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# ETA CHAPTER—LOCAL TO NATIONAL

N FRIDAY night, May 12, Eta chapter was added to the roll of Alpha Kappa Pi when the members of the Phi Delta Tau Club at the Presbyterian College of South Carolina took the vows of the fraternity. Grand President Wilson Hull had charge of the installation of this chapter.

On Friday afternoon, Cash E. Godbold, president of the local club, David S. Blankenship, secretary, and Samuel G. Harden, treasurer, were instructed in the rites and ceremonies by Brother Hull. Friday night they assisted in revealing the mysteries to the other members of the local organization, and G. H. McIlwain, J. E. Means, Charles J. Martin, N. P. Clinton, D. C. Patterson, Hugh C. McCord, R. S. Latimer, J. W. McQueen, C. W. Johnson, M. C. Williamson, R. A. Barnett, and O. C. Martin, were made members of Alpha Kappa Pi.

This ceremony was followed by a short meeting and the installation of officers. On account of the nearness of the end of that present school year, the following were installed for the coming year.

PresidentO. C. Martin, Jr.
Vice-president
Secretary
Treasurer
Recording Secretary
Historian N. P. Clinton
Chaplain J. W. McQueen

Another meeting was held on Saturday afternoon, at which time Brother Hull explained the constitution, and answered all questions that were asked by the brothers.

On Saturday evening, the Eta chapter with their invited guests assembled at the Clinton Hotel for a four-course dinner, followed by a toast program presided over by Brother Godbold. Dr. B. L. Parkinson, president of the Presbyterian College, chose as his subject "Why Fraternities?" In a very interesting talk, he told of the needs for fraternities, and the place they hold in college life. J. W. Moore gave a welcome to Alpha Kappa Pi from the student body. A. W. Grafton, President of the Pan-Hellenic Council, then gave a welcome from that organization, in which he stated that another national fraternity had been needed on the campus. Professor R. L. Coe, substituting for Dr. A. E. Spencer, chairman of the faculty committee on fraternities, spoke

on "True Brotherhood." He brought out the things necessary to this happy state, and told how true brotherhood could be obtained. Grand President Hull then took the floor, and having no set subject, spoke of the impressions that he, as a Northerner, had gathered from the South. He seemed to be very much pleased with the climate and other advantages that the South has to offer. He concluded by giving a brief history of Alpha Kappa Pi, and of its struggle to become an outstanding national organization. The farewell toast was given by C. W. Johnson, one of the newly-made members.

On Sunday morning, as many of the boys as possible met Brother Hull again, and after lunch he took his departure, leaving behind a

smiling, happy group of brothers.

We now have nine active members, five pledges, and six alumni members, all of which latter graduated last June. The active brothers are:

N. P. Clinton

R. S. Latimer, Jr.

H. C. McCord

G. H. McIlwain, Jr.

C. J. Martin
O. C. Martin, Jr.
J. E. Means
D. C. Patterson

J. W. McQueen

The pleges are:

R. S. Beckham
R. L. McLaurin
C. T. Middleton
O. J. Threatt

A. H. McQueen

Our alumni brothers are:

R. A. Barnett S. G. Harden
D. S. Blankenship C. W. Johnson
C. E. Godbold M. C. Williamson

# ETA CHAPTER'S PAST

In the fall of 1926, a group of students on the campus of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina, feeling the need of an organization that would draw them together as brothers, organized the Phi Delta Tau Club. These men were C. W. Johnson, D. S. Blankenship, R. A. Barnett, M. C. Williamson, C. E. Godbold, S. G. Harden, G. H. McIlwain, O. C. Martin, C. J. Martin, and N. P. Clinton. Recognition from the faculty was petitioned for and was soon granted. The badge adopted was semi-triangular in form, and was bordered with twelve pearls and three rubies. Rooms were taken in the Jacobs Building, situated in the heart of Clinton.



Administration Building, Presbyterian College of South Carolina

In the fall of 1927 all of the members returned, and began the rushing season in earnest. As a result of the hard work, on Pledge Day eight men were pledged to the local club. At the end of the first semester six of the eight were initiated and several others pledged.

Previous to this time, we had gotten in touch with Rev. A. H. Wilson, and after much exchanging of letters, we decided to petition Alpha Kappa Pi for admission as a chapter. The petition was duly drawn up, and sent to the different chapters. After a short time, we were informed that we had been accepted. In no more than a year and a half after its organization, the Phi Delta Tau Club became a chapter of a national fraternity.

#### THE HISTORY OF PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

The Presbyterian College of South Carolina is located at Clinton, South Carolina. It was founded by Dr. W. P. Jacobs in 1880. It was called Clinton College until 1888, when its name was changed to that which it bears today. It was at this time that the Presbyterians took an interest in the college; this interest increased, until in 1904 they were given complete control.

The first building, Recitation Hall, was erected in 1885. The four dormitories were erected in the following order: Alumni Hall in 1891,



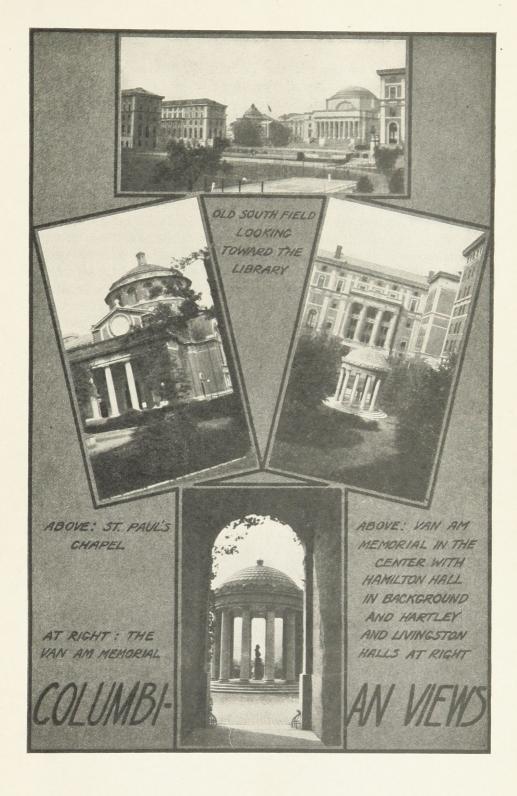
Members of Theta Chapter, Columbia University

# THETA CHAPTER ENTERS COLUMBIA

AS FAR back as the year 1927 there were plans laid to place a chapter of Alpha Kappa Pi in Columbia University, in New York City. In the meantime a local fraternity, the Sigma Theta Society, was formed, and after an organization was perfected, Alpha Kappa Pi was approached for a charter. The first movers in the organization were Rennie D'Angelo and Ellsworth Missal. These men were well acquainted with members of the eastern chapters of Alpha Kappa Pi, while Missal, a graduate of Wagner Prep School, knew all the Alpha Kappa Pis in Beta chapter. This acquaintanceship had much to do with the selection of Alpha Kappa Pi for petitioning; and also contributed much to the desire of the fraternity to enter Columbia University.

During the formation period of the society, meetings were held in the rooms of the different members residing in Hartley or John Jay Halls. After nine men had been brought into the local organization, a petition was sent to the Executive Council of Alpha Kappa Pi and, we are happy to state, the collegiate vote was unanimously in favor of the establishment of a chapter in the University.

Theta chapter was inaugurated on June 1, 1928, in Hartley Hall of the University. The initiation team consisted of Grand President, Wilson R. Hull, Grand Treasurer, Ralph Brader, Vice-president, Harry Dierman, Historian, Paul Clemen, William Opdyke and William Falconer, Alpha, and Malcolm Overbaugh, Gamma. Before the installation, a very fine banquet was served in the club rooms of John Jay



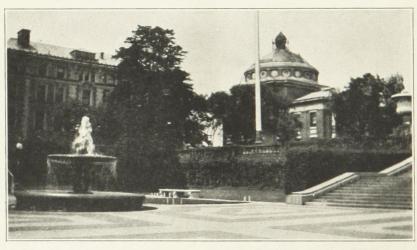
Hall to the future brothers in the University, Adviser A. H. Wilson, and the members of the installation team.

Nine men were initiated: Rennie D'Angelo, Kenneth Scott Fegan, Ellsworth Missal, Edward Mueller, Edmund Rudolph, Maurice Pinel, Wendell Lambe, Clarence Henderson, and Paul Witte.

Owing to the ending of the college year, there was small time for the usual social occasions, but these will be held during the present college year. Immediately after the chapter organization, the Theta men became active and have secured a suite of rooms, Numbers 427–8, in Hartley Hall, for club or fraternity purposes. Chapter President Kenneth S. Fegan will reside at these rooms, while the other brothers will make use of them for social and scholastic purposes. This places the fraternity squarely on the campus, and in the very heart of the university life. In John Jay Hall there are excellent dining facilities, and the Alpha Kappa Pi brothers will get together for their luncheons or dinners every day, at this college social center. Theta chapter will, of course, be governed by the Pan-Hellenic rules of the university, and therefore cannot pledge any freshmen until the Thanksgiving holidays.

Theta is proud of her connection with Alpha Kappa Pi, and feels certain that she will be able to add her portion of good things to the great future that faces this brotherhood. To all Alpha Kappa Pi brothers in New York City and vicinity an invitation to visit us is extended.

Rennie D'Angelo



VIEW OF PORTION OF COLUMBIA CAMPUS, SHOWING SCHOOL OF MINES ON LEFT AND EARL HALL ON RIGHT

# A. K. P. HOLDS CONVENTION

THE 1928 convention of the Alpha Kappa Pi fraternity, held on Saturday, May 26, at the Interfraternity Clubs, New York City, brought together the representatives of the four metropolitan chapters then in existence, and the delegates from our western chapter, Zeta. This, our third annual meeting, demonstrated, by the attendance and lively interest shown, how the fraternity has gradually expanded, and how the members have seen more and more just how much the organization means to them.

At three o'clock on Saturday afternoon, Grand President Hull called the meeting to order. There were present as delegates from the various chapters, C. F. Forsythe and Edward Lott, Alpha; R. Frank Herr and James Grubb, Beta; Donald Castle and George H. Straub, Gamma; John Everetts, Jr. and Harry Likel, Delta; and Adelbert Heinmiller and Dwight Mound, Zeta. The members of the Executive Council, and the many other brothers who came to see and hear the proceedings, made a representative gathering. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Brother McKnight.

As the first feature of the program, the minutes of the second annual convention were read and approved, and then followed the reports of the various officers and committees. Grand President Hull led off with his report of the proceedings of the Executive Council during the past year. After this report, which covered the work of the Council very comprehensively, a rising vote of thanks was extended by the gathering to the members of the Council.

The financial end of the fraternity came into the limelight when the reports of the Finance Committee and the Grand Treasurer were read. Brother Falconer, of the Finance Committee, in giving the report recommended that a charter fee be imposed upon all new chapters installed into Alpha Kappa Pi after September 1, 1928. This was so moved and passed by the delegates. Brother Brader then presented the budget for the year 1928–29, which was accepted. He then gave his financial report for the past year. This report, with that of the Finance Committee, showed that the financial outlook is very good.

Adviser A. H. Wilson, chairman of the Extension Committee, gave a report of this work, mentioning in particular the previous installation of Eta chapter and that of Theta which would take place a few weeks hence. The outlook for the new year, as sketched by Brother Wilson, seemed bright, with the possibilities of several chapters being added.

Paul Clemen, Editor-in-chief of The Alpha, presented his report of the work of this publication, a résumé of which is given in this issue. There were detailed several new developments intended to increase the quality and interest of the magazine.

R. Frank Herr, chairman of the Robe Committee, furnished its report, and passed around colored sketches showing how the ritual robes would appear when made up. As these seemed satisfactory, Brother Herr was appointed to draw up specifications for the robes so that chapters purchasing or making them would have robes of a uniform type. After some discussion, it was decided that the set of robes to be used by the Executive Council for installation purposes could be loaned out to chapters which needed them for initiations.

Our progress towards becoming a member of the Interfraternity Conference was questioned, and Adviser A. H. Wilson explained what had been done, and what must yet be done towards admission.

Brother Heinmiller of Zeta chapter was called upon to give a report of the extension work in the West, of which he has charge. His report was promising, to say the least. There appear to be great possibilities for new chapters through the transfer of men from one Middle Western college to another, in particular the men from Epsilon chapter.

Short talks about the past, present, and future work of their chapters were given by the representatives of each one. Brother Falconer, Alpha; Zundel, Beta; Tobin, Gamma; Everetts, Delta; and Mound, Zeta; furnished the high-lights of the local chapter work.

In connection with the recent death of Brother Weeks, it was decided to create a roll of honor for deceased brethren, as a mark of our love and respect for them.

The meeting adjourned at about 5:30 P.M. and convened again again at 8:00 P.M., after the brothers had dined together at the club.

Convention expenses was the first item discussed. The plan was projected and passed of establishing a fund for the traveling expenses of convention delegates. This fund is to be made up of the contribution of one dollar per year by each active member.

Various parts of the ritual were brought up and discussed. Delta chapter had discovered certain inconsistencies in the ceremonies which they referred to the proper committee, and made certain suggestions for improving the service. As a result, and as a means of stimulating the interest in this phase, it was decided that suggestions for improving the ritual ceremonies could be sent to the Ritual Committee by any of

the chapters, before November 1, 1928, and would be duly investigated.

The question of using the guard of the official badge as a means of distinction was brought up; the idea being that past officers and others could be honored by presenting them with a guard having stones other than the regulation pearls set in; inasmuch as the badge itself could not be changed. The consensus of opinion was that there should be no official distinction of this manner between brothers, but that if individual chapters wished to use this or other means of a similar nature for honoring men, they could do so at their discretion, there being no prohibitory clauses in the Constitution.

Brother Heinmiller, Zeta, spoke about the electric replica of the jeweled badge made by one of the brothers of his chapter, and illustrated in the last issue of The Alpha. This is used at Zeta in the ritual and at social affairs, and he suggested that if any of the other chapters wished one, it could be made up. It was decided that the metropolitan

chapters purchase one of these for their combined use.

The convention adjourned at 9:30 P.M., much earlier than expected, because the business had been handled very efficiently throughout the day. Everyone appeared satisfied with the reported progress and future development of the fraternity. Without being too self-appreciative, there is no doubt that we have made tremendous strides, as brought out at this convention, and that when the next meeting takes place we will have advanced even farther towards our ultimate goal.

# INTERCHAPTER DANCE SUCCESS

THE chapters of Alpha Kappa Pi in the so-called Metropolitan district, Alpha, Beta, Gamma, and Delta—Theta not being in existence at that time—joined forces in holding a brilliantly successful dance on April 21. This was our first attempt at an interchapter dance, and its success undoubtedly means that another will be held in 1929. The affair was given in the Red Ballroom of the Hotel Warwick, Fifty-fourth Street and Sixth Avenue, New York City, and music supplied by the well-known Don Marcotte and his "Vagabonds." The weather did its best to furnish rather wet opposition to the dance, but, to start sentimentalizing, the ties of fraternalism seemed great enough to bring out a large percentage of the brothers and their friends.

The committee, composed of John Mennie, Gamma, chairman; Clifton Keating, Alpha; R. Frank Herr, Beta; and Clinton Ammerman, Delta; is to be warmly congratulated on the completeness of the ar-

rangements which they made.

# OUR PRESIDENT SPEAKS



Wilson R. Hull, Grand President of the fraternity, is one of the founders of our organization who is responsible for much of our growth and prosperity. Brother Hull received his high school education in East Orange, New Jersey. It was there that he founded the Beta Delta Sigma fraternity, and was the guiding force in making this local organization a chapter in the national fraternity of Delta Sigma; which experience served him well later. He graduated from the Newark College of Engineering in 1927, with the degree of B.S. in mechanical engineering, and during his four years at this institution was active in athletic, fraternal, and social affairs. He was a member of the Phi Delta Zeta local fraternity and played a very large part in the founding of Alpha Kappa Pi and the merging of the local into this as Alpha chapter. Since the founding of this fraternity, Brother Hull has been Grand President, and under his leadership we

have seen the organization flourish beyond the best hopes of its founders.

THIS issue of THE ALPHA marks the beginning of a new fiscal year. It is not without interest to look back over the course we have pursued in the past, then to turn from retrospection to an attempt to view the future. It is a well-known axiom that the future can be predicted by a study of the past.

It is common belief, not without good foundation, that as an organization Alpha Kappa Pi has passed its experimental stage and is now a healthy fraternity, young but reasonably past the crisis and pitfalls that a new society invariably meets with, and has to weather if it is to get beyond the trial stage.

Nevertheless, the feeling that this stage is successfully past should not call forth a feeling of complacency or excess of self-gratification. There are many dangers and troubles ahead, any one of which may be capable of causing disruption. It is only by keeping up unceasingly our work and energy, and by redoubling our efforts that we can continue

to grow along the lines set down in our tentative program. True success is not luck and only comes after a long struggle.

Much progress has been made, but by no means have "we arrived." It may sound nice to be able to say "We are a national fraternity—we have arrived at last," but it is false philosophy and will not lead to progress and true success. We have a good start, and by increased continual effort have a bright future ahead of us.

A glance back into the past year will reveal many interesting things, the most important of which appear to be rather intangible in nature. Three new chapters were installed—Zeta at Coe, Eta at Presbyterian, and Theta at Columbia. In this Alpha Kappa Pi was most fortunate, not only as to the schools concerned, but also as to the type of men added to our roll. Two other events, while of themselves not of paramount importance, lead to significant conclusions. They are the Founders' Day Banquet and the Interchapter Dance. Unfortunately only the Metropolitan chapters were able to participate, but for the first time to any marked degree did the individual chapters in this section act as a unit. This has led to a certain amalgamation of these chapters and has resulted beneficially for the fraternity, the chapters, and the individuals concerned. It is this that makes a national fraternity mean something to an undergraduate.

One of the aforementioned intangible things is that the fraternity is functioning more smoothly. The whole outlook is more harmonious and all are striving for a common goal. Another improvement is in spirit. Though from the start there has been singularly little to criticise, the past year has seen a decided increase in fraternal spirit among the brothers. This is particularly encouraging, for what use are new chapters or impressive equipment if the organization is torn by discord? It is this thing that makes a fraternity worth while, and not primarily a large, impressive, but really meaningless chapter roll or ornate equipment. These latter two, of course, are desirable, but in themselves lead to nothing.

The spirit of co-operation, that has been so marked since our founding, also has improved as a result of the increase of fraternalism. The manner in which the various committees have functioned leaves little to be desired. No one man or small group could possibly carry on all the essential work and the details involved. A large share of this burden falls on the members at large, and what success we have been able to achieve is due, in no small measure, to these men.

Let us now, after a brief résumé of the past year, attempt to draw

aside the curtain that obscures the future. Believing that the method of conservative progress is fundamentally sound and that the results of the past substantiate it, this policy will be continued as far as is consistent with new conditions and situations.

During the ensuing year it is intended to consider, and tentatively settle, several questions relative to equipment and ritual. These matters are far from static in any organization, irrespective of size or age. They are continually undergoing revision and improvement. Brother. Herr and Grubb, Beta, compose the committee at work on the ritual. These men are very proficient along this line, and it will be recalled that Brother Herr, at the convention a year ago, rendered a report upon the shield that was not only unanimously adopted, but was commended by all for its quality.

Grand Vice-president Dierman will head the committee on scholarship for the forthcoming year. Upon the advice given by the Interfraternity Conference, this question will receive the increased attention which it deserves.

As to extension work, we are again highly fortunate in having the committee headed by the man who made our present success possible, Rev. A. H. Wilson. In view of the fine work accomplished last year by this group, the same brothers who served with Brother Wilson then have been re-appointed. Because of the experience gained, the new year should be highly successful for this department.

As requested by the Metropolitan chapters, two committees will be appointed—one to consider an interchapter dance, and the other for the consideration of banquets. In view of the success of the affairs last year, it is felt that they should be continued.

Grand Vice-president McKnight has been appointed to investigate and study the matter of provinces for the fraternity.

Last, but not least, The Alpha will again be under the management of Brother Opdyke. A study of The Alpha since Brother Opdyke took active control showed no reason why a change should be made in editorship.

The future appears very promising, and full of activity. Let us resolve that this year will be the most successful we have ever had; and with the help and co-operation of all the brothers there will be no doubt of the ultimate results.

WILSON R. HULL, Grand President.

# ALPHA STAFF RECEIVES NEW MEMBER

THE recent increase in the number of fraternities with which we exchange copies of magazines necessitated the appointment of a man to take charge of this work. William Zundel, Beta, was added to the staff of The Alpha as Exchange Editor, a short time before the close of the last term of school.

Brother Zundel is well known by many of the men in the Metropolitan chapters. He is a member of the Senior class at Wagner college, and is quite active in collegiate life. He holds the office of president of the student body at Wagner, one of the highest student offices on the campus, and in addition is president of Beta chapter and business manager of the Dramatic Society.



# NEW MEMBER TAKES OVER SOUTHERN WORK

DAVID S. BLANKENSHIP, Jr., a recent graduate of Presbyterian College, is the latest addition to the Extension Committee of Alpha Kappa Pi. He will take charge of the extension plans and work, among the southern colleges.

In graduating last June, Brother Blankenship closed a very brilliant scholastic career at this institution. It was largely through his efforts that the Phi Delta Tau Club became affiliater! with Alpha Kappa Pi as Eta chapter. He is a member of Chi Beta Phi, honorary scientific fraternity; member of the Officers' Club; member of the International Relations Club; and held the rank of lieutenant in the local R.O.T.C. unit. In Eta chapter he held the office of secretary.

# THE ADVISER'S CORNER

IT IS a pleasure to make a brief report of this officer's labors to The Alpha, and thereby to the Alpha Kappa Pi brotherhood. Several significant events have taken place that are destined to mean much to the present and future growth of this fraternity.

#### EXTENSION

Naturally, being one of the younger orders, we are interested in the growth of our fraternity as to chapters. As promised in the last report to The Alpha, we find that some of our dreams have come true. It was a distinct thrill to Alpha Kappa Pi to learn that the petitions from the Presbyterian College of South Carolina and Columbia University had been unanimously granted by the Executive Council and the collegiate chapters. Eta and Theta are now happily placed upon our roster. The installation events of these chapters will be fully set forth in other columns of THE ALPHA. This statement here is just to remind the brothers that we are growing, and in a very fine and constructive manner. Eta brings an entirely new field into Alpha Kappa Pi service, and stands as our first chapter in the South. Two days were spent in Clinton, the seat of the college, and every inquiry added to our first judgment as to the worth of the college and its petitioners. Eta is a splendid chapter. At Columbia University, two years were spent in bringing together a congenial and forceful group of excellent men. Theta chapter is bound to bring honor to herself and to the fraternity. It is our first entrance into one of the large universities, and is our third New York chapter, and the fifth within the so-called Metropolitan area.

#### PETITIONS

There are still before the fraternity a number of applications for charters, and others on the state of making inquires. As the petitions advance to a state of satisfaction, all the facts will be fully placed before the fraternity. The committee in charge of these petitions requests that patience be used in the matter of growth. It is better to miss a good opening than to enter a college where the fraternity life is not wholesome. Alpha Kappa Pi need not fear in this matter; there is at least one, if not two or three, ready to win the committee's approval.

## EPSILON CHAPTER

A matter of more than passing interest to Alpha Kappa Pi is the probable return of our Epsilon chapter to its place in the roll of chapters.

Dr. Ido F. Meyer, president of Ellsworth college and a member of the Epsilon chapter, is making a determined effort to keep Ellsworth among the degree-conferring colleges. With the combined efforts of the City, of Iowa Falls and the alumni of the college, led by Dr. Meyer, the prospect for success is most assuring. Dr. Meyer gives this optimistic message: "You will be happy to learn that our registration is at least three hundred and possibly a little over, for the school this summer. We have about one hundred students of college liberal arts standing. You will see from that, that the college is not dead, as some of our pessimistic friends of last year seemed so certain. The college will go right on as a four-year college. Our catalogue is coming out soon, and we have a first bulletin issue this week." This is a fine note of confidence, and if success comes Epsilon will begin once more her wonderful service for the fraternity. Alpha Kappa Pi should stand 100% behind Dr. Meyer.

### WAGNER COLLEGE

There was a time when Wagner College, owing to her method of instruction, seemed destined to have more than passing difficulty in the matter of conferring degrees. All that has passed. With the addition of more than one-half million dollars to the endowment, the complete separation of preparatory and college instruction, and the meeting in every respect of the demands of the state laws, Wagner College has been placed on the accredited list of the colleges of the country. This means much to Alpha Kappa Pi since a large Freshman class has been enrolled, and with the bigger life there will be an even better chapter. Wagner is to be one of the foremost colleges along the Atlantic.

## THE PAST YEAR

In every respect, the past year was a success. The national convention did much to bring the chapters into a more fraternal and knowing relationship. Three new chapters, Zeta, Eta, and Theta were added; the interfraternity conference committee has taken Alpha Kappa Pi's application for admission under sympathetic consideration, and at the proper time will act favorably upon the same; Mr. George A. Banta, the publisher of The Alpha, has been an inspiration in service and advice; The L. G. Balfour Co., our official jewelers, never fail to give attention to every slightest need in that line; the members of the order are more and more coming to work as a unit, to the end that this fraternity may become what its founders intended it to be—a brotherhood of college men. There is no complaint to the year's accomplishments.

A. H. WILSON

# THE COUNCIL'S REPORT

SINCE the last ALPHA went to press, there have transpired several events worthy of note. The last half of last year was unusually prosperous and promising, both from an internal and external viewpoint. Unfortunately, only the former can be considered herein.

#### Installations

On May 12, 1928, Eta chapter was installed in Presbyterian College, Clinton, South Carolina. This is one of the most important steps taken in the past year, as it opens up a new field. The school compares favorably with the others on our roll, and from all indications the group of men composing this chapter will be heard from in the near future.

On June 1, Theta chapter was installed in Columbia University New York City. This marks our first step into the university field. There is no need to make any remarks relative to the institution, as it is nationally known. The installation was most fortunate from two viewpoints—that of the fraternity, and that of Theta chapter; inasmuch as this is our fifth chapter in the Metropolitan district, making five chapters within a radius of twenty miles. This will permit very close contact between these chapters, and should result beneficially not only to these groups, but to the fraternity as well.

## APPOINTMENTS

D. S. Blankenship, Eta chapter, Presbyterian College, South Carolina, was appointed Southern Representative of the fraternity.

1928 Convention Committee—Chairman, R. Frank Herr, Beta; E. S.

Redmerski, Alpha; G. H. Straub, Gamma.

Finance Committee—Chairman, B. H. Oliver, Gamma; E. J. Grubb, Beta; W. H. Falconer, Alpha.

## Convention

The annual Grand Chapter meeting was held on June 2 at the Fraternity Clubs Building, New York City. At this convention we were particularly fortunate in having Brothers Heinmiller and Mound as the delegates from Zeta chapter. These men have served the fraternity in the past year as Mid-West representative and Extension Committeeman respectively, with satisfying results; and their presence enabled the Council to accomplish many things otherwise impossible. The conclave in itself harmoniously transacted a large volume of business.

#### RECOGNITION

The fraternity wishes to take this opportunity to thank those men who, by their unselfish services during the past year, have contributed materially to the progress of the organization. Though these men are but a relatively small percentage of the total roll, it is felt that any of the other brothers would have given their aid had it been possible to call on them.

The names herein given comprise a partial list of members who, when requested, volunteered their services during the past fical year.

Rev. Albert Hughes Wilson—Fraternity Adviser, Chairman of Extension Committee.

Adelbert Heinmiller, Zeta—Mid-West Representative.

D. S. Blankenship, Jr., Eta-Southern Representative.

## Alpha Chapter

W. Falconer—Finance.

W. J. Opdyke—Associate Editor, THE ALPHA.

E. S. Redmerski-Founders' Day Banquet, Convention.

C. Keating—Interchapter Dance.

L. Balenson—Scholarship.

## Beta Chapter

E. Grubb-Finance, Scholarship, Robes.

R. Herr-Interchapter Dance, Convention, Ritual, Robes.

W. Huthman-Robes.

W. Zundel—Exchange Editor, The Alpha.

# Gamma Chapter

V. Tobin—Toastmaster (Founders' Day Banquet).

A. Kugler—Extension.

B. Oliver-Finance, Ritual.

C. Straub—Convention.

J. Mennie-Interchapter Dance

## Delta Chapter

C. McLoughlin-Extension.

J. Everetts—Founders' Day Banquet.

C. Ammerman—Interchapter Dance, Ritual.

H. Denzler-Scholarship.

# Epsilon Chapter

E. Allen-Extension.

# Zeta Chapter

D. Mound-Extension.

Fraternally submitted, WILSON R. HULL, Grand President

# EDITORIALS AND COMMENT

## GOING FORWARD

WITH this issue we are bringing forth an Alpha which, in outward appearance at least, is considerably different than its predecessors. An increase in the dimensions of the book from five by eight inches to six by nine inches, and a redesign of the cover, give outward evidence that the policy of The Alpha staff is not inimical to changes. Inside the covers we find the use of a more beautiful form of type face, which may not be so apparent to the uninitiated, and a more noticeable rearrangement of material. The number of pages has been increased due to the larger enrollment of the fraternity, and consequent increase in news.

The policy of all magazines which desire circulation is to "please the public," our public in this case being the brothers in the organization. As yet we have put out so few issues that our material and form have not become standardized. We would like to learn from the brothers which parts of the magazine please them most—or conversely, which parts offend them most. Perhaps there are interesting features which we have neglected to use. We will be glad to receive any expressions of opinion on the makeup of the magazine. It is only by proper additions and eliminations that we can develop an interesting and satisfactory Alpha.

Proper co-operation of the brothers will aid us much in our development or building-up program. We believe that most brothers like to learn what members in other chapters are doing. The only way The Alpha can receive this information is through the chapter historians. This admonition, affecting directly a few men only, is perhaps out of place in these columns; our only excuse is that perhaps it may result in the brothers helping their chapter historians more, by keeping them posted on all the latest news, and turning over to them snapshots of the brothers, fraternity houses, etc.; drawings or cartoons; original manuscripts; and the like.

We want The Alpha to be a growing magazine, and the expression not only of its staff, but of every brother as well.

#### BOUND VOLUMES

We are pleased to state that, through the efforts of our Adviser, A. H. Wilson, the first volumes of The Alpha are now in bound form, the two volumes in one book. These volumes include five issues, the

last being that of April, 1928. Orders for the book may be placed through Rev. A. H. Wilson, 163 East 111th Street, New York City, but as the number of copies available at present is limited, it is a case of "first come, first served." The price is \$1.50 per book.

Every member of Alpha Kappa Pi should possess one of these books, not only as a remembrance, but also as a record of the growth of the fraternity and its magazine. The collegiate chapters will find these volumes of great value in teaching their new members the history of Alpha Kappa Pi.

#### LIVING LIKE GENTLEMEN

To the chapters anxious to build up a good and enduring name for Alpha Kappa Pi, a few words of admonition may not come amiss. A strong chapter is one that lives in harmony with its members. A disrupted chapter often occurs through remissness that might easily have been avoided. First of all, let each member keep the rules of the game. Be considerate with one another. Treat each brother as you would wish to be treated. Be polite—courtesy is the indispensable lubricant between men. Don't be crude; don't be sloppy; be just as genteel in your chapter house as you would be in the presence of your own family. Don't take pride in being a grouch or a loud braying ass. Courtesy costs nothing, but it pays a most satisfying dividend.

Let each brother put his shoulder to the wheel, and it won't be long until the chapter life is running along like a pleasant song, and there will be the spirit of fraternalism and real progress so present with you that Alpha Kappa Pi will be the model chapter in every college or university. This sentiment is also good gospel; for does not Pope tell us, in defining a Christian, that "He is the highest type of gentleman."

#### **PROMPTNESS**

One thing that we all must learn, sooner or later, is the habit of promptness in our daily life. The particular phase of this which we desire to stress here, is that of doing things by the time set for completion, rather than taking considerably longer, for one reason or another. You brothers in school, and those whose education is completed, know how much stress is placed on the promptness with which work—reports, papers, etc.—are handed in. Alumni brothers have had this fact brought to them more forcibly in their daily work, for there they are paid for doing their work in the time allotted; that is, promptly. Many men never acquire this habit, but you will find that most successful men

# WHAT OTHERS SAY

## WHITHER GOEST THOU?

"What have you been reading lately?" I said to John, several days ago.

"Oh," came the answer lightly and indifferently, "I've been too busy doing nothing to read." Said no doubt in joke, but I sensed grim tragedy —a common malady now prevalent in this country. So much to do and so many places to go. Here, there, everythere, we flit about, restless, unstable, chaotic, wherever the loudest voice happens to call. Day by day our lives become more complicated and it takes more and more ingenuity to pick one's way through it. But the cry is for men who can, and are willing to do it. Men who do more than stuff their lives with sawdust—attend the latest shows, learn the latest dances, and attend all the card parties and baseball games. Men who can talk of something other than the latest model car or song hit; men who are not merely good, but are good enough to disturb the devil, as Howard Thurman puts it; men who are alive to the things about them and are not drifting listlessly and indifferently through the years; ambitious men who not only build air castles, but have cords strong enough to tie them to earth. The qualities which lead a man to dream of good things to be done are not always the qualities which lead him to make those dreams come true. Kappa Alpha Psi Journal

From the Octagonian of Sigma Alpha Mu-

The haste with which students dash through universities snatching a few utilitarian commodities on the run and having little time, and less inclination, to browse among the manifold beautiful wares the universities have to offer is nothing short of tragic. And what is even more depressing is the student's inevitable realization after his diploma has been safely tucked away that, as is said of young Marco Polo in O'Neill's play, ". . . . He has memorized everything and learned nothing. He has looked at everything and seen nothing. He has lusted for everything and loved nothing. . . . ."

# **PROMPTNESS**

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have it to a marked degree. If you have not acquired it, now is the best time to begin; and where else is better to start than in your relations with your fraternity? Certain brothers who have aided us at times may perhaps feel that this touches them in a sore spot. It is not our entire purpose, however, to mean them specifically; for there are many other ways beside the furnishing of writeups for The Alpha in which the acquisition of this habit by the brothers will benefit the fraternity.

One noticeable result would be that chapter meetings could start at the proper time, because all the brothers would be on hand then, instead of sauntering in at any time after the appointed hour. Another would be the payment of dues at the specified times, relieving chapter and national organizations of much financial worry. Then of course is the dispatch of business, if committees performed their functional work promptly, instead of hanging fire a month or two from sheer inertia, and reporting "no progress" at several meetings.

Since promptness is such a necessary virtue in life, it is an advantage to cultivate it as early in life as possible. Whatever work you take part in, whether it be collegiate, fraternal, or industrial, will be the gainer and equally so will you in the long run.

# ETA CHAPTER

THE HISTORY OF PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE

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Laurens Hall in 1908, Spencer Hall in 1912, and Smyth Hall in 1924. The administration Building was completed in 1907, the Judd Dining Hall in 1908, and the W. P. Jacobs Science Hall in 1915. In 1924 the Leroy Springs Gymnasium was erected, and one of the best tracks in the South was also completed.

In 1911, Dr. D. M. Douglas of Baltimore, Maryland, was elected president, and it was under his leadership that the college grew to be what it is today. In 1911 there were 80 students; today there are 270. In 1923 the college was admitted to the Association of American Colleges and Universities. In 1924 it became a member of the Southern Association of Schools and Colleges. It was also under the leadership of Dr. Douglas that the chair of the English Bible was endowed.

The college has courses leading to the degree of bachelor of arts or bachelor of science, and it is the hope of the school that in a few years it can offer to give the degree of master of arts.

O. C. MARTIN, JR.

# NEWS FROM THE CHAPTERS

On May, Alpha chapter held its election of officers for the coming year. Those who were selected are: president, Edward Lott; vice-president, Charles Clarendon; secretary, William O'Connor; treasurer, John Zielenbach; historian, John Opdyke; and chaplain, Vernon Drake. With this splendid group of officers Alpha intends to accomplish much during the coming year.

Since the last chapter letter, Alpha has added five new men to her chapter roll. They are: William C. Karl, Ralph O. Menke, John A. Stegler, Ralph T. Urich, and Albert E. Bennett. Their first initiation was held at the summer home of Brother Coe at Lake Hopatcong on June 1. The final initiation took place at the Windsor Tea Room,

Newark, on Saturday, June 2.

Most of the brothers' time has been occupied with "boning" for exams, looking for jobs, or both. Alpha loses a large group of active members by graduation. The brothers who will be entered on the alumni list are Bush, Cox, Cozza, Deaney, Dorn, Forsythe, Falconer, Goldbach, Keating, Kuhn, Mayer, Roche, and Spinanger. It is hoped that these men will remain as active as they have been in the past, and assist to the best of their ability their younger brothers who have not as yet completed their collegiate careers.

It is the sincere hope of the brothers of Alpha that visits by other chapters be made in the fall, so that the men in the Metropolitan district may become better acquainted with each other.

GEORGE W. DORN

Beta men were exceedingly active in college during the spring term. Brother Hoppe has again reaped the highest honors in scholastic achievement. Brother Huthman, as business manager of the *Kallista*, our year book, brought it to financial success. Brother Huthman also, as president of the Dramatic Society, contributed to the successful production of *It Pays to Advertise*. Brother Zundel was elected Student Body president, which is the highest tribute the students at Wagner can pay to any undergraduate.

We were very glad to welcome the Alpha delegates to one of our

meetings. Their stay was most enjoyable to us.

We held an interfraternity dance on Memorial Day, in conjunction with one of the other fraternities on the hill. It was a very enjoyable

and successful affair, due to the efforts of Brother Bosch, who worked hard and long on the preparations.

We regret the loss of five valuable men through graduation. Brothers Herr, Clemen, Palleske, Stoner, and Grubb leave Wagner for more fertile fields in which to sow their seeds of knowledge. Alpha Kappa Pi will ever bask in their reflected glory.

Needless to say, we are now looking forward to next year's pledging season.

Bud Miller

Delta The last season of school was one of the most successful that Delta chapter has ever had in its history. It was successful from every angle, but particularly in welcoming as brothers the finest fraternity material in the school; or, in the Delta vernacular, "in any school."

Since Delta has increased greatly in size, it has become necessary to seek larger accomodations. For this reason, our past residence at 166 State Street was closed at the end of the school year, and the furniture put in storage for the summer months, with the intention of locating a larger house in the fall and using the accumulated money to buy new furniture. This naturally will prove a wonderful asset to the group, and will aid greatly in making our September début a success. There is no doubt that every man in the chapter is planning on our new fall home.

W. V. Mason

The 1927–1928 academic year was rounded up socially by Zeta With its annual spring dance, which was held at Manhattan Beach on Friday evening, May 18. This dance, with that of Beta Phi Alpha, held on the same date at the Cedar View Country Club, opened the final whirl of fraternity and sorority dances here.

The Aristocrats played to a program of ten dances, of which the sixth was a surprise feature by the orchestra, and the eighth a waltz by the light of the electric replica of the official badge. The dance programs were beauties, being shaped after the seven-pointed star, and finished in black and gold with the Greek letters and crossed sabers of the fraternity badge appearing on the face of them.

Captain and Mrs. L. E. McGregor and Dr. and Mrs. G. N. Quam were chaperons for the dance. Besides the active brothers and their guests, Mr. Stockton, another faculty adviser, and several alumni were present. Robert Duckworth, president of the chapter, acted as student floor committee chairman. Dancing was from eight until eleven o'clock.

The barge party up the Cedar, which has been a Commencement

week custom for several years, was omitted this time because of the numerous other social events of the closing college year.

ARIE POLDERVAART

Eta chapter, Alpha Kappa Pi fraternity, Presbyterian College of South Carolina at Clinton, South Carolina, broadcasting from station A-L-P-H-A, 8:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

The first number on the program will be: "Our Impressions Before

and After Becoming a Chapter in a National Fraternity."

Back in the days when we were Phi Delta Tau, we realized our handicaps. We felt as though we were about the least important organization on the campus, and pep in our chapter was running low. But when we became national, with a bang every member was pepped up again. Now we strut around as big as the next one—nope, we're not conceited. It is just a matter of pride. Now that we are in Alpha Kappa Pi, we boast of knowing a good thing when we see it, and working hard to get in line with it.

The next number will be something of our plans for the coming year.

As most of you know, we are not allowed to live in "houses" as fraternities in most other colleges are, therefore we must get rooms or a hall and fix them up the best we can to carry on our activities there. We are planning to purchase some new furniture, along with curtains, rugs, and other articles, to beautify our chapter home.

The toll taken from our chapter by the class of '28 was quite great, since it included some of our most active members. They are Roy Barnett, D. S. Blankenship, Cash Godbold, Samuel Harden, Charles Johnson, and Malcolm Williamson. We hope to get a goodly number of new men this year, but we will not sacrifice quality for quantity.

This concludes our program, but before signing off we wish all our

brothers the best of luck and success for the coming year.

Eta chapter, Alpha Kappa Pi fraternity, Presbyterian College of South Carolina at Clinton, South Carolina, signing off from station A-L-P-H-A, at 8:30 P.M., Eastern Standard Time.

NEIL P. CLINTON

Theta Theta Chapter of Alpha Kappa Pi fraternity a great deal of pleasure to be able to greet the other members of Alpha Kappa Pi as brothers.

Since Theta was installed just as the university was closing for the year, there was no time left for getting in touch with our neighboring

chapters; but after the opening in September we expect to become fully acquainted with all our brothers in this part of the country. Meanwhile, we desire to express our sincere appreciation to the chapters and officers for the privilege of becoming a part of this brotherhood. It is Theta's purpose to do her utmost to bring added prestige to our order. After the university opens, we will be found at Rooms 427-8, Hartley Hall, Columbia University, where we shall be pleased to welcome all Alpha Kappa Pis. We hear that Brother Siegwald Palleske, Beta chapter, is transferring to Columbia for advanced work in languages. It is certain a warm welcome awaits all brothers transferring to this university from other chapters.

Theta is very happy to state that all her members will be back at colege in the fall, and there is every



Kenneth Scott Fegan President of Theta Chapter

reasonable assurance that several other fine fellows will be wearers of the seven-pointed star before the university ends another year of service.

In conclusion, let us request that the brothers in our chapters elsewhere report to Theta the entrance of any likely freshman at Columbia, and thus give your Theta brothers an opportunity to become acquainted with him; and perhaps the right to pin on him the white and green button. The brothers of Theta chapter are one hundred percent set to do their best for the fraternity, and send fraternal good wishes to our brothers elsewhere. Especially do we welcome to Alpha Kappa Pi our first southern chapter, Eta, Presbyterian College of South Carolina.

R. R. D'ANGELO

# **PERSONALS**

# Some Embryo Engineers from Newark

Brother Drake has been elected editor-in-chief of the 1929 Kem-Lec-Mek, the college yearbook. His right hand man is Brother Lott, who holds the position of business manager.

Just before the close of college, Brother Gibbons, our Grand Secretary, was taken ill with a severe attack of appendicitis, but due to the efforts of a good-looking nurse, is still with us. Nurse or no nurse, Gibby would have been content to stay at home, as he had a bad spell of it. We are all glad that he has recovered. He is now working for a pipe-covering concern, striving to make a name for himself in business.

Brother Brader spent most of the summer in and around Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, assisting his employers of the Westinghouse Company in his spare time.

Brothers Spinanger and Dorn are working for Proctor and Gamble, of Ivory Soap and Chipso fame. It is hoped that the soap and oil business will be improved.

Brother Dierman is peddling steam in New York City—no, not by the pail—for the New York Steam Corporation. We wonder how business is in the summer when the thermometer reads 96 degrees in the shade.

"Our dear ole bachelor," Brother Cox, not to be outdone by Lindy, has taken up flying. Even the birds come home to roost, so be careful, Ray!

Barney Diebold, Alpha '27, is now a proud parent. We hope that he brings his son up to be a true Alpha Kappa Pi man.

We are pleased to announce the marriage of Charles Bauer, Alpha, '25, a member of the Board of Trustees of the fraternity. He was married to Florence Clark on September 28, 1928.

# Wagnerian Dope

Siegwald Palleske received his A.B. degree from Wagner College in June and will enter Columbia for postgraduate work this fall. Theta will be there to welcome this good brother. Dr. Theo. E. Palleske of the Wagner College faculty is the father of Brother Palleske.

Harry T. McKnight was in charge of the Wartburg School for Boys, White Plains, during the summer. He returns to Mt. Airy Seminary this fall.

R. Frank Herr and Alvin H. Stoner will enter the Mt. Airy Seminary this September.

Paul H. Clemen received his A.B. degree from Wagner in June, and intends to enter the business world this fall. His vacation was spent at his home in Southington, Connecticut.

# Polynotes

Most of the boys of Delta chapter have, as usual, managed to scatter themselves to the far corners of the earth; some to enjoy themselves, and the others to work and pine for the green fields or the ocean swells.

Which reminds me—Herm Schubert has been climbing, at various times during the summer, one of the highest peaks of the mountain range through Maine. Another bit of dirt about Herm—he intends to discard his engineering talents, for a while at least, and study psychology at Columbia University this fall. You can bet that there is a woman at the bottom of it all! However, it is Delta's loss and Theta chapter's gain.

Brother Fraim, Delta's faculty adviser, is spending the weltering months with his mother at Atlantic City. He welcomed a great many brothers there—as the rumor goes, the Professor intends to rent a hotel next year.

It is with great displeasure that we announce the abdication of Harry Likel's appendix, over the summer months. Harry enjoys exhibiting his appendix, and we are certain that he'll oblige anyone wishing to see it. He came through the operation very well.

We had a short glimpse of Delta's famous Scotchman, Arthur Martin, during the summer; and we warn all ye conscientious cigarette-smoking brethren to steer clear of Arty. He accomplishes his "grubbing" more subtly than before. Otherwise, he is healthy.

There's one fellow we must mention—our treasurer, Bill Weinkauff. He has just gotten a Chrysler sedan, which he does not know how to drive. Fortunately, he has a younger brother who can drive fairly well. We rode with the combination one night—we're off burlesques!

Unfortunately, we have no engagements, marriages, or births to announce.

# Epsilon Notes

Three Epsilon men—Brothers Welden and Marsh, and Pledge Nissen—are attending Iowa State College at Ames this year. Brother Welden was an Epsilon convention delegate in 1927.

Lester W. Ladd will enter the University of Missouri this September. He speaks with pride of wearing his Alpha Kappa Pi badge to this great campus.

# From the Hawk-Eyes

Zeta's rush for the feminine sex appears as yet unabated. At least two more of our brothers are definitely known to have given their seven-pointed stars a new resting place since the last appearance of The Alpha.

William F. Gremmels has the honor of being the first active member of Zeta chapter to become an alumnus. Brother Gremmels was made an active member at the installation of the chapter on January 5, 1928, and became an alumnus at the end of the first semester, about one week later.

Brother Poldervaart has the distinction of getting his name engraved upon the chapter's Freshman Scholastic Standing Cup for receiving the highest grades among our freshmen during the past year. The cup was procured three years ago, and Brothers Moninger and Chapman were the first two to be honored in this manner.

Zeta expects to see twelve of its active members return to Coe this year. With this prospect we can well look forward to a record-breaking season.

It looks as if Brother Moninger is going to have the "big say" at Coe this coming year. He was not only chosen editor-in-chief of the Cosmos, the weekly publication of Coe College, but was also elected president of the Student Council of the school. These two are the most influential positions a student at Coe can hold.

Brother Clark, our advocate of campus politics ever since he entered Coe, is still on the job as a loyal booster for "bigger and better" politicians.

Brothers Heinmiller and Mound returned from the national convention on Sunday afternoon, June 3, and with their laden suitcases were the biggest curios of the day.

Dwight Mound is now located in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, the seat of Franklin and Marshall College.

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We are publishing herewith a list of the names and addresses of all the active and alumni brothers in the Alpha Kappa Pi fraternity up to July 1, 1928. This list will be kept up to date by the publishing, from time to time, of supplementary lists of new brothers, either in the present chapters, or in new chapters. For any errors in name or address communicate with the Grand Secretary, Harry W. Dierman, Ordway Building, 207 Market Street, Newark, New Jersey.

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Adelbert W. Heinmiller is now head of the business administration department and instructor of accounting and economics at the McCann School of Business, Reading, Pennsylvania. It is only fitting and proper that we extend to Brother Heinmiller our congratulations, for we learn that a certain young lady, Miss Georgia May Penniwell of Leon, Iowa, is now wearing his Alpha Kappa Pi badge. In a year or so, we expect to see Brother Heinmiller a typical married man—and perhaps an "absent-minded professor."

# Under the Southern Skies

David S. Blankenship, Jr., of Eta chapter, received his degree from Presbyterian College in June, and then spent the summer at the Bethlehem Steel Works preparing to accept a very responsible position at Baltimore, Maryland, in the early fall. Brother Blankenship was the head of the local that formed Eta chapter, and proved a splendid leader.

We are glad to note that among those who received track letters for the season of 1928 were Charles Martin, D. C. Patterson, Cash Godbold, and Edward Means.

Charles Martin was councilor at the Y.M.C.A. camp for the summer. We hope he made a good impression on the little boys.

# The Sidewalks of New York

Rennie D'Angelo, Theta chapter, was a helper in the boy's camp conducted by Brother A. H. Wilson at Port Monmouth, New Jersey. Brother D'Angelo made a splendid record at Columbia last year, and came through with a complete string of A grades. He also won his "C" in wrestling.

Edward Mueller is the dramatic editor for the daily paper at Columbia University, *The Spectator*.

Wendell Lamb vacationed at his home in Springfield, Mass.

Kenneth Scott Fegan claims to have been a hard-working man during the summer months, at his home in Woonsocket, Rhode Island. Edmund Rudolph attended summer school at Columbia University, and kept in shape to help Theta make a fine opening in September.

Ellsworth Missal spent his vacation at his summer home on Staten Island, N. Y.

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