a good one for Beta Epsilon, in the way of visiting alumni, 1937 being Emory's centennial celebration. In the past it always has been the custom during any celebration for the alumni to drop around and meet all the fellows. We have planned a warm reception for them.

We are proud of having two men who, we feel sure, will make the All-Emory football team; our president, Sam Meyer, and Pledge Ben Hardy, who play guard positions on the junior and freshman teams, respectively.

The Interfraternity Council has already announced that it will sponsor a bowling tournament in the very near future; last year, we came mighty close to carrying away the cup with third place, this year, we can't realize our possibilities.

Our social season opened with great success with a Sunday night buffet supper, after which everyone went up town to the theater and from there to a restaurant—all in all, it was a grand evening.

After a year of hard work, Ed Gazelle has acquired a speaking part with the Emory Players; his first part was in the noted play *Journey's End*, which was put on the first of the year.

This year we are in a much better house than we were last year, and here again we must thank our Mothers' Club for the splendid help it gave us in decorating and furnishing the house.

EDWARD JOHNSON

Beta Zeta—Butler

WITH happy thoughts of Christmas vacation before us, Beta Zeta has thrown off the traces, and, in spite of an old house, stepped to the foreground in campus activities.

Our fall social functions began with two annual events, the hay-ride, and the hard times dance.

The house party, held at Turkey Run this year during Thanksgiving vacation, may become an institution yet—this was its twenty-sixth year.

The next big event on the campus calendar is the Blue Keyhole Stunts, with Fred Striby and Pledge Owens coöperating to make it a win for the Delts.

Beta Zeta is well represented in other campus affairs. Witness our prexy, Fred Kershner, member of Blue Key, the senior men's honorary organization, president of the Men's Union Governing Board, and vice-president of the Interfraternity Council.

Ted Pruyn, another of our seniors, is president of Blue Key, and a stellar trackman, to boot.

"Spigot" Fawcett finds himself a mainstay of the varsity basketball squad, and his roommate, "Jooge" Warren, is undoubtedly one of the better boys on the varsity swimming team. They are members of Sphinx, junior men's honorary organization, and "Spigot" is president.

Fred Striby is new to the varsity debating squad, but if past perform-

ances can be trusted, he'll soon find his sea legs.

"Gun-gun" Gunion was guard on a championship Butler football club this fall, and looks good for next year, if he remembers not to attend any more dances which the coach is chaperoning.

Among the freshmen, Lang Helt, Harry Thomas, and Frank Carbon are "pluggin' 'em" in for the rhinie basketball squad, and Tom Jenkins is making a fine freshman student manager.

JAMES MULLANE

Beta Eta—Minnesota

PLEDGES: Valere Molle, Marshall; Cavour Justus, Hopkins; Bob Sorenson, Kasson; Bill Boese, St. Paul; Don Wilkie, Chicago, Ill.; Don Russell, Minneapolis; Clint Bailey, Bismarck, N.D.; Bob Hansen, Bob Cory, Austin.

Heavily hit by graduation, Beta Eta looks forward to formal rushing in January with high hopes. A fine nucleus has been built this fall, and indications point to a 100 per cent graduating pledge class at the end of this quarter.

William Manning was initiated this fall. Bill Hotzfeld, from Gamma Beta, and Bill Bauer, from Delta Nu, are transfers at Beta Eta this year.

Pledge Boese is the mainstay of the university's radio station, WLB.

Pledge Sorenson already can show Eddie Duchin, Johnny Green, and the others just how a piano should be played.

President Elmlad has become one of the city's leading promoters.

"Bow-wow" Bauer marches in the front line of the band.

Intramurals for the fall session are over. After dropping several close touchball games, the chapter came back to finish high in the volley ball tournament. We expect to do things in the way of basketball and baseball.

The Mothers' Club has been exceedingly active, and, as a result, the house sports new curtains, eats tasty mince pies, and can anticipate thanking the mothers for additions to the house which will amount to the proceeds of their rummage sale.

The pledge class has been working hard on a library for Beta Eta. Bookcases have been built and at present the alumni are being written in a search for books. The shelves are filling rapidly.

Among the alumni, George MacKinnon, and Harold Harrison, of Rho, were elected to the Minnesota legislature.

Alumni, rushees, and the chapter observed Thanksgiving with a five-course turkey dinner which really took up the slack in our belts. The roof vibrated with songs and the table sagged from the weight of the food.

The presence of Field Secretary Ted Bergman has aided greatly the progress of Beta Eta.

WILLIAM H. MANNING, JR.

Beta Theta—Sewanee

PLEDGES: Schubael Beasley, Memphis; Robert Belford, Savannah, Ga.; Albert Dade, Henderson, Ky.; James DeWolfe, Houston, Tex.; Haywood Emerson, Wilmington, N.C.; Jack Jourden, Orlando, Fla.; Myrlin MacCullar, Corinth, Miss.; Alpha Omega Newberry, Newbern, N.C.; John Varley, Ranson Varley, Wheaton, Ill.; Roger Lyon Miner, New York, N.Y.

During rush week many of our alumni wished us good luck, and so far, they certainly have received their wish. Beta Theta "hooked" the best pledge class in years, and we, at least, think it easily the best on the mountain.

We were also lucky in receiving a present of a thousand iris bulbs, guaranteed to grow anywhere, including concrete sidewalks and Sewanee yards.

Then, too, we have received more than our share of honors this year. Willie Wilkerson was initiated into Sigma Upsilon, Pi Gamma Mu, and Blue Key. He also is doing well as managing editor of the *Purple*, as are Böhmer and Heyward, as business managers of the *Purple*, and *Cap and Gown*, respectively. More honors were gained when Captain MacGoldrick led the volley ball team through the season with only one de-

feat. The team's brightest stars were Binnington, who made the Sewanee all-star team, and Cheerleader Heyward, who was an alternate on the same outfit.

We have given three successful dances this fall. The biggest of them was a Halloween party, which owed its success, partly, to Stewart's having procured all the decorations from an American Legion ball, in a near-by town.

Our only bad luck thus far is the loss of a fine group of graduates and transfers, but most of them already have returned on visits. Shropshire, for example, came back to break up a rumor about his being married, which one of the good brothers playfully started, and then found himself unable to stop.

Our final stroke of good luck occurred during the Thanksgiving dances. Beta Theta has a tradition that when a girl first enters the Shelter, she must kiss either Oscar, the Delta mummy, or her escort. Boy—which did they choose!

CHUCK BÖHMER

Beta Iota—Virginia

PLEDGES: Tom Craven, Charlottesville; Robert Rood, Torrington, Conn.; Benjamin Thompson, St. Paul, Minn.; James Wakefield, Louisville, Ky.; Ned Wickes, Saginaw, Mich.

Our able and efficient rushing chairman, Garland Cox, led us in obtaining the cream of the crop of first-year men. We are well pleased with the results of our rushing efforts.

We are very glad to welcome back to the University and to the chapter, our adviser, Dr. R. K. Gooch, who studied in Europe last year. The chapter appreciates the efforts of Mr. James M. Rothwell, who served as Dr. Gooch's substitute.

Gilmer Wells and Albert Dick are back with us again after a year's absence. We have welcomed to Beta Iota, Hugh Rose, a transfer from Delta Epsilon.

Garland Cox was one of the few members of *College Topics'* staff who were awarded Service Keys. Cox and

Charles Price were elected to the German Club. John Antrim is the freshman basketball manager, having as his assistants, Erskine Wheat and Jim Wakefield. Bill Old and Al Dick are trying to earn a place on the boxing team. In intramurals, Beta Iota put out a hard-working volley ball team and a razzle-dazzle touch football team.

This fall the entire chapter enjoyed the hospitality of Erskine Wheat and his mother at a buffet supper. Mrs. Wheat almost completely spoiled us by a supper "fit for a king." Our first annual quail hunt and steak fry was held at Garland Cox's farm. All the quail escaped us, but not a single steak.

The beauty and usefulness of the house have been increased by two new leather chairs and a new radio-victrola.

Field Secretary Eugene Hibbs has paid his usual and welcome visit to the chapter. We regret that he found us between the Thanksgiving holiday and an approaching exam period and therefore unable to entertain him as we should like to do. Beta Iota sends greetings to other Delt chapters and to her own alumni.

CLARK MARTIN

Beta Kappa—Colorado

WHEN Beta Kappa at Colorado led all other fraternities with a record pledge class of thirty-six, active members feared that so large a number would lessen the spirit and coöperation of the group. The record made by Beta Kappa during the fall quarter shows that such fears were not justified.

Hammond, Kurtz, Thompson, Robbins, Quarnberg, and Bradley were on the freshman football teams.

Of the twenty-six acts chosen for Rhythm Circus, nine of them were Delt. Tommy Trollope, was given the leading part.

Tom Dodd was chosen chairman of the junior prom committee.

Pledge Dave Atkinson was chairman of the freshman prom.

The Beta Kappa pledges won a

handsome silver trophy for having the best act at the annual Phi Delt smoker. Tommy Trollope also won prizes for a great tap-dancing act which won first at the freshman prom talent contest.

John Boland, pledge, is on the freshman debate squad. Tom Harper is gaining distinction for his work on the business staff of the *Silver and Gold*. John Hickman is in line for business manager of the *Coloradoan*, school yearbook. Calvin Baker and Jack Davitt also are on the *Coloradoan* staff.

Beta Kappa last year ranked first among the big ten fraternities in scholarship. This year the pledge class made the best record in the annual English test of all fraternity pledge classes.

Bob Gilbert, senior in law school, played a regular halfback position on the Colorado football team.

Bill Burr and Ev Chesney fill two of the places on the first team in basketball.

Beta Kappa leads in intramural volley ball and is favored to annex the intramural swimming title.

But the best sign is that Beta Kappa is not quite satisfied with its record this quarter and is pointing for the winter quarter when it can improve on an already outstanding record.

ROBERT TYLER

Beta Lambda—Lehigh

PLEDGES: Budd Heisler, Pemberton, N.J.; Dick Shields, Sewickley; John Fitch, Indianapolis, Ind.; Bill Brown, Ilion, N.Y.; Bob Conebeare, Lancaster; Dick Johnson, Pitman, N.J.

Twenty-six active members returned to the chapter last September, and began what seems to be the best year in Beta Lambda's history. We pledged six outstanding men of this year's freshman class, all of whom are taking an active interest in the chapter, athletics, and activities.

Arch Jamieson won his letter at football, and Walt Blackler and Ben Chadwick played on the J. V. team. Nelse Leonard and Bill Gill won letters on the varsity soccer team. Gill

was elected captain for next year. Johnny Cleeves managed the cross-country team with Gordy Thompson as his assistant.

Nelse Leonard, who already has Tau Bete and O.D.K. keys and is a sure-shot for Phi Bete, was selected to represent Lehigh in the Rhodes Scholarship competition. Bill Dukek was pledged to Tau Beta Pi and Pi Delta Epsilon. Bill Gill was initiated into Cyanide, junior honorary, in which Bill Dukek is a member. Bob Voglesberg represented Lehigh at the national Scabbard and Blade convention. The Lehigh University band put on many interesting and colorful spectacles at football games this fall. All of the directing and maneuvers of the band was directly in charge of Dave Gordon.

The *Brown and White* is in the hands of the Delts with Ed McNair, business manager; Johnny Weigel, financial manager; Joe Roberts, advertising manager; Bill Dukek, on the editorial board; and "Spike" DeBow on the business board.

The Delts are managing the forthcoming Mustard and Cheese Club show, *Paths of Glory*. John Weigel is in complete charge of the show as technical adviser; George Barker, business manager; Ivan Kuryla, ticket manager; Joe Roberts, property manager; and Bill Gill, costume manager.

The whole chapter entered into the spirit of the house party, Fathers' Day, and the Lafayette week-end, so all three were complete successes.

WILLIAM H. GILL, JR.

Beta Mu—Tufts

PLEDGES: Roy Baxter, Donald Gifford, Dorchester; Wallace Baylies, Fairhaven; Chester Battis, Somerville; Francis Bennett, Adams; E. Hartwell Daley, Salem; Arthur Hale, Stratford, Conn.; Clifford Hunt, Burlington; Emery Kline, Canajoharie, N.Y.; Wilbur Meserve, Winchester; F. Clifton Miller, Lynn; Russell Nash, West Somerville; Nathan Parker, Cohasset; Ralph Richardson, North Quincy; Leonard Rowley, Newton Center; Richard

Tobey, Melrose; E. Frank Williams, East Lynn.

Beta Mu dedicated its new Shelter, November 21, after Tufts had taken Massachusetts State over the jumps on the gridiron. It was an occasion long to be remembered.

Over 150 alumni and their friends gathered around the northwest corner while President John A. Cousens of Tufts, Beta Mu, '98, laid the corner stone in which were reposed copies of the chapter records.

Following the corner stone ceremony, the Beta Mu alumni and actives repaired to the Shelter for a dedication banquet and entertainment which culminated in the traditional Walk-Around with over one hundred in line.

Soccer found Dick Parks as manager and Bill Mounce as sophomore manager. Horace Mathieu, Bud Boies, Larry Butler, and Ed Cornwell played as members of the same team. In cross-country, Chet Foss was manager with Bill Poor as his assistant. Ralph Slater and Dick Wilson showed to good advantage for the team. Dave Young was manager of the frosh football team with Pledge Len Rowley as his assistant. Pledges Roy Baxter and Ralph Richardson did well for the freshman "hill-and-dalers."

Dick Parks is associate editor of the *Weekly*, and Les Burton is news editor. Bill Shepard, Pledge Wally Baylies, and Pledge Len Rowley are on the news staff. Dick Parks, Bill Poor, and Ralph Slater are active in the dramatic circles. Don Fairfield was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Dick Parks was elected historian of the senior class, and Pledge Watson was re-elected vice-president of the junior class.

The pledge formal was held November 27 at the house.

The chapter has adopted the policy of setting aside one night in the week for the faculty. On that occasion a member of the faculty is invited to the Shelter for dinner and to spend the evening. The idea has worked well, and we urge every chapter to try it.

EDWARD F. CORNWELL, JR.

Beta Nu—M.I.T.

PLEDGES: Arthur Adams, Ensenada, Puerto Rico; Thomas Biglin, Larchmont, N.Y.; Paul Butman, Waltham; George Clark, Millis; William Green, Rockford, Ill.; David Huber, Philadelphia, Pa.; John McMullen, Washington, D.C.; John Richards, Bronxville, N.Y.; William Schuler, Oak Park, Ill.; Howard Schwiebert, Forest Hills, N.Y.; Robert Sternberg, Grand Junction, Colo.; Leslie Sutton, Anniston, Ala.

At the conclusion of a most successful rushing season, Beta Nu commenced another very promising year. With only one man lost through graduation, the chapter is in a strong position scholastically, financially, and in campus activities.

During the summer, the living-room in the chapter house was redecorated and a new fireplace installed. The improved appearance of the room was a factor in our successful rush and in enabling us to fill the house.

Beta Nu has a new chapter adviser, Andy Reimold.

Last fall we enjoyed playing host to Carl Gram, '09, who had been in England with his family for some time. When Carl had to return to the States on business, he decided to stay at the chapter house while he was here.

Bob Ferguson is one of the mainstays of the varsity crew, and Dick Cella is vying for a position on that crew. Captain Jim Clifford and Bill Bergen are on the 150-pound crew. Sophomore aspirants for this crew are Bob Wooster and Basil Gray. There are also four freshmen out for crew. Paul Stevens and John Beaujean are on the swimming team, and three of the freshmen are proving to be quite adept at that sport. Ed Hadley is on the track team, and Ben Badenoch and John Summerfield are also doing a little running this year.

The Delts are represented in Tau Beta Pi, Scabbard and Blade, Beaver Club, Beaver Key Society, Debating Society, Hexalpha, and Alpha Phi Omega, Gridiron, Boat Club, Nautical Association, and are junior board members of the *Tech*, *Voo Doo*, and the Technology Christian Association.

Bob Ferguson is a member of the Institute Committee from the senior class; Ed Hadley is secretary-treasurer of the junior class, Bob Wooster is vice-president of the sophomore class, and George Clark is a freshman section leader.

JOHN R. SUMMERFIELD

Beta Xi—Tulane

PLEDGES: Harold Andry, Gordon Boswell, Jr., Marshall J. Charlton, Philip Jahncke, Melville Schmidt, Ruston Stockton, Douglas Torre, Mottram Torre, New Orleans; Thomas Bell, Lake Charles; Walter Grace, Angus Grace, Ft. Myers, Fla.; Hector Fernandez, Los Angeles, Calif.; Edmund Spiller, Charles Reid, Hammond.

Every Monday night, fourteen pledges gather at the Beta Xi chapter house for their weekly pledge meetings. This is the group of boys that are now proudly wearing the "Crossed-Deltas" in their coat lapels after a week of rushing at Tulane. Naturally, we are glad to rest after the mad hurry of rush week, but, rushing always provides a rich store of experiences that we are always happy to bring to mind in later years—banquets, smokers, dances, barbecues, and house parties. This year the confusion caused by our twin pledges, Douglas and Mottram Torre, certainly will recall many embarrassing and humorous situations. Then, the bright spot of the banquet was Jimmie Morrison's speech; and, of course, the climax of the house party was the swimming party at Emile Naef's "swimming hole."

Now banquets, house parties, and rushing are forgotten for textbooks and football. It's chemistry, Latin, and mathematics during the week, but it's "Roll Green Wave" and "Rah, Tulane!" on the week-ends. This year we are kept in close contact with football by Phil Jahncke, a tackle on the Tulane freshman football squad.

As part of the Homecoming celebration this year, the Panhellenic Council invited all the fraternities to decorate their chapter houses in competition for a silver plaque, to be presented to the winner. This is the sec-

and year that this decoration contest has been tried, and both times Beta Xi has been among the winners. The evening before the Homecoming the actives and pledges came over to the Fraternity house with hammers, nails, cardboard, paint, and crêpe paper, and began to uncover their long-hidden artistic abilities. In spite of a few smashed fingers and strained backs, a good time was had by all.

DAVID H. BECKER

Beta Omicron—Cornell

PLEDGES: Harry Bade, Hartsdale; Joe Griesedieck, St. Louis, Mo.; O. Henry Hertzler, Lancaster, Pa.; Allyn Marsh, Dick Osenkop, Allen Reffler, Pete Darmi, New York; Ed O'Boyle, Kingston, Pa.; Wilson Pratt, Buffalo; Norman Stafford, Canastota; Dean Wallace, Camillus; Gene Hintgen, Bismarck, N.D.; Mike Stehnach, Dolgeville.

These thirteen men comprise one of the best pledge classes Beta Omicron has had in many a year. The first ten are freshmen, and the remaining three are sophomores.

We have been honored with the election of Jack Clarke and Joe Kelly to Phi Beta Kappa.

Burty Pierce is now a member of Aleph Samach, junior honorary society, and Bob Reindollar wears the pin of Chi Epsilon, civil engineering society.

Activities have the lead over athletics this term, with Jack Clarke topping the list as editor-in-chief of our yearbook, the *Cornellian*. John Somerville is assistant manager of intramural crew. Gene Hintgen is competing for a position on the business board of the *Cornellian*, and Ed Smith is seeking to win the minor sports competition (boxing, wrestling, and fencing).

Although we had no fellows out for varsity sports (except Mike Stehnach, who did well in football, considering he didn't report until the season was almost over), the house lost only one game in the interfraternity touch football league, and that was to the eventual winners of the league.

We have signed up for interfraternity basketball, bowling, and badminton,

but as this letter is being written no games have yet been played. Our basketball chances look good, however, for we have our "six-foot sixer," Bill Bensley, for center, besides all of last year's team. Most of last year's bowling teams will roll again this year; but badminton is new to most of us.

A new system of freshman guidance is being tried out this year, with each freshman assigned to an upper-classman adviser. Through it, we expect to keep in closer contact with the scholarship of the pledges, and at the same time help them to become better acquainted with the Fraternity. So far, the results have been very gratifying.

JOHN S. SOMERVILLE, JR.

Beta Pi—Northwestern

PLEDGES: James Avery, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Jack Crist, Danville; Perc DeTamble, Leonard Shepanek, Edward Shepanek, Wilmette; Wayne Fisher, Fargo, N.D.; Charles Hallett, Robert Klitzke, Hammond, Ind.; John Haman, Naperville; Jack Huggins, Clarence Roff, George Smith, Evanston; Frank Magee, Joliet; Charles Melchoir, Jasper, Ind.; Herman Ogg, Douglas, Kan.; John Stanton, Chicago; Carleton Van Dyke, Ft. Madison, Iowa; Robert Vutech, Cleveland, Ohio.

Our rushing season this fall was very successful.

The honor of being selected as quarter back on the United Press' All-American third team, and the Associated Press' and United Press' All-Big Ten first teams, goes to Fred Vanzo. Fred's magnificent blocking throughout the season was largely responsible for Northwestern's winning its first undisputed Big Ten title.

For the second successive year, Beta Pi captured first place with its float in the Northwestern Homecoming parade.

A jump from thirteenth to third place in scholarship on the Northwestern campus was recorded by Beta Pi last semester with a 4.124, or better than B-minus average.

President Jerry Flanigan is secretary of the interfraternity council this

year. Ted Gianakopoulos is the other chapter representative.

Vice-president Paul Clayton was recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Clayton and John Diener, Jr., were awarded class scholarship honors at a recent University convocation.

"Muff" Doherty and Bill Heyn are members of Deru, senior men's honorary; Jim Huber and Kent Collinson are active in the University theatre; Bronson Gridley is manager of the senior wrestling team; Jack Shannon is a member of the *Daily Northwestern* and *Purple Parrot* staffs; Bob Estabrook is campus editor and a member of the *Daily* editorial board; Bill Spears is active in the University symphony orchestra; John Haman, Wayne Fisher, and Bob Vutech were members of the freshman football squad; Edward Shepanek and Jack Huggins were freshman football managers; Bob Thorstensen and Bob Estabrook are members of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet and the band; Jack Hastie was winner of the Robert Maynard Hutchins oratorical contest for extemporaneous speaking; the Delt intramural football team won the title in League III; Hank Goerlick and Jess Cobb are active on the editorial staff of the *Syllabus*, Northwestern yearbook, and Herb Fortlage is a member of the business staff.

ROBERT H. ESTABROOK

Beta Rho—Stanford

NO LONGER can Stanford Delt speak of their Shelter as the "Little Brown House on the Hill."

Having undergone a summer's face-lifting régime, combined with some interior architectural surgery, the Beta Rho chapter house is now an imposing English-style structure, renovated from the floor of the cemented basement to the crest of the freshly shingled roof.

Major improvements accomplished by the \$30,000 building program include wood-paneled walls that are of a light finish throughout the house; three new study-rooms, a new guest room, game room, breakfast room, an enlarged kitchen, dining-room, chapter-room, and sleeping porch. The

guest room is finished in red and blue that will take the breath away from returning old grads.

The reconstruction, giving Beta Rho one of the handsomest houses on the campus, was accomplished partly through funds collected over ten years in a permanent house fund, and partly through alumni subscriptions, and a loan from the University.

One of the chief improvements, in what is a new house built around the skeleton of the old, is the portico entrance that provides a pleasant entry to the house from the backway, the usual means of approach because of the location of the driveway.

More attractive, larger, and more efficient, the renovated house gives Beta Rho a splendid rushing asset that is drawing wide interest on a campus now in the midst of rushing season. Thirty-eight men live in the house, ten of them initiated November 9. The newcomers looking forward to three years of enjoyment of the new building are: Grenville Whyte, George Parker, Timothy Sullivan, Andrew Shirey, Telford Oswald, Louis Love, Don Bohr, Robert Coffin, Brad Schaeffer, and Malcolm Black.

PAGE H. GILMAN

Beta Tau—Nebraska

DURING the month of November Beta Tau pledged Barton Berg of

Shelby. Berg is a sophomore engineer, making honors convocation last spring with the unusually high scholastic average of 92.

Football season came to a close at Nebraska with the thumping 32-14 victory over the Oregon State Beavers. Beta Tau can be justly proud of the fact that four of our boys contributed to this win: Johnny Howell, Charley Brock, Paul Amen, and Bob Ray. Brock displayed one of the season's outstanding defensive stands when he stopped the Oregon backs for no gain on four successive plays when the scrappy Beavers had four downs to travel only five yards over the Husker goal. Both Howell and Brock have been mainstays on the eleven through the entire season, Brock being named all-conference center and Howell all-conference quarterback. Paul Amen received honorable mention at end.

The annual hard times party for the squabs was a whirlwind success. Old broken furniture and straw littered the floor and couples were attired in appropriate old, ragged clothes. We were pleased to have several members of Gamma Chi at the party. They were up for the Kansas State-Nebraska football game.

Basketball season has started, and Beta Tau is well represented. Bob Parsons, sophomore star of the 1935-

36 five is expected to be the main cog again this year. Paul Amen will be in a basketball suit as soon as he returns from the Oregon State football trek and appears to have an inside track on one of the guard posts.

The chapter was dealt a severe and unexpected blow upon the untimely death of Pledge John Hubenbecker of Morse Bluffs. John was killed in an unavoidable auto accident, while returning home for a week-end. John was very popular in the chapter and among his fellow students, and his loss will be keenly felt.

GEORGE ROSEN

Beta Upsilon—Illinois

PLEDGES: William Mabin, Wayne Miller, Hugh Coates, John Gardner, Charles Michod, Chicago; William Grinnell, Wilmette; Jack Broady, Grand Junction, Colo.; Robert Perkins, Terre Haute, Ind.; Edward Melrose, Fairfield; John Giachetto, Litchfield; John Coxeter, LaGrange; Daniel Voorhees, Peru; Santry Fuller, Princeton; Stanley Brumbaugh, Evanston; Daniel McWethy, Aurora; Carl Conron, Danville; Rene Du Bois, St. Louis, Mo.; Theodore Uhlemann, Winnetka; Robert Ellingen, Mendota; John Prucha, William Faris, Urbana; Robert Bailey, Robert Livingston, Warren Brubaker, John Whitehead, Champaign.

Already a number of the fellows are working on the various campus activities, and several men have achieved some prominence.

Ken Nelson, end, and Dick Fay, guard, have won their letters in varsity football. Jack Broady also played varsity football.

Sam Hall has been appointed chairman of the Sophomore Cotillion. Sam is also president of Skull and Crescent, a member of the Illinois Union Board, and a sophomore manager of Star Course.

Bob Woolridge is a member of the Illinois Union Board, and was recently initiated into Band of X.

Al Mulliken was promoted to the rank of colonel in the R.O.T.C., and Ed Peeples, Frank Brown, and Joe Ponder were made captains. Peeples is adjutant and second lieutenant of Pershing Rifles, member of Scabbard



United States Senator from Michigan Visits Delts at Illinois

Senator Prentiss M. Brown, Epsilon (Albion), '11, and Beta Upsilon (Illinois), '14, recently was a guest at the Beta Upsilon chapter house. During his visit he inspected the house and spent much time looking up the chiseled names of his classmates on the famous Beta Upsilon fireplace. In the picture are the Beta Upsilon undergraduates; Fred Faletti, president of the chapter (to the left of the lamp); Senator Brown; David Kinley, president emeritus, University of Illinois; T. I. Fry, Michigan State Treasurer, and E. J. Fry, Michigan State Democratic Committee Chairman. In the upper row at the extreme right are L. M. Tobin, Beta Upsilon (Illinois), '01, director of athletic publicity, University of Illinois; and George Steiner, Beta Upsilon (Illinois), '34, praeceptor of the Illinois chapter.

and Blade, member of the Coast Artillery Corps team, delegate to the Scabbard and Blade national convention, and treasurer of the Coast Artillery Club. Ponder is a member of Scabbard and Blade, and was a member of the Sixth Corps Area team which placed second in the national rifle matches at Camp Perry. Jack Marr is a recently initiated member of Scabbard and Blade, and the Caisson Club. He is a second lieutenant in the University brigade.

"Hard Rock" Farnsworth and Ed Melrose are working on the *Illini*, and Bill Morse and John Giachetto are on the *Illio* staff.

Bob Manchester is on the varsity wrestling team. Dick Bairstow is a basketball manager and an active member of the Y.M.C.A.

Jay Jensen and Keith Owen have won their numerals in golf. Bill Mabin won two cups in the intramural track meet and shows great promise as a varsity trackman.

Brad Gardner is a member of Theta Tau and Keramos.

Beta Upsilon is looking forward to one of the best years of its history.

MARTIN S. MORGAN

Beta Phi—Ohio State

SINCE the last number of THE RAINBOW, the Delts at Ohio State have been "on the ball" on all things of interest to the Fraternity such as activities, scholarship, and rushing, and it is a glorious beginning to a real boom year for the boys of Beta Phi.

The morning of November 15 there were four more names added to the roll of the chapter when Kay Walker, Robert Osborn, Marlay Smith, and Robert Stephens were initiated. Following the initiation, a banquet was held in honor of the new initiates at the chapter house.

We were extremely glad to have as our guests for Homecoming all Delts and guests who had found it possible to be here. At noon a buffet luncheon was served, as was a buffet supper after the game. Later on in the evening the chapter house was turned into a dance-hall and three hours of dancing was enjoyed by more than one hundred couples.

In athletics, the active touch football team is battling in the finals of the league and will undoubtedly come home with a cup. Both active bowling teams have won all of their games, as have the pledges. The pledges have a fine bowling team as they have rolled the highest team total in the league so far this year.

We have but one sad piece of news and that is that our president, Don Miller, is forced to resign his office in favor of his impending work on his thesis. Plans are also being laid for a formal on St. Valentine's Day and a Christmas party for some of the unfortunate children of Columbus.

ROBERT J. WALTER

Beta Chi—Brown

PLEDGES: John Braman, West Haven, Conn.; Borden Chase, Fall River, Mass.; Heff Fritschle, Chicago, Ill.; John Hackett, John Lemon, Frank Williams, Providence; George Holswade, Spencer, W.Va.; Henry Klie, Jersey City, N.J.; Clifford Lathrop, New York, N.Y.; Franklin Losey, Rye, N.Y.; Curt Mohler, Berkley, W.Va.; Ray Perkins, Tarentum, Pa.; Chuck Reddington, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Charles Swift, Rutland, Va.; Joe Windle, West Barrington.

With an extremely successful rushing season and an equally fine house week-end behind it, Beta Chi resumes its normalcy and improvements begin again. Earlier in the fall six additional rooms were done over, and showers are being installed.

Coöperation is one of the keystones of any group, and coöperation has certainly put Beta Chi at the top of Brown fraternities this semester. Under the leadership of Herb Dalton, the Shelter pledged fifteen men who are certain to carry this chapter to greater heights. At the annual pledge banquet November 2, George Brewster was the speaker and he imparted words of wisdom to the new pledges.

Ed Odell represented us on the football team this year and Reddington, Lathrop, and Chase were on an undefeated freshman outfit. Tom Huckins managed to place seven men from his intramural teams on the All-

College teams. (Tom helped select the teams.) Beta Chi has its share of "muscle-men" with Jim Lathrop, "Killer" Keegan, Bud Ehmke, Frank Losey, and Borden Chase doing the "catch-as-catch-can." Lathrop and Keegan should be New England champs if Jim can see his coach every now and then, and the "Killer" can find his way out of a maze of figures in the accounting laboratory. On the hockey squad, guarding the nets, is Herm Toof.

In other extra-curricular activities, George Witherell is twirling a mean baton in the band; Jack Pierce is active in Sock and Buskin, with his right-hand man Dalton; Penney Prudden is manager of the Glee Club; Luke Mayer is a fencing mainstay; Harrington and Bancroft are leaders in certain slide rule conclaves; Bob Thomas, John Lemon, Jim MacNamara, Dick Gates, and your correspondent are interested in student publications; and Steve is giving away free cigarettes for a national tobacco company.

To summarize, Beta Chi is off to a fine start this fall.

WILLIAM W. BROWNE, JR.

Beta Psi—Wabash

AS ALWAYS, the chapter has been engaged actively in almost every campus affair. Of particular interest is the fact that Carter Tharp and Pledge Cal George made the debate team recently. It is very unusual for a freshman to make this team, and that Cal was an exception is just one instance illustrating the exceptional abilities of members of our pledge class this year. A precedent was established when another member of the freshman group in the house, "Tally" MacDermott, made his letter in cross-country, and he really did some fine work on the team.

Right now, the most interesting thing happening here is the construction of the addition to the house. By the time this goes to press, all of the building and remodeling will be finished, and we will be living in our "new" house. A new dining-room is practically completed, and it will accommodate sixty persons—just twice

the number of chapter members—and should accommodate any crowd that we ever will have for dinner. The old dining-room is being converted into a library, entirely isolated from the rest of the house and hence from all commotion and disturbance; arrangements are being made to build up a large supply of good books to fill the spacious shelves. We might add that contributions from the alumni in this line are solicited earnestly. A new dormitory has been added downstairs, and the old upper dorm has been remodeled into a spacious study-room to take care of those who have so far this year been living out of the house. The chapter-room is to be paneled, and the shower-room will be refitted.

All of these additions will make the Delt house not only the most beautiful, but also the most comfortable house on the campus.

WILLIAM M. RASMUSSEN

Beta Omega—California

THIS year Beta Omega has added ten pledges to her already large active membership, and its members are all entered in some activity on the campus. Bill Clark is out for water polo, Jim McInerney, for track, and basketball claims Don Gregory and Francis Mayer. Frank Andrews represents us on the freshman managerial staff of the *Daily Californian* where he is following Dave Wigley, who is in his second year of advertising work on this paper. Our sophomores are out for sophomore-manager positions in every major sport: Bill Mitchell, in basketball; George Church, in football; Jim Huston, in crew; Arch Calhoun, in tennis; Bill Gay, Jr., in baseball; and Noel Burge, in track. Matt Connelly is senior swimming manager, and the season will be in full swing this spring. Jim Hatch is doing well as an 880-yard runner with the varsity. Muir Woolley is on the varsity tennis team.

After an elongated rushing period we held a formal initiation September 25 for Don Gregory, Al Madison, Bud Marshall, Ed Peterson, Bob Spott, and Ken Strong. There was a fine alumni turnout at the banquet following the ceremony. October 17

our annual football game took place here with U.C.L.A., and a large number of Delta Iota men were our guests for the week-end. A dance following the game helped to further our acquaintance. November 14 was the date of our fall formal dance which, held at the Claremont Country Club, served as the beginning to a week-end, climaxed by our semiannual German Picnic with Beta Rho. Our open house took place the following Saturday, the day of the Stanford game. A large crowd of alumni, relatives, friends, and members of Beta Rho were present to see the many recent improvements to the chapter house. Our Mothers' Club was instrumental in the refinishing of the downstairs and has more plans for the coming year.

ARCH CALHOUN

Gamma Beta—Armour

PLEDGES: William B. Bernstrom, Superior, Wis.; Franklin C. Brewster, Joliet; Ralph G. Close, Lockport; Reynold C. Conger, William F. Yeager, Evanston; James W. Duncan, John J. Fox, Jr., Eugene J. Hanson, Louis Jacobs, Robert R. Parmenter, Philip I. Robinson, Jerry G. Winslow, Chicago; George E. Frost, Oak Park; William A. Haubert, Park Ridge; John F. McIntyre, San Diego, Calif.; James P. Ransel, Gary, Ind.; William H. Scherer, Naperville; William E. Seeley, Freeport; Phillip R. Smith, Aurora; Donald H. Sunde, Owatonna, Minn.

Aren't we justly proud of this pledge class which is a record class of years' standing at Gamma Beta! Our pledges cover the front pages on this campus: Of the freshman class officers, president, vice-president, and secretary; three playing freshman basketball; one on the boxing team; one wrestling regularly; one on the golf team; another on the fencing team; and one running cross-country, and they serve on the three publications and in the glee club and orchestra.

Bill Laise is wielding the gavel this year, and Don Brissman is keeping the House on the black side of the ledger. With these two men at the head of the chapter, everyone has

"just gotta" work. The net result is a very much stronger chapter. Our scholarship is on the upward trend with the following honoraries represented in the active ranks: Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering; Eta Kappa Nu, honorary electrical engineering; Salamander, honorary fire protection engineering; Sphinx, honorary literary; Scarab, honorary architectural. Don Brissman is editor of the *Armour Engineer*, quarterly engineering publication. Bill Laise is business manager of the yearbook. Twick Davidson is No. 1 man on the golf team. Ray Bacci is playing basketball and wearing a letter for baseball.

All in all, this year began right. Our newly organized house corporation started at the beginning of the semester to acquaint itself with, and fulfill, the needs of the house. To date it has refurnished the living-room, supplied new beds, new dining-room tables, and has appropriated part of the cost of a new set of dishes. Physically, as well as spiritually, the House is in prime condition.

The Mothers' Club also has greatly aided. The attendance at its first meeting exceeded any previous number. The new mothers entered right in, and this organization will have no equal.

WILLIAM D. HORTON

Gamma Gamma—Dartmouth

WITH the coming of Hanover's first snowfall, Gamma Gamma begins to prepare for Dartmouth's annual four-month period of not unwelcome hibernation.

The chapter is able to look back on a successful and enjoyable fall season, despite the loss by graduation of many of its 1936 stalwarts. Twenty-three new Delt were initiated, and due to the unselfish efforts of the rushing committee under the exemplary leadership of President Lowell Smith, nor to overlook the fine spirit of coöperation shown by the chapter-at-large, the current delegation is one which should do much to carry on the Delt traditions on the Dartmouth campus. With the question of national fraternities at Dartmouth becoming more and more important, Delt everywhere must realize that upon the

shoulders of this delegation rest many of the vital decisions to be made in the near future.

Returning to topics of more personal interest, we beg to report that fall house parties were carried out in the traditional Dartmouth manner. Especially deserving mention were the well-received contributions of "Coke" Barton (The "blue ribbon" date), Bill MacLaughlin, running a very close second, and Tom Brooks, the first sophomore to show. The inspired performances of "Prowler" Fogarty, Dick ("Yeah man!") Brooks, and Dick ("Cemetery") Nelson make us all hope that a repeat show will be given at the Carnival.

H. C. LULLMANN

Gamma Delta—West Virginia

PLEDGES: Ralph Alkire, Lumberport; Wayne Campbell, Chester, Pa.; Frank Coffman, Keyser; James Criss, Frank Hutchinson, Howard Kinter, Carl Moran, Bill Parker, Eugene Tuckwiller, Fairmont; Robert Dixon, Thomas Small, Piedmont; Roy Fitzgerald, McMechen; James Freshwater, Chester; Paul Gibson, Kayford; Joseph Groves, Charleston; David Hamstead, Herschal Sims, Morgantown; Edwin Heflin, West Union; Robert Livingstone, Stanley Livingstone, William Musser, Clifford Taylor, Scott Wyson, George Post, Clarksburg; James Myers, Glen Dale; Frederick Tissue, Mt. Hope; Harlan Vanderslice, Aliquippa, Pa.

Thirty-one boys were pledged this year, the largest pledge class since 1930. The splendid coöperation of the alumni accounts for the increase in the pledge class. Robert Livingstone was elected president of the pledge class.

Most of the boys returned to school this year, so we are looking forward to a most successful year. We regret that Mrs. Graham, our house mother, was unable to return, but her place has been taken by Miss Ester Evans of Washington, D.C.

We have won three trophies during the past six months, the Morgantown Post Trophy, awarded to the best team in intramural basketball, the intramural foul-shooting trophy, and the Homecoming decoration trophy.

Under Manager Jim Beddow and his assistants Eisel and Correll, we hope to reach the top in intramural athletics this year.

Dick Bowman, varsity baseball manager, was initiated into Fi Bater Kapper, mock fraternity; John Abbott was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa; and George Huber was initiated into Tau Beta Pi. Vincent V. Chaney is a candidate for the Rhodes Scholarship Award.

Dean Eisel, George Mullins, Paul Correll, and Eugene Rogers were formally initiated October 25. Three of the charter members of the chapter were present for the initiation, Will Johns, Bill Bailey, and "Jolly" Rogers.

GEORGE HUBER

Gamma Zeta—Wesleyan

PLEDGES: James R. Coleman, Yonkers, N.Y.; William H. Connolly, Newark, N.J.; George H. Derbyshire, Ridley Park, Pa.; Robert T. Murray, Maplewood, N.J.; William H. Elliott, East Orange, N.J.; Thomas W. Flood, Portland; Theodore Nelson, Manchester; Robert P. Neuffer, Edward C. Van Buskirk, Hempstead, N.Y.; Charles P. Rierdan, Wallingford; Ray G. Rodemich, Mamaroneck, N.Y.; James Veitch, White Plains, N.Y.; Herrick T. Willson, Meriden.

The freshmen are a fine group, and the list is not yet complete.

During the summer the exterior of the house was painted, and, inside, the two upper floors were painted and papered. Since the first floor was fixed up the summer before, the house is now in tip top condition and looks fine.

The chapter lost the touch football interfraternity championship play off this year after a heartbreaking game, 1-0, forcing us to relinquish the cup won last year.

Murray was star center on the frosh football team, and Nelson likewise shone in frosh soccer. For the coming season, Rodemich, Connolly, and Murray are out for wrestling; and Elliott, Veitch, and Nelson are out for swimming. Derbyshire was All-Pennsylvania High School basketball player last year.

In varsity sports for the winter, Masson and Kilbon are splashing mightily; Trott, Stephani, and Tarbox are getting mat burns; and Pfeiffer is sinking baskets. Lock Rogers, our broad-jump champ, is already training for indoor track.

In short, we are looking forward to a very fine year!

EDWARD K. WARREN

Gamma Eta—George Washington

PLEDGES: Arthur Branscombe, Stanley L. Crane, Rutledge Martin, Thomas Owens, John Rhodes, John K. Sasnett, James Seagel, Carl A. Trexel.

Gamma Eta emerged from an ambitious and successful rushing program this year with a very fine group of new pledges. The first event was a wiener-roast September 23 at the Westmoreland Hills estate of Prof. Norman B. Ames, prominent Delt alumnus, chapter adviser, and assistant to the president of George Washington University. A formal dance at the Admirals Club was held the following Wednesday. A smoker at the house followed the George Washington-Mississippi game October 2. The last rush function was a buffet supper the next evening. Along social lines, the costume dance held on Halloween, also should be mentioned. It was well attended by Delt alumni and friends from other fraternities.

The Delts have moved into a new house at 1919 H St. N.W., which is much closer to the school than any other fraternity house on the campus. It is a four-story colonial type house, white with green shutters, and is considerably larger than our old house. It has been redecorated inside and out and is in beautiful condition. Although the house has a modern heating plant, there are fireplaces in many of the rooms, and we all enjoy the fellowship of sitting around the open fire after meals.

Tom ("Butch") Gerow of Kappa and Bob Garlick from Colorado are with us this year. Charles McCoy has been appointed social chairman of the Interfraternity Council, one of the most sought-after positions on the campus. Pledge "Buddy" Trexel is

off to a good start by winning the intramural golf tournament and Pledge Arthur Branscombe is making a name for himself on the senior staff of the University newspaper. We have three members in the newly reorganized University band. Most everyone has been following with interest the career of a former Gamma Eta man, "Tuffy" Leemans, who has risen to fame as the star of the New York Giants professional football team. In closing, let me extend a special invitation to all Delts, who are in Washington for the inauguration, to visit our new Shelter.

JOHN C. WEYRICH

Gamma Theta—Baker

PLEDGES: Buel Hill, William Horn, Baldwin; Randolph Manning, Skidmore, Mo.; Gray Dorsey, Cameron, Mo.; Harold Bragg, Dodge City; Paul Laidlow, Yates Center; Mark Griggs, Parsons; Julian Porter, Pleasanton; Gene Wightman, Braymer, Mo.

Gamma Theta held its forty-sixth annual chicken fry October 17. The attendance was good and there was a good alumni representation. About 250 were served.

Two fellows from the chapter lettered in football this year, Captain Fred Heine, at tackle, and Dave Seaman, at fullback.

Quite a few of the boys are out for basketball and several of them show promise. Heine will be playing his fourth year at the center position.

Donald Osborne, Wendell Grove, Gerald Whitlock, and Karl Masoner were initiated October 16.

Singers, too, seem to abound. The college quartet is composed entirely of Delts, and their accompanist is a Delt pledge.

CARL J. MEUSCHKE

Gamma Iota—Texas

PLEDGES: Whitfield Collins, Sam Clark, Foster Jacoby, Graham Peterson, Bill Huckaby, Dallas; Evans Monroe, Dan Johnston, Houston; Robert Collier, Wichita Falls; Tom Moore, Jr., Dale; Joe Gribble, McKinney; Meredith Howell, Escon-

dido, Calif.; James Word, Homer Mueller, Walter Babel, Austin; Bill Williams, Hillsboro; Louis Hopkins, Lulu, Miss.; Ed Montgomery, Robert Eaton, Palestine; Pete Reading, Eagle Lake; I. Henry Smith, Shreveport, La.; John Singleton, Waxahachie.

Delts at Texas have launched a spirit of advancement this year such as has never been seen here before. An effort is being made to organize alumni chapters in more of the cities of Texas and thus bring our widespread members together. Thanksgiving Day, when the annual Texas-A. and M. football game was held here in Austin, many of our alumni visited the Shelter and enjoyed a buffet luncheon before the game.

The fall formal dance was held at the Austin Country Club on December 11. Tom Mathews, who at present is our social chairman, has been doing a very competent job this year and deserves a great deal of praise.

Tom Law has been elected to a position on the Students' Assembly. Tom has already done much to add to the assets of the chapter.

Bill Brown, senior law student, will always rank high at Gamma Iota for his brilliant career here at the University of Texas. Bill was recently elected to the Friars, an honorary organization of outstanding men on the campus, and is also a candidate for the Rhodes Scholarship Award.

The fraternity division and the University championships in intramural tennis doubles were won by Gail Shults and Ross Elliott. Our football team has defeated one of the strongest teams among the intramural contestants. Jack Sims, intramural manager, is to be commended for his untiring efforts to put out winners in every sport.

Tyre Jeffries has been elected president of the Austin alumni organization and is working to revive the activity of the group. William S. Blackshear, our chapter adviser, has devoted much time to the affairs of the chapter. These two alumni are coöperating with the active chapter to unite Texas Delts into a closely-knit organization.

JOE D. WILSON

Gamma Kappa—Missouri

PLEDGES: Dale Bowling, Don Marshall, Richard Sallyards, Franklin Russell, Art Spangberg, Ray Snyder, A. L. Jones, Frank Keifer, Bernie Andrews, St. Joseph; Richard Agee, Fred Stockdale, Independence; Wilber Lake, La Grange; Ted Schweitzer, Hannibal; John Spalding, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Godsey, Scottsbluff, Neb.; Steve Bonney, Glasgow; James Alford, Columbia.

We have a fine pledge class this year and one that is well represented in campus activities. Lake is a member of the rifle team, Snyder has just finished a season on the freshman football team, Jones and Keifer are out for freshman track, and Alford is a member of the staff of the *Missouri Student*, a campus publication. Andrews is trying for a place on the polo team and Spangberg is a member of the freshman basketball squad.

The actives of this year are equally well represented in activities. Roberts is a member of the track team; Colcord has a position on the staff of the *Showme*, campus humor magazine; and Downie, Leach, Wasson, and Hunt are reporters for the school of journalism's daily paper. Schmidt is the chapter's representative on the Sophomore Council; Schweitzer is a member of the Pan-Hell; Leach, Schuske, and Rees are veteran rifle team members; and Colcord and Downie hold important positions in Workshop, the campus dramatic organization.

The University of Missouri celebrated its Homecoming this Thanksgiving by defeating the University of Kansas, its traditional rival, for the first time since 1929, and Gamma Kappa was host to some two hundred persons at a buffet luncheon before the game. This is the largest Homecoming crowd the chapter has had in many years.

The chapter's annual fall dance was held November 16, and Dittmore took over his new job as social chairman at that time.

In intramurals the chapter is getting a slow start, placing only third in its division in touch football, but basketball will begin soon and we

have a championship team from last year to present. Other intramural sports soon to begin are boxing, wrestling, and handball, in which every man in the House will participate.

WILLIAM H. WASSON

Gamma Lambda—Purdue

PLEDGES: Robert R. Batton, Marion; Robert P. Brant, Harry E. Hadd, George M. Oberholtzer, Indianapolis; George Drabing, French Lick; Ross Drever, Glencoe, Ill.; Paul Emerson, Ames, Iowa; Herbert F. Fishburn, Jack G. Jenkins, South Bend; John J. Miller, Harry R. Ritchie, Lebanon; Jack M. Patterson, Howard B. Raschke, La Grange, Ill.; William H. Shipley, Lafayette; Jack C. Swander, St. Louis, Mo.

Mid-semester finds us busily engaged in all the activities on campus. We are well represented in *Exponent*, our daily paper, *Debris*, our yearbook, Union activities, WBAA, our radio station, debate, and all intramural sports. Our basketball team had a good start by winning its first game by a top-heavy score. We have a very good team this year, and the boys ought to win first place without much competition.

We are to hold a special initiation December 7.

Now that football season is over, we are looking forward to another successful basketball season. We had the chance to renew many old acquaintances, and make many new friends during the week-ends of Homecoming and Dads' Day. We are always glad to have our alumni and their friends drop in and spend a few days with us at the Shelter.

Ted Fehring is back at school working for his master's degree. Ted coached freshman football at Purdue this year. He expects to make coaching his lifetime job.

With Christmas vacation only two weeks away, all of us are beginning to get that certain feeling of anxiety that means only one thing—home and no school. We are going to have a Christmas party for needy children Sunday, December 13. This is a yearly affair with Gamma Lambda.

The freshmen had a road trip re-

cently, and what do you think they did? The plutocrats hired taxicabs to take them around and gather the necessary notes. This is a new one on me.

With this, I'll have to leave you for the present, but I'll be back in print in the May RAINBOW.

PAUL T. McDONALD

Gamma Mu—Washington

PLEDGES: William C. Bryant, Hill Jones, Dick Poole, Curtis Samuels, Seattle; Jack Deierlein, Charles Hunter, Robert Hunter, Sedro Woolley; Jack Doran, Mt. Vernon; Eugene George, Ellensburg; Milton Hudson, El Rey Stevens, Will Teller, Bellingham; Floyd Vinson, Colville; Bob McAskill, Howard Tomasi, Petaluma, Calif.; Fred Paul, Juneau, Alaska; James Zilka, Portland, Ore.

We open a new season and one which should be a bright one in the colorful history of Gamma Mu. We have an active chapter of twenty men and a pledge class of seventeen. With twenty-six men living in the Shelter, we are looking forward to one of the best years that Gamma Mu has ever experienced on the Washington campus. Our president, John Morrison, is supported by a strong group of officers in Horswill, Rhynsbarger, Wood, Casey, and Aronow.

Under the leadership of our resident adviser, Les Wilkins of the University of Pittsburgh, the chapter was raised to one of the leading Houses on the Washington campus. It was Les Wilkins and Merwin Casey, rushing chairman, who toured the state of Washington the past summer, and paved the way for our splendid pledge class. Much credit is due these men for their fine work.

October 18, Don Suetterlein was initiated into Gamma Mu, after which a formal dinner was held in his honor. The chapter is proud of Don for the work he did during rush week.

About the middle of November the chapter held a masquerade party in honor of its pledge class. The party was outstanding with its fine array of costumes, its congeniality, and the presence of many alums. The alumni

held their annual Homecoming banquet November 13, the night before the big game with U.S.C. Forty active attended.

Now that Washington has won the Pacific Coast Conference championship and again has the honor of representing the West in the annual Rose Bowl classic, a number of the fellows will have a chance to make the trip with the players. Among them will be El Rey Stevens, who is one of the yell dukes.

Gamma Mu is blessed with many good musicians this year. The fellows have organized a glee club and in the evening, serenade the other houses.

Mrs. Myra Davidson, the only fraternity house mother on the campus, who served the chapter most admirably last year is back with us again and doing a splendid job.

We are looking forward to winter quarter when a number of our brothers will return to the chapter. Among them is Jack Garrett, who spent the summer and fall in Germany.

Under the supervision of Duke Aronow, the annual orphan party will be held the second week in December.

The fellows have rented a ski cabin at Mt. Baker and are counting the days until they can spend the week-ends in the mountains skiing. Many of the boys go ice skating at Seattle's big ice arena.

Those who are athletically inclined are already hard at work at their respective sports. Jack Bradshaw is a member of the cross-country team. Horswill, Aronow, and Suetterlein are on the boxing team. The Delts were runners-up in the following intramural sports: football, soccer, and swimming.

Pledge master Bill Paul, with the assistance of Hill Jones and Howard Tomasi, will publish a new pledge manual.

At the interfraternity pledge banquet the Delt pledges stole the show with their group singing.

On the debate team the Delts are also well represented with Fred Paul on the varsity squad, and Jim Zilka on the freshman squad.

Gamma Mu wishes to extend

greetings to the other chapters and to welcome them to Seattle, the Evergreen Playgrounds of the Pacific Northwest. T. RICHARD WOOD

Gamma Nu—Maine

THE number living in the Shelter is a little smaller than last year, but everyone is coöperating to make this year a successful one.

Johnnie Haggett is doing a fine job as rushing chairman. The Shelter is in a fair state of repair and our new recreation room is a big asset. The pool table purchased last spring is in constant use. We are especially proud of the new ping-pong table built by Stu Bryant and Ed Wood! The fall informal is being held during rushing to show the freshmen our idea of a really good party.

In athletics Wally Hardison shines. Wally tied for first place in pole vaulting at the University and took second in the New Englands. Johnnie Haggett is making a real showing in the half-mile and Bob Harvey is close to the top with the discus. Win Smith is slated for a berth in varsity basketball. Carl Toothaker played first-string junior varsity football. John Miniutti won his "M" in varsity football this fall. Stu Bryant was our representative on the varsity golf team last spring.

Henry Andersen is business manager of The Maine Masque; Roger Bouchard, ticket manager; Earl Tibbetts, advertising assistant; and Russ Gamage, stage assistant. Dick Hopkins is a varsity debater again this year. Bob Cabeen was recently initiated in Tau Beta Pi. Carl Toothaker is a member of the sophomore pipe committee. Wally Hardison and John Miniutti are proctors in the freshman dorm. Bob Harvey is assistant circulation manager of the *Campus*. Gil Brown is master sergeant in the R.O.T.C. band and a member of Delta Phi Kappa, musical fraternity. Earl Tibbetts and Alan Kirkpatrick also are wearing stripes in the band. Arnold Tripp is Interfraternity Council and Student Senate representative. Bob Cabeen is staff photographer for the *Campus*.

RICHARD W. BRIGGS

Gamma Xi—Cincinnati

PLEDGES: Burt Anderson, George Dawson, Paul O'Brien, Jamestown, N.Y.; Jim Brooks, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Bill Freeman, Bob Guentner, Butler, Pa.; Shirley French, Canton; Dan Patterson, Huntington, W.Va.; Larry Strauss, Dayton; Jac Chamberlain, Oak Park, Ill.; Jim Fisher, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Ben Carter, Joe Downey, Howard Fischback, Charles Flatt, Jim Ford, Ed Hoffeld, Shelby Howard, Myron Johnson, John Klum, Carl Ruehlman, Jack Tredway, Bruce Wolfe, Jack Driscoll, Cincinnati.

Half of the scholastic year being completed, we are afforded an accurate record of our accomplishments to date. For the past three years, Fritz Pressler has been capturing his class presidency, and much to our liking, this year was no exception. As for honoraries, following the footsteps of his illustrious father and brother Delt, Bob Heuck, Jr. was selected by Ulex. Scarab, applied arts honorary, has claimed Charley Johnson. Not to be outdone by the upperclassmen, several of the freshmen have indicated their ability and desire to carve a name for themselves. Jim Fisher deservedly secured a lead in the latest Mummies Guild play. Freshman Council of the campus Y.M.C.A. has elected Jim Ford its treasurer. Paul O'Brien's playing on the freshman football squad has been nothing short of sensational.

Thanksgiving morning witnessed the gory fray known as the annual pledge-active football classic. In addition to the actives' loss of the game, Pressler, Hessel, and Knocke nearly lost part of their anatomies. "Rabbit-foot" Downey and "Bruiser" Wolfe starred for the pledges.

The fall social season soared to a climax Thanksgiving night at the homestead of those loyal Delts, Dr. Howard, Bill, and Howard Fischback, Jr. "Dad" Pumphrey, Eta (Buchtel), '74, led songs and a gala time was had by all.

W. CHARLES SULAU

Gamma Pi—Iowa State

PLEDGES: Warren B. Berkley, Donald F. Calmer, Oliver A. Ditson,

Robert A. Fletcher, William L. Grafton, Rex R. Hall, Bancroft W. Henderson, William H. Henderson, Marvin S. Isvik, John P. Ledlie, Kent Magruder, Roland V. Meyer, James S. Quinn, John H. Schumacher, S. Theodore Smith, Elwin Snell.

Prospects look brighter all the time for us. With unprecedented help from alumni and the Arch Chapter, we have built up a very fine pledge class with many boys who, we think, will develop into leaders on the campus in their four years of college.

The Shelter received a thorough going-over this fall. Seven study-rooms were redecorated, all bathroom plumbing renewed, rooms painted, and new living-room furniture made the house fairly shine from within.

Snell again received his letter in football this year, although seriously handicapped because of an injured foot. We have three in the glee club, one in the college quartet, two out for freshman football, two out for varsity football, two on the wrestling squad, two out for polo, two out for track with one the freshman manager, one on the College Cossacks, and one on the freshman swimming team. President Shelly is vice-president of the interfraternity council and representative to Cardinal Guild from that council.

BARTON FITZGERALD

Gamma Rho—Oregon

PLEDGES: Ben Pate, Scott Fleck, Bill Eigner, Bob Holdman, Bill Freaney, Art Davis, Cy McLaughlin, Lowell Brown, Portland; John Yantis, Clayton Ellis, Jim Woods, Milton-Freewater; Harrison Winston, Roseberg; Bob Christner, Medford; Jerry Holzapfel, The Dalles; Ralph Peyton, Klamath Falls; Bob Little, Eugene; Jack McCarty, Santa Ana, Calif.; Warren Muser, Hollywood, Calif.; Bob Snoke, La Canada, Calif.; Al Runkle, Millbrae, Calif.; Joe Gehres, Sacramento, Calif.; Pete Garrette, Woodland, Calif.; Brad Hendry, Ivan Moore, Seattle, Wash.

Right now the most important thing in the minds of the members of Gamma Rho is the Regional Con-

ference of the Western Division chapters to be held here in Eugene, January 21, 22, and 23. The boys are all looking forward to playing host to the visiting delegates from the various Coast chapters and hope to make their visit in Eugene as enjoyable as possible.

The Delts have the managerial situation well in hand with five men active in this line of endeavor. Comet Gibson holds the post of head basketball manager with Brad Hendrey, Fred Towner, and Ivan Moore working as his assistants. Ralph Peyton is an assistant manager of football.

With the fall term intramural sports program completed, Gamma Rho is right up among the leaders in total points, thanks to a successful touch football season which saw us tie for the championship of our league only to lose out in the finals. A brilliant exhibition was made by Jay Scruggs, a one-man track team, who made enough points all by himself to capture fourth place team honors. Harrison Winston, ace "racqueteer," won the school tennis championship.

With but three weeks remaining of the fall term, interest has shifted from social and campus activities to that rather terrifying subject of grades.

K. WEBBER

Gamma Sigma—Pittsburgh

PLEDGES: Fran Birnley, Dick Dunlop, Bob Frost, Jim MacIntosh, Bob Schrader, Heinie Sherman, Tom Steele, Pittsburgh; Chuck Cooper, Bob Graf, Jim Hepburn, Bill Kunkle, Wilkinsburg; Bob Culp, Bellevue; Pete Gymer, Windber; Jack Hemphill, Mentor, Ohio; Bill Miller, Don Webb, Mt. Lebanon; Bud Morgan, Youngstown, Ohio; Tom O'Neil, Munhall; Jim Thompson, Swissvale; Nick Werlinich, McKees Rocks; Tom Wilfong, Dormont.

For this splendid pledge class we may thank the coöperation of every active, under the leadership of Rushing Chairman Heinie Hassler, and the fine appearance of our completely renovated Shelter.

Nick Werlinich is the brother of Sam Werlinich, our vice-president.

Bob Schrader is the son of our chapter adviser, Lieut. Col. O. H. Schrader. Jim Hepburn is the brother of Nape Hepburn, who graduated last spring.

December 16 we held our winter formal at the South Hills Country Club. The orchestra featured was that of Bob Duncan, who is rapidly becoming a well-known young maestro in Pittsburgh. Other Delts in the orchestra are Jack Poellot, John Cheffey, and Fran Birnley. Cheffey is also drum major of Pitt's famous 120-piece band.

Gamma Sigma is again making her presence felt on the campus. John Glasser is business manager of the *Panther*, monthly humor magazine, member of the Interfraternity Council, and a member of O. D. K. Bill Blair is a member of the Student Faculty Association, varsity football manager, and a member of Scabbard and Blade and O. D. K. Dick Berg was business manager of the Yuletide Festival, the interfraternity dance. Sam Werlinich is the circulation manager of the yearbook. Jack Poellot belongs to the Pitt Band Association, Pitt Business Institute, and is captain of the varsity rifle team, making the third Delt to have consecutively that position. John Downie and John Finkbeiner are members of Druids, sophomore honorary fraternity. Heinie Hassler is manager of the varsity golf team. Bob Duncan is a member of the Pitt band, manager of the varsity rifle team, and a member of the Engineering Cabinet and Scabbard and Blade. Don Pritchard is a member of the Interfraternity Council and Scabbard and Blade.

We close with another reminder of the coming Karnea. Pittsburgh the Smoky City (which really isn't smoky, in case you're worried), will be your host.

J. L. POELLOT, III

Gamma Tau—Kansas

PLEDGES: Joseph Brooke, Humboldt; Thomas Carr, Jack Fisher, Clark Weaver, Robert Winslow, William Wahl, Kansas City, Mo.; Ralph Garlitz, Leavenworth; Richard Kennedy, Ashland; Walter Lou-

den, Chapman; Charles Magee, Bruce Voran, Pretty Prairie; Foster Parriott, Denver, Colo.; George Russell, Lawrence; Edward Wiles, Macksville; William Witt, Wichita.

Gamma Tau has emerged from the activities of rush week with a fine pledge class, and is now rounding the half-way mark of the first semester.

We are very happy to have again Mrs. Landes as our house mother. She has grown to be a "real" mother to each and every one of us.

Robert Schroeder is president of Phi Delta Phi, national legal fraternity.

Carl Helman is a member of the Steel Key, engineering pep club. He is also a member of Tau Omega, honorary aeronautical fraternity; and Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity.

Foster Parriott and Arnold Gilbert are members of the Owl Society, junior men's honorary society. Parriott is also a member of Scarab, honorary architectural fraternity, the University men's glee club, and is one of the junior class dance managers.

Paul Smart is president of the Kansas University band. Jack Moore is a member of the Kansas University symphony orchestra, and a member of one of the most popular dance bands on the campus.

Ed Olsen, Giles Elmore, Everett Elmore, and Donald McMorran are members of the Ku Ku Club, the Kansas University pep club.

Clarence Douglass has just finished his second year playing on the varsity football team. Joe Brooke was out for freshman football. Fred Pralle and Al Wellhausen are out to help Kansas go through another undefeated basketball season. Pralle is the athletic representative on the student council. Bruce Voran, Walt Loudon, and Clark Weaver are reporting for freshman practice. In track, Lloyd Foy and Harry Wiles are beginning to get into shape for the coming indoor season.

November 6 Gamma Tau held an alumni banquet in connection with Homecoming at the University.

Gamma Tau is to be host to one of the three Regional Conferences of

the Western Division to be held March 4, 5, and 6.

HARRY WILES

Gamma Upsilon—Miami

PLEDGES: Robert Bowers, Bill Daugherty, Dave Griffith, Warren; Russ Duerr, Dayton; Bill Evans, Clyde Osborne, Youngstown; Albert Fath, Cincinnati; Pete Gordon, Cleveland; Don Long, Toledo; Claude Van Zant, Newcastle, Ind.; Dale Kauffmann, Canton; Howard Gieringer, Miamitown.

At Gamma Upsilon all indications point to a very successful year.

In athletics Gamma Upsilon has her share on the gridiron, the basketball court, and in all intramurals. Our football lettermen who helped Miami fight to a tie for the Buckeye crown are Matre, Breitenstien, Wuest, and Fogarty. Wollenhaupt missed his letter by the scantest margin. On the basketball court we are represented by White, Chester, Olin, and Smith. In intramurals we are far in the lead in basketball, and from present indications, nothing should keep this cup from the Delt trophy case. Duerr and Osborne have distinguished themselves on the frosh football squad, and it is rumored that Daugherty, Gordon, Long, and Kauffmann are athletes of no mean ability.

In October we initiated Barney Smith, Charles Olin, George Fogarty, Bob Fullerton, Howard Davis, and Vernon Fryeburger. Fogarty was the winner of the Delt scholarship trophy, and Fullerton received the outstanding freshman pledge award.

Seven Deltas are on the staff of the *Recensio*, the Miami yearbook, and there are four members on the staff of the *Miami Student*, the school paper. There are three Deltas on the Senior Y Cabinet, and one of our new pledges, Duerr, was recently chosen president of the Freshman Y Cabinet. Several of the Deltas belong to Delta Sigma Pi, the business honorary, and Joe Shaw is taking care of the rushing activities of that group this year.

Mrs. Holliday is still our house mother, and is doing her usual commendable job, and "Scotty" continues to see that our house is kept the pride

of the campus.

There are six more months of school, and much to be done in that time, but we are all planning to make this a banner year for Gamma Upsilon, and we believe that $\Delta T \Delta$ will be well represented by the chapter at Miami.

NELSON JORDAN

Gamma Phi—Amherst

PLEDGES: Starr Edgerton, Bill Atkinson, Bob Bartholomew, Gordon Booth, Al Boylan, Hank Bruyn, Ad Clark, Al Clark, Jack Crandell, Andy Crawford, Bev Demeritt, Dick Farmer, Benny Gaskell, Bart Green, Dick Grush, Ray Smardon, Charlie Wight.

The chapter opened this fall under the leadership of Jack Epple and Stan Wollaston. Our rushing season was conducted by Merrill Tilghman, and we secured an excellent delegation.

During our social season we have enjoyed a pledge banquet, a successful tea-dance, and our annual initiation banquet, at which David K. Reeder, Omega, '12, was the principal speaker. The pledges were all initiated at this time.

We have been fortunate this year in having a new road started up the hill to the house. It now lacks only the surfacing, which will be applied in the spring. Many of the brothers were surprised to wake up to the tune of a steam shovel working merrily outside the house. Another addition to the house is a new RCA Victor phonograph, which has brought great pleasure. A new stoker has been installed with the boiler, increasing the heating efficiency of the entire house.

In activities, the House found itself adequately represented in varied lines of campus activities. Ed Hubbard and Bob Parker were on the football squad; Jack Hall was holding forth in soccer; Ed Stillwell is on the business board of the college paper, and Bill Grouse is the manager of the Amherst Masquers, the college dramatic association. Bev Demeritt and Brin Bland carol in the glee club.

Turning to scholarship, we find fifteen men on the Dean's List, including Bill Schoff who last year had the highest general average of his

class. The house as a unit ranked in third position among the groups on campus. It was second among the fraternities. We are concentrating on the maintenance and improvement of this record.

At present, our attention is focused on the sophomores who are engaged in the fall and winter competitions. We wish them all the best of luck.

W. A. GROUSE

Gamma Psi—Georgia Tech

PLEDGES: F. J. Coffey, L. A. Shearouse, Savannah; M. M. Dasher, J. Jeffcoat, H. Neal, Augusta; B. R. Dodson, H. A. Flemister, R. S. Haggart, W. C. Lee, J. W. Lemon, Atlanta; A. S. Hume, H. H. Hunt, Miami, Fla.; R. Johnson, J. M. Sena, Hartford, Conn.; B. R. Snooks, Ailey; G. Wright, Coral Gables, Fla.

Our pledge group has truly acquired the Delt spirit for they have recently made our chapter prominent in the campus news. Together they won the Ramblin' Wreck contest, an annual event, with an old 1903 Reo. We doubt whether the "old-timers" could remember a worse looking vehicle than this one, for the boys really "disguised" it. As a reward for their efforts, the pledges were presented with a "golden gaboon" which now reposes on our living room mantel.

For having the best house decorations during Tech's Homecoming, Gamma Psi won the first prize which was a silver cup. Credit for originality and planning goes to Bill Scandrett, and the pledges must be complimented for their work in making and placing the decorations.

We've enjoyed entertaining the Deltas from Kentucky, Alabama, and Florida when their football teams played Tech here in Atlanta, for we not only became better acquainted with these brothers, but also gathered many interesting ideas about their chapters. Many thanks to the chapters at Duke and Georgia for the fine time they gave us during our recent visit. We're looking forward to the Karnea and next year's football season to renew our acquaintances with these chapters.

November 1 saw three pledges, H. W. Bowden, H. R. O'Brien, and W. W. Speir, become Delts for life. We feel that these brothers will carry the memories of that day with them forever, so to you new initiates, we offer our congratulations and wishes for the best of luck. W. P. SECORD

Delta Alpha—Oklahoma

WITH an unusually large number of actives returning to school and a fine group of men pledged, Delta Alpha is looking forward to the greatest year in the history of the chapter.

The social season began October 17 with a dance at the University Club. November 20 the pledges gave their annual pledge dance.

Jim Tabor has been selected as one of five men to represent this state in the district Rhodes Scholarship competition. Harry Alley and John Cheadle represent the chapter in Phi Beta Kappa, and Dick Disney, Alley, Frank Hughes, Don Pilkington, Cheadle, Maurice Clancy, and Phil Salkeld are members of Phi Eta Sigma.

Joe Caviezel and Ovide Webber are members of Sigma Tau, and Caviezel is affiliated with Tau Beta Pi.

Chapter members of Scabbard and Blade are Kay Garnett, Alley, Harry Suffield, Hughes, Cheadle, and Bob Cooper.

Pe-et, senior honorary, claims Clancy, Disney, Cheadle, and Tabor; and Checkmate, interschool honorary, and Skeleton Key, leadership fraternity, enroll Joe Caviezel and R. B. Gentry.

Clancy, Disney, Suffield, Tabor, and Alley are members of President Bizzell's Class.

Harold Keehn was out for the center post on the football team, and Harry Alley continues his ranking along at the top of the tennis players.

Jim Peters and George Robie are members of the glee club, and Robie is a member of the University Quartet. Wayne Allen and Dick Disney are in responsible positions on the *Covered Wagon*, humor magazine, and Ernest Houssiere and Don Pilkington are major staff members of

the *Sooner Yearbook*.

Phi Delta Phi, legal fraternity, enrolls Herbert Branon, Alley, and Pledge Burdette Smith.

We are in the midst of redecorating the Shelter, but that will all be finished in the next week or so, and we want to extend to all of you an invitation to visit us at any time.

DON PILKINGTON

Delta Beta—Carnegie Tech

WITH sixteen men living in the Shelter and an equally large representation of town men, Delta Beta stands in a position of supremacy on the Carnegie Tech campus.

The Student Council has on its staff five Delts. Hal Yates and Wayne Deibel are presidents of the senior and junior classes in the arts school. They are accompanied in that school by Hugh Overturf, treasurer of the junior class, and Philo Davis, secretary of the sophomore class. Ray Duke is vice-president of the Engineering Senate, and Ken Van Dyck, is treasurer of the junior class, and Chuck Blandford, is secretary of the junior class. Bill Smith is vice-president of the sophomore class.

Of the twelve Dragons, senior honorary, we are represented by Ray Duke and Ed Kreh; Ken Van Dyck and Wayne Deibel are in the Delta Skull organization. In sophomore honoraries, our Scimitars are Chuck Flynn, Bill Smith, and Philo Davis.

On the *Tri-Publication* staff Ed Kreh was editor; Ray Duke, business manager; and Dick Wetzig, advertising manager. Stan Clark, Joe McEvoy, and Chuck Blandford are new members of Scabbard and Blade, military honorary. Tech's cheerleaders, consisting of five Delts captained by Jimmy Layton, cheered the football team. Chuck Chaney and Philo Davis are perfecting themselves in the art of self-defense. Joe Head, star of last year's freshman swimming team, is out for a varsity berth this year.

During the Thanksgiving vacation the Shelter was overhauled in preparation for the rushing season which ends December 13. On the week-end of the Michigan State game, Delta Beta

held its Homecoming and a very successful house dance.

Under the guidance of Mrs. Layton, our Mothers' Club has been very active. To any Delts, who are passing through or lost in Pittsburgh, the latchstring of the Delta Beta Shelter is always extended.

JOSEPH M. WILLIAMS

Delta Gamma—South Dakota

PLEDGES: Jack Irvine, Marvin Johnson, Harry Smith, George Tripp, Sioux City; Duane Hanson, Martin Stevens, Maurice Perssons, Sioux Falls; Fred Pollard, George Wood, Don Hammond, Watertown; Joe Cadwell, Ross Oviatt, George Georgiades, Huron; Rodney Parsons, Bruce Hopkins, Redfield; Francis Risk, Harold Antle, Vermillion; Royal Lee, Madison; Howard Tice, Mitchell.

With this fine group of pledges and a group of actives, none of whom are seniors, Delta Gamma is prepared for another successful year. The chapter has set its heart and mind on a new house as the goal for this year. Everyone is working hard for this but our other activities are not being neglected. President Jap Moulton and Mike Schwartzkopf took time out to win the fraternity bridge championship. Steve Kelly and Mike ("Pa") Schwartzkopf played varsity football all season, and Schwartzkopf was elected captain of the U.S.D. Coyotes. Two freshmen, Rod Parsons and Joe Cadwell, played freshman football. Gene Hetland and Laurel Lillibridge are out for varsity basketball, and as both are lettermen, they will undoubtedly see plenty of service again this year. Rod Parsons, Joe Cadwell, Bruce Hopkins, Harry Smith, and Harold Antle are out for freshman basketball.

Outside of the athletic-minded, we find Vince Hart business manager of the college humor magazine and Marvin Johnson, his assistant. Bud Stevens, Ross Oviatt, and Marvin Johnson are members of the Apprentice Players, and Jasper Moulton and Tom Barron are Playcrafters. "Jap" and Bud recently took leading rôles in the first University play of

the year. Ross Oviatt and George Schmidt are on the freshman and varsity debate squads, respectively.

Members of Strollers, men's honorary dramatic organization, are Vince Antle, Vince Hart, and Newt Wessman, with the latter serving his second year as president. Laurel Lillibridge is a member of Dakotans, honorary men's organization. Four of the brothers, Mike Schwartzkopf, Laurel Lillibridge, Gene Hetland, and Steve Kelly are members of the South Dakota Club. Fifteen of the Deltas and Delt pledges are members of the Howling Hundred, U.S.D. pep squad, with Charles (Chuck) Strain and Duane ("Bud") Hanson as cheerleaders for the Alma Mater.

A successful Delt serenade featuring the blazing Greek letters, Δ T Δ, was held the first part of November, and November 14, the usually successful fall informal was held.

GEORGE E. SCHMIDT

Delta Delta—Tennessee

PLEDGES: John Robinson, Jim Robinson, Leonard Wright, James Dempster, Jim Crenshaw, Robert Boudreaux, Knoxville; Bedford Berry, Owen Burgess, Charlie Taylor, Robert Dixon, Brownsville; Herbert Wilson, Harry Webster, Champ Stevens, Sidney Jordon, Memphis; Bruce Warren, Miami, Fla.; Howard Kilburn, Lawrenceburg; Jack Ford, Jack Denman, Copper Hill; Harry Warnkey, West Bend, Wis.; Floyd Parrott, LaFollette; Leo Busart, Etowah; Bauni Hodges, Robert Sampson, Corbin, Ky.

Delta Delta enjoyed the visits from the brothers of Delta Kappa, Delta Epsilon, and Gamma Psi during the past football season. We also enjoyed seeing many of the alumni who came back for the games. At Homecoming we won honorable mention for house decorations and the float.

We have three men who will have permanent places on the hardwood this year with the varsity basketball squad. They are Fisher, Pick, and Williams. Pledges Kilburn and Burgess are making a good try for the frosh basketball team. Pledges Sampson, Hodges, and Warren made up a

Delt backfield on the frosh football team this year, and we are looking forward to that combination on the varsity next year.

We have had several social affairs this year. Undoubtedly, the most successful affair was the transformation of the Shelter into a night club where dancing, and gambling with fortunes of stage money was had without any cover charge. Plans are being made for our annual formal dance at one of the local country clubs.

Mrs. Neighbors, our gracious house mother, was hostess to the Delta Dames, mothers of pledges and actives, and wives of local alumni, at a tea given in the Shelter. The ladies made plans and suggestions for decorating the house and are carrying out these plans.

The publication staff has been selected for the *Volunteer Delt*, and we expect to have the paper in the press within a few weeks.

A Christmas party was held by the chapter for underprivileged children. Santa Claus was there, and a Christmas tree, toys, and candy. The children apparently thought that it was a big success, and we are sure that we enjoyed it as much as they did.

ANDY SANDERS

Delta Epsilon—Kentucky

PLEDGES: Raymond Hays, Neville Tatum, Walter Berry, Felix Carlton, Lee A. Heine, Stanley Hand, Louisville; Jamie Thompson, Charles Parish, Bob Dean, Jack Mylor, Robert Marshall, Lexington; E. C. Wooton, J. D. Davis, Hazard; Britt Alderman, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Lester Smith, Homestead, Fla.; James Waddlington, Kuttawa; Glenn Carl, Chicago, Ill.; Frank Davis, Paducah; Robert Hansen, St. Paul, Minn.; Robert Mefford, Paris; George Duncan, Russellville; Merrill Blevins, Harlan; George Scott, Frankfort; Robert Schlotman, Madisonville; Robert Dixon, Henderson; Bruce Sullivan, Kingsport, Tenn.; Kippy Vogt, Les Rawlins, Buffalo, N.Y.

With the spirit of Christmas now in the air, Delta Epsilon boys are getting ready for a nice long vacation. This year we have one of the longest

vacations since many a year.

Fritz DeWilde and Ben Fowler represented Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity, at the national convention, held at Raleigh, N.C. There were four other Deltas there, so the boys said that they had a small Karnea.

Ike Moore, our president this year, is also business manager of the student publication. Morton Potter has been pledged to Beta Gamma Sigma, honorary fraternity in commerce. Reginald Rice also has been pledged to O.D.K., honorary leadership fraternity.

On the business staff of the University of Kentucky's humor magazine, Jim Hagler is business manager; Orville Patton, assistant business manager; J. D. Davis, advertising manager; Felix Carlton, circulation manager; Lee Heine, publicity manager; and Bob Mefford, Bob Hansen, and Lester Smith, assistants.

Delta Epsilon is dominating another activity on the campus the Guignol Theatre, which ranks fifth among little theatres in the United States. Ken Dickson is stage manager, and Bob Dixon is assistant manager, with Walter Berry and Jack Mylor working on the stage crew. Frank F. Davis is chief of ushers and Orville Patton is head usher.

Along the line of intramurals, Delta Epsilon has a big representation this year, and we are ranking right at the top in points. Boxing and wrestling started the other day, and with about twenty-two men entered, we should make a good showing. I guess that it is time that we were saying, "So long until May!" Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to everyone!

MORTON KELLY

Delta Zeta—Florida

PLEDGES: Frank Cushman, Robert Cushman, Barney Roberts, Bill Mitchell, Miami; Ralph Allen, Augusta, Ga.; Ed Meminger, Boliver McMullan, Clearwater; Jack Stonebraker, Fuller Davis, Orlando; E. L. Suber, Quincy; James Shotton, Winter Haven; Jack Friday, West Palm Beach.

The presence of President N. Ray Carroll at the beginning of the school year and the pledge week sent Delta Zeta off to a flying start with pledges and an outstandingly successful social season.

We have been blessed with a group of hard-working actives and a correspondingly interested pledge class. Under "Doc" Weber, chapter adviser, we have been carrying on a campaign to raise funds for our new house.

Three men were initiated into the chapter the day before our annual Homecoming celebration. The initiates were Rodger Barton, Dick Moore, and Kay Bullard. Rodger is out for the varsity swimming team, and Dick is the chapter's hope on the track squad.

Speaking of social functions and big week-ends, December 4-6, we are anticipating a visit from James Melton, who has been brought to the University by the Lyceum Council for that week-end known as "Fall Frolics."

The week-end of the Georgia-Florida game saw the Delts active with an alumni banquet at the Seminole Hotel. "A good time was had by all" in spite of the Florida team's losing the game.

With our live-and-coming group we are going places, and this won't be the last you'll hear of us—soon! With the best wishes of Delta Zeta!

KENNETH J. HORTON

Delta Eta—Alabama

PLEDGES: Hugh Bedient, Jamestown, N.Y.; Harry Browning, Logan, W.Va.; George Bruce, Ted Hannah, Princeton, W.Va.; William Burgess, Champaign, Ill.; John Douds, Beaver, Pa.; Ted Farr, William Watson, Vance; Walter Hurlburt, Greenfield, Mass.; Lonnie Jackson, Gary, Ind.; John W. Rahlfs, Oakland, Calif.; Trammell O. Smith, Jacksonville, Fla.; Milo Staley, Sacramento, Calif.; Alfred A. Treadway, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Raymond W. Watts, Westport, Conn.; Thomas Stratford, Buffalo, N.Y.; Fred Williams, Birmingham; John J. Zabek, Adams, Mass.

Under the leadership of "Speed" Burdette and Albert ("Hoot") Gibson, Gamma Psi, '29, Delta Eta pledged twenty-two men. With such a large number of fine boys to begin the year, we are now stepping into the campus limelight.

Fortunately nine active members returned to school this year and two transfer Delts have affiliated with the chapter, Fred Jones from Delta Zeta, and Nathan Brownell from Phi. This group is molding the pledge class into outstanding men on the campus. Already many of the neophytes are placed in activities.

Olin Adams is considered the foremost pianist on the campus, in addition to being a member of Scabbard and Blade. Hugh Bedient is a varsity pitcher. Harry Browning is one of the Delt representatives in Blackfriars, campus dramatic society. Lonnie Jackson, now on the mighty Crimson Tide squad, is slated for a permanent end berth next season. Ken Mac Clave also deals with the gridiron, but in a managerial manner. He was manager of the Tidlets this year and will be one of the assistants to the manager of the varsity next season. A hot trombone is tooted by Emil Mosebaugh in the "Millon-Dollar" band. Trammell Smith is a member of the band. Ted Treadway is a member of Pershing Rifles, and Fred Williams is vice-president of the junior class of the commerce school.

Homecoming was a big success, and for the first time in many years, numerous Delts returned to enjoy the festivities. The night preceding the big game, a house dance was given which was a huge success, and enjoyed by all. Next year a larger crowd is expected.

Four men were initiated December 6, Olin Adams, Robert Barker, Kenneth Mac Clave, and Emil Mosebaugh. A banquet followed the ceremony.

On for $\Delta T \Delta$ and forward to the Pittsburgh Karnea!

W. B. GITTENS

Delta Theta—Toronto

PLEDGES: Harold Butterill, Alan Fowler, Lloyd Kerr, Archie Knight,

Austin Monteith, Jack Smith, Jack Williamson, Yorke Williamson, Toronto; Murray Graham, Markham; Wilfred Langan, Stratford.

Greetings from the Queen City or the land of ice and snow (to confirm the beliefs of some of our southern brothers—tsk! tsk!—what a shame to fool them!)

Well, my little cherubs, gather around while your Uncle Algernon polishes his glass eye and relates the whys and wherefores of Delta Theta.

Egad, me lads! Koff! Koff! Harumpf! The pledges are certainly full of those inestimable qualities of "wim and wigour" brought about by a daily helping of good old porridge for breakfast. We actives have to look to our laurels to even keep pace with them.

As I adjust my cork leg to a less painful position, who should come clearly to mind but four embryo engineers. It seems that the faculty of applied science and engineering decided that "ye olde flage rushe" would be a most suitable outlet for the pent-up energies and emotions of the sophs and frosh. Believe it or not—four of our freshman pledges, Lee Foster, Jack and Yorke Williamson, and Harold Butterill showed the true Delt spirit and carried the flag off from under the very noses of the sophs, midst much gnashing of teeth. 'Tis rumored that the flag still remains within the sacred precincts of the first-year draughting room, zealously guarded by these stalwarts—orchids to youse guys!

(Into a trance!) Ah me, those two worthy members of the senior varsity Rugby team (Eastern Canadian Intercollegiate champions), none other than Jack Cassion and Jimmy Van Allen have caused many a furrowed brow on the opposing team and many feminine hearts to skip a few beats. Nice work, boys! You've certainly got the goods!

Turning my good eye on the executives at varsity whom should I find but William Disher, our amiable rushing captain, with the uproarious laugh (Hee! Hee!) keeping a guardian hand over the sophomore engineers in the capacity of vice-president of the year, and Yorke Williamson stole the

show by capturing the secretary-treasurer's job for the freshman year. Still more orchids!

As for an example of the mismanagement and corruption that has hit S. P. S., your Uncle Algernon has been appointed musical director of the Engineering Society, and can he whistle a mean tune! (Hey, who threw that tomato?)

By cracky, it does me olde heart good to see the social events that have been taking place lately. Tea dances, hard times parties (No, children, the depression is over—it's only an antique name!) and what have you? Delta Theta can't be beaten there.

"Quick, pledge, my crystal!" Ah, in the future, I see eight of our pledges entering the innermost sanctuary of $\Delta T \Delta$ December 12, and a large alumni and active dinner in the evening. Boys, hold me back!

Oh yes, my little orange blossoms, that mournful dirge that fills the air around the chapter house is Demon Crawford with his mighty saxophone, rendering (meaning, tearing apart) *Nearer My God to Thee*, but I have my doubts as to the appreciation of such higher fields of music by the actives. (P.S. Crawford has been consigned to the basement.)

Harumpf! I see some of the bright-eyed boys are getting tired, so cheerio!

Please send all bombs via the Orient: BANG! (One undertaker, please call!) D. M. McBANE

Delta Iota—California at Los Angeles

PLEDGES: Bob Belsey, Chuck Hart, John Hessel, Beverly Hills; Bob Fritch, Harvey Page, Jack Warde, Los Angeles; Bill Dunham, Pasadena; Whitney Collins, Montebello; Truman Metcalf, Compton; Jack Somers, Long Beach; Rex Gossett, Coldwater, Kan.; Bob Brown, Balboa.

Delta Iota is extremely proud of its athletic ability this year, holding down four first-string and two second-string positions on the football team and the captain thrown in to boot. The regulars include Pete Barber, tackle, George Robinson, end, Tex Harris, quarterback, and Captain George Dickerson, tackle. "Cruncher" Pike, 148-pound end,

has seen plenty of action and has turned in several of the best games this season. Bruce Broadwell, 221-pound tackle, finished up the season playing first-string tackle after Captain Dick was eliminated from competition with a wrenched knee. Jack Seiter has been mentioned for a berth at first-string guard in basketball. Bob Fritch is playing first-string frosh guard, with Johnny Hessel giving the forwards a real fight. Jack McGregor and Harry Reardon, mile and javelin, are assured of letters in track. Bob Gay and Whit Collins are out for the tumbling team. Phil Kistler and Frank Sproul are beating their way to the top on the boxing team. Vic Kelley is giving the No. 1 man plenty of competition on the golf team. Captain Bob Purdy is planning to lead the ice hockey team to victory this year. Jack Warde is on the first-string frosh water polo team.

Bob Belsey and Chuck Hart are on the frosh council. Phil Kistler is a member of the Soph Service. Bill Shaw is business manager of the campus "scandal sheet," the *Claw*.

Our R.O.T.C. members consist of Captains Dick Daum and Massey, Lieutenants Pike, Morris, Moiso, Williamson, and Sergeant Sullivan.

Six men were initiated at the Shelter November 15. The initiates are Pete Barber, Bob Gay, Don Leahy, Al Riley, George Robinson, and Frank Sproul.

We are now looking forward to the Four-Way dance.

We intend to settle the age-long dispute as to who is No. 1 among the "Big Four" on the campus!

DOUG FAST

Delta Kappa—Duke

PLEDGES: Robert Keister, Clarksburg, W.Va.; James Strickland, Rocky Mount; James V. Rose, Scranton, Pa.; Norman Sharkey, Lynbrook, N.Y.; William H. Fickes, Newport, Pa.; Robert E. Merchant, Wilkinsburg, Pa.; Marshall B. Shives, Lincolnton; Richard W. Macdonald, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

With an active chapter of thirty-seven members, we are well represented on the campus.

Our fall dance was a great success. We are all grateful to Joe Meyer and

his dance committee for their splendid work.

The chapter is well represented on the campus in athletics, both intramural and varsity. Johnny Maher, Bob Steenrod, Jim Strickland, and Gar Birmingham represented us in the intramural cross-country meet, and took the cup for first prize. Bill Prindle holds down the goalie position on the Duke soccer team. "Shanty" Coen, Woody Burgess, "General" Austin, and Cliff Faulkner are seeking berths on the Duke wrestling squad. The "General," who tips the scales at a mere 270 pounds, apparently has the heavy-weight division cinched. Bob Keister and Jim Strickland are angling for a place on the Duke swimming team.

Read Cone, business manager of the *Duke Chanticleer*, and "Fig" Newton and "Razorback" Curtiss, are now very busy with preparations for the annual. Paul Sommers is on the editorial staff of the *Archive*.

Prexy Joe Mackie and "Candy" Franson left today for a three-day concert tour with the Duke Glee Club. Bob Wilkinson is preparing for Duke University's Dads' Day, sponsored by the campus Y.M.C.A. of which Bob is treasurer. Several of the fellows are members of the Pegram Chemistry Club and Alpha Kappa Psi, national honorary business fraternity.

Thanksgiving day marked the last of the open houses following football games. The entire chapter attended the Duke-North Carolina State game to watch the Blue Devils close a successful season with a spectacular victory over State. The seniors of the chapter held a Thanksgiving dinner party with dates out in the country that evening, a tradition which, though young in years, is timeless in its depth of feeling and good fellowship. We hope to make this event a permanent institution in this chapter.

All await the arrival of the Christmas holidays with mixed feelings, but of one thing I am sure: Delta Kappa wishes all Deltas a very Merry Christmas!

FREDERICK JOHNTZ

Delta Lambda—Oregon State

PLEDGES: Edgar Berlin, Salem; Robert Cunliffe and Buck Fowler,

LaGrande; Ralph Detwiler, Detroit, Mich.; Jerry Good, Oswego; Morton Hammond, Milwaukee; Don Hand and Ed Smith, Corvallis; James Henry, Anaheim, Calif.; Robert Hillstrom, Marshfield; Jack McGuire and Gerald Olson, Bend; Robert Mercer, Portland; Lowell Pfarr, San Francisco, Calif.; Robert Phelps, Grants Pass.

Seven men were initiated November 8. Neil Anderson, Howard Chaney, Burnette Chausse, Max Coons, Randolph Dorran, Arlie Hatfield, and Ian Robertson composed this group of initiates.

Mid-term grade reports show that Delta Lambda will be a strong contender for top scholarship honors. The pledges are giving a good account of themselves, and the members are looking forward to another large group of initiates.

Mac McLean assisted in Bill Kahn's recent initiation into Hell Divers, the local swimmers' organization. Howard Lyman and Phil Brownell have received invitations from Scabbard and Blade. Phil will also be initiated into Pi Mu Epsilon and Eta Kappa Nu in the near future.

The chapter whole-heartedly supported the sport dance held at the chapter house October 30 and the informal dance at the College Gardens November 25. We were honored by the attendance of several of our recent grads. We were delighted to entertain some of the brothers from Gamma Rho at these dances. Our reception at their "Friday the 13th" dance was appreciated, and again we wish to say, "Thank you, Gamma Rho."

Many of the alums returned to the Shelter for Homecoming November 21 to attend the annual gridiron "civil war" with the University of Oregon. It was a pleasure to have them with us again, and we hope they will return soon.

SYLVESTER C. RAMSTACK

Delta Mu—Idaho

PLEDGES: Merle Stoddard, John Rupp, Coeur d'Alene; William Hedges, Meridian; Fred Swank, Payette; Julian Benoit, Portland, Ore.; Ben Dobson, Horseshoe Bend;

Jay Nungester, Nampa; Carl Nyberg, Boise; Paul Parrish, Caldwell; Robert Miller, Fairfield; Joe Romane, James Welsh, Spokane; Robert Shewnack, St. Maries; Lee Peterson, Paul; Marc Boles, Moscow; James Boyd.

Ben Dobson is art editor of Idaho's humor magazine, the *Blue Bucket*; "Handsome Bill" Hedges is prominent in University society and dramatics. Merle Stoddard landed the quarterback berth on the Idaho freshman football squad; Julian Benoit and Joe Romane are on the boxing team; and Lee Peterson is a promising candidate for the varsity basketball squad.

Delt athletes show promise of duplicating last year's feat of winning the coveted intramural cup.

Jim McFarland swings a mean baton in leading the famed Idaho Pep Band during what appears to be its most colorful year. Jim, who isn't the world's worst on a trombone, spent all last summer writing and acquiring the snappiest orchestrations ever to inflame the Idaho spirit.

Louie August has made phenomenal progress as coach of the Idaho Vandal boxers. Last year his team beat the champions of the Pacific Coast and half of Canada. This year Louie already has led them to a smashing 9-0 victory over North Dakota's powerful glove-tossers.

Sophomore Jim Yoder's journalistic talents keep him well occupied as associate editor of the Idaho yearbook, the *Gem of the Mountains*. He is laying elaborate plans for the book he will edit next year.

On the business staff of the yearbook we also have officers. Dick Paris is business manager of the publication. Carl Burt holds the circulation managership.

House manager Fred Robinson is assistant business manager of the University newspaper, the *Idaho Argonaut*.

Enjoying a successful social season, Idaho Delts are now enthusiastically planning for our annual Russian Ball, which last year was one of the big campus functions. Plaquing the walls with scenery depicting the domes and architecture of Moscow, and adorned in Russian pajama costumes, we really

produced an impressive, talked-of affair. Social chairman Charles ("Heinie") Schuster has planned for us a busy season of special dances and "firesides."

Two transfers, John Dodd, of Washington and Jefferson, and William Greenfield, of Miami University, are here at Delta Mu this year. John has been affiliated with the chapter.

And as this letter is about to be sent off, dark, chilling clouds loom on the brisk horizon. Snow, yes, and lots of it, is in store. With a skating rink but a block off, and a natural skiing slope in our front yard, we hope you Delts in other chapters have as fine a time this winter as we will!

LLOYD EVANS

Delta Nu—Lawrence

PLEDGES: William Karll, Don Ferguson, Wauwatosa; Charles Krohn, James Kaye, Winston Pengelley, Milwaukee; Selden Spencer, Williams Bay; Wayne Cochrane, Wilmette, Ill.; Robert Thorsen, Jack Carpenter, Chicago, Ill.; Chester Creider, La Grange, Ill.; Richard Hansen, Oak Park, Ill.; William Dupont, Cloquet, Minn.; Howard Lehner, Oconto Falls; Jack Nystrom, Norway, Mich.; Walter Wilgrube, Berlin.

The mid-point of the first semester finds Delta Nu in fine fettle. We have a total of twenty-two pledges, including the fifteen new additions to our neophyte chapter.

We have in our midst the winner of the Junior Spoon, an honorary token given to the most outstanding member of the junior class. For the past three years this traditional spoon has been in the Delt House, and this year, was won by Fred Leech. On the staff of the yearbook we have the business manager, Bob O'Boyle, and several staff members. We are equally well represented on the staff of the school weekly. One of our candidates for a nine-letter man, Cliff Osen, was co-captain of this year's football team and is president of the "L" Club, an organization whose members are the winners of the varsity athletic awards. We are represented by eleven men in the famed Lawrence College A Cappella Choir. The varsity foot-

ball squad included eleven Deltas, seven of whom won letters. Of this number there were but two seniors so that we will be equally well represented next year. The early weeks of basketball practice reveal an excellent chance that there will be an All-Delt starting line-up. The early returns place us high in interfraternity sports competition for the Supremacy Cup, which has been in the House for the past two years bringing the total to four years out of the seven, the cup has been circulating. Last year we were second by a small margin in the interfraternity scholarship rating on the campus. Two of our number were elected to Phi Beta Kappa, Edward Powers and Norman Clapp.

All in all, considering the fine group of pledges and the spirit the boys have taken, we think that this year will be among the best in the chapter's history.

FLETCHER MULKEY

Delta Xi—North Dakota

PLEDGES: Ralph Bekken, Jamestown; Maurice Butler, Francis Timlin, Scranton; Lynn Byrne, Bis-

marck; Orville Holtan, Leonard Norling, William Wiese, Washburn; Roderick Rosaaen, Fisher, Minn.; Douglas Stewart, McVillie; Roy Stewart, Garrison; Louis Thompson, Northwood; Lewis Johnston, Fordville.

Despite the loss of a large class of seniors, Delta Xi began this year with a determination to maintain the campus prestige which made us so powerful on the campus during the first year of existence as a chapter of $\Delta T \Delta$.

Twelve embryo Deltas, who promise to show plenty of ability in scholarship, campus activities, and social graces, were added to the pledge roster, and postseason rushing may bring several more pledges.

Clark Robinson was chosen president to fill the post left vacant when last year's House head, Lewie Weller, resigned, and John Dewey was elected recording secretary and Howard Reuter treasurer when the former incumbents failed to return to school. All three men are demonstrating their ability in chapter leadership.

A newly-painted exterior of brown

and cream on the house now extends a more cordial welcome into its homey interior. Some inside redecorating puts a little more sparkle and color into the rooms.

Two men of last year's pledge class, Ted Beeman and George Becker, were initiated immediately after school started. In addition, two Beta Chi Fraternity alumni, Roy Mosher, Tulsa, Okla., and Harold Ferguson, Butte, Mont., came back for the Square Badge.

In the social line, we really shine. In addition to a rush party and a hard times party, which were really successes, we are now planning a Kris Kringle party for December 18 which ought to outdo the traditional Beta Chi Christmas hops.

Following the tradition, we are inviting two outstanding men from each of the other fraternities on the campus, and renting a hall to accommodate the crowd. Then, in addition, there were the Homecoming banquet, and the formal dinner which is to precede the Military Ball—all calculated to uphold the high standards and quality of "those Delt parties."

THAYNE JONGEWARD

My Ships

My days are ships that put to sea
While in the dusk I silent stand
And watch them sailing far from me
To some unknown, far distant land.

Into the dim and starless night,
Over an ocean gray and lone,
Onward they sail, nor left nor right,
Each with a cargo of its own.

I may not know till all is past
What port they make when over sea;
But this I know, that I at last
Shall find my ships awaiting me.

Then may I stand and smile at Death,
If I have sent in every one
A little love, a little faith,
A little deed of kindness done.

—STUART MACLEAN

★ THE DELTA ALUMNI CHAPTERS ★

Akron

PERSONALLY, I think that Owen Orr had a great idea when he thought of asking all alumni chapters to get some material in for this number of *THE RAINBOW*.

Monday night, December 7, our local alumni chapter gave a stag card party at John Wolcott's Silver Lake Country Club. This was a benefit affair from which we raised some more money for the blind. Ben Ansley won the turkey raffle. We took a little drag from every pot for the "kitty." Friends of members were invited, and they helped to make the party a success.

Our talking book arrived this week and it will be presented to a blind family later in the week. Fellows, you can't begin to realize the joy we of the Akron Alumni Chapter have derived from carrying out our service program for 1936. Already, the members are talking about instituting a similar program for 1937. Why don't some of you other alumni chapters try it?

We hope to be represented at the Karnea by at least twenty-five of our stand-by members. You won't have to look twice to see Akron at the Pittsburgh Karnea. Mark well those words—they will go down in Delt history—"YOU WON'T HAVE TO LOOK TWICE TO SEE AKRON AT THE PITTSBURGH KARNEA."

I am exceedingly proud to sign my name as secretary to this little message from the first and best alumni chapter of the best Fraternity in the world!

JAMES H. FITCH

Athens

IN HONOR of their son, Don B. Millikan, Beta (Ohio), '23, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Millikan recently entertained with a birthday dinner. Mr. Millikan, who has been confined to a wheel chair since an injury in an automobile accident several years ago, has

AFTER the dead line date had passed, only 14 alumni chapter letters for the January number of THE RAINBOW had been received, and this information was passed on to Owen G. Orr; whereupon this indomitable Secretary of Alumni rushed a letter to presidents and secretaries of alumni chapters urging them to "fool" us and convince us that more than 14 of 69 alumni chapters could be represented in this number. The result—48 letters—the best showing that THE RAINBOW ever has had from the alumni chapters, in the Fraternity's history.

From many chapters, letters came from the secretary, the president, or some member of the chapter, and in such cases all letters are included in this department.

Owen Orr and the secretaries have convinced us that it can be done; hence, we call to their special attention the fact, that in future numbers we are reserving more space for this department so as to include 69 letters from the 69 alumni chapters.

—EDITOR

built up a well-known magazine agency. Subscriptions have come to him from members of $\Delta T \Delta$ and a large number of Ohio University alumni in all parts of the country. Although transacting all of his business by letter or by telephone, Mr. Millikan has won several sectional subscription contests, giving him an excellent standing among magazine agents throughout the state. Those members of the Athens Alumni Chapter invited to the dinner included Hiram Wilson, Raymond Connett, Loring Connett, Robert C. Hess, William Herbert, Alonzo Palmer, Horace Palmer, Thomas N. Hoover, Frank B. Gullum, Dewey Goddard, Ray Lash, Bruce Wells, George Parks, M. D. Hughes, Robert Essex, Clarence Roach, Norris Beasley, and John Sprague.

W. H. HERBERT

Battle Creek

BATTLE CREEK Alumni Chapter seems to be the victim of an attack of sleeping sickness. The doctors are

not sure whether to apply a shot in the arm or a kick in the pants. Perhaps with some of the asperities of the depression and the political campaign worn off, the patient will be able to sit up and move around some without twisting too many sore joints.

VERNER W. MAIN

SINCE the Northern Division Conference in Battle Creek several years ago the Delts of Battle Creek vicinity have made little effort toward concerted action as a group. Individually, some of the members have been active in near-by chapter work.

We enjoy reading *THE RAINBOW*, noting the activities of the various chapters, and learning of some of the doings of the brothers at distant points. When the next occasion arises for action or attention of this Battle Creek group, we'll be ready and anxious to do our part.

GEORGE D. FARLEY

Buffalo

THE Buffalo Alumni Chapter had its first winter meeting Friday, December 4, at the University Club, which was attended by about twenty-five members of the chapter. This was considered a very successful dinner in every way, and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all in attendance. The high spot of the evening was the talk given by Willard T. Bushman, who told of his experiences as a delegate to the Constitutional Convention of the Fraternity from the College of Wooster.

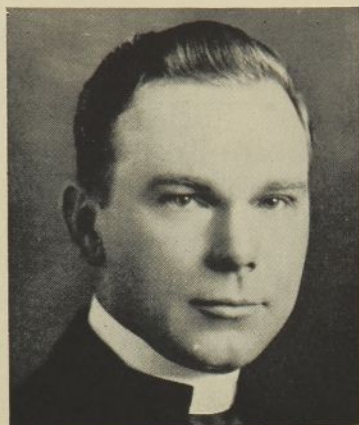
Luncheons are being held every week on Monday at the University Club, and any Delts finding themselves in Buffalo at that time would certainly be made welcome.

Officers for the coming year are Walter P. Fissell, president, and yours truly, secretary.

DENNIS C. LILES

Butler

WE HAVE been mighty inactive here in Butler for the past few years—blame it on the depression we had, or



WILLIAM S. BLACKSHEAR

The rector of All Saints' Chapel prefers for associates, "sinners" instead of "saints"

Quoting his Master in defense of his association with those who are not saints, Rev. William S. Blackshear, Gamma Iota (Texas), '18, says: "The well need no physician." The men of Gamma Iota believe this thought of their chapter adviser may explain why he comes so often to the chapter house.

Dr. Blackshear studied at Texas, Cambridge (Massachusetts) Theology School, Harvard, Virginia Theology Seminary, and Oxford, England. He was admitted to the bar in Texas in 1920 and practiced in Texas and Mexico until 1921. He has been a rector in Versailles, Kentucky; Brooklyn, New York; and is now rector of the All Saints' Chapel at the University of Texas. He was a captain in the infantry during the World War and was first aid-de-camp to General U. G. McAlexander. He received two citations for gallantry in action during the World War. He retains his commission as a major of infantry in the Reserve Corps. Last summer he was the commander of the C.M.T.C. at San Antonio, and according to a Gamma Iota correspondent, "gets fighting mad when people mistake him for a chaplain." He is the commander of the Capital City Post of the American Legion in Austin. Since 1924 he has been chaplain of the Episcopal Actors Guild. He was president of the Brooklyn chapter of the Reserve Officers Association in 1933. In that year he was chaplain for the state of New York. He is a member of the Moral Welfare Commission of New York, the Federal Council Churches of Christ in America, and the Committee of 1,000 in New York.

One of the Texas undergraduates says: "His church is packed to overflowing every Sunday but Bill says that doesn't give him the big head because it is a small church. But before he came few people even knew where it was located."

on the poor officers who were elected—but don't blame it on a lack of enthusiasm or love for dear old $\Delta T \Delta$. That never has been lacking, and I think every evidence of that will be found in the coming year.

Business is better, everyone is feeling better, spirits are higher, minds are more care-free, and Delts in Butler are doing more planning. The coming year should be an active one for the Butler chapter, with the idea in mind of making bigger and better Delts. We have about thirty-five Delts in Butler now, and we should like to build that up to fifty in 1937, with the addition of fifteen of the best boys in town.

The Karnea is to be in Pittsburgh this year, which is only about forty miles from Butler, so the Butler chapter will be there in full force. John L. Wise, we understand, is to be on one of the committees, and we know how hard he will work to help make it the most successful Karnea.

Butler is a Delt town and any of the brothers, who at some time in their lives might be marooned in it for a day or so, should make an effort to get in touch with the president or secretary. We should like for any Delts moving into Butler as strangers to make themselves known and we shall extend a hand of welcome and see that they become acquainted—something Delts do wherever one may go, the country over.

We hope that the January number of THE RAINBOW may be the best ever, and assure you that we shall make the Butler chapter bigger and better than ever.

H. GEORGE ALLEN

Capital District (Troy, Albany, and Schenectady, N.Y.)

THE Capital District Alumni Chapter is keeping many loyal Delts in these three cities closer to the Fraternity. We plan only three meetings a year, one in each city, the Delts of each city acting as the "committee" by turns. They have been well attended, and at our Founders Day dinner last year, we had forty-one Delts present.

One unusual feature of our organization is the great number of schools

represented. In Schenectady alone, we have alumni from seventeen chapters. Under the leadership of Ernest Warncke, Upsilon chapter adviser, the alumni committee was instrumental in making the recent Eastern Division Conference of Troy a decided success. We had splendid turnouts for both the banquet and the dance.

Officers of the chapter are E. W. Flagler, president; George W. Wriston, vice-president; and Gordon E. Paul, secretary-treasurer.

Any Delts who come to the Capital District are urged to telephone one of the officers; we want to be able to notify you of our dinners.

E. W. FLAGLER

GORDON E. PAUL

Chicago

WE HAVE had a bit of a let-down this fall, but we are gathering momentum and will be prepared for the usually successful Founders Day meeting in March. The vice-president of our group, Dayton McKay, has moved to Seattle and many of the other Delts in this territory who were formerly members of our organization are now working with our joint association—the North Shore (Evans-ton, Ill.) Alumni Chapter.

We are supporting the Good Fellow movement, along with other national fraternities, and expect to have a big turnout at the meeting and luncheon at the Interfraternity Club December 24. Many substantial contributions are expected from various members of $\Delta T \Delta$ toward helping less fortunate families in Chicago to enjoy a pleasant Christmas. Luncheons until further notice will be held every Wednesday at the Interfraternity Club. All visiting Delts are invited.

GEORGE S. SANDO

Cleveland

PRESIDENT Harold C. Hopkins has kept the Cleveland Alumni Chapter going at more than top speed this year. In addition to the regular weekly meetings, monthly social functions, bulletin publications, and numerous other details of an active organization, Harold Hopkins has taken the lead in obtaining and financing Zeta's new home. Although Hop has the

assistance and coöperation of all Cleveland Delts, nevertheless, the burden of the work and worry falls on his shoulders. Every Zeta and Cleveland Delt knows that he is doing a great piece of work, and appreciates the service he is rendering to $\Delta T \Delta$.

Since the last writing our social calendar has been replete with interesting and successful functions. October 29, Bill Barry and Bill Halladay, as the committee on arrangements, dished out a most splendid clambake at the East Side Sachsenheim Club. Large portions of steamed clams, chicken, corn, yams, and all the additional adornments; songs led by Dr. Louis Carabelli; and yarns by Dr. Lem Brigman and President Hopkins, made this party the best strictly informal affair of the year.

William Ganson Rose was the toastmaster and Dr. George W. Crile was the principal speaker at the banquet at Zeta chapter house, which provided a fitting ceremony for the official opening of Zeta's new home.

December 14, the actives of Zeta entertained all Cleveland Delts with the traditional Christmas tree stag party at the chapter house. An excellent dinner, a splendid program, and "appropriate" gifts for all the alumni provided an unusually enjoyable evening.

We joined with Zeta the night of December 19, in the annual Christmas formal dinner-dance at the Mid-Day Club. It was a grand affair and the high spot of our Fraternity social season.

The Cleveland Alumni Chapter is for all those who wear the Square Badge, and we extend a sincere invitation to all Delts in Greater Cleveland to enjoy $\Delta T \Delta$ with us.

RANDALL M. RUHLMAN

Columbus

LET's fool Hugh Shields!

The Columbus Alumni Chapter enjoys its Wednesday noon repasts at the University Club. We have a private meeting room two Wednesdays a month, and on other days we have a long private table in the swank main dining-room. Don Beach unburdens himself of some of the inside dope in baseball, predictions as to the new czar

of professional baseball, the Columbus ball team, and the St. Louis Cardinal chain. Lou Dudley and Rich Knell get into the usual argument over Ohio State's football team, and Harold Stevens is the best-informed man on all sports.

Bill Underwood and Fowler Mould of Beta are proud of the record of old Ohio. "Dutch" Frankenberg is an old stand-by and always can be relied upon to be the organization man to get Delts together, whether it be in honor of "Frankie Day" or the Beta Phi Homecoming. We saw "Stogie" Bolon there several times (he's now in real estate with Mark Hendrickson), and Ed West usually makes it when he's not occupied with a board meeting.

The *fraters in facultate* of Ohio State either come *en masse* or don't come at all. Last spring George Eckelberry proposed that if the officers did not come out, they should lose their official positions, and there should be a new election. According to this, Tom Savage and Clem Cooke are out of office, but Clem has been laid up with injuries from a severe auto smash. George Schoedinger drops in late sometimes to disperse the meeting with one of his droll stories. All Delt visitors to Columbus are invited to stop in and lunch with us. We think you will enjoy it.

OTIS B. CORE

Dallas

AFTER a summer spent more in the entertaining of Centennial visitors than in constructive Fraternity work, the Dallas Alumni Chapter resumed its regular luncheon meetings the first Friday in December. Judge John A. Rawlins, the retiring president, appointed a nominating committee consisting of Raymond Hulsey, Frank Knox, and Don Hicks to select officers for 1937.

The group is naturally pleased with the record which Gamma Iota is making at the University of Texas, as evidenced by the new pledge group, intramural activities, and alumni co-ordination. Along the latter line, the chapter newspaper, the *Longhorn Delt*, makes a much better impression on the alums than did the fall foot-



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FRANCIS F. PATTON

Distinguished soldier, well-known financier, and loyal Delt worker

Francis F. Patton, Gamma Alpha (Chicago), '11, responded quickly to his country's call to arms after America entered the World War. As an officer, he took part in some of the most important and sanguinary combats. France bestowed upon him the Croix de Guerre for his services at the defense of Château-Thierry in June, 1918, and the United States awarded him the Silver Star Medal for gallantry in action in the Marne offensive in July, 1918.

Returning to Chicago after the War, he became a bond salesman, joining the firm of A. G. Becker & Company in 1920. Since 1925 he has been vice-president of that organization. He has been president of the Bond Men's Club of Chicago and is a member of the Board of Governors of the Investment Bankers Association of America. He was chairman of the Central States District Regional Code Committee in working out the Investment Bankers Code.

As treasurer of the Gamma Alpha house corporation, he directed a campaign which made the Gamma Alpha chapter house entirely free of indebtedness. He was chapter adviser at Gamma Alpha, and later President of the Western Division. He assisted in making a success, the famous 1911 Chicago Karnea. In 1933 he was Chairman of the Publicity Committee for the World's Fair Karnea and he is given most of the credit for the attendance of over 1,000 Delts right at the depth of the financial depression. He was awarded a Court of Honor Citation at the Northern Division Conference last February.

Mr. Patton married Dorothy Brown, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Wisconsin. With their two children, Richard, age nine, and June, age seven, they reside in suburban Highland Park.

France Patton is now inaugurating plans for a grand reunion of all Gamma Alpha men in May, 1938 to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of that chapter's installation.—C. F. Axelsson

ball record. At that, though, the more "bodacious" of us recall that, at least, the season was remarkable for a tie with L.S.U., national champions.

Each issue of local newspapers carries new indications of mounting prosperity, increased bank clearings, new highs in construction. So, if the alumni can steer clear of new business, now and then, in order to get to meetings, 1937 should be a banner year for the Fraternity, as well as for the individual alumni.

WEBSTER SNYDER

Denver

IT MIGHT be said that the Denver Alumni Chapter is, for the time being, on a vacation.

Several of our most active members have been transferred or have moved away from Denver this summer and fall, and in consequence, we have not been active since the date of our baseball game with Beta Kappa last spring. Without having any formal meeting of the alumni chapter, we did enlist the interest and help of several of our alumni members in Beta Kappa's rushing in September, and we were delighted with the favorable results.

We are planning to get together again as soon as the holidays are over. We extend to the other chapters our very best wishes for a merry Christmas season and a happy and prosperous New Year.

A. K. BARNES

Detroit

THE meeting place for our regular Thursday luncheons has been changed. We are now meeting at 12:15 P.M. at the Intercollegiate Alumni Club, Penobscot Bldg.

Glen M. Reem has been appointed general agent of the Michigan office of the Guardian Life Insurance Co. of America, with offices at 704 United Artists Bldg. John D. Crissman is now located in Detroit with F. W. Stock and Sons. Paul Parker, with the Ross Federal Service Co., has been transferred to the Detroit office of this company. Lorne McColl, Jr., was married November 6 to Miss

Mary J. Lamley of Detroit. Lorne is a chemist at the Sharples Solvents Co.

EMANUEL CHRISTENSEN

Fargo

THE second fall meeting of this chapter was held on October 31. The occasion was the annual game between the University and the State College.

Ted Bergman, on his way to Delta Xi, stopped off and met with us at this luncheon-meeting. In addition to a chance to meet with him, the session also was arranged for the undergraduates from the University and alums about the state.

This chapter has adopted as its principal activity for the winter, cultivation of the outstanding high school seniors. It hopes to arrange a series of functions, having as guests a few prospects and a delegation from the chapter at Grand Forks.

MONROE H. O. BERG

Fox River Valley (Wisconsin)

THE first regular monthly meeting was held November 2 at the Hearstone where sixteen $\Delta T \Delta$ alums met and had dinner. Dan Hardt presided, in the absence of President Jim Whelan. The following officers were elected: Bob Durbrow, president; R. J. LeRoux, vice-president; Jack Benton, secretary-treasurer. The president, who gave an interesting talk, and two other members of the Milwaukee Alumni Chapter were present.

Fred Leech, representing Delta Nu, said that the *Delta Nu's*, containing alumni news, would be mailed in time to announce the December meeting. He stated that the second Monday of every month was to be a special "get-together night" for alums and undergraduates, and he invited the alums to come to the chapter house on those evenings for a 6:00 P.M. buffet supper, meeting, and smoker.

A farewell banquet was given December 16 for Supervisor of Scholarship Henry M. Wriston, president of Lawrence College, who is leaving Lawrence to become president of Brown University. The banquet was quite a successful affair. The total at-

tendance was about seventy-five, including Bert Nelson, Darryl Johnson, Bill Carpenter, and Foster Shellers from Milwaukee and Martin Koether, Hugh Higley, and Kenny Dahl from Madison. Bert Nelson gave a characteristically enjoyable "Nelson" talk. Motion pictures of Delta Nu and Delt songs were included on the evening's program. A highlight of the evening was one of Dr. Wriston's most inspirational talks—a beautiful one which brought in the Fraternity, life, and the individual in a way that we never before had heard them correlated.

JACK BENTON

Greater New York

THE new Greater New York Alumni Chapter started functioning actively this fall with two interesting and well-attended luncheons. The charter was granted only early last summer, and during the summer months the new organization laid plans so well for this fall, that the first luncheon held on October 7 had a far better attendance than was expected.

The second lunch held November 18 at the Murray Hill Hotel brought out quite a number of new faces, as the word had gotten around regarding the success of Dave Reeder's luncheon parties. More of the fellows are showing up unannounced, and it seems to be becoming a habit for one good Delt to bring another. We have noticed that a man who comes once is fairly sure to return. Our luncheon Wednesday, December 9, promises to be far better than any so far.

A good lunch at the Murray Hill for a dollar and the company of such enthusiastic Delts as Dave Reeder, president of the New York Alumni Chapter; Owen C. Orr, Secretary of Alumni; Bruce Bielaski; Sewell Corkran; Alvan Duerr; C. C. Harris; Henry Otto; and some twenty-five or thirty others, are the reasons for the growing popularity of these get-togethers.

It is our plan to have these luncheons at 12:30 P.M. on the third Wednesday of each month at the Murray Hill Hotel. The boys are get-

ting acquainted and by the time the Founders Day banquet is held Friday, March 5, the New York chapter will be a real "gang." The boys are already discussing Founders Day banquet here, and I am sure that you will find that this year will produce the biggest and most enthusiastic turnout of New York Delts that ever has been seen here. Last year the Founders Day dinner was held in the Waldorf-Astoria, which some of the boys thought was a trifle rich considering the times, and this year our "Indefatigable Dave" Reeder is already working quietly on arrangements.

Our new alumni chapter is really only getting under way, but its personnel, its enthusiasm, and its real desire to make this chapter a great success will, before long, make the Greater New York Alumni Chapter a power to be reckoned with.

ROBERT A. TRAVIS

Indianapolis

Now that the election is out of the way and the football season nearly over, the members of the Indianapolis Alumni Chapter have turned their attention to more weighty matters. It might be remarked in passing that Maurie Harrell was the only Democrat who had the courage to back his convictions with more than words, and so he was quite flush after the election.

After sending out letters and receiving replies from the undergraduate chapters in the state concerning their choice for a date on which to have the Delt state dance, it has been decided to combine this affair with the celebration of Founders Day and really have a good Delt party. This will serve as ample warning to all you Indianapolis Delts of the coming festivals, so don't let your wives or sweethearts make other plans for that night. It is hoped that as large a crowd as attended last year's Northern Division Conference will come to the dance.

If any of you out-of-town Delts get into Indianapolis on Friday, remember that we meet at the Columbia Club at noon and are always glad to see you. As for any of you Indianapolis

Delts who are not regularly attending the meetings, come on up, meet your friends, and find out what is going on in Delt circles.

FRED G. JOHNS, JR.

Kansas City

THE Kansas City Alumni Chapter held its last general meeting September 3, which took the form of a rush party for the undergraduate chapters of this area.

Plans gradually are being formulated for our Founders Day program, which we hope to make an outstanding affair. Last year's idea of holding a formal initiation of the top-notch student of one of our near-by chapters was so successful, that we expect to retain at least that feature of our previous meeting, which will be well supplemented by competent talent.

Forest W. Hanna, a member of this chapter and former prosecutor of Jackson County, has announced the arrival of a new ten-pound son, December 2.

So far, no date has been selected for our annual meeting for the election of officers, but this probably will be held within the next few weeks. Weekly luncheon attendance has been good, so far as the "regulars" are concerned, but we need a more consistent meeting habit on the part of our "now-and-then's." All you backsliding alumni, who read this, please become Fraternity-conscious for at least one hour every Thursday noon. We're still at 5-C in the K.C.A.C. Bldg.

K. S. BATES

Knoxville

HERE is a little news concerning some of the Knoxville alumni: John Overton was the first of several Tennessee Delts who found their way to the altar within recent months. He married Miss Aileen Robert of Knoxville. In addition to running a household, "Pop" is practicing a bit of law on the side. Gordon Gaskill trod the aisle with Miss Bettye Milton of Knoxville. They are now living in Memphis where Gordon works for the Associated Press. A college romance culminated for Spencer Y. Bell

in his marriage to Miss Virginia McClain recently. After an extensive tour on the West Coast, they will settle in Knoxville where Spencer will practice medicine. Fred Prince was married to Miss Virginia Keith in October. They reside in Knoxville, where Fred is an engineer for the Tennessee Public Service Co.

L. D. DUNLAP

Lexington

DESPITE reverses, consisting chiefly of removal from the city of a number of the most active members, the Lexington Alumni Chapter through the fall and winter has continued to wave the banner with regularity. The number present for the waving has on occasions been small, but vigor never has been lacking.

One former member now missing is Bill Trott, who has returned to his home city of Evansville, Ind., to take up new coaching-teaching duties at Reitz High School. His Evansville address is 1320 Ravenswood Dr.

Bill's departure robbed Delta Epsilon of one of the finest chapter advisers it ever has had, and to fill the vacancy the Lexington Alumni Chapter presented another of its members. The advisership duties now rest on the capable shoulders of Bob Odear. And in spite of it all, Bob still is looking pretty well, thank you!

Another local member now absent from the city is George Skinner, who was awarded a fellowship and is now studying law at the University of Michigan. His address in Ann Arbor is B-32 Lawyers' Club. Two other Lexington alumni "eligibles" who have chased off for further study are T. C. Endicott, now at Harvard, his address being Chase Hall, D-entry, Soldiers Field Station, Boston, and Bob Welch, who is in the geology department at Ohio State and lives at 1595 Hunter Ave. in Columbus.

Ralph Kercheval, of course, was absent throughout the fall because the Brooklyn Dodgers couldn't get along without him.

A new and welcome addition to the local circle is Angus McDonald, who trod the magic carpet while attending Virginia. Angus, practicing law in



C. ROBERT CHURCHILL

His Court of Honor Citation designated him, "A true Delt through all these years"

Since the establishment of Beta Xi in June, 1889, C. Robert Churchill, Beta Xi (Tulane), '89, one of its founders, has been unceasingly active in the service of his Fraternity. He was president of the chapter for two years. For four terms, Mr. Churchill was President of the Southern Division; and for two terms, he was Vice-President and Ritualist, during which time he was largely responsible for the preparation and editing of the first complete directory of the Fraternity—the Sixth General Catalogue. This directory contained the first history of the Rainbow Fraternity, which was prepared by Mr. Churchill. The first official flag of $\Delta T \Delta$ was designed by him. He also was Monitor of the Fraternity. A contender for Karnea attendance honors, Mr. Churchill has attended eight Karneas. It was through his efforts that plans were begun for the purchase of the present Beta Xi chapter house.

At the banquet celebrating the forty-first anniversary of the founding of Beta Xi, he was presented with a Court of Honor Citation.

C. Robert Churchill has been identified prominently with New Orleans' famous Carnival organizations and is a member of the leading clubs in that city. He has been very successful in the electrical supply business.

This "true Delt through all these years" says: " $\Delta T \Delta$ is the best Greek-letter Fraternity in America. A young man going into it has a chance to experience the greatest thing in his life, but he will get out of it only what he puts in."

Lexington and residing at 134 McDowell Rd., is particularly welcome since he fills a vacancy left when his brother Ed moved away from Lexington.

Lexington Delts, too, are extending another welcome and polishing up a pledge button for use in 1952 when

James William Narcissus Chapman, II, comes along. The youngster arrived, back in November, to grace the Ashland home of Jimmie and the Missus (Elinor Shanklin), and thereupon became their first-born.

The Lexington Alumni Chapter this winter has been continuing its new plan of holding informal sessions at the homes of members, thereby giving the care-worn alumni opportunity to engage in such pastimes as peeping at hole cards, etc. Among those who have entertained are Dan Fowler, Bob Odear, Jim Shropshire, and Ollie Williamson. Such meetings will be continued until the time arrives for the alumni to jump in and help Delta Epsilon arrange for another great celebration on its Founders Day, May 10.

LAURENCE K. SHROPSHIRE

Long Beach

THE last two months have been busy ones for the Long Beach Alumni Chapter. Our attendance at meetings has been quite good, and we have added several names to our roster, including Clarence Lind, who is now with Lind & Barnes in Corona Del Mar, just south of Long Beach. He is a real pianist, and we are counting on him in a big way to liven up our meetings with good old Delt songs.

There are thirty-two Delts residing in Long Beach, and those who are unable to attend are reminded of their Fraternity and made acquainted with the doings of the chapter through the *Long Beach Delta Tau Delta Topics*, a mimeographed monthly news-sheet, prepared and circulated by the secretary.

Here, an invitation is extended to the brothers living in the adjoining cities of Wilmington, San Pedro, Compton, and Santa Ana to attend our meetings and to become members of the chapter.

At the November dinner-meeting, Founders Day was the subject of discussion and it was decided to join the Los Angeles Alumni Chapter in the celebration which it is planning.

The Long Beach group is small in numbers, but is enthusiastic in spirit. When Delts, young and old, come to

southern California, as they are all bound to do sooner or later, we want them to come to Long Beach, look up the secretary, and attend our meetings.

We are proud to report that our president, Bob Taplin, has just been appointed to the newly-created position of traffic safety coördinator for Long Beach. Bob's training as an engineer back at the University of Minnesota plus his years of experience, will aid him to make a real success. We are sorry that one of our members and regular attenders, Dr. Frank Roach, has been forced because of a serious cold to retire to a sanitarium. Frank will be away from business and Delt alumni affairs for some time.

Don Equals is to be transferred to Santa Ana, January 1. Don is with Foster Kleiser Co. We are counting on him to round up several of the Santa Ana Delts and bring them over with him each month to our meetings. Santa Ana is only a few miles away and yet the fellows there need someone to say "Come on—we're going to the Delt alumni meeting."

A. BATES LANE

Los Angeles

THE Los Angeles Alumni Chapter, under the guidance of President George Colby, swung down the home stretch of 1936 with a feeling of distinct gratification at having kept up interest throughout the summer vacation months to a degree that started off the fall season with a bang. The weekly luncheons at the Hamilton Club, 623½ S. Grand Ave., continue to be attended by the old dependables, with now and then a brother from other parts of the country dropping in; however, the meetings make up in fellowship and fraternal spirit, that which they lack in attendance. In fact, the fellows in the main, prefer to keep the meetings informal and without any semblance to a service club gathering; however, if any brother has a message of value to deliver, he always finds a ready and interested audience.

At one luncheon we honored Bill Gay, a vice-president of the Western Division. Upon the opening of

the school year, the monthly dinner-meetings at the Delta Iota chapter house were resumed and three very successful ones have been held. During the summer vacation period, the alumni held two rousing get-togethers in the Kiwanis Club's famous "Nineteenth Hole," through the courtesy of active Delt Kiwanians.

As this letter is written, plans have been completed for holding a past presidents' luncheon which has come to be a permanent fixture on the alumni calendar. This affair, which takes the place of the regular weekly luncheon of December 4, honors those members who have served as president of this group. Dan Ferguson, the perennial Fraternity man, will be on hand to call the names, chapters, years, and other statistical information about those past worthies, whose list will gain another splendid name in January when George Colby surrenders the badge of that office. A whole issue of THE RAINBOW would be taxed sorely to hold the glowing record of George Colby as a member of this alumni chapter, but one would have to seek elsewhere than from George, to get the information. He is as modest as he is earnest, about being a good Delt, and of all the past presidents, there are few who more richly deserved the honor we conferred upon him when we elected him to the presidency of this chapter a year ago.

To all brothers who pass this way, we extend a hearty and sincere invitation to join us at our luncheon-meetings or at the gatherings in Delta Iota's chapter house.

O. G. LAWTON

Milwaukee

THE Milwaukee Alumni Chapter sent representatives to the meeting of the Fox River Valley alumni, which was held in Appleton, November 2. This meeting was planned by Bob Durbrow, who is with the Institute of Paper Chemistry at Appleton, and who has been the right-hand man of Dr. Henry Wriston in part of his work at Lawrence College.

About twenty-five Delts from Milwaukee and the Fox River Valley attended the meeting and at it, tenta-

tive plans were made for a farewell meeting to be held in honor of Dr. Wriston, December 16, prior to his leaving Appleton to take up his new duties at Brown University.

As large a number as possible will go to Appleton from Milwaukee to attend the meeting there December 16.

It is expected that there will be a meeting of Milwaukee alumni, together with the undergraduate Delts who are in the city during the Christmas holidays, but as yet no definite date has been set.

Some of the alumni from Milwaukee stopped at the chapter house in Appleton on the date of the last meeting there, and all who did so were impressed very favorably with the chapter house, the achievements in scholarship and campus activities which the boys have made, and with the hospitable reception which was given to the visitors.

OTTO W. CARPENTER

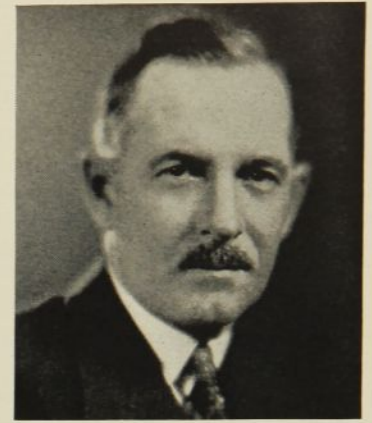
Nashville

THE Nashville Alumni Chapter has been holding meetings of an informal nature at the University Club. Since all the Nashville Delts are good friends, the matter of campaigns, programs, speakers, etc., has not burdened a member or a committee. At random dates, varying numbers gather for a meal, with a general discussion of this and that.

We believe our interest in the Fraternity is as real as in undergraduate days, although too many of our members have surrendered their rights to but one interest.

Many of our old mates have scattered, and we hear startling things of them from time to time. Mims Thomason, who sojourned in Nashville for a time, broke into Walter Winchell's column recently. Gordon Gaskill lit in Nashville for a moment, but is now on press work in Memphis. Tommy Martin is a magician of note, recently having toured the Continent in style. Pete Smith finally deserted the bachelor ranks and is living in Florence, Ala. Dick Ottarson, V. H. Griffin, and "Son" Thomas also have succumbed to a like fate.

C. F. TALBOT



Underwood & Underwood Photo

C. C. CARR

Director of Public Relations, Aluminum Company of America; and 1937 Karnea Publicity Chairman

C. C. Carr, Beta Alpha (Indiana), '09, became a member of the Fourth Estate early in his career. He did newspaper work when he was in high school and continued it while at Indiana University. Like many another Hoosier, he turned to educational work and for four years after graduation was in the Panama Canal Zone where he organized and had charge of the system of high schools during the Canal building days. The smell of printer's ink was strong there, also, and he was joint-author of a book, *The Story of Panama*, which is still used as a supplementary textbook in high schools and junior colleges.

He returned to the States to become publisher of the *Sullivan Times* in Indiana. His next move was to St. Petersburg, Florida, where for twenty years he was general manager and active publisher of the *St. Petersburg Times*. When in St. Petersburg, for four years he operated the Lesan-Carr Advertising Agency. In 1934 he came north to become head of the public relations department of the Aluminum Company of America.

In St. Petersburg he helped to organize the city's Rotary Club and was its third president. He became a member of the Pittsburgh Rotary Club a year ago. Mr. Carr is a member of the Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter of Δ T Δ, National Press Club in Washington, Duquesne Club, University Club, and Longue Vue Country Club in Pittsburgh.

WITH the winter season coming on and the new school year well under way, all of the Nashville alumni have started their regular monthly meetings again. The new officers elected to preside for the coming year are: Tom Gold, president; V. H. Griffin, vice-president; Eugene Collier, secretary; and Vann Norred, treasurer-corresponding secretary.

We have not as yet formulated any plans for our activities this year. We hope to be bending all of our combined efforts toward realizing our ambitions of obtaining the reinstallation of the Lambda Chapter at Vanderbilt. Vanderbilt enrollment is much greater this year than in previous years and with the return of "Prosperity," we think Vanderbilt a good field for expansion.

We hope to be able to report a marked increase in our membership during this year, as we are planning an extensive membership campaign.

VANN NORRED

National Capital (Washington, D.C.)

WE ARE proud of the activities of the alumni in the National Capital Alumni Chapter. Since we were reorganized three years ago, we have worked up a mailing list of approximately 360 Delts in this vicinity. We have met regularly on Wednesdays for lunch in one of the finest places in Washington, the National Press Club, and our attendance has been fine. At these lunches you can safely count on seeing several old stand-bys: Camden McAtee, the Delt who knows Delts; George Degnan, the best promoter of Delt affairs in the country; Carl Butman, the perennial affiliate; R. O. Beckman, who is one of Hopkins' old reliables; Loren Cluster, an insurance salesman but still a good guy (here is a tip for you Philadelphia Delts: Loren will be a "big-shot" in the Philadelphia office of the New York Life Insurance Co. after January 1); Paul Hayward, our great hunter; Claude W. Owen, outstanding civic leader and father of one of Gamma Eta's pledges; Percy Adams, who contributes to $\Delta T \Delta$ until it hurts (he has a Delt son); Captain DeCoursey from Kentucky, who thinks Delta Epsilon is the tops; Norman Ames, recently designated chapter adviser for Gamma Eta; and on and on. You should know these fellows—I cannot tell you about all of them.

Statesmen, yeah, we have them, too, and we're fortunate in being located in the nation's capital, where we can enjoy associating with these great men

of the Fraternity. This writer is not fully aware of how $\Delta T \Delta$ came out in the Roosevelt landslide; but he does know that the Fraternity did not fare badly. In the recent election, Prentiss M. Brown stepped up from the House to the Senate. We are expecting to see him soon after Congress convenes. "Little Champ" Clark and Alben W. Barkley, two of our staunch Senators, whose terms did not expire this year, make our Senatorial representation three strong, with possibly more, so far as the writer knows. We were happy to learn that Dewey Short, a Republican from Missouri, was reelected to the House. Andrew Edmiston, a Democrat from West Virginia was reelected to the House. We are hoping to see him this year. There may be others, in which case we would like to know who they are.

One of the highest offices in the national government that a member of any fraternity could hold is a Cabinet position. Last year $\Delta T \Delta$ had two, Secretary Dern and Secretary Wallace. We deeply regret the passing of the Secretary of War. We are proud of Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, a powerful figure in the Cabinet.

With all these outstanding Delts helping to make up the backbone of the national government, don't you think we, the members of the National Capital Alumni Chapter, are fortunate? Don't you think we could have a President in 1940? Sure! The ball has started rolling already! Give it a push! Every little bit helps!

Hey, this thing is becoming voluminous, but there's a lot to say about $\Delta T \Delta$ in Washington; so, I'll say it, and you quit reading when you grow tired. Last year we had a bang-up Founders Day banquet—the best ever. There were 161 *men* on hand. We've set two hundred as our goal for attendance at the Founders Day banquet this year. We hope to have with us Secretary Wallace, Senators Barkley, Clark, and Brown, Congressmen Edmiston and Short, Bishop Edwin C. Hughes, and many notables of the Fraternity. This will be no *Gone With the Wind* affair. Gam-

ma Eta, the chapter at George Washington, is progressing wonderfully under the guidance and with the assistance of the alumni. A new house has been taken at 1919 H St. N.W., now making Gamma Eta the closest house to the school buildings. It's a fine house, and the boys will have the alumni and their wives and friends over to a tea and picture-hanging during January or February. Oliver Owen Kuhn, managing editor of the *Washington Evening Star*, has taken out of the paper's "morgue" sixteen or seventeen pictures of prominent Delts and given them to the chapter. You are all invited to the hanging.

Now, here's a bit of news! A bunch of young Delt upstarts at George Washington University, some twenty-five or thirty, who have graduated or transferred from schools all over the country, have decided to organize a club, calling it something like "The Rainbow Club." Their idea is to grab young Delts when they get out of George Washington or when they come here from other schools. If you're not over fifty, let Bill Parrish at the Gamma Eta Shelter know when you arrive in town. See you in Pittsburgh at Mr. MacLeod's party!

HENRY E. PRICE

New Orleans

THE New Orleans Alumni Chapter held its opening meeting of the year at the chapter house October 5. Officers were elected and a program of five dinners throughout the year was decided upon.

The first of this series of dinners was held at Arnaud's Restaurant November 14 after the Tulane-Georgia Homecoming game. Dates for the subsequent dinners are January 22; March 5, Founders Day dinner; April 23, annual spring dinner; and June 8, Beta Xi (1889) anniversary dinner.

Hugh Brister is pushing a drive for subscriptions to THE RAINBOW, which should be of especial interest to the Central Office.

Jac. Ducournau is chapter adviser and since he now lives within one block of the chapter house his contact

with the undergraduates should be very tangible.

Tom Wilson has moved to Washington and his absence locally is very keenly felt.

Harley Howcott and Miss Alice Logan of New Orleans were married last month and have just returned from a motor honeymoon in Guatemala.

Many of the alumni were in evidence at the dinner-dance given by Charles F. Buck to introduce his daughter, Miss Susan Buck.

Please remember to mark the dinner dates on your calendar, so we may see you there next time.

EMILE NAEF

Oklahoma City

DELTS in Oklahoma City are endeavoring to establish an active alumni chapter after a lapse of several years. At a meeting held at the Y.M.C.A. in November about twenty-five Delts were present. At this meeting tentative officers were elected. Joe Fred Gibson was elected president and George H. Dent, secretary.

It was decided to have semimonthly luncheons, the second and fourth Wednesdays at the Y.M.C.A. The first three meetings have been held with an average of about twenty Delts present. Several Delts new to Oklahoma City have attended these meetings.

GEORGE H. DENT

Omaha

THE Omaha Alumni Chapter holds no regular meetings, but tries always to be on call when it can be of service to Beta Tau—to which chapter most of the Omaha Delts owe allegiance.

Last summer the alumni responded to the call of the undergraduate chapter in Omaha rushing. Late last spring the annual banquet of Beta Tau was held in Omaha at the Hotel Fontenelle. At this event about thirty undergraduates and sixty Omaha alumni were present. A similar event will be held during the present school year. There are about seventy-five alumni Delts in Omaha at this time. They have always been ready to serve the interests of the Fraternity and its

near-by undergraduate chapters when there is any definite objective.

ROBERT H. MANLEY

Philadelphia

Now that the presidential election, football, and Thanksgiving are written into history, our monthly luncheons begin this Saturday at the Arcadia International Restaurant Grill, South Penn Square.

At the annual Penn-Penn State football game smoker several weeks ago, the Philadelphia alumni were represented by Jordan Gauthier, Herb Rader, Ed Freeman, Chuck Chronister, and Bob Ferguson. Ed Freeman was particularly glad he showed up because he held the lucky ticket on a new suit given out in the prize drawing.

Fred C. ("Chink") William, former chapter secretary, was presented recently with a new addition in the form of a blue-eyed baby girl. Mr. and Mrs. William live in Boston.

During the past year we have sent in about twenty-six subscriptions to THE RAINBOW from the alumni chapter. We know these Delts enjoyed reading their copies, and were well repaid by their subscriptions.

Although he is not a member of the Philadelphia alumni, we notice that Bishop Edwin H. Hughes was visiting here for the National Protestant Preaching Mission.

ROBERT G. FERGUSON

Pittsburgh

ABOUT 150 Pittsburgh alumni assembled at the country place of Carl Mulert for their annual fall gathering. This was in conjunction with a rushing party given by the University of Pittsburgh chapter, and there were approximately one hundred prospective Delts in attendance.

November 22 the second annual church service was held in Trinity Cathedral under the direction of Rt. Rev. N. R. H. Moor, Chi '14. The service also was the occasion for a memorial to two undergraduate members—William Housel, Gamma Sigma, and Kenneth McShane, a pledge of Delta Beta.

Great plans were already under way for the Karnea, and a definite



GEORGE A. SIGMAN

Philadelphia alumni presented him with a plaque inscribed, "In Appreciation of Loyal Service to His Fraternity"

George A. Sigman, Nu (Lafayette), '05, president of the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter since 1934, was honored at the organization's Founders Day dinner last March when he was given a board bearing the Fraternity's seal and a plaque with an inscription testifying to his loyal service to Δ T Δ.

Mr. Sigman attended West Chester Normal where he was president of his class and an honor man. After teaching school for three years, he entered Lafayette, where in his junior year, he joined the Fraternity. In the summers he worked with Ginn & Company and the Lippincott Company, publishers. After the War he returned to Lafayette to be graduate manager of athletics and secretary of alumni. It was on his recommendation that Jock Sutherland, now football coach at the University of Pittsburgh, was employed by Lafayette. Mr. Sigman taught for two years after graduation from college and then engaged in sales work for ten years with the American Book Company. He now is divisional manager of the eastern division of the John C. Winston Company, publishers.

Mr. Sigman was Secretary of Δ T Δ from 1915 to 1921, and he has maintained a steadfast interest in the Fraternity.

program and plans were outlined in detail at the Karnea Executive Committee dinner November 11. In conjunction with these plans, we contemplate a Christmas party some time in December, probably between Christmas and New Year's, at which time every effort will be made to bring the most interested Delts of Pittsburgh together and interest them in plans for next year's Karnea. Along this same line, we suggest that other alumni

chapters, having regular weekly or monthly meetings, whatever they happen to be, begin immediately to talk about the Karnea. We can assure you that it will be worth your time and effort to attend.

CHARLES R. WILSON

Portland, Maine

THE Portland Alumni Chapter has not been functioning for six or seven years. I think it can be classified as one of the casualties of the depression. Perhaps, it is now time to revive it.

RALPH W. LEIGHTON

JUST a line from away down East where the Republicans are making their last stand. There are rumors around that the U. S. Government is going to make an Indian Reservation out of the entire state, so this is probably the last letter you will receive from me as an American Citizen.

PITHY PERSONALS: Ralph Leighton has been elected to the South Portland Council. Dewey and Art Couri are the leading automobile dealers in our city. Jim Speirs has enlarged his business and is doing fine. Harry Libby recently was appointed judge of the municipal court. Walter P. Morse writes from Houlton that his progeny is doing fine. Len Easton wishes to be remembered to all his friends. Frank Snell still collects my insurance.

CARL H. LEWIS

Portland, Oregon

WITH the success of last year's Christmas party still in mind, plans are completed for another dance to be held December 18 at the Bal Tabarin here in Portland. Bob Holmes and "Ace" Emmons are handling the details. The favorable location and reputation of this night club should draw a large crowd.

During the winter season, our monthly bridge-party schedule will be revived under the direction of Chris Farris. In the past, the bridge parties have been very popular, and December 8 the members and wives will gather at the new home of Chris Farris to help in the christening and to play bridge.

Chuck Oswald, who runs a dude ranch in eastern Oregon, brought in a piece of venison which was served in grand style at a recent weekly luncheon. There were thick juicy steaks for all present and a venison stew for anyone who could hold it.

It will be remembered that every year the Portland Alumni Chapter holds an honorary initiation followed by a banquet for the outstanding member of the pledge class of each of the Northwest chapters.

Gene Dyer, in charge of the banquet, and Bill Graeper, headman of the initiation, are planning to hold these combined affairs on the Saturday following the Regional Conference of Pacific Coast undergraduate chapters which will be held in Eugene, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, January 21, 22, and 23. This will allow the delegates, members of the two Oregon chapters, and alums from all over the Northwest to come to the initiation banquet as guests of the Portland Alumni Chapter.

It is anticipated that this combined group will represent the largest gathering of Deltas on the Pacific Coast since the 1931 Karnea in Seattle.

W. R. TODD

Rochester

THE Rochester Alumni Chapter of $\Delta T \Delta$ held its annual meeting November 19 at the University Club. Our oldest member, Milton L. Culver, Eta (Buchtel), '84, was guest of honor. He very ably entertained us with reminiscences of the chapter and of Akron in the days when he was a college student.

Warren S. Parks was unanimously reelected president and the other two officers, with the exception of one, were carried in on the wave of the president's popularity. Ben Larrabee, vice-president, has a devout following of his own. Edgar O'Neil was elected secretary-treasurer.

Lew Camp and Ed Marth were appointed members of the executive committee and Reg Smith, Dwight DeWesse, Dick Wilbur, Fred Robinson, and Art Blanchard were made chairmen of the activities committee, each chairman to officiate for a period of two months.

It was decided to have the luncheon-meeting at the Chamber of Commerce on the first Monday of each month at 12:30. "Criss" Cross offered to furnish the multigraphing for a directory of Rochester Delt alumni.

We made the annual decisions: to cooperate closely with the Central Office, to aid in securing likely candidates for our Alma Maters' chapters of $\Delta T \Delta$, to have a successful social season, and to aid in the promotion of the best interests of the Fraternity. We are really going to do all those things. Our ever-energetic president has been promised the support of all the Rochester Deltas in making this year a successful one.

EDGAR O'NEIL

St. Joseph

THE St. Joseph Alumni Chapter, although not an extremely active organization, manages to have at least one big get-together a year. For the past three years, this party has been just prior to school opening, and the undergraduate members are invited to bring all rushees.

The undergraduate chapter members at Missouri have assured us that our little parties have been very helpful to them.

W. W. TOBEN

HERE is news about some present and some former members of the St. Joseph Alumni Chapter:

George H. Flamank, Missouri University's famous fullback, is associated with Swift & Co. of St. Joseph.

Robert B. Hillyard was recently elected president of the Hillyard Chemical Co., St. Joseph.

Owen C. Orr, St. Joseph's famous Delt, visited in St. Joseph in November, and stirred up considerable Delt alumni spirit and enthusiasm.

Clayton O. Judson holds the responsible position of city engineer in the city of St. Joseph.

W. Eric Siemens has an excellent position with the Pioneer Sand Co. of St. Joseph.

Walter Toben has traced his lineage back to the Greek god, Tobenibus, which background got him his responsible position in the stationery department of the Western Tablet

and Stationery Co., in St. Joseph's big plant. Mr. Toben's pastime is farming, and he owns several splendid farms.

Ralph Seaman spent his winter vacation with Mrs. Seaman in California, during the month of December. Mr. Seaman is president of the St. Joseph Builder's Supply Co.

Raymond B. Hemming is associated with the United Dressed Beef Co., 41st and 1st Ave., New York City. He was married April 7 to Miss Dorothy Smith of Arlington, Mass.

Forrest W. Werner has a very responsible position in a large aluminum ware company in St. Louis.

Frank A. Davis, Jr. is associated with Armour & Co. in Chicago, Ill.

Bartlett S. Crawford has accepted a position with the St. Joseph Terminal and Warehousing Co.

Garth Landis and his brother, John C. Landis, III, are in partnership in one of the big law firms of St. Joseph. They also own and operate the largest collection agency in St. Joseph and northwest Missouri.

The Vavra brothers, Bohumir S. and Enerich R., own and operate the famous Vavra Baking Co. in St. Joseph.

ELLIOTT C. SPRATT

St. Louis

As WE approach the end of our year we regret that we cannot "point with pride" to our achievements of the passing year. We had a lot of big ideas, but for one reason or another, they did not seem to work out. Our average attendance has increased a little and possibly this may continue to improve.

H. E. Deckhart and Ed Weber moved to Chicago during the year, and Elmer Whitson moved to Milwaukee in October. Dr. Briggs moved to the University of Georgia to a new post.

We have just sent the initial letter for our annual Christmas party and expect to set the date next week. At that time we also hold our annual election of officers. Preliminary indications are that we will again convene at the Kingsway Hotel during Christmas week, and it is hoped that

we will have the largest turnout in our recent history.

Following last year's successful Founders Day dinner-dance, we will make arrangements for another dinner-dance next March, with the hope of having as successful a one as we did last year.

G. H. BUCHANAN, JR.

Salt Lake City

THE Salt Lake City Alumni Chapter has had no activity since the passing of its illustrious president, the Honorable George H. Dern.

I regret that I cannot report further at this time.

C. C. CARHART

San Diego

Mañana Alumni Chapter of $\Delta T \Delta$ —*Mañana Indefinidamente* Chapter, if you're a stickler for full accuracy—herewith arouses its collective self from a twelve-month siesta just to make a sucker out of Hugh Shields at Owen Orr's behest. This will be a surprise—to Hugh, to Owen, and to the San Diego alumni.

At long last, San Diego (city, not chapter) has finished two years of exposition-running and citizens, including Deltas, may now have time for something else. Delt alumni are going to get together again before this sees print to welcome four new San Diego undergraduates into the fold: Lynn Rogers, Stanford; William Lieurance, Kenyon; Howard Ehmkke, Brown; Maurice Hoke, Cincinnati. That is, if the boys come home for Christmas. If they don't, the alumni will get together, anyway.

Here, San Diego Alumni Chapter would request that all undergraduate chapters pledging men from San Diego County, having actives or alumni with San Diego County addresses, or owning any interest in any potential Deltas from this area, communicate essential details to us. Honestly, we're considerably refreshed by our long sleep and once more are well stocked with paving material.

Also, we realize that we'll have to nip up, for George Ferguson is about to come among us. Fergy has bought a ranch in the San Diego

County hills and is moving from Seattle presently.

At that, several San Diego Deltas have awakened from time to time during the last year: Gaylord Parkinson, to put over the biggest single real estate deal consummated locally in 1936; Chester Kirkpatrick, to become supervising engineer on the new \$2,000,000 Civic Center; and, Bob Paine, Jr., long enough to go fishing.

In 1937, the San Diego Alumni Chapter hopes to have Nat Fitts down for his promised visit, hopes the Los Angeles and Long Beach crowds will make good on their long-promised three-way alumni visit to the U.C.L.A. chapter, and, promises to justify its existence.

fooling Hugh Shields, Owen, is easy for smart guys like us. Give us a hard one, like collecting dues, or something!

STUART N. LAKE

San Francisco

OCTOBER 16 the San Francisco Alumni Chapter held its annual formal banquet in the ballroom of the Sir Francis Drake Hotel. Marshall R. Brown was toastmaster and the symbol of law and order. A good representation of the San Francisco alumni was present and the undergraduate chapters of Beta Rho and Beta Omega were also on hand. The speaker of the evening was Les Irving. The alumni chapter is considerably indebted to the outgoing officers for their efforts in making the banquet, as well as other events of the year, a success, and particularly to Hans Jepsen and Fred Boole, who planned and made all arrangements for the banquet.

In accordance with a promise made to all members, the only business transacted was that of electing the officers for the ensuing year. Those chosen were D. Power Boothe, Jr., president; Melvin M. Belli, vice-president; Marshall R. Brown, vice-president; and Frank P. Adams, secretary.

Regular weekly luncheons will be held by the chapter on Wednesdays at Coppa's Restaurant on California St. between Montgomery and Kearny Sts. Plans are being made for several

get-togethers during the coming year, and notice of them will be sent to all the brothers who have registered with the chapter.

FRANK P. ADAMS

Savannah

ALTHOUGH I am no longer president of the Savannah Alumni Chapter, I'm taking Owen Orr at his word and writing a few lines.

Our alumni chapter is still very much alive; we continue to have our three big get-togethers every year, and we are planning now our annual Christmas party.

Although from various chapters, the brothers here have never forgotten that old Delt spirit, and we always enjoy signing off with *Delta Shelter*.

EDGAR R. TERRY

Seattle

WE BEGAN our fall gatherings with a banquet at the Arctic Club in Seattle, November 13. The party was attended by about seventy of the members, who gathered from all over the Northwest to "hash over" old times and to meet the undergraduate members and pledges of Gamma Mu.

Ev Arnold was the toastmaster for the evening and he did his stuff in fine style. Speakers included Dee Williams, Les Wilkins, Johnny Kerr, Frank Zilka from Portland (who has a son pledged to Gamma Mu), Jack Sullivan, who delivered the main address and a very excellent one, too, and Ed Feek, who extemporized informally—very!

The Gamma Mu Glee Club rendered several very fine numbers, and several of the boys put on a three-act play, which was of the "Give-me-the-papers-or-I'll-tear-up-the-cheeild" variety.

John Jessup was elected to manage the Homecoming banquet in 1937, so, brothers, anything might happen!

No letter from Seattle could be complete without due mention of the splendid work being done by Les Wilkins, resident adviser of Gamma Mu. We have watched his efforts with interest, have helped when possible, and have gloried in the results

obtained—the formation of a fine group of young men into a coöperative, earnest, brotherly organization which would warm the heart of any good Delt in the future of the Fraternity.

We still hold Friday noon luncheons at Blanc's and cordially invite all visiting, and otherwise, brothers to attend.

Yours for a happy and successful New Year!

ROBERT L. DYER

Sioux City

THE Sioux City Alumni Chapter is now in the midst of planning for its major activity—the annual banquet and reunion of all Delts in the Sioux City territory, to be held December 28 in the Rainbow Room of the West Hotel. This annual affair has become an institution, and is the largest fraternity event in this part of the country. Last year eighty Delts attended from many miles around and represented about thirty chapters. Plans this year are more elaborate than ever before. By the time this letter appears in *THE RAINBOW* the reunion will be history but we hope to have a news story about it in the columns of *THE RAINBOW*.

Our annual rushing party given September 1, at the North Side Country Club, was the largest in our history. For this affair, we took over the North Side Country Club and over forty Delts turned out to entertain somewhere around thirty rushers. The rushing teams from Iowa City, Ames, and South Dakota attended. The evening was spent informally, there was musical entertainment, a buffet supper, cards, and a large number of useful prizes raffled off to the rushers. A few short but inspiring talks were made by older alumni. Many of the rushers are now Delt pledges in various parts of the country.

We had the pleasure, during the year, of a visit from Nat Fitts. A number of the Sioux City alumni motored to Vermillion, S.D. with him to attend Founders Day of Delta Gamma. The Sioux City alumni also gave a dinner for Nat in the State

Suite of the Martin Hotel. Short talks were made by Dr. Prince Sawyer, Harry Snyder, Judge F. F. Faville, and Nat Fitts. Nat certainly made a hit here, and we are sorry we cannot be favored more often with visits from members of the Arch Chapter.

Ted Bergman is at present visiting Delta Gamma, and a few of the alumni will go to Vermillion this week-end. Monday, December 14, we are giving a luncheon for Ted in the Martin Hotel. Ted has many good friends in Sioux City, and we certainly appreciate his untiring efforts in behalf of our Fraternity.

Keyes Gaynor is still on the job as president of the house corporation of Delta Gamma. Keyes is one man who never fails us and the boys at South Dakota should vote him the permanent keys to the house or some such recognition.

We have made an effort this year to establish contact with all new Delts in the city and get them out for our activities. We have also tried to act as a clearing house for all prospective rushers, who are entering any school in the country where we have a chapter, and we believe we have been able to recommend to membership some very fine men.

From all reports, our Fraternity is going rapidly ahead, having weathered the depression and gained strength in spite of it. We feel that this could not have been accomplished without tremendous alumni interest and exceptionally capable and willing national officers. We salute the Arch Chapter of $\Delta T \Delta$ and give it thanks for so capably guiding our Fraternity.

We dislike to make predictions, but are taking time out to predict that our annual meeting, December 28, will set something of a new record in these parts. We hope to make plans for the most active year in our history. Viva la Fraternitie!

WALTON H. HERMAN

Stark County (Ohio)

THE alumni chapter has had but one meeting since our last letter, and there was a small attendance due to the proximity of Election Day. Plans are being made for a meeting during

the Christmas holidays at which time the undergraduates will attend.

C. W. PORTMANN

Tampa

THE Tampa Alumni Chapter of $\Delta T \Delta$ has been unorganized for two years. We no longer hold meetings.

JOHN FISHER

Toledo

News items from this city include: Richard W. Diemer is in the office of Neale-Phypers, insurance brokers in the Security Bank Bldg. Frank Powell is engaged in the seed business with Browning Seed Co. Wesley Brackney is an attorney with the Commerce Guardian Bank. E. M. Brown is an executive of Shaw-Kendall Engineering Co., and his brother Maltbie has his own municipal bond firm in the Nicholas Bldg. Orin C. Clement, a former President of the Northern Division, is practicing law with offices in the Nicholas Bldg. Phil J. Clisby is to be found at the Hett-rich Mfg. Co. Lyman Close is an executive of Toledo Pressed Steel Co. Wilfred Hibbert is associated with the *Toledo Times*. LaDow Johnston is practicing law with offices in the Edison Bldg. Robert L. Lowrie is engaged in printing and publishing and is associated with the Coslon Press. Frank Mulholland heads the law firm of Mulholland & Mulholland. His son, Clarence, is the junior member of the firm. William H. Schomburg is president of Bingham Stamping & Tool Co. Herbert M. Sharp is president of the Maumee Asphalt Paving Co. William Watson is cashier of the Natl. Bank of Toledo. Erwin T. Weis commutes to Monroe, Mich. daily to supervise the operation of the Weis Mfg. Co. Waynard Vosper is interested nautically when time can be spared from his technical duties at Toledo Pipe Thread Co. Dr. L. C. Jackson has been devoting some serious effort toward making life uncomfortable for the muskies in the Lake-of-the-Woods district.

LADOW JOHNSTON

Topeka

MANY of the Topeka alumni members are still active, although the alumni chapter has been rather inac-

tive, due perhaps in part, at least, to the late depression. Although your correspondents did not attend the annual Delt banquet preceding the Kansas-Nebraska game, G. E. Wilson and Dick Gelvin attended the affair. There they had the pleasure of renewing acquaintance with the Kansas City representatives, consisting of Victor L. Phillips, the contractors' supply man; Martin B. Dickinson, vice-president of the Western Division; Roscoe C. Groves, Treasurer of $\Delta T \Delta$ and former President of the Western Division; Howard Patterson, engineer; and Horace Chandler, lumberman of Atchison, Kan.

We of the Topeka Alumni Chapter have congratulations to extend to Louis E. Howard, who after fourteen years of married life broke over and became the proud parent of a boy. The son and heir arrived in the early part of November. Floyd D. Strong, attorney with the prominent Topeka firm of Lillard, Eidson & Lewis, is leaving December 20 with his family for a three-week vacation in California. They intend to stay a short while in Los Angeles and then go to San Francisco, and later to attend the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena, on New Year's Day. "Slew" tells us that he has been pointing his vacation to this game for a year, and our only thought is that we wish that we might accompany him.

Cliff Stratton, the Washington correspondent of the Capper Publication, will leave early in January for the opening sessions of Congress and will cover the President's Inaugural ceremonies.

Lee Monroe, Sigma Prime (Mt. Union), '80, will leave his Texas ranch and be in Topeka for the holiday season. Mr. Monroe, our oldest alumnus, has retired from his active law practice in Topeka and he spends a great deal of his time supervising his extensive land holdings in Texas.

Henry J. Allen, editor of the *Topeka State Journal*, former United States Senator and governor of Kansas, was discharged recently from a Wichita hospital, where he has been confined with injuries sustained in an automobile accident during the last election campaign.

Former Congressman Homer Hoch is up for confirmation as chairman of the state corporation commission of Kansas. This confirmation will take place when the senate convenes in January.

"Red" Clancy is scheduled to "go out" of the Income Tax Commission, since the change from a Republican to a Democratic régime in Kansas.

Dick Gelvin, formerly with the Midwestern Paper Co., has recently been made sales manager for Kansas of the Berlingham & Prosser Paper Co. of Kansas City, Mo.

Ferdinand Voiland, Jr. was elected lieutenant governor of the Kiwanis International for the district comprising Missouri, Kansas, and Arkansas. Mr. Voiland is still assistant state printer.

C. R. GELVIN
C. R. HARNER
R. A. HICKEY

Toronto

THE 1936-37 season for Toronto alumni opened with a bang on September 17 with thirty-five on hand to elect officers for the coming year. The new executive promised a big season for all.

To prove they were right, a "Millionaire's Night" was staged in October and another large turnout thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment. Many favorable comments were heard about the new decoration of the chapter house. Everything looked spick and span.

In November was the largest and best reunion ever held by the chapter. This fall was the thirtieth anniversary of old Psi Delta Psi and the tenth anniversary of Delta Theta. It was only fitting that such an occasion should be duly celebrated, and how it was! Jack Wilson very kindly offered the hospitality of his home and Sunday, November 15, the members met together. Sixty-eight alumni sat down to dinner and afterwards heard of the growth of our chapter from the toddling infant to the healthy man of today. It will go down in annals as the night of the year.

Within a week our December meeting will take place, at which an alumni initiating team will see that

six new pledges become Delt brothers. This should be another big night.

Altogether, Toronto Alumni Chapter has reason to be proud of having an active, peppy organization to which the undergraduate chapter lads can look forward to joining.

E. R. SHARPE

Tulsa

THE Tulsa Alumni Chapter held its regular monthly meeting November 12 at the University Club. There seems to be a lot of old Delt spirit in "these parts" from the large turnout for this meeting. The by-laws were amended to provide that in the future our monthly meetings would be held the second Thursday of the month instead of the second Friday, as in the past. This seemed to be the consensus of opinion of all present, saying that Thursday night was "maid's night out," thereby giving the men an excuse not to have to go home for dinner with the wife and children. At this meeting two committees were appointed—a "get-out" committee and an entertainment committee. George Mix McKenney was appointed chairman of the "get-out" committee; to serve with him were D. R. Montgomery, Harlen Trower, H. F. Sackett, and Major C. Perrine. Their duties are to establish contact with every Delt in this area, collect chapter dues, and sell subscriptions to *THE RAINBOW*. The entertainment committee has a program all lined up for the next meeting, which will be the first annual meeting of the Tulsa Alumni Chapter since its reorganization in December, 1935. The meeting will be held Thursday, December 10, at the University Club, at which time there will be election of officers and plans made for the next year's work.

Lieut. H. B. Suffield, commander of the CCC Camp at Wetumka, was a guest at our November meeting. G. H. Galbreath, of G. H. Galbreath and Co., was recently elected president of the Tulsa real estate board.

It seems a long time since the 1936 celebration of Founders Day; our meeting on that occasion was so en-

joyable that we are looking forward to next March 5, Delts' night throughout all the land. A committee is to be appointed at our next meeting to work out plans for this occasion.

The oddest, by far the most successful, and yet without, the most retiring of all Nimrods in Tulsa, is a "Cousin Hunter." Judge Redmond S. Cole, can boast of a game bag numbering 30,000, and increasing at a prodigious rate daily. Surely no other hunter hereabouts can boast of so many kin-folks. He was placid even in the face of the possibility that all those relatives might drop in on him for a casual fortnight's visit. Judge Cole is to be the principal speaker at the December 10 meeting, and he has given us assurance that he won't talk about his cousins.

Plans are under way for some forty members of the Tulsa Alumni Chapter to visit Delta Alpha at Norman a week-end sometime in February. So many Tulsa alumni have not been in a chapter house for some twenty years and we believe the visit will bring back many happy Delt memories.

Ye Delts, don't forget a good time for all, second Thursday of every month six bells sharp, at Tulsa's beautiful University Club.

LAWRENCE H. WILSON

Wichita

DR. E. L. WYNN, who died last October, had been elected secretary-treasurer of the Wichita Alumni Chapter a short time prior to his death, and his loss will be keenly felt by every member of our group. The local chapter attended his funeral in a body.

We are holding our annual Christmas party at the Hotel Broadview roof garden in this city, December 30. This party, in collaboration with the local Sigma Nu alumni chapter, was started five years ago and has been, not only an annual event ever since, but also one of the social high lights of the holiday season every year.

Notices are going out for a business meeting to be held December 18 at the Wichita Club. At this meeting,

we plan to elect a new secretary-treasurer to succeed Dr. E. L. Wynn and to complete plans for our annual Christmas party.

Regular meetings were discontinued during the summer months, but it is contemplated that they will be resumed very shortly.

Gene Coombs is now associated with the law firm of Cowan, McCorkle & Nelson, Fourth Natl. Bank Bldg., of this city.

H. M. ALLEN

Youngstown

ALTHOUGH the Youngstown Alumni Chapter hasn't had a meeting in several years, several of us have been thinking seriously of trying to revive the chapter. We have had no regular meetings, but a few of us keep in touch with each other.

Harry S. Anderson is head of the claim department of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co. and Ben F. Anthony is supervisor of research for this company. Harold M. Chapel is a teacher at South High School and coach of the rifle team which usually wins most of the national championships in its class. George P. Chatterton is still going strong as principal of the aforementioned South High School. Norman W. Cleverly, partner in the legal firm of Cleverly & Bullock, is still commanding attention in that B-flat bass voice.

Ed D. Hazeltine, Sigma Prime (Mt. Union), '81, is still looking for new worlds to conquer. He hit the top as an engineer, and, as First Ward councilman, is now on his way up in the political game.

Ralph T. Johnson is personnel director of this district for WPA. Lorin D. Leihgeber is manager of the local branch of the Eastman Kodak Stores, Inc. Herb White is the used car manager for our leading Plymouth-De Soto dealer, and if Herb doesn't have the car you want, he knows where he can get it. Your correspondent is now connected with the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co., as a photographer, and can be addressed in care of this company.

J. M. SPRATT

★ THE CHAPTER ETERNAL ★

Beta—Ohio

'13—PARK LOWE BONEYSTEELE, Oakland, Calif.

Mu—Ohio Wesleyan

'04—ARTHUR NEWELL DAY, St. Louis, Mo.

Rho—Stevens

'92—NICHOLAS SNODEN HILL, JR., Greens Farms,
Conn.

Psi—Wooster

'91—SAMUEL BLACK LINHART, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Beta Zeta—Butler

'95—ANDREW NOAH FOX, Glen Ellyn, Ill.

Beta Eta—Minnesota

'97—FREDERICK SAMUEL HEAD, Minneapolis, Minn.

Beta Pi—Northwestern

'05—FRANK OSCAR SMITH, Phoenix, Ariz.

Beta Tau—Nebraska

'27—JUDD W. CROCKER, Omaha, Neb.

Gamma Zeta—Wesleyan

'00—ARTHUR LEONARD BROWN, Livingston, Mont.

Gamma Kappa—Missouri

'15—GEORGE PALFREYMAN, JR., Chicago, Ill.

'33—SAM ENGLISH WILSON, Fulton, Mo.

Gamma Tau—Kansas

'22—ERWIN LEE WYNN, Wichita, Kan.



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★ Alumni Chapter Calendar and Secretaries ★

Please notify the Central Office immediately of any change in officers, time or place of meetings, etc.

- AKRON**—James H. Fitch, X, 38 Kuder Ave., Akron, Ohio. Meetings every other Saturday noon at Akron City Club.
- ASHTABULA COUNTY**—Burdette Chapman, B, 2225 Walnut Blvd., Ashtabula, Ohio. Dinner meeting the third Tuesday of the month at Hotel Ashtabula at 6:30 P.M.
- ATHENS**—J. Alonzo Palmer, B, 20 N. College St., Athens, Ohio. Meetings once each month at Beta Chapter Shelter.
- ATLANTA**—Joe Horacek, Jr., BE, 811 Oakdale Rd., Atlanta, Ga. Meetings second Monday night of each month at the home of some member.
- AUSTIN**—William J. Cutbirth, II, 602 W. 18th, Austin, Tex.
- BATTLE CREEK**—George D. Farley, E, 105 W. Van Buren St., Battle Creek, Mich.
- BOSTON**—Richard V. Wakeman, BO, 115 Monroe Rd., Quincy, Mass. Luncheons first Tuesday of each month, Chamber of Commerce, 80 Federal St., 12:30 P.M.
- BUFFALO**—Dennis C. Liles, N, 275 Hamburg Turnpike, Buffalo, N.Y. Luncheons every Monday at University Club on Delaware Ave., at 12:30 P.M.
- BUTLER**—H. George Allen, T, 318 W. Brady St., Butler, Pa. Meetings at Armco Room, Nixon Hotel.
- CAPITAL DISTRICT** (Troy, Albany, and Schenectady, N.Y.)—Gordon E. Paul, BZ, 135 Nott Ter., Schenectady, N.Y. Meetings held irregularly at Albany, Schenectady, and Troy.
- CENTRAL CONNECTICUT**—Justus W. Paul, BZ, 108 Kenyon St., Hartford, Conn. Luncheons every Tuesday at 12:30 P.M. at Mills Spa, 725 Main St., Hartford, Conn.
- CHARLESTON**—I. C. Wildman, IΔ, 205 Broad St., Charleston, W.Va.
- CHICAGO**—George Sando, BZ, Goddard & Co., Rm. 1808A, 175 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill. Weekly luncheons are held every Wednesday at Interfraternity Club.
- CINCINNATI**—Alvah P. Clark, IΞ, 6928 Ohio Ave., Silverton, Ohio. Luncheon every Tuesday, Cincinnati Club, 8th and Race Sts., 12:30 P.M.
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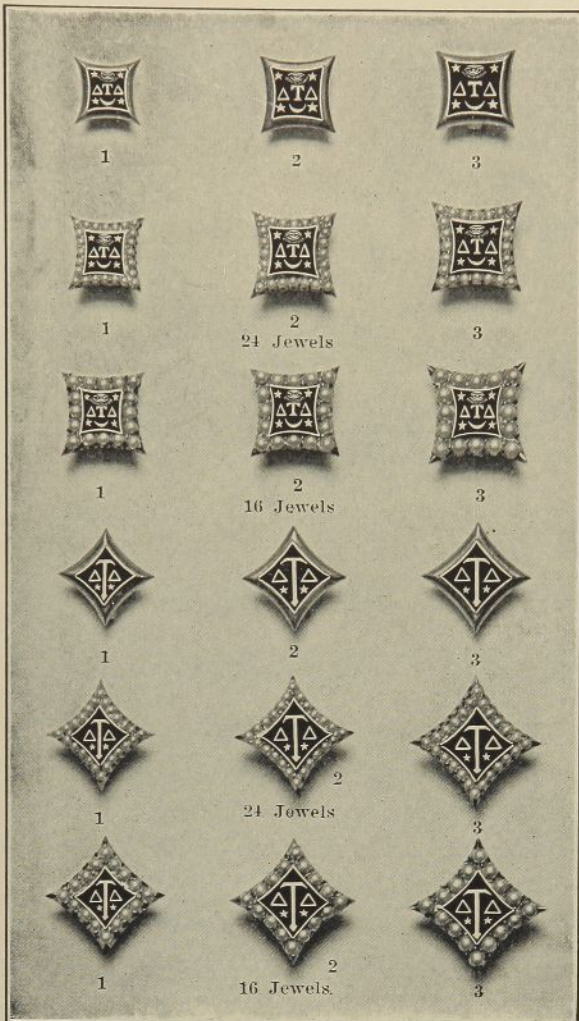
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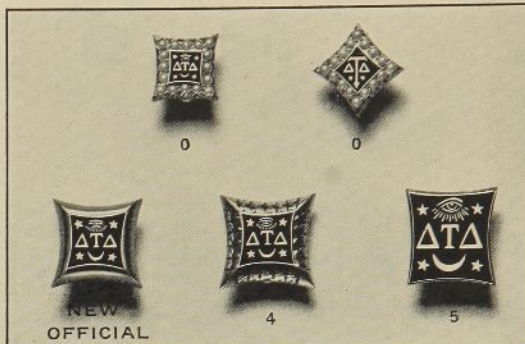
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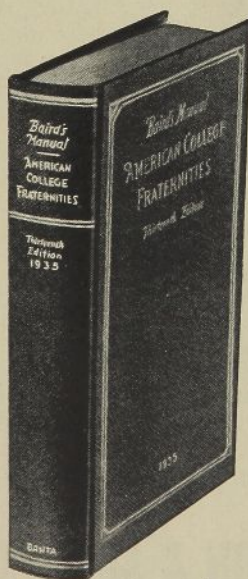
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