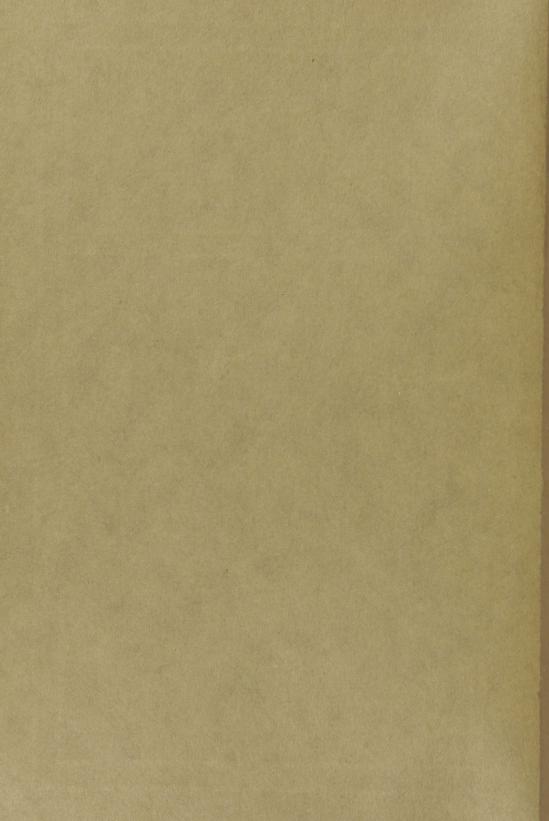
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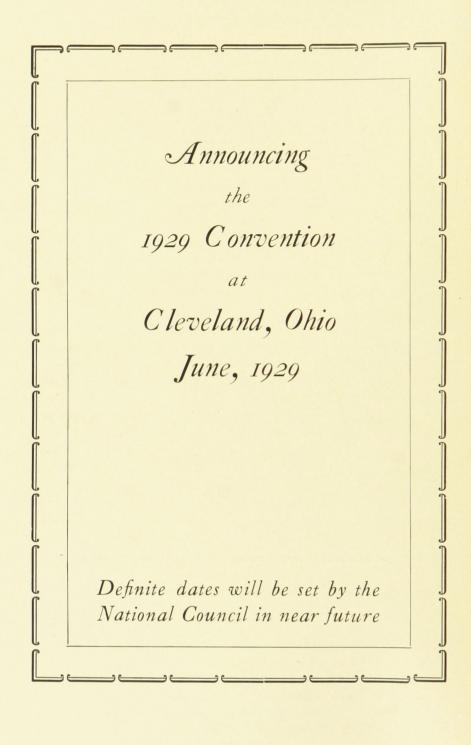
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#### PHI PI PHI AT ST. LAWRENCE

Gamma Sigma Rho becomes Rho Chapter

IN ESTABLISHING a chapter of the fraternity at the St. Lawrence University, Phi Pi Phi has reached the numerical strength of sixteen active collegiate chapters. It has also extended the boundaries of the fraternity a little more to the East and considerably more to the North.

The St. Lawrence University, the "University of the North Country," is situated in the village of Canton in the northern part of New York state. The village is the county seat of St. Lawrence county, and lies midway between the majestic St. Lawrence river, and the foothills of the Adirondack mountains.

The St. Lawrence University was chartered by the legislature of the state of New York on April 3, 1856, for the purpose of "establishing, maintaining, and conducting a college in the town of Canton, St. Lawrence County, for the promotion of general education, and to cultivate and advance literature, science, and the arts; and to maintain a theological school at Canton aforesaid." Like all other colleges of the state, it is a constituent part of the educational system called the university of the state of New York. It includes the college of Letters and Science, the Theological School, the Brooklyn Law School, the University Library, the Clinton Liberal Institute.

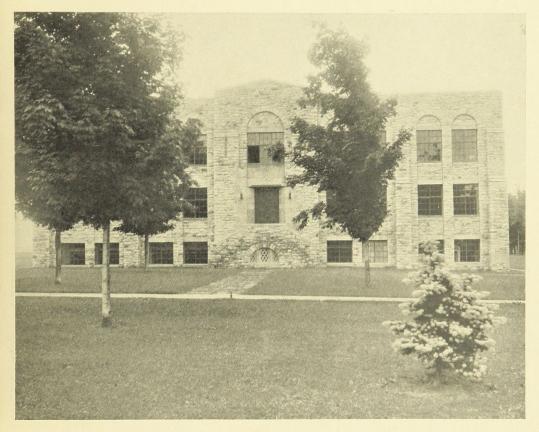
Each department is independent in its faculty and funds and in instruction and government of its students. The corporate name of the institution as a whole is "The St. Lawrence University."

By its charter the college of letters and science is non-sectarian, and all denominations are represented on the board of trustees, on the faculty and in the student body. The institution is co-educational and has been from its beginning. Indeed, it was in this a



Home of the President
The St. Lawrence University

pioneer in the educational world. As a result, a delightful, ordered, social life has always existed at the college. The university owns nearly four hundred acres of land, comprising the original campus of twenty-six acres, the athletic field of thirteen acres, and two adjoining farms, of over three hundred acres. In addition a large tract to the east of and adjoining the college property is under development and will when completed be given to the institution by its present owner, Owen D. Young, president of the board of trustees. On this tract is situated the president's house, a reservation for



HEPBURN HALL OF CHEMISTRY
The St. Lawrence University

private residences, a reservation for future college buildings, the golf course, already in existence, and a mile long tree-lined drive. This development will add materially to the effectiveness and the attractiveness of the college property. The grounds of the original campus rise gradually from the street, with open lawns and beautiful trees, many of which were planted by the members of various classes and of student organizations. From the summit of College Hill one looks across the "Paradise Valley" of Eben Holden to the foothills of the Adirondacks.



GUNNISON MEMORIAL CHAPEL
The St. Lawrence University

The faculty of the university numbers over fifty and new additions to the staff will soon reduce the number of students to a professor to fifteen. Additional compensation and new homes will soon bring the renumeration of the faculty of St. Lawrence to that of the highest in any college or university.

The university is supported in the main by fees obtained from students and returns on the endowment funds. Special bequests and funds from the state of New York are added to the income. The endowment fund is now considerably in excess of two millions of



VIEW FROM BETA MEMORIAL TEMPLE
The St. Lawrence University

dollars and is being constantly increased so that the future of St. Lawrence is definitely assured. The physical plant is valued at nearly two and one-half millions of dollars and plans are being made for new buildings that will enable it to more efficiently serve the educational needs of the region in which it is situated.

The enrollment of new students is carefully supervised and selections are made from among the applicants in such a manner that will insure only the highest type of young manhood and young womanhood in its student body. No attempt is made to seek a



A CAMPUS VIEW
The St. Lawrence University

large enrollment. The enrollment is held to that number for which the university feels it can provide the best possible instruction.

Student life at St. Lawrence is wholesome and the environment is considered exceptionally good for the highest degree of college life. Activities are numerous and offer outlets to those of many tastes.

Greek letter fraternities appeared early at St. Lawrence and the following men's fraternities are represented: Beta Theta Pi, 1875; Alpha Tau Omega, 1882; Phi Sigma Kappa, 1902; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 1919; Phi Pi Phi, 1928.



Brewer Field House
The St. Lawrence University

The following sororities have been established: Kappa Kappa Gamma, 1879; Delta Delta Delta, 1891; Pi Beta Phi, 1914; Kappa Delta, 1921; Delta Zeta, 1923. In addition to the above national societies there is one local fraternity and one local sorority.

Phi Beta Kappa was established in 1899 and chapters of Tau Kappa Alpha, national honorary debating society, of Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary journalistic society, and of Beta Pi Theta, honorary French society, also exist.

The enrollment of the College of Letters and Science is approxi-



Dean Eaton Dormitory (Women)

The St. Lawrence University

mately eight hundred while that of the Theological School is about thirty.

Many nationally and internationally known men have graduated from St. Lawrence, among them Owen D. Young, '91, a member of Beta Theta Pi and at present president of the board of trustees. Mr. Young also is known as co-author of the Dawes' Reparation Plan, and as the president of the General Electric Company.

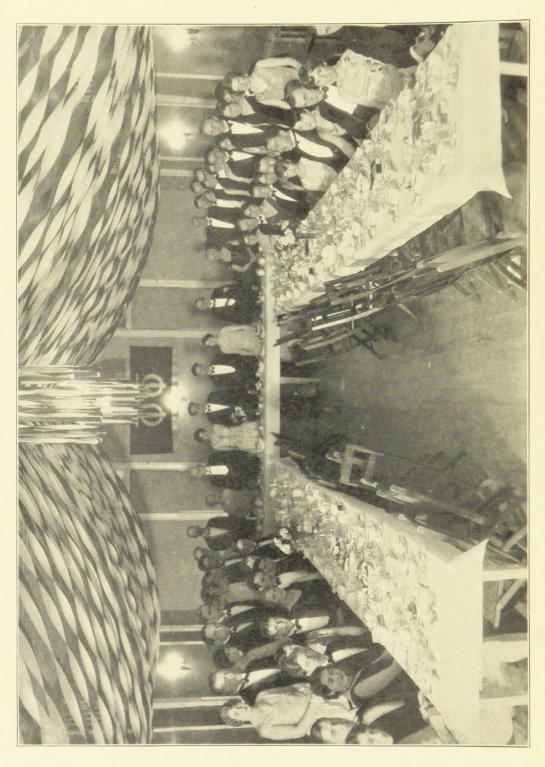
Irving Bacheller, author of *Eben Holden* and other stories of the north country is greatly revered by his fellow Laurentians. It might



Interior View Gunnison Memorial Chapel
The St. Lawrence University

be added that Mr. Bacheller was the founder of the Alpha Omicron chapter of Alpha Tau Omega on St. Lawrence campus.

Other graduates who are nationally known are Dr. C. Sheard in the field of optics; Dr. C. K. Gaines, authority on Greek life and literature and noted for his Greek story *Gorgo*; Dr. F. S. Lee of Columbia University who has achieved renown in his experiments in psychology; Dr. J. L. Heaton of the New York *World*, who is known as a poet and journalist; and C. H. Robinson, builder of bridges among which is the Manhattan Bridge.



#### INSTALLATION OF RHO CHAPTER

ANOTHER national fraternity made its inaugural bow in the Hill circle on Monday, December 3, when Gamma Sigma Rho was officially incorporated as Rho chapter of Phi Pi Phi. Fred M. Clarke, the national president, and Arnold C. Van Zandt, national secretary, headed the degree team for the initiation ceremonies.

Mr. Clarke and Mr. Van Zandt arrived in Canton, Monday morning, and immediately set about completing arrangements for the initiation ceremonies. At 1:30 in the afternoon all was ready and the members of Gamma Sigma Rho went to the Canton Club, whence they emerged some three hours later as charter members of Rho chapter of Phi Pi Phi.

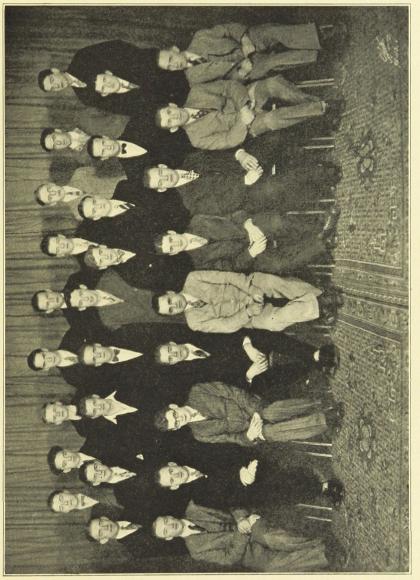
After the installation, a formal banquet and dance was held at the Canton Club. Toastmaster, H. J. McOmber, called upon Phillips L. Thayer, '27, Dr. R. E. Sykes, and President Fred M. Clarke, who gave congratulatory toasts as representatives of the alumni, the college, and the national council.

Brother Thaver said that as he was one of the founders of Gamma Sigma Rho he was especially glad to be present. He said that in the fall of 1925 a group of men realized the need of another fraternity on the Hill at St. Lawrence, and as a result Gamma Sigma Rho was founded November 1, 1925. He also recalled the early struggles of the fraternity, the unfavorable location of the house, the lack of experience of the members, and the difficulty of interesting outsiders in the fraternity. In spite of all these obstacles, Gamma Sigma Rho soon forged ahead and placed itself at the head of the list of fraternities on the hill in respect to scholarship. Brother Thayer stated that even before the first chapter meeting of the organization a bill had been incurred and from then on came a steady procession of them that at times threatened to swamp the members, but that through it all they had borne up well and emerged victorious. When the college enabled us to move to our present home, the move added impetus to our forward movement that culminated in the acceptance of our petition to Phi Pi Phi.

Dr. R. E. Sykes, president of St. Lawrence University, was the second speaker. Dr. Sykes recalled our early struggles, our moving to our new home on Lincoln Street last spring, and finally our success in having our petition to a national fraternity accepted. Dr. Sykes said that he believed, as did the national fraternity that we are joining, that Rho chapter will become a strong and successful one of which the other chapters can justly be proud. He stated that in spite of the unfavorable location of our old house on Judson Street we had managed to get along and that the college was glad of the opportunity to help us last spring when they enabled us to move to our present home.

Dr. Sykes recalled the fact that the house was connected with the college at its beginning, as it was the home of Dr. Lee, the first president of St. Lawrence University. He said that he thought that Gamma Sigma Rho had made no mistake in choosing Phi Pi Phi as the national fraternity with which to affiliate itself as it had been recommended to the representatives of Gamma Sigma Rho by the national president of his own fraternity. In closing Dr. Sykes stated that in the past, our success had been due to our efforts and that he hoped and expected that in the future we should continue to be successful and become the leading chapter of Phi Pi Phi even as we had been the leading chapter in scholarship in St. Lawrence in the past.

The last speaker was Fred M. Clarke, National President of Phi Pi Phi. He expressed pleasure in being able to be present and congratulated the men of Rho chapter on their recent step. He said that he was sure that Rho chapter would be successful but reminded the members that in order to insure their success they must adhere strictly to and always keep in mind the ideals of the fraternity as given to them in the initiation ceremonies. Next to devotion to ideals Mr. Clarke placed purpose. He stated that in both college and civil life purpose should guide a man. In college one's purpose should not be merely to become a graduate of the institution which he is attending but to prepare himself for some place in future activities. In after life one should not be solely interested in receiving his pay check every Saturday night, but should fix his aim to give his em-



GAMMA SIGMA RHO THE CHAPTER

Middle-Achenback, Sterling, Hersey, MacOmber, Mabin, Beachner, Kendall, Howard, Bowlor Top-Yates, Cassano, Lobdell, Bott, Zimpel, Finley, W. Yates, Ellis, Troiano. Sitting-Bowles, Wait, Deal, Thayer, Atwood, Loucks, Scism, Tucker, Short

THE CHAPTER HOME

ployer satisfaction and prepare himself to advantageously meet future opportunities as they present themselves. Mr. Clarke closed by wishing Rho chapter all success in the future and expressing expectancy of such success.

The guests of honor were Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Sykes, Dean and Mrs. E. L. Hulett, Dean and Mrs. J. M. Atwood, and Professor and Mrs. L. T. Cook; the chaperons were Professor and Mrs. A. R. Hartzell.

The committee in charge of the social arrangements for the affair consisted of J. B. Tucker, assisted by W. T. Cassano, J. D. Finley, R. F. Zimpel, and W. H. Yates. Music was furnished by the Clarkson Melody Boys. The dining-room was decorated in cherry and white, the colors of Gamma Sigma Rho, and the ball-room was decorated in turquoise blue and black.

All the brothers in Rho chapter are very happy to be able to say that they are members of a national fraternity and are especially proud that they wear the badge of Phi Pi Phi.

PHILLIPS THAYER



Clifford Swan Delta Upsilon, Chairman



William L. Phillips Sigma Phi Epsilon, Vice-chairman



Charles W. Gerstenberg Delta Chi, Secretary



Alvan Duerr Delta Tau Delta, Treasurer

NEWLY-ELECTED OFFICERS OF THE INTERFRATERNITY CONFERENCE

#### BIG GATHERING OF FRATERNITY MEN

Delegates from Sixty National Fraternities Gather in New York for Twentieth Annual Interfraternity Conclave

#### MANY VITAL PROBLEMS DISCUSSED

TWO hundred and twenty-two accredited delegates representing exactly sixty national fraternities, met at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York City, on November 30, and December 1 for the twentieth annual session of the Interfraternity Conference. Twenty-seven college deans accepted invitations and likewise attended the sessions.

Chairman Harold Riegelman, in welcoming the delegates, said in part: "The college fraternal system has been as progressive as youth itself. Fraternities are regarded by their members as institutions, suggesting a comparatively stable unit doing business year in and year out in substantially the same way. Institutional agencies are useful as well as vitally essential, but college fraternities are not institutions. They are a distinct movement—the form, the name, the ritual, the badge and the traditions remain unchanged."

#### DEBATE IS FEATURE

The outstanding feature of the first day's program was a debate upon "rough-house" initiation as an introduction to college fraternity life. The Conference reaffirmed its position in opposition to the practice.

The affirmative in the debate was taken by Lewis D. Syester, Ohio Wesleyan senior and member of Phi Kappa Psi. Donald Sherbondy, a junior in the same college and a member of Alpha Sigma Phi, although opposed to rough-house initiations took the negative for the sake of argument.

Syester asserted that abolition was expedient because rough-house initiation tended to diminish the prestige of the fraternity system. Serious accidents, he said, were bound to occur. For every "black eye" the fraternity gave a freshman, he thought, it received two "black eyes."

"If there were any psychological values in getting the fraternity across by rough methods," he argued, "it would have been incorporated long ago. Rough-house initiation produces no constructive benefits and seriously undermines the basic spirit of fraternities."

Sherbondy contended that the rough-house initiation served to make the ritual service that followed more impressive. He said there was no "wave" of public opposition to the system of rough-house initiation. He thought that everything "indecent" should be abolished and that the initiation should vary to fit the physical condition of the individual. He admitted there were abuses in the practice, but in only a few of the chapters.

Rough initiations created a warring feeling, Syester said, of "getting even with the next man to come through." They served as a license, he added, "to revert to primitive and savage instincts" and were not in accord with the ritual, nor a test of the freshman's mettle.

Harrold P. Flint, executive secretary of Tau Kappa Epsilon, characterized the rough-house initiation as "an outburst of sadistic temperament." Some members, he said, received delight out of inflicting punishment.

"The one vulnerable spot in the entire fraternity organization," he said, "is the use of the rough-house system, during a period usually described as "hell week" on the campus. The entire system is inane and of no practical use. It proves that even the so-called cultured college man has not yet learned to control his outbursts."

Mr. Flint thought the practice could not be broken "on the spur of the moment." It would be far better, he said, for fraternities to stop the rough practices than wait for the colleges to abolish them.

#### SHEPARDSON ADDRESSES DELEGATES

With an urgent plea that fraternity men not only continue the work they are doing for the improvement of fraternity standards, but also let other students and especially college officials know of these efforts, Dr. Francis W. Shepardson, dean of fraternity workers and former chairman of the Conference, reported on two meetings of college and university officials he had recently attended.

The conference of deans of men held last May in Boulder, Colo-

rado, Dean Shepardson said, proved to be fully cognizant of the value of fraternity life.

"Those officers were sympathetic and friendly with the college fraternity, recognizing the value of these organizations as administrative helps to them. These men," said Dean Shepardson, "will work with us for the improvement of American college fraternities and for the elimination of certain evils which we have been working at now for a score of years."

At the meeting of the National Association of Presidents of State Universities, however, Dean Shepardson reported, the question was raised as to the value of fraternities to these institutions and a committee was appointed to study questions relative to fraternities.

The answers to be found by this committee, according to Dean Shepardson, will have a serious effect upon the future of college fraternities, and it behooves every fraternity to let non-fraternity men and college officials know that fraternities are working for the best interests of the colleges.

"For twenty years," said Dean Shepardson, "we have been trying to get across the idea that there cannot be a good fraternity chapter anywhere unless the spirit on the campus is right; that the college fraternity is a subsidiary of college life and that college always must come first. But we don't get it across."

"What constructive work have we done in education? Every man of you know people whose very lives have been transformed by kneeling at the altar of a college fraternity. That is constructive educational work. The greatest, most powerful constructive force at work on college campuses today to advance scholarship is the American college fraternity."

#### DEFERRED INITIATION DISCUSSED

A debate followed on the subject: "Resolved that after the opening of the freshman year there should be a period of time during which rushing and pledging to fraternity membership should be prohibited." The affirmative was taken by Dean J. A. Bursley, of Michigan, and Dean Floyd Field, of Georgia Tech, and the negative was taken by Dr. Charles A. Tonsor, Jr., Delta Sigma Phi, and Dr.

Charles W. Gerstenberg, treasurer of the Conference. No decision was handed down, but the points developed by the debators aroused a great deal of interest, and at the end of the debate the general discussion was spirited.

The arguments urged by the affirmative were, in the main, as follows: Delayed pledging will result in better freshman scholarship. It will permit the fraternity to judge a candidate from knowledge of the individual, not merely on the basis of a recommendation plus a cursory acquaintance. It will permit a freshman to know something of the fraternity he is invited to join. It will result in fewer freshman casualties, fewer Christmas graduates. Delayed pledging will result in fewer broken pledges. It will keep the fraternity secondary to the college, as it should be. It will do away with the underhand methods that are inherent in unrestricted rushing.

"The most of our indifferent material," Dean Field argued, "comes from grabbing the freshmen as they come on the campus. If you are perfectly willing to take your freshmen and not select them, then well and good—take them as they come off the train and on the campus, and you will get a fairly good cross-section, and your scholastic average will wobble around the school average."

The negative brought out these points. If there are abuses in the present system of rushing, delay in rushing and pledging will not cure them. If rushing and pledging are delayed, other undergraduate organizations will profit at the expense of the fraternities. Delayed rushing and pledging will prove injurious to the freshman, because it is necessary that some organized group rationalize the whole procedure of college, which is new to the freshman. To delay his pledging will deprive the freshman of the home atmosphere of a fraternity house, the democratic discipline of the fraternity, and the character molding in the smallest possible organized group you can get upon the college campus. Early initiation into a fraternity, in these days of the enlightened efforts of the Conference to improve scholarship, should not lower scholarship, but should raise it. To deny fraternity membership to a freshman for any length of time will lose to the college the one co-operative force that is "college minded." With deferred pledging we shall have fraternities of upper classmen, who

will be very busy finding suitable material without actually wooing it, and these fraternity men will be guilty of repression, and will suffer from repressed desires. Deferred pledging will take time away from the ritual, from the concentration of the fraternity man on the ideals expressed in his fraternity's ritual. Delayed pledging will be injurious to the fraternity as a business enterprise, with all the attendant evils of insufficient income. It will result in bootlegging of freshmen. It will brand the fraternity "as a vile influence from which freshmen must be shielded." The present methods of rushing keep the freshmen from worrying for six months or a year as to what fraternity he will make.

The negative argument was summarized in the words of Dr. Tonsor. "Unless," he said, "you are willing to admit that the fundamental premise on which this whole thing is based is that fraternity is fundamentally vicious, you must admit that the fraternity is good and the longer the freshman is under the influence of what that fraternity stands for, the better."

#### NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers were unanimously elected: chairman, Clifford M. Swan (Delta Upsilon); vice-chairman, William L. Phillips (Sigma Phi Epsilon); secretary, Charles W. Gerstenberg (Delta Chi); treasurer, Alvan E. Duerr (Delta Tau Delta); for members of the executive committee, class of 1930, Louis Rouillion (Delta Phi); Oswald C. Hering (Delta Kappa Epsilon) and George H. Bruce (Beta Theta Pi). W. Elmer Ekblaw (Acacia), Frank W. Scott (Alpha Tau Omega) and William M. Walden (Alpha Chi Rho) are members of the class of 1929.

In assuming office, Chairman Swan gave the keynote of his administration by saying: "The work of the Conference since its inception may roughly be divided into three periods. The first was the period of co-operation between fraternities, the getting-acquainted-with-each-other stage; the second was one of investigation, or research and recommendation; and the third was the period of construction. Now, I believe, we are entering the period of alliance. We must see eye to eye with college presidents and deans. We must reach fra-

ternity alumni, enlisting them in spreading the gospel of the Conference to the undergraduates and we must study the activity side of undergraduate life as we have examined scholarship so that a well-rounded picture may be had."

Committee on Information, Interfraternity Conference, J. Harold Johnston, Chairman

## PROMINENT MEMBERS OF PHI PI PHI

F. WARREN BROOKS, Lambda

Newly Appointed Inspector of the Allegheny District

In The official bulletin issued on November 22, 1928, the National Council announced the appointment of F. Warren Brooks as inspector of the Allegheny District. This appointment fills the vacancy caused by the death of Frederick W. Bayne which occurred in the early part of 1927. In many ways there is a striking similarity between Warren and "Freddy." Both inspectors were members of Lambda chapter, both graduates in M.E. of Case, both secured their master's degree at Yale and these two were very active in conducting the negotiations that led to the establishment of Lambda chapter at the Case School of Applied Science. As inspector of the fraternity, Warren will have direct supervision of Iota, Lambda, Mu, Nu and Rho chapters.

Brother Brooks entered Case School of Applied Science in 1922 and graduated in 1926. He was offered a fellowship at Yale University and there continued his studies the following year, receiving a degree of master of science. After leaving Yale, Warren was engaged in research work in lubricating oils in the laboratory of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. For the past year he has been in charge of research work, dealing with mechanical engineering problems, for the Cleveland Illuminating Company.

While at Case, Warren was one of the most active members of the student body. He sang in the Glee Club for four years and during his junior year was assistant manager. He was elected manager in the senior year. He was elected to Skull and Bones, the senior honor society, also elected secretary of the Athletic Association as well as to the secretaryship of the Interfraternity Council. In Lambda chapter, he became treasurer during his sophomore year and was president during his senior year. He has the honor of being the first president of Lambda chapter, the installation ceremonies having been conducted



F. Warren Brooks, *Lambda* Inspector Allegheny District

in 1926. Despite his many college and fraternity activities Brother Brooks was graduated with honors and was elected to membership in Tau Beta Phi, the honorary engineering fraternity, and to Sigma Xi, the honorary science fraternity. He also presented a paper at the Tri-State Power Convention, a division of the A.S.M.E., in June, 1927. The subject of this paper being on the design of boiler furnaces.

Since the establishment of Lambda chapter Brother Brooks has been deeply interested in Phi Pi Phi and has ever been ready to cooperate in furthering the interests of the fraternity both locally and nationally. His interest has not diminished since becoming an alumnus but on the other hand he has rendered valuable aid to the National Council in the tasks delegated to him.

C. J. WILLIAMSON, Lambda

#### ROBERT W. ELLMS, Mu

Robert W. Ellms was recently honored by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers for his work in connection with the development of formulas for "Calculating the Tail-Water Depth of the Hydraulic Jump in Sloping Fumes." In a paper presented at a meeting of the society in Pittsburgh, May, 1928, Brother Ellms presented a very concise analysis and solution of the problem, which has puzzled engineers for a considerable length of time. In previous studies made by his father, who is a consulting engineer and water purification expert, and of J. R. Fleming, this matter was made capable of a solution through the invention of a special flume. Up to this time there was no published data giving the mathematical derivations for the computation of the depth of water and authorities agreed that the mathematics involved were too difficult to analyze.

Ellms was successful in a series of experiments conducted and has developed five suitable formulas for the determination of the depth of water. His paper, when presented at the May meeting, aroused great interest among those present and leading professors of hydraulics of technical schools discussed the paper at length.

Shortly after the Pittsburgh meeting "Bob" received an offer

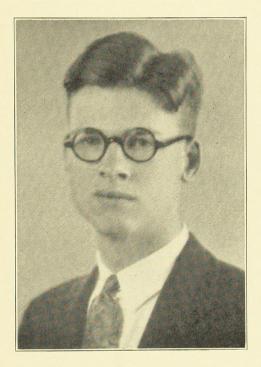


ROBERT W. ELLMS, Mu

from the chairman of the meeting who is also the general manager of the Pennsylvania Water and Power Company to enter the test and research department of the above company. Brother Ellms accepted this position and is now actively engaged in experimental work having a distinct bearing on a new plant being erected on the Susquehana River.

Brother Ellms is a member of Mu chapter and graduated *cum laude* from Baldwin-Wallace College in 1926. He then entered Case and received the degree of B.S. in mechanical engineering in 1927. While at Baldwin-Wallace he was actively engaged in college affairs as well as holding an assistantship in physics and astronomy. Here, also, he was a member of Science Seminar, the local scholastic society. At Case, he was elected to Sigma Xi, the honorary science fraternity and to junior membership of the A.S.M.E.

ROBERT LENNOX, Mu



KNIGHT BIGGERSTAFF, Theta

One of the most outstanding alumni members of Theta chapter is Knight Biggerstaff, who received his bachelor's degree from the University of California in 1927. During the year 1927-28 he did postgraduate work at Harvard and received a master's degree. His work while at California was of exceptional character and he was active in fraternity and university affairs. His pleasing personality won him many friends who are loath to share him with the far off countries.

Brother Biggerstaff is now continuing his studies at the University of Peking, China, taking the subject of the political situation with reference to its international relations. It will also be necessary for him to learn the Chinese language, which will require several years of study. We have confidence in Knight's ability to cope with the task he has chosen and it is assured that, once accomplished, he will contribute a real fund of knowledge to political science.

ALLAN WORKMAN, '29

#### THE EDITOR'S WORD OR TWO

WE HEARTILY welcome our newly inducted brothers of Rho chapter to the fraternity and we are sure that all members of Phi Pi Phi feel in accord with this statement. St. Lawrence University is one of the most ideal institutions that we know of and we believe in its future. The student body, in our opinion, is about the ideal number—approximating a thousand voung men and young women. The location is equally inviting. Canton, the seat of St. Lawrence, is a small community and this affords a healthy environment and produces the utmost in college life and activities. The university is progressive and constantly seeks to further the intellectual life of the student body. Students and professors alike are kept on their toes to make the most of their college work. A rather large endowment fund enables the university to offer a high degree of instruction and the equipment is constantly being improved. Additions to the endowment are frequently being made so that the financial future of St. Lawrence is assured. We believe that Rho chapter will contribute many good things to the welfare of Phi Pi Phi.

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At a meeting of the Interfraternity Conference held in New York City at a recent date a discussion of "Rough-house Initiation" was given a prominent part. That it was given thoughtful consideration speaks well for the officers and representatives of our general social Greek-letter fraternities. We have long held that "Hell Week" and rough-house initiations do not measure up to the dignity of a college fraternity. We can see no useful purpose for such institutions and we are of the belief that tradition has largely been responsible for their existence today. We are gratified to learn that a number of chapters of Phi Pi Phi have taken the initial step in providing for the elimination of Hell Week and mock initiations. A young man in college or university is presumed to be a gentleman or else he should have no connection with a fraternity. Furthermore he is presumed to conduct himself as a gentleman should and not revert back to the status of a savage when the time comes to welcome

younger men into an association that he has cherished. We could say a great deal more on this subject, but instead, we invite your attention to the debate before the Conference as given in the minutes of the meeting, which will be distributed very soon.

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We have been informed that at a number of colleges students who typewrite their college work receive greater consideration from their instructors. Chapter letters continue to reach the editor in long hand and the editor, not that he has anything else to do, is obliged to sit down and rewrite them on the typewriter. The patience of this editor is about at an end and we therefore suggest to all active chapters that in the future the chapter letter be sent in typewritten form to avoid being thrown out and the usual fine assessed.

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We are deeply appreciative of the generosity of National Counselor Victor B. Scott in providing the Victor Scott Trophy to be awarded the chapter that maintains the highest scholastic average for each college year. The trophy will be a traveling award but each chapter winning it will have its name displayed in a prominent place. Victor is making plans for a trophy that will be of unusual design and it will be quite a costly affair. We trust that each chapter will make serious efforts to capture this trophy this year.

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The Activity Cup given by the National Council to the chapter that excels in college activities will be awarded at the close of the year to the winning chapter to remain in its possession until the winner for the following year has been determined. The question of arriving at the values of the several activities between colleges and universities is being given careful study and the results of this study will be given in a future bulletin.

The National Council recently announced that it would give cash prizes amounting to *one hundred dollars* in a competition for new fraternity songs. Any member of the fraternity is eligible to compete in this contest and we would like to hear from our alumni as well as from the active members

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Announcement will soon be forthcoming concerning the dates of the 1929 convention which will be held in Cleveland during the latter part of June next. At this time we trust that a large number of both active and alumni members will bear in mind that a very important meeting will be held during the last week of June and that they will be well taken care of at the Cleveland convention. Vacations can now be planned with that thought in mind and we believe that you will have a corking good time as well as an opportunity to listen in on the affairs brought up for consideration. The Convention committee will soon be at work and as Cleveland offers many things of interest, we know you will be sorry if you do not attend. We have four chapters within a radius of Cleveland and they will see that you enjoy yourselves.

#### HONOR ROLL OF PHI PI PHI FRATERNITY

Large Gain in Life Memberships Recorded during this Period. Zeta Leads in Gain of Life Loyal Members, Eta and Omicron Tied for Second Place

THE largest gain so far reported for a single quarter is reflected in the current report and it is very gratifying that a large number of our alumni members have taken out Life Memberships in the recent months. Delta, as usual, continues to hold first place in the number of Life Members and as a result of previous efforts made we believe this chapter has more active alumni support than any other chapter in the fraternity.

Under a recent order of the National Council the provisions of the Constitution that require each initiate to subscribe to the Magazine Endowment Fund are to be strictly enforced before the Executive Secretary will issue a permit for initiation. It is expected that the number of Life Members will be increased to a marked degree. We would like to impress upon all members who were initiated prior to enforcement of the constitutional provision that they are obtaining something really worth while when they are kept in touch by The Quarterly with the affairs of their own chapter and the fraternity as a whole. Phi Pi Phi is constantly extending its sphere of influence and the chapters are diligently striving to make themselves better in every manner possible.

Following is a summary of Life Loyal Members by chapters:

Chapter	Last	Report	This Report	Gain
Alpha		13	15	2
Beta		22	23	1
Gamma		17	22	5
Delta		56	59	3
Epsilon		7	11	4
Zeta		14	22	8
Eta		19	26	7
Theta		39	43	4
Iota		18	19	1
Kappa (Inactive)		3	3	0
Lambda		25	28	3

Mu	22	23	1
Nu	14	16	2
Xi	2	3	1
Omicron	0	7	7
Pi	0	1	1
Rho	0	0	0
Alpha Omega (Founders)	4	4	0
Totals	275	325	50

The following names have been added to the Honor Roll since the last report made in the autumn number of The QUARTERLY:

Num	ber Name and address Chapter
276	Harold C. McKay, 225 East Huron St., ChicagoEpsilon
277	Arthur M. Saunders, 49 Beech St., Berea, OhioMu
278	Harold V. Burke, c/o Iowa Insurance Service Bureau, Cedar Rapids,
	Iowa
279	Albert L Daugherty, 1987 Lee Road, Cleveland Heights, OhioBeta
280	William Flickinger, Chase Hall, C 14, Harvard Univ. Soldier's
	Field Station, Boston, MassEpsilon
281	E. W. Pfeiffer, 136 Bidwell Park-Way, Buffalo, N.YDelta
282	Addison F. Fuller, 404 Center St., Whitewater, WisZeta
283	Jack P. Canizaro, Washington Street, Vicksburg, MissOmicron
284	E. Roscoe Andrews, New Albany, MissOmicron
285	Allen R. Hetzel, Almond, WisZeta
286	Harold C. Mueller, 1463 Summerdale Ave., ChicagoGamma
287	L. V. Craig, Pleasant Grove, MissOmicron
288	George O. Blowers, 2736 Bancroft Way, Berkeley, CalifTheta
289	Dan Smith, Y.M.C.A., 3039 E. 91st St., Chicago
290	Herman W. Summers, Nesbitt, MissOmicron
291	E. T. Motley, Univ. of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C
292	Fred L. Crawford, 2304 Sherman Ave., Evanston, Ill
293	Llewlyn Grogan, 2304 Sherman Ave., Evanston, IllAlpha
294	Carl J. Williamson, 1295 Lakeland St., Lakewood, OhioLambda
295	George A. Morgan, 610 W. 55th St., Chicago
296	Robert E. Busey 94 W. Ferry St., Detroit, MichLambda
297	Francis B. Blanchard, 2730 Sacramento St., San Francisco, CalifTheta
298	John Witherspoon, Waugh Ave., New Wilmington, PaNu
299	Richard Marquis, Waugh Ave., New Wilmington, PaNu
300	Hal C. Davis, 1728 West Euclid, Topeka, Kan
301	Joseph W. Manley, 1728 West Euclid, Topeka, Kan Epsilon
302	Earl J. Harrington, 4222 N. Mozart St., Chicago

303	George Bennitt, Box 36, McKittrick, Calif
304	Eugene L. McHarry, 305 East Green St., Champaign, IllDelta
305	William C. Stewart, University, MissOmicron
306	Henry A. Coleman, University, MissOmicron
307	Robert N. McFerran, 522 N. Church St., Rockford, IllGamma
308	C. S. Cox, 40 Conant Hall, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. Omicron
309	George E. Pease, 2736 Bancroft Way, Berkeley, CalifTheta
310	Leland K. Irwin, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
311	Ray S. Hardy, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
312	Joe E. Benedict, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
313	Alan S. Crandall, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
314	Earl C. Roberts, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
315	James M. Silver, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
316	Gerald S. Nash, 1442 Federal Way, Salt Lake City, UtahEta
317	Stuart Hadden, 250 Langdon St., Madison, WisZeta
318	Donald Graves, 250 Langdon St., Madison, WisZeta
319	Harold Bechler, 250 Langdon St., Madison, WisZeta
320	LaVerne Leibsch, 250 Langdon St., Madison, WisZeta
321	Reserved
322	Robert R. Lyle, 144 LeMoyne Ave., Washington, PaIota
323	Ellis Chellman, Frederick, WisZeta
324	John V. Johnson, 1030 Sandusky St., Conneaut, OhioLambda
325	R C Brown 2232 Circle St Raleigh NC Xi



THE HONOR ROLL SHOULD CONTAIN THE NAME OF EVERY MEMBER OF THE FRATERNITY

# CHAPTER ETERNAL



EDWIN C. JORGENSEN, Gamma

O N AUGUST 26, 1928, occurred the death of Edwin C. Jorgensen at his home in Joliet, Illinois. Brother Jorgensen was a member of Gamma chapter and of the class of 1928. He was an honor student at Armour having been elected to Scarab, the honorary architectural society, and also had received honorable mention in the Chicago *Tribune* contest for plans of homes.

E. C. Cremer of Gamma chapter wrote the following verses as a memorial of the death of Brother Jorgensen.

In Memoriam

Edwin Jorgensen

New years will loom, the Winter turns to Spring
In scenes and places you had longed to be.
Fresh life will come and birds again will sing
Flowers will bloom, but you will only see
That greater sight, the bliss, the joy, the love
The restfulness of soul, the peace sublime
Which God from His celestial throne above
Hath promised as a prize for well spent time.
The anxious cares of life, trials undeserved
Which we below here suffer and must bear,
God in His boundless mercy hath preserved
You from in youth. His endless love you share
And ours, who through the years which swiftly pass
Your memory keep, your comrades, friends, "your class,"

"Your Brothers."

#### NOTES OF THE ALUMNI

Paul O. Mayer, Nu, '25, after completing his studies at the Baldwin-Wallace Theological Seminary is now located at 4023 East Forty-second Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

John V. Johnson, Lambda, '24, is with the American Telegraph and Telephone Company, with headquarters at Cincinnati, Ohio. He may be reached at 1368 Burdette Avenue. John states he is still unmarried and plans to be in attendance at the Cleveland convention.

Irving McKee, Theta, ex-'30, who has been attending Yale University for the past two years, entertained the members of Phi Pi Phi in attendance at Harvard prior to the Yale-Harvard football game on November 24, 1928.

Robert W. Shaw will complete his medical studies at Kansas City next June after which he expects to enter the practice of medicine in Topeka, Kansas. His present address is 3814 Mercier Street, Kansas City, Missouri.

Robert Lennox, Mu, '25, after being stationed at several branches of the Otis Elevator Company, around New York City, has been transferred to Cleveland, Ohio, where he may be found at the Otis Building, 1375 East Sixth Street. "Bob" thinks that he is through traveling and that he will be a permanent resident of Cleveland.

C. S. Cox, Omicron, '28, one of the honor students of Mississippi, has entered the Harvard Law School and his address is 40 Conant Hall, Cambridge, Massachusetts. He finds two other Phi Pi Phi members in the persons of "Lee" Groezinger, Theta, '27,

and "Bob" Ferguson, Nu, '27, in the Law School.

Luther Shaw, Xi, '28, is now an assistant in the department of plant pathology of the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas.

R. N. McFerran, Gamma, '28, is with the Illinois Inspection Bureau at Rockford, Illinois. His address is 522 North Church Street.

Herbert Mensing, Theta, '28, is taking graduate work in public law at Columbia University and will be there until next June. He may be reached at 712 Furnald Hall, Columbia University, New York, New York.

"Torchy" Cannon, Delta, '26, who has last reported in Honduras still has a warm feeling for the tropics. From Honduras he has gone to Mexico and may be addressed 509 Y.M.C.A., Mexico, D.F., Mexico.

Gibson Smith, Eta, ex-'31, recently passed through Chicago en route to Germany where he expects to be for the next three years. He has made arrangements whereby he will have The Quarterly to keep him in touch with fraternity matters.

Professor Frederick Griffin, Theta, advises that his new address is University Farm, Davis, California.

Edward E. Baird, Iota, '24, who has been at the Presbyterian Sanatorium at Albuquerque, New Mexico, writes that he has regained his health sufficiently to take a pulpit of the Presbyterian Church of Magdalena, New Mexico. Magdalena is one of the greatest cattle shipping points in the United States.

E. W. Pfeiffer, Delta, '28, advises

that he is with the Linde Air Products Company, of Buffalo, and that "Pinky," his elder brother, is located at 210 West Monument Street, Dayton, Ohio. With Brother Pfeiffer at Buffalo is Elliott Youngberg, Gamma, '27, who has been returned from the New York City offices.

Brother Robert Martin, Epsilon, '28, is an instructor in the high school at Eskridge, Kansas.

Ivan Barker, Epsilon, '25, is starting his second year as a mathematics instructor in the Paseo High School at Kansas City, Missouri. During the summer vacation Brother Barker attended Colorado University at Boulder, Colorado. With his mother he explored the scenic splendors of the Rockies in Colorado, climbing Pike's Peak, Mount Manitou, and several of the smaller mountains. A climb of Pike's Peak, on a moonlight night was one of the "thrillers" of Brother Barker's stay in the Rockies. In his own words:

"Started at 5:45 P.M., and went up by full moonlight. Up to midnight it was cool and comfortable for climbing. As we rose, more and more of the surrounding country became visible. and the moon cast such wonderful shadows of trees, mountains, and clouds. At midnight we struck what is called Son-of-a-gun Hill. I could call it worse than that. Believe me. it was a heart-breaker. A mile and a quarter of 28 per cent grade, stretching to well above timberline. That certainly made our legs weary and we rested often. When we had finished that we were at 12,500 feet. Cold! Boy, that wind did blow, right off

the Continental Divide—and it was more than a breeze, believe me. Cold rocks, cold wind, snow, no trees, no living thing in sight.

"Well, we just kept going; getting colder and higher and 'tireder' all the time. About 13,500 feet mother got "mountain sickness." At 13,800 feet I got it. Lack of sufficient oxygen causes it, plus decreased air pressure, I suppose. Makes you weak and sort of sick at the stomach. We took five steps, then rested, three more and stopped again, another dozen and then you sit down. Doesn't take long to feel revived—just half a minute and you feel as though you could walk a mile. But you can't.

"At 1:50 we were at the Summit House. The top burst into view all of a sudden. I had estimated about half a mile more when, on topping a long steep grade, there it stood, half a block away. Weren't we happy! But our joy was short-lived. We couldn't get in! Cold, windy, tired, weak, half sick. Before we started they told us we could get in any time. When we finally got in we learned they never opened until 3:00

"By 3:00 there was a faint glow in the east; at 4:00 it was fairly light, and from then on it was a beautiful sight. White, billowy, rolling clouds on all sides below us except in the west, where the snow-capped peaks rose through. The sun, as it rose, tinted them a faint pink just for a few minutes, then they became silvery and golden—almost too brilliant to look upon. . . . To the north, south, and west was an unbroken line

of snow-capped peaks—the Continental Divide—from Raton, New Mexico, on the south, to Long's Peak, not far from Wyoming, on the north."

George Kiehl, Iota, '25, has moved to Monongahela City, where he is teaching in the high school.

Roland Loveland, Iota, '28, donned the matrimonial ball and chain this summer. He took unto himself Miss Elizabeth Burgesser of York, Pennsylvania. Loveland is from York, too. At present he is engaged in teaching botany and kindred subjects at Ellsworth, Pennsylvania.

"Bill" Kunklemann, Iota, '28, is studying how to become president of the General Electric Company, at Schenectady. If any of the brothers from our other chapters happen to be located there he would be glad to hear from them.

Richard Allen, Iota, is now the proud father of a son. He is located in Dormont, Pennsylvania, a suburb of Pittsburgh. Congratulations are in order.

"Bucky" Norris, Iota, '28, is going to Pitt law school; he is there studying law.

Benton Clark, Iota, is enrolled at New York law school. He is studying law, too.

We just got news from Akron, Ohio. John M. Pittenger, Iota, has been elected editor of the *Buchtelite*, Akron U's bi-weekly newspaper.

Paul Balbach, Delta, '28, has located in Peoria and is now with the law firm of Schales, O'Connor, and Dougherty. His home address is 605 North Madison Street.

Frank Roos, Jr., who has been in

the graduate school of Harvard University will soon begin his work of teaching art at Ohio University. Frank is a charter member of Beta chapter and received his A.B. from Chicago University. For the past two years he has held a fellowship at Harvard.

Ernest Hembree, Pi, '28, has recently accepted a position as research chemist in the silk laboratory of the Celanese Corporation of America, and is now living at 12½ Waverly Terrace, Cumberland, Maryland.

Norman B. Olsem, Gamma, '24, entered the U.S. Army as a cadet member of the Air Corps and is now undergoing a course at March Field at Riverside, California. Upon the successful completion of his course at March Field. Norman will be sent to Fort Worth, Texas, to go through a more rigid course in air service tactics. The cadets at March Field are termed "Dodos" and are accorded about the same treatment as is a "Plebe" at West Point. One of Norman's tentmates is also a former Armour man and is a member of Theta Xi.

#### EPSILON ALUMNI REORGANIZE

The Epsilon alumni association, organized in the spring of 1925 and which immediately thereafter went defunct, was reorganized at a meeting of the alumni of Epsilon chapter held last summer. The new officers elected are Walter Deschner, '27, Kansas City, president; Langdon Morgan, '27, Hugoton, Kansas, vice-president; Herbert Abmeyer, '26, Topeka, secretary-treasurer; Robert Matts, '26, Topeka, trustee of the house fund. The reor-

ganization also includes a board of directors composed of the president and secretary-treasurer and two members of the alumni association and the president of the active chapter as members. These members are at present Walter Deschner, Herbert Abmeyer, Wendell Shaw, '25, Halstead, Kansas, and Ivan Barker, '25, Kansas City alumni, and Gerald Lees president of the active chapter.

According to the constitution and by-laws adopted at the last summer's meeting a member of the association must keep all his financial obligations to the fraternity as a whole paid to date and also pay a local membership fee of one dollar a year to cover incidental expenses of correspondence, mimeographing, etc. To avoid the same mistake that kept the first attempt at an alumni association from functioning as it should, the by-laws also provide that the secretary-treasurer must reside in Topeka or the

immediate vicinity so that he may at all times keep in close touch with the active chapter.

The constitution and by-laws further states that "all initiates of Epsilon chapter of Phi Pi Phi fraternity are required to pay at least fifty dollars (\$50) toward the establishment of a fund with which the fraternity will eventually build a permanent chapter house on Washburn campus. . . . . The house fund shall be allowed to accumulate until there is a sufficient sum with which to build. . . . The trustee of the house fund shall keep the sum on hand safely and profitably invested. . . . "

As an active alumni body is essential for the progress of any chapter the alumni of Epsilon chapter hope they have formed an organization that will be a constructive aid in keeping their chapter in line with the steady growth and development of the rest of the fraternity.

CLEVELAND

JUNE, 1929

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. von Kleinsmid announced the engagement of their daughter Louisa to Harry W. Witt on September 17 at San Diego, California. Miss von Kleinsmid is a graduate of the University of Southern California and is a member of Pi Beta Phi. She is a niece of Rufus B. von Kleinsmid, president of that university. Brother Witt is a member of Theta chapter and of Beta Alpha Psi and Chi Alpha. He is also a member of the San Diego Bachelor Club. The wedding is planned for early spring.

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James Noel Bell, Omicron, was married to Miss Marcella Ramzey of Paducah, Kentucky, during the summer and is now an instructor in mathematics at Vardaman, Mississippi.

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Brother and Mrs. Arthur Odegard are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, Shirley Ann, which occurred at Chicago on December 7. "Art" is one of the charter members of Alpha chapter.

### WITH THE CHAPTERS

ALPHA—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Alpha is now completing its first semester in its new home and in the opinion of both the alumni and the active chapter one of the most prosperous semesters in the history of the chapter.

After a strenuous summer of rushing we succeeded in pledging sixteen freshmen and immediately got down to the business of books, social life, and activities. A pledge party was given at the house in October and was attended by several alumni and men from other fraternities. Several other social events have occupied the time of the men among which were a homecoming dinner and dance and a dinner of the Chicago alumni association of the fraternity. The freshmen and sophomores entertained their girls at a sweetheart dinner and dance early in December.

Activities this semester have placed the men of the chapter in most every field of campus life and have been a very good cross-section of Northwestern fraternity life. The freshmen have been unusually active, a review showing men in the following: freshman basketball, William Maxwell and Howard Smith; freshman track, Robert Hoffman and Arthur Hill; freshman dramatics, Williard Adcock; Daily Northwestern, Williard Adcock; Spencer Burns, Robert Hoffman, Willard Adcock, and Jack Boylan.

Upperclassmen are also well represented in activities outside of the classroom. William Rapp is a member of the crosscountry squad and make all of the out-of-town trips. Phillip Hooker is one of the three sophomores on the annual staff. Rolley Myers is a desk editor on the *Daily Northwestern*, and on the *Purple Parrot* staff, a member of the sophomore commission and the class vest committee. Jack Boylan recently had charge of a sorority program over WGN.

The chapter is at the present time operating two houses, our old house at 2122 Sherman being rented as a men's dormitory. Fred Crawford is resident manager of the house.

In the fraternity touch-football, the chapter team went into the final game, playing Lambda Chi Alpha for the campus championship and losing one of the hardest fought games ever played here, 15-10. We had previously tied Lambda Chi and the game played was the tie play-off. The actives also defeated the alumni in an interesting game for an alumni trophy.

A large freshman scholarship cup will be awarded to the chapter by the alumni and the freshman ranking highest in scholarship will have his name engraved on it. There will be room for ten names, running over a period of five years. This is one of the leading scholarship moves undertaken by the chapter to stimulate interest in studies.

Several plans are under way for the coming semester including the formal which will be held at the Edgewater Beach in February, joint smokers with the other off-campus fraternities, interchapter basketball games with Beta

and Delta for the Mueller trophy, and initiation.

Alpha extends to members of the fraternity an invitation to visit the chapter in their home at 2304 Sherman, Evanston, and share in some real Northwestern and Phi Pi Phi life.

ROLLEY MYERS

#### BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Beta finished up the school year last June with a flourish when we tied for first place with Alpha Tau Omega in the spring outdoor track carnival. "Wally" Kincaid got a first and a third in the fifty and hundred vard "Wally" Puschel won the quarter-mile and Ted Bradley won the half-mile run. Herb Beardsley got second in the 220-vard dash, and with Kincaid, Beardsley, Puschel, and Bill Nash in the relay we won with hardly a vard to spare. We collected about a dozen medals, a gold plaque, and a silver cup for relay champs. In addition, Herb Beardsley got a trophy for fourth place in intramural participation points for the entire year. In organization standing, Beta of Phi Pi Phi jumped from fifteenth to seventh

Brother Norman Root worked hard enough in varsity track last year to be high point man on the team with fifty-six points, and easily earn his big "C." He was initiated into Iron Mask, junior honorary society, and was nominated this fall by this organization for Junior class president. He has worked hard on the intramural staff for the past two years, and is now a junior manager in charge of fall sports.

Bill Nash, "C" man, member of Iron Mask, and a Rhodes scholar, writes from Oxford and says they are all athletes and scholars over there. He is working hard and doing his best to keep up with the best.

Brother Walter Kincaid, president of the chapter, is a busy man this year. Besides his duties as house president, he is president of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet, and a member of the Chapel Council in charge of the dedication of the new two-million-dollar chapel at Chicago. He also made Phi Beta Kappa in three years and is a senior marshall. Wally is active in interfraternity sports and has more than a few medals of his own.

Brother Charles Ault has worked up to the position of sophomore advertising manager of the *Daily Maroon*. Brother Ault, in conjunction with Brother Marshall, is writing a Blackfriar's show which some of us hope to have parts in in the spring.

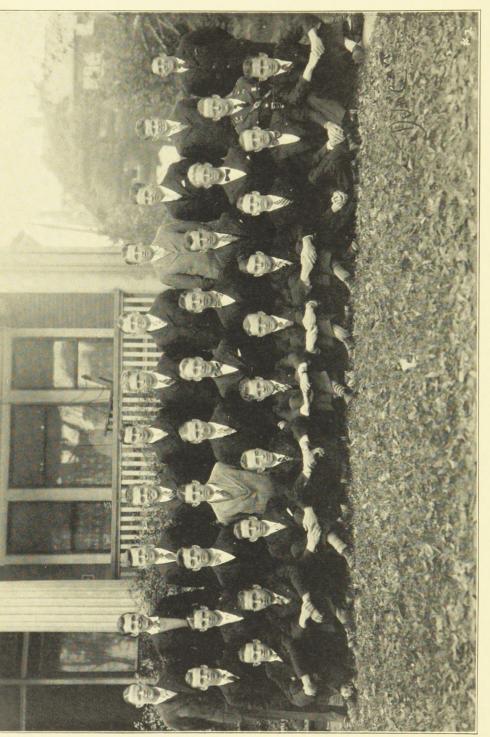
The touchball season has started and we are out practicing every day. We have played three games in our league, beating the Betas 12-0, the Tau Kappa Epsilons 18-0, and the Sigma Chis 6-0. The team is working hard for the league and school championship this fall.

Beta had a tea dance after the Iowa game and it was greatly enjoyed by those present. We are planning a Halloween house dance for November 2 and expect to have as good a time as usual. Brother Ault is social chairman.

HERBERT BEARDSLEY

GAMMA—ARMOUR INSTITUTE

Delinquent



DELTA CHAPTER, 1928-29

R. D. Baird, G. W. Kessler, J. J. Floreth, H. E. Hutchings, L. A. Reuss, E. J. Fruin, H. C. Pattison, R. Ramey, J. C. Finley, B. Grandy, W. A. Pflug, M. R. Kritser, R. M. Powers, D. M. Davis, M. C. Labahn, V. L. Upper Row: W. L. Smith, H. Middle Row:

G. Gates, E. M. Ahrens, L. E. Warlow, S. N. Murphy, A. J. Curry, H. B. Burton, E. McHarry, R. S. Gunn, P. P. 3addy, L. E. Curry. Row: Bottom Westberg,

#### DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

September found Delta depleted in numbers, but confident, courageous, and ready for a prosperous school year. Despite the graduation of fourteen men and the failure of many others to return to school, Delta set to work with a will, and soon fifteen shiny pledge buttons graced the lapels of fifteen stalwart men. The success of Delta in "coming back" is attributable to a loyalty and spirit of co-operation that has not been excelled in our fraternity for years.

Comment on the fraternal spirit of the rushing season would be incomplete without a few words about Frank Powers, '26. He gave us a large share of his brief vacation, assisting us with rushing. Not being satisfied with bringing his brother back to his fraternity, he brought along another fine youth, whom we Frank's brother will also pledged. have a difficult task in living up to the reputation that the elder Powers established at Illinois. Not only was Frank captain of a championship water polo team, but he also won scholastic honors in the Engineering School. In the business world, Frank finds that amiable personality, that ability to accomplish difficult tasks, pushing him to the top of his chosen profession. The fraternity that can offer a pledge formal association with such a man has at its command the best of rushing arguments.

In order to help maintain closer ties between our alumni and our actives, we are continuing publication this year of *Delta Dirt*, the first issue for the year having gone out to every

alumnus during the first part of October. The current history of the chapter in detail is contained in it, and an occasional inspired editorial. We find *Delta Dirt* an effective organ of communication, and hence this report will be limited to subjects of a more general nature, and matters that may possibly have missed publication in our paper.

Members here at Delta are trying to realize the fullest meaning of Phi Pi Phi. They realize that over and above any intellectual advantages of the organization there is a less tangible benefit to them in learning the true meaning of service and mutual help. If every member could come to know the real satisfaction of giving, through the fraternity, more than he receives; if every member could go out into life with a desire to practice the underlying principles of our brotherhood in his everyday life—and they are applicable to everyday life; then we would feel that the fraternity had done its greatest good for us.

Our policy for the year is to make every member conscious of his brotherhood. We know the house and the national organization will be better for our having accomplished this aim.

BROTHERS HUTCHINS AND CLARKE

#### EPSILON-WASHBURN COLLEGE

The first six weeks of the fall semester at Washburn College find Epsilon chapter's cup of enthusiasm "full and running over." Examinations for the initial portion of the semester have ceased, and there is a feeling of ease and relaxation prevalent among the chapter members. We have set be-

fore us a number of goals toward which to strive, and we are determined to realize our desires

Rush week activities of Epsilon chapter have been very successful, and we know that the twenty new pledges thus secured will greatly strengthen the chapter. Pledge Richard McEntire has been elected president of the pledges, and he will act in that capacity as a medium between the active members and the pledges. He will preside at all pledge meetings, wherein shall be discussed the instructions as set forth by the active members.

Epsilon chapter is proud to announce that we have as our new housemother, Mrs. Nellie B. Yeager. Mother Yeager has established herself as a successful manager of our house, and spends a great deal of her time in the house. Mother Yeager is exceedingly popular among the members of Epsilon, and we are fortunate in having her with us.

The most important question which faces us now is that of purchasing our present chapter house. The National Council has given its consent to the transaction and the faculty committee of Washburn College has also agreed to the proposition. The matter lies entirely in the hands of the alumni association, and in all probability they will take favorable action in connection with the purchase.

On October 18, 1928, was held the first meeting of Epsilon chapter's "Mothers' Club." The club is composed of the mothers of active members and pledges. The purpose of the club is to furnish the mothers of our

members an opportunity to become better acquainted. Our mothers, too, are well fitted to see the needs of the chapter house, and they are already planning to make various articles that will be of use in the house. The club will meet the second Thursday afternoon of every month at the chapter house.

The scholarship cup offered by Washburn College to the fraternity which has the highest scholastic standing among the fraternities was won by Epsilon chapter for the second consecutive time. If we can instill in our new pledges the value of scholarship and win the cup for this semester, it will be ours to keep.

Epsilon chapter was well represented on the college honor roll for the last semester. Brothers Gates, Wheeler, and Moore, were designated by the college as Whiting Scholars. Brother Flickinger was a High Honor man, and Brothers French, Sands, and Steffens received honorable mention.

Members of Epsilon chapter are taking a very active part in the activities of the college this year. Brother Lees was elected vice-president of the Senior class, and Brother Moore was elected president of the Sophomore class. Brother Hahn is assistant businessmanager of the Kaw, the college yearbook. treasurer of the Y.M.C.A., and a member of Sagamore, senior men's honor fraternity. Brother Claussen is manager of the debate team of which Pledges McEntire and Stephens are members. Brother Claussen has also been pledged to Delta Theta Phi, professional law fraternity. Brother French is vice-president

of the college Y.M.C.A., and president of the Theolog Club, an organization of those preparing for the ministry. Brother Fisher is vice-president of the Theolog Club and received a letter in tennis this year. Brother Davis is manager of the Dramatic Club. Pledges Eisenhower and F. Vieux are in the Men's Glee Club and Chapel Choir. Pledges F. Vieux and L. Vieux are in the College Band.

Our first party of the semester will be held, November 16, at the Topeka Country Club. The ballroom will be decorated in turquoise and black, and this color scheme will be carried through in every detail. We have secured a fine orchestra that is sure to give us plenty of good music. Everyone in Epsilon chapter is eagerly waiting for November 16, and from the enthusiasm exhibited by the members we are anticipating a very successful party.

We are proud to make known the fact that we have recently initiated two pledges who are now brothers among us in our endeavors. They are Warren Manley, Wakarusa, Kansas, and Hal C. Davis, Topeka, Kansas.

Thus it may be seen that Epsilon chapter has a great many irons in the fire, all of which are "red hot and still heating," and a most successful year is anticipated.

CLAYTON MOORE, IR.

ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

In accordance with the deferred rushing rule in effect at Wisconsin, Zeta entertained her first group of newly matriculated men on October 27. About twenty guests were present.

The local alumni have recently presented a scholarship award consisting of a large mahogany-mounted silver shield to the chapter. The names of the active and pledge with the highest scholastic averages are to be engraved on it each semester. We are aiming at a place among the first ten social fraternities on the campus in regard to scholastic standing. As another incentive toward this goal, we recently passed a motion by which every member, active and pledge, is bound on his honor to stay in the house and study five nights a week unless his grade point average is above 1.25 per credit.

However, Zeta has not entirely forgotten the lighter forms of diversion, and this opportunity is taken to announce our homecoming party to be held November 10 after the Chicago game. This is our first party of the year, and we are going to make it a good one.

Herman McKaskle, our letterman in football, and newly elected chapter president, has recently weathered a venture into campus politics. man who now will undoubtedly be our next Prom King has conceded that McKaskle would in all probability have been elected, had he not been declared ineligible. Although his grades are high enough to allow his participation in varsity football, the dean refused to acknowledge his candidacy for the political position. Wright, Myse, and other junior members have been influential in the campaign. The swinging of McKaskle's followers will be the deciding factor in the election.

In addition to the field of politics, we also have members interested in other campus activities. Lawrence Mc-Cormack is making a name for himself as a boxer. Brothers Barglof and Gerlach are working on the *Wisconsin Engineer*, a student publication of that group. Brother Garrity is writing sport features for the *Daily Cardinal*, the daily campus newspaper.

R. ROBERT ROHRER

#### ETA—UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

The opening of the autumn quarter finds most of the brothers back from various parts of the United States.

Brother Geiser, our house manager, spent the summer in Montana, and it is rumored that he even did a little work. Walt Dauncey spent the summer in Detroit, and visited chapters at Chicago and Cleveland. Brother Dauncey is a member of Theta Tau, engineering fraternity, and is secretary of the junior engineers. Irving Alter is also a member of Theta Tau and the junior engineers.

The "Jones's" of the chapter seem to be blessed by the imperial whatnot, Byron Jones having been elected second vice-president of the student body by a substantial majority; he is also vice-president of the Engineer's Society and a member of Theta Tau. Dick Jones attended the state fair and came back the proud owner of a sedan, won at a drawing. Incidentally, Dick didn't have a car. Dick Jones is a member of Theta Tau, Scabbard and Blade, Officers Club, De Molay Club, Utopian Club, and past president of this chapter of Phi Pi Phi.

Stewart Martin is entering the gov-

ernment flying service, and will leave about March 1 for training school. Allan Crandall made his letter in freshman football and is out again this fall. Mavor Robertson was initiated into the Scabbard and Blade.

"Doc" Evans, who is not attending school at the present, has dropped in several times at the chapter house to pay a visit. Paul Crismon is at West Point. Allen Astin has received a fellowship at the Johns Hopkins University and has been given a laboratory in which to do research work.

The third Monday of every month the chapter gives a banquet. The last one was given in honor of the new initiates, and what a time, with Ed West doing the honors! The following Saturday the new members were guests at an informal dancing party at the chapter house. The first football dance of the season, given by the university, was attended by pretty near the entire fraternity, and how.

Our Mothers' Club has had a meeting, which was held at the chapter house. At the meeting before, they were entertained at the home of Mrs. Scheiber. The membership roll is about twenty-five.

Eta chapter officers are: president, Robert Scheiber; vice-president, Byron Jones; secretary, Earl Bailey; house manager, Walter Geiser; treasurer, Klenner Sharp; sentinel, Edwin West; chaplain, Irving Alter; correspondence secretary, Richard Jones; historian, Edwin Burke. EDWIN E. BURKE

THETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

As the year begins and ends much earlier than at most colleges and universities, we finished our first semester prior to the beginning of the holidays. One of the most interesting events occurring at that time was the election of chapter officers to carry on the administration of the chapter for the ensuing semester and next year. The following officers were elected: president, G. Albert Wahl; vice-president, William Gande; secretary, Angelo Bailey; treasurer, Harold Butterfield; house manager, Lawrence Levensaler; chaplain, Melvin McReynolds; sentinal, Raymond Zanzot.

With one or two exceptions all of the officers elected have had experience in chapter management and so full confidence is reposed in them. The installing officer was Warren Eveland, who plans to return to the university to continue his work.

On November 23, the night before our Stanford game, we held a dinner dance at the New Hotel Alameda. It was particularly successful because we had many of our alumni there who have been rather hesitant or careless about coming to any of our house functions. In addition to these, Alva Johnson, '26, who has been in Texas for the past two years, George Bennitt, and Don Batchman came to Berkeley for the game and attended the dance.

On Wednesday, December 5, we held a dinner for the fathers of our members and a number appeared. This was in response to the efforts of the chapter to propose their campaign for building the contemplated addition to the present chapter house. Offers were received from some of the new members of the Fathers' Club and it is planned to hold meetings at least once each semester. Our Mothers' Club has been very active in keeping the house linen, drapes, and furniture in good condition. In addition to all that they have done for us in that way, they wanted to give us something and bought us a fine Chesterfield. It is something that we needed and we certainly appreciated it.

RAY HANCOCK

IOTA—WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON

Well, sooner than pay a fine for not sending this most valuable document, we sit here in the thickening gloom and industriously peck away at our Oliver, and hope and hope.

We started the year with a perfunctory air, and thus far we have pledged six men, and hope to pledge several more. Unfortunately, the faculty doesn't like the present system of rushing at W. and I., and decided to whisper several more words of a most insidious nature into the collective ear of the Freshman class. So the freshmen are very, very coy, and giggle shyly when approached. But a little persuasion seems to do the trick, so we are still busy telling freshmen just why it is a faux pas not to join a fraternity. Meanwhile, the faculty and the board of trustees are busy digging up a set of rules for next season's campaign. The rules will no doubt look very nice, if they are engraved suitably, and hung in not too prominent a position.

Brother Hummell has started a family, having been married during the summer to Miss Elizabeth Wall, of Buffalo, New York. They are living here in Washington. Hummell is

head of the manual arts department in the Washington High School.

Brothers Rubinkam and F. Waltz did not return to Wash-Jeff this year. Rubinkam transferred to Penn State, and Waltz is employed somewhere in Buffalo. We don't know just where.

We have just bought some new furniture for the library and you have no idea how "ritzy" it looks—overstuffed, and everything.

We expect to have some sort of reunion at the time of the Pitt-W. and J. game. It will probably be over by the time this appears, otherwise all the brothers from the other chapters would be invited to attend. It was held at the Fort Pitt Hotel in Pittsburgh.

Brothers Helfrick and W. Irwin have been initiated into Phi Sigma, national honorary fraternity for biologically inclined undergraduates.

And once again we flew in the face of tradition and broke our own scholastic record as well as that of the college, as far as fraternity grades are concerned.

G. HOKE

LAMBDA—CASE SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE

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MU—BALDWIN-WALLACE COLLEGE

Mu chapter has begun its new year of work and fun in earnest now. The work is just now becoming painfully evident, due to the fact that many tests are raining upon us. The play has kept up its end, however, for Vice-President Webb has a full social program lined up for the semester. Part

of this plan began to function on Monday, October 21, when a party was held for the freshman men. Although we had a little competition, due to a misunderstanding, we had a fine crowd of fine fellows. We were able to size up the men whom we hope to pledge, and we found very few The evening was spent wanting. Monte Carlo fashion, everyone having bogus money issued to him at the beginning of the evening. forms and kinds of gambling, from the lowly crap game to the exclusive roulette wheel, were in progress somewhere in the house at all times. At eleven o'clock the grand prize was awarded. It proved to be a beautiful shiny article which resembled a loving cup, but which proved to be a "gaboon," usually called a cuspidor.

Football is a word that brings horrible thoughts of four defeats this season. But hope at Baldwin-Wallace is like the proverbial truth. Pledge Jimmy Reilly, shifted to the backfield, did some good running and "Red" Henry passed very well. Maly, Lemkau, Orosz, and Atack were on the line at different times, doing their best to stay there.

The recent political fight invaded our campus and its advent brought another honor to our president, "Wes" Roehm, for he was elected president of the Republican Club. Many pinochle games were played by the Smiths vs. the Hoovers. I think that at the end the Smiths were a little in the lead.

Mohler, editor of the college yearbook, the *Grindstone*, is clicking into his labor now, and Saunders, circulation manager of the Exponent, is also laboring to build up his paper. Assistants, editors, and general flunkies to the two publications abound in the house and are too numerous to mention

The beginning of the Interfraternity Pinochle Tournament is near. The boys are practicing hard, for the day of choosing a team is not far off and we must cop the loving cup here. It's not a cuspidor either.

When Brother Van Zandt visits us, as he has promised to do, all the final plans for the financing of our new house will be culminated. We have the insurance payment plan under way now to a considerable extent, but there is work yet to be done. We will be very glad to have Brother Van Zandt with us again and we hope that he will enjoy himself in our chapter while here.

By the time this letter is published all the chapters will have received our official bulletin, Mu. We hope to have it out regularly now, once a month, so that our brothers may know us. We are glad to receive the bulletins from other chapters, for they bind us into a fellowship, that can be no other than good for Phi Pi Phi.

PAUL LEMKAU

#### Nu-Westminster College

Nu is on its way to another successful year. Under the efficient staff of officers of last year we find ourselves in an advantageous position to do some good work this college year.

The house has been recently painted on the outside and redecorated in the inside, and everything possible has been done to give the members a comfortable place to live. Lytle, manager of the culinary department, has been spreading "a mean festive board" three times each day so there has been no objections at all to his offerings.

While the members of the new Freshman class are not eligible for pledging we have pledged two new men who have registered with advanced standing. Some other prospects are being given attention, although they are members of the Sophomore class. The faculty has not ruled definitely as regards the pledging of new men nor has it been known just when they may be initiated after being pledged.

We are going to have a bit of celebration on homecoming day, October 27. There will be the general gettogether, with special dinners featuring the welcoming of new members and the turning over of the chapter property to the newly organized alumni corporation. We would like to have all the alumni present at this annual gathering.

The annual formal banquet will be held on November 28, this year. The place has not been definitely decided upon, but the committee is doing some thorough examining, so that we are assured of a fitting setting for this function. All alumni and members of other chapters are cordially invited. Please advise the secretary, John Louden, at the chapter house if you can make arrangements to be present.

John Louden was awarded a scholarship at the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia. Louden is a deserving and

capable man for this honor. His vocal and violin work during the past three years has provoked no little admiration and notice. He has played at Chautauqua Lake, New York, for the past two summer sessions.

James McQuiston was elected president of the Senior class at a recent election. Jim has held the office of president of his class for the past three years. Howard Hamer has returned from a trip to Harrisburg, where he sat in a meeting of the Pennsylvania Colleges and Universities Debating Association. The meeting was held to decide a question for debate this season. Mahem is president of the local chapter of Tau Kappa Alpha.

Tudor Lewis and Witherspoon are attending basketball practice regularly and are getting a start towards developing another championship team this year. Both men received their letters last season.

Newell, Thomas, Cooper, Hetra, Kirkbride, Root, Glenn, French, and Ferguson have been visitors to the chapter house so far this semester. How about some of you other fellows letting us get a look at you?

D. WALLACE

XI-NORTH CAROLINA STATE COLLEGE

Xi started the current semester with all shoulders to the wheel. With eleven old men back, rushing boomed up in its proper proportion. The rushing team took immediate charge and did a nice bit of work. When pledge day came we found seven men ready to sign on the dotted line. The pledges are a very prom-

ising bunch and we think they are all going to be the best of fraternity men, as well as good scholars.

We take great pleasure in announcing the initiation of Dr. Franklin Poole, a member of the faculty at North Carolina State. Other initiates of the undergraduate body will be listed in the proper section. R. A. Pinner and Royal Stephenson, members of our old local fraternity, Sigma Delta, were recently initiated into Xi chapter. We heartily welcome these gentlemen and cordially invite other members of Sigma Delta to join us in our newer association.

C. G. TAYLOR

OMICRON—UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI

Omicron started what promises to be a lively and eventful year with a highly successful rushing season. Following the former tradition, men were carefully selected. Only six bids were extended, but it is significant that every one was accepted. With these pledges and several prospects in view, the membership will be substantially increased before the year ends.

The event of the year, so far as Omicron is concerned, was the Founders' Day dinner dance on the evening of November 15. The affair was held at the Tea Hound which was very appropriately and artistically decorated with vari-colored leaves, so kindly provided by a late Mississippi fall. Over the huge colonial fireplace was a large electrically lighted Phi Pi Phi badge which gave the whole setting a distinctive Phi Pi Phi atmosphere. A great deal of credit is due Billy May, John Whitney, Frank Heard, and Noel

Hodge for their thoroughness in making arrangements and in directing preparations. Chaperons were: Mrs. Edna Lowe Eatman, dean of women; Professor Lloyd E. Thatcher, chairman of committee on fraternities; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate Harvey. Brother Rainwater, who dispenses history to the youth of Mississippi, served as toastmaster and his long experience in such matters was evident as the dinner progressed. It was a source of keen regret that Brother Hudson, of the English faculty, Mrs. Hudson, and Mrs. Rainwater were unable to attend. That the whole affair was an eminent success was evidenced by remarks on all sides when the orchestra had finished playing "Home Sweet Home." Omicron feels that many interfraternity friends were made through the function and that the ties to the fraternity as a national group were made stronger by the timely talks from members and Professor Thatcher.

James Hopkins, besides serving as a most active chapter president, is interfraternity council representative, president of the Education Club, sports editor of the Mississippian, and plays a rather noisy part in the band. Knapp, true to form, started making himself known on the football field until an injury removed him from active practice. Knapp is also a dependable classroom performer and can be relied on to bring credit to the chapter. Noel Hodge was active in organizing the Oxford Junior Chamber of Commerce which plays a prominent part in Oxford affairs. He was first president of this organization, and the major part of its success can be attributed to him.

In a recent election Billy May was elected editor of the *Voice of Omicron* and J. O. Snowden was elected chaplain to fill the place of William Barnett who is at the University of Alabama this year.

The appearance of "Ole Miss" is rapidly changing with the building program actually begun, and the future of the university is extremely bright. Omicron invites the whole brotherhood to visit Mississippi and "Ole Miss" "where the sun shines on every mile." We are happy to know that a chapter may be installed in Tennessee. We want more chapters in the south.

J. A. SANDERSON

# PI CHAPTER—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA

The outstanding event of the Pi chapter during the current semester was a dance given the week-end before pledge day. Three rooms of the chapter house were beautifully decorated in turquoise blue and black. The lights were shaded with blue, giving the rooms a soft glow. The Carolina Collegians seated beneath a canopy of turquoise blue and black with green pine tops as a background, furnished the music during the evening.

A feature of the dance was a grand march led by Professor and Mrs. Motley. Roy Cobb and his guest gave the favors, which consisted of some very pretty novelties.

Robert Morrison has been elected president of the Carolina Scientific Society. J. A. Turner has been elected vice-president of the Commerce Club,

petitioning Delta Sigma Pi. C. D. Joyner has been elected secretary of the Senior class.

The chapter was very fortunate in pledging a number of new men.

J. A. TURNER

# RHO CHAPTER St. Lawrence University

It is with a great deal of pleasure that the members of Rho chapter send their greetings to their new brothers in the other chapters. Now that we have become one of the group, one of our greatest ambitions has been satisfied, but that does not mean that there is nothing left to do. There is much to do before we place ourselves on an even basis with the other chapters in the fraternity. We hope in time to become a successful chapter and to fulfill the hopes and desires of the fraternity of which we have become a part.

We feel sure that St. Lawrence has been honored in our acceptance as a chapter of one of the promising fraternities of the country, but we also feel in a way that Phi Pi Phi has been honored by having a chapter on the campus of St. Lawrence. St. Lawrence, although a small college, has fulfilled a great need in this north country, and on the whole is a very successful college. The registration is larger every year, and that would point to a larger and better Rho chapter.

If at any time any of our brothers from other chapters should find themselves up here in the north country, we want them to feel welcome to come and see us. They will find the same courtesy and welcome here as they would in their own chapters.

The brothers of Rho chapter are very happy that they have been united into a larger brotherhood and we feel that this event will mark the beginning of a new period in our lives that will be of mutual advantage to us both. Again let me say, "Greetings from Rho chapter, and welcome to St. Lawrence."

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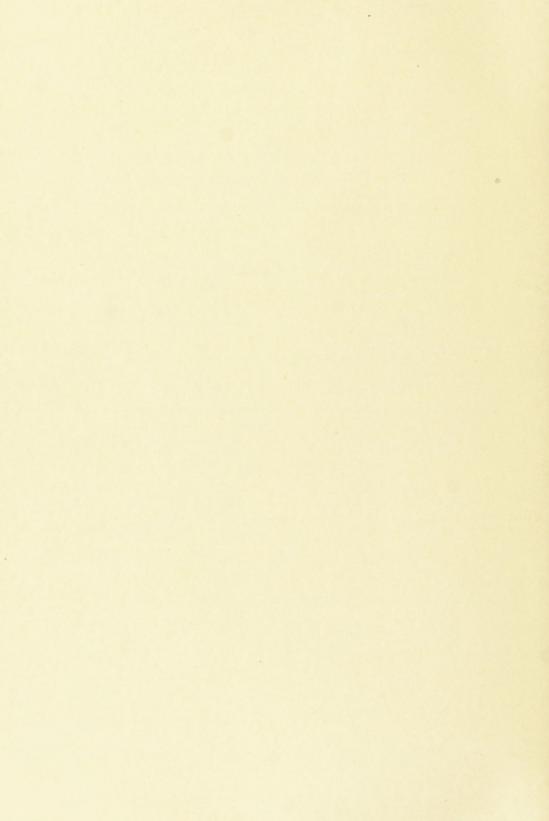
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