

From Left to Right Standing - J.R. Umsted; J.L. Vanderbeek; J.K. Adams; G.D. Holmquist;
J.C.C. Avery; R.A. Jarrard.
Sitting -

R.L. Jagocki; K.O. Biles; A.H. Hovey; R.L. Hooven; F.W. Andrew

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In the year 1740 there existed in the city of Philadenia a school, created by a trust established in that year, known a designated as the "Charity School". It was from this school, stablished primarily as a House of Public Worship, that the prent University of Pennsylvania sprang. The "Charity School ot proving a success, twenty-four public spirited citizens of Philelphia, inspired by the publication of a pamphlet by BenjamiFranklin relating to educational conditions int their city, in 1740ounded what was known as the "Academy" and with which the So successful was the "CharitSchool" was then combined. undertang that in 1753 the Trustees secured a charter incorporating "e Academy and Charitable School". Under the skillful traininof the learned Rev. William Smith, the highest class in this Acemy attained that proficiency which in a college course would eitle it to a degree. Accordingly, in 1755, the proprietors of Penrlvania, Richard and William Penn, were petitioned, and a "Confirtory Charter" granted, incorporating "The College, Academy and Chatable School". In 1765 Dr. John Morgan, the first man to hold medical professorship in this country, founded the first lical School in America. This school is now a part of the Unirsity of Pennsylvania.

From September 1777, to June 1778, owing to the occupain of Philadelphia by British troops, recitations and lectur were suspended. In 1779, after the Revolutionary War, the Leglature of the State of Pennsylvania confiscated all the rightsid properties of the College, which were then bestowed upon a new ganization, called in its charter, "The Trustees of the Universy of the State of Pennsylvania". Ten years later, these rightsid properties were all restored, and in 1791 an act was passedial gamating the old College with the new University, under the tip of "The Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania". Since that the University has grown, until now it not only comprises the Coage, subdivided into the School of Arts, the Summer School, and the Jollege Course for Teachers, but also

The Towne Scientific School

The Wharton School

The Graduate School

The Law School

The School of Medicine

The School of Dentistry

The School of Veterinary Medicine and Hospital

The University Hospital

The Wistar Institute of Anatomy and Biology

The Laboratory of Hygiene

The University Library

The Department of Archaeology

The Flower Astronomical Observatory
The Department of Physical Education

Psychological Clinic Henry Phipps Institute

Evening School

The University of Pennsylvania is situated in Philadelphia on property covering an area of over fifty-nine acres. In addition to this land the University has acquired from the city an adjoining tract comprising fifty-five acres. The buildings consist of College Hall, Logan Hall, Robert Hare Chemical Laboratory, Library, Howard Houston Hall, Central Light and Heat Plant, University Hospital, Gibson Wing for Chronic Diseases, Nurses' Home, Maternity Hospital, Lodge and Mortuary Chapel, Laundry, Agnew Memorial Pavilion, Wm. Pepper Laboratory of Clinical Medicine, Biological Hall, Medical Laboratories, Zoological Laboratory, Veterinary Hall and Hospital, University Museum, John Harrison Laboratory of Chemistry, Dental Hall, Laboratory of Hygiene, Randal Morgan Laboratory of Physics, Engineering Building, Gymnasium, Training House, Law School Building, Wistar Institute, and the Dørmitories. The Dormitory buildings are in one continious group surrounding two opens courts; the most recent buildings are on two sides of what will in time be a third enclosed court.

The total number of students that attend the University of Pennsylvania is 6,332. About 400 of these are women. The Faculty numbers 560. The University is endowed for about \$6,000,000.

The COLLEGE consists of the School of Arts, which confers the degrees of A.B. and B.S.; the course in Biology which confers the degree of B.S. in Biology; the course in Music which confers Bachelor of Music; the Summer School in which the student receives certificates of study; the College Course for Teachers in which A.B. and B.S. are conferred.

THE TOWNE SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL includes the Architectural School, which confers B.S. in Architecture; the Engineering courses which confer the degrees of B.S. in Chemical Engineering, and B.S. in Mechanical Engineering, B.S. in Electrical Engineering, and B.S. in Civil Engineering.

THE WHARTON SCHOOL confers the degree of B.S. in Economics.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL confers the degrees of A.M., M.S. and PH.D.

THE LAW SCHOOL confers the degrees of L.L.B. and L.L.M.

THE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE confers the degree of M.D.

THE SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY confers the degree of D.D.S.

THE SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE confers V.M.D.

Honorary

Phi Beta Kappa

Sigma Xi

Order of the Coif

General

Acacia
Alpha Chi Rho
Alpha Omega
Alpha Tau Omega
Beta Theta Pi
Delta Kappa Epsilon
Phi Gamma Delta
Phi Kappa Psi
Phi Kappa Sigma
Phi Sigma Kappa
Psi Upsilon
Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Delta Sigma Rho (Honorary) Sigma Chi

Delta Phi Sigma Delta Chi (Honorary)

Delta Psi Sigma Nu

Delta Tau Delta Sigma Phi Sigma Delta Upsilon Sigma Phi Epsilon

Kappa AlphaTheta ChiKappa SigmaUnion LatinaPhi Delta ThetaZeta Beta Tau

Phi Alpha Sigma Zeta Psi

ENGINEERING

My Phi Alpha Theta Xi

LAW

Delta Chi Phi Delta Phi

Theta Lambda Phi

MEDICAL

Aleph Yodh He

Alpha Kappa Kappa
Alpha Mu Pi Omega
Nu Sigma Nu

Omega Upsilon Phi
Lambda Chi Alpha
Phi Chi Upsilon
Phi Rho Sigma

DENTAL

Delta Sigma Delta Xi Psi Phi Psi Omega Alpha Omega

VETERINARY

Omega Tau Sigma Alpha Psi

SORORITIES

Delta Delta Delta Kappa Kappa Gamma

GRADUATE

Phi Eta Phi Pi

LIST OF SOCIETIES AND CLUBS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

WHARTON School Association
Architectural Society
Philomathean Society
Zelosophic Society
Civil Engineering Society
Civic Club
Dramatic Club
Whitney Engineering Society
Priestley Club
Wireless Club
Combined Musical Clubs
Mask & Wig Club

Kelvin Physical Club
Graduate Botanical Club
Botanical Society of Pennsylvania
College Boat Club
Zoological Society
Camera Club
Chess & Checker Club
Cosmopolitan Club
Aerc Club
Cercel Francais
Deutcher Verein

There are also innumeral/esocieties in the different departments devoted to work in that department such as medical clubs, law clubs, dental societies and a veterinary society.

PROSPECTS FOR A NEW CHAPTER

The prospects for a Chapter of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity at the University of Pennsylvania, as we, the petitioners see it, are extremely favorable. Our reasons for viewing the situation in this light are, -

First - The class of the fellows who are petitioning for the charter have characterized themselves as workers, heart and soul

for the success of our undertakings.

Second - We expect at least eight and very probably nine

of our charter members to return next year.

Third - Of the total enrollment at Fennsylvania, it is estimated that only approximately twelve per cent. of the men are fraternity men; hence, there are many good men available for our proposed Chapter.

Fourth - A Charter from the Alpha Sigma Thi would immediately place us upon an equal basis with the leading National Fraternities, and as a result we should be among the leaders in the near future.

Fifth - During an interview with our beloved Provost, Dr. Edgar F. Smith, at twhich time our plans were laid before him, he expressed hearty approval of our endeavors and assured us of any assistance we might ask at his disposal.

It is the intention, as expressed by the members when considaring proposed new members, to enlarge very conservatively, and keep in mind continually the fostering of a congenial fraternity spirit, rather than the growth to a large number.

For the remainder of the present term we shall as far as possible complete plans for the coming term next fall, and familiarize our members with the mechanism of fraternity organization. Further, we are now considering a few men as probably members before the end of this term, and other very favorable prospects for entrance in the fall.

Several of our men are engaged in other college activities and are constantly thrown in contact with new men who show promise of becoming prominent along that line; and since a number of our men are upper classmen, we feel them very capable of choosing new mne, of the character we prefer.

Respectfully submitted, -

Kunth O Bile Secretary

Toward the close of November of 1913, six students of the University of Pennsylvania, who were in the habit of meeting together daily, thought it would be a good plan to form a Club to promote better fellowship among the members. It was accordingly proposed that the group take their meals at the same place. These men, together with one other, who proved congenial to every one concerned, proceeded to organize, but simply temporarily, since the idea was to later form a local fraternity. During one of the discussions concerning the requisites of such a body, it was suggested that the Club petition a National Fraternity, not already represented at Pennsylvania, for a Charter. Correspondence was entered into with the Grand Junior President of the Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity, and it was found that the standards of that Fraternity were in accord with the ideas of all interested.

After a personal interview with the Grand Junior President it was found necessary to have a larger membership before petitioning the National Body for a Charter. We therefore postponed the action, until it has now become possible to enter a petition from a Club of eleven members, all of whom have been carefully selected in accord with our ideals of fraternal relationship.

The following are the present men in office:-

A. Heywood Hovey - President
R. Leonard Hooven- Vice Pres.
Kenneth O. Biles - Secretary

James C.C. Avery - Corresponding Sec'y

J. Kenneth Adams - Treasurer Robert L. Jagocki- Marshall Forrest W.Andrew - Custodian Mame

Albert Heywood Hovey

Home Address

234 Union Street, Springfield, Mass.

College Address

367 Hopkinson, U of P Dorms, Phila.

Father's Name

Albert Henry Hovey

Mother's Maiden Name

Sarah Elizabeth Heywood

Date of Birth

June 16, 1892

Height

Five feet, eight and one-half inches

Weight

One hundred and thirty-five pounds

Complexion

Medium Dark

Eyes

Brown

Hair

Dark Brown

Prepared for College

Central High School, Springfield, Mass.

Honors

Member of Crew, Soccer team , and in

Senior Pageant

Department

Wharton School of Finance and Commerce

Class

1915

Clubs, etc.

Dormitory House Representative

French Club, Civic Club, Wireless Club, and Chapel Committee. Also member of

Christian Association

Nationality

Yankee

albert, Lywood Hovey.

Name Robert Leonard Hooven

Home Address Tenafly, New Jersey

College Address 371 Hopkinson, U of P Dorms, Phila.

Father's Name Wilbur T. Hooven

Mother's Maiden Name Ellen Marcy

Date of Birth April 8, 1993

Height Six feet

Weight One hundred and fifty-eight pounds

Complexion Dark

Eyes Blue

Hair Chestnut

Prepared for College Englewood High School, Englewood, N.J.

Honors Asst. Business Manager of Senior Play

Winner in Senior Oration Contest (One of 6)

Department Wharton School of Finance & Commerce

Class 1916

Honors On swimming squad in Freshman year

Candidate for Varsity track team

Nationality Pennsylvania Dutch descent

Reonard Stooven

Name Kenneth Oscar Biles

Home Address 4337 Sunset Place, Seattle, Wash.

College Address 3721 Locust St., Philadelphia.

Father's Name Oscar P. Biles

Mother's Maiden Name Hattie F. Ingalls

Date of Birth October 5, 1891

Height Five feet, five inches

Weight One hundred and forty pounds

Complexion Fair

Eyes Gray

Hair Blonde

Prepared for College Saginaw High School, Saginaw, Mich.

Honors Asst. Business Manager on Staff of

Publications

Department Wharton School of Finance and Commerce

Class 1917

Honors On present Freshman baseball squad

Nationality English descent

Tumeth, Oscar, Biles.

Name

James C. C. Avery

Home Address

#5 Swift Street, Auburn, N.Y.

College Address

25 E. F. Smith Dorm, U of P, Philadelphia.

Father's Name

Courtney C. Avery

Mother's Maiden Name

Caroline L. Bryden

Date of Birth

Jan. 14, 1893

Height

Five feet, ten inches

Weight

One hundred and fifty pounds

Complexion

Medium dark

Eyes

Gray-green

Hair

Black

Prepared for College

Auburn Academic High School

Honors

Business Mgr. of High School Paper

Manager Tennis Team

Member of Glee Club, High School Dramatics and Xmas Rhetoricals.

Department

Wharton School of Finance and Commerce

Class

1916

Honors

Member of Wrestling squad

Clubs, etc.

Member of Philomathean Club

Nationality

English and Scotch descent.

James Coavry

Name

John Kenneth Adams

Home Address

Tenafly, New Jersey

College Address

369 Hopkinson, U of P Dorms, Phila.

Father's Name

James MacClaren Adams

Mother's Maiden Name

Mary Catherine MacLeod

Date of Birth

December 21, 1893

Height

Six feet and one-half inch

Weight

One hundred and sixty-three pounds

Complexion

Medium Dark

Color of Hair

Brown

Eyes

Blue

Prepared for College

Englewood High School, Englewood, N.J.

Honors

Debating Team,

Business Mgr., Senior Play

Class Football and basketball teams

Department

Chemical Engineering

Class

1916

Clubs, etc.

Priestly Club, Whitney Engineering Society, Department and Class Football,

J. Kenneth Hans.

Track Squad.

Nationality

Scotch Descent

Name Robert Leo Jagocki

Home Address 707 Third Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y.

College Address 54 Morris, U of P Dorms, Philadelphia

Father's Name Frank X. Jagocki

Mother's Maiden Name Elizabeth Soby

Date of Birth January 5, 1894

Height Five feet, nine inches

Weight One hundred and forty-five pounds

Complexion Light

Eyes Blue

Hair Brown

Prepared for College Boys' High School. Brooklyn, N.Y.

Honors Member football, la-crosse and hockey teams

Member of Glee Club

Member of Dramatic Club, and in Cast of

1910 Play -

Other College Attended Wharton School of U of P - 1912-13 (1 yr.)

Department Law School

Class 1916

Honors Member of Freshman track team

Nationality Polish descent

Robert S. Jagocki

Name Forrest William Andrew

Home Address 367 Allen Street, Springfield, Mass.

College Address 43 Morris, U of P Dorms, Philadelphia

Father's Name Orlin D. Andrew

Mother's Maiden Name Manie E. Case

Date of Birth November 11, 1891

Height Five feet, eight inches

Weight One hundred and fifty-three pounds

Complexion Dark

Eyes Brown

Hair Black

Prepared for College Springfield High School

Honors Member basketball and track teams

Other college attended Springfield College, one year in preparation

for Y.M.C.A. work. Also spent one year in Detroit, Mich., Y.M.C.A. as Employment and

Social Work Secretary.

Department School of Dentistry

Class 1914

Honors Member Freshman basketball and track teams

Clubs, etc. Massachusetts State Club

Secretary 1912-13 Vice Pres. 1913-14

Kirke Dental Society

Strand-Fraternity-Club of Springfield, Mass.

Nationality Yankee

Forest william andrew.

Name James Laurence Vanderbeck

Home Address . 174 Grand Avenue, Englewood, N.J.

College Address 40 Birthday, U of P. Dorms, Phila.

Father's Name James D. Vanderbeck

Mother's Maiden Name Nettie Ward

Date of Birth July 7, 1892

Height Five feet, ten inches

Weight One hundred and fifty pounds

Complexion Fair

Eyes Blue

Hair Dark Brown

Prepared for College Englewood High School

Honors, Member of track team for four years-Captain of track team in last year-

Member of Basketball and Football teams three years and Baseball team two years.-

President of High School Athletic Assn.

during Senior year.

Department School of Dentistry

Class 1916

Honors Member of this year's Freshman basketball

team and also a member of Freshman track

team -

Nationality Descendent from Holland Dutch

J & Vanderheets

Name

Joseph Russel Umsted

Home Address

506 W. Broad Street, Quakertown, Pa.

College Address

45 Morris, U of P Dorms, Phila.

Father's Name

Johnathan R. Umsted

Mother's Maiden Name

Lillian Zendt

Date of Birth

April 17, 1893

Height

Five feet, nine inches

Weight

One hundred and sixty pounds

Complexion

Light

Eyes

Brown

Hair

Reddish Brown

Prepared for College

Allentown Preparatory School, Allentown, Pa.

Honors

Member of Football and Basketball Teams Second Scholastic Honors in Senior Year

Exchange Editor of School Paper

Department

Arts and Science

Class

1917

Honors

Member present Freshman basketball squad

Clubs, etc.

Zelosophic Literary Society

Joseph Russel Umsted

Nationality

Dutch descent

Name Ralph Albion Jarrard

Home Address Independence, Missouri

College Address 3721 Locust Street

Father's Name Levi Louis Jarrard

Mother's Maiden Name Libbie Isabelle Brown

Date of Birth September 1, 1887

Height Five feet, eight inches

Weight One hundred and fifty-five pounds

Complexion Light

Eyes Blue

Hair Brown

Prepared for College Manual Training High School, Kansas City, Mo.

Queen Anne High School, Seattle, Wash.

Honors Member of track team

Department Wharton School of Finance & Commerce

Class 1915

Clubs, etc. Secretary of Missouri Club -

Member of Christian Association -

Nationality French and English descent -

Ralph albion Javard

Name

George Delmore Holmquist

Home Address

Salina, Kansas -

College Address

3721 Locust Street, Phila.

Father's Name

Magnus Holmquist

Mother's Maiden Name

Prepared for College

Mary Hanson

Date of Birth

October 28, 188

Height

Five feet, ten and one-half inches

Weight

One hundred and sixty-five pounds

Complexion

Light

Eyes

Blue

Hair

Light Brown

Salina High School, Salina, Kansas.

Honors

Member of Baseball and Football teams Senior Class Historian

President of High School Alumni Assn.

Department

Wharton School of Finance and Commerce

Class

1916

Nationality

Scotch and Swedish descent

George Relieure Holinguist

We, the undersigned, students in good standing in the University of Pennsylvania having hereunto attached our individual and class records do hereby petition the Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity to grant us and our successors a Chapter of the said Fraternity at this institution, and to

assign us a Chapter Letter.

Should this Charter be granted we agree to support the Constitution and By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, Customs, Laws, and Traditions of Elpha Sigma Phi Fraternity, and to perform its rituals, and to perform our part of the government and support of the Fraternity as such, and under its laws govern ourselves as a Chapter in harmony and good fellowship, and that we and our successors whall work for the best interests and advancement of the Fraternity wherever and whenever we may, it being understood that nothing in this pledge shall in any way conflict with our religious or political scruples, or our duties and obligations to our college, our family, ourselves, our country, or our God.

In testimony Whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this Feural day of April 1914.

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University of Pennsylvania

Philadelphia

April 29, 1914 -

Mr. Wayne M. Musgrave,

New York City -

Dear Sir:-

The request has come to me that I express an opinion as to the probable success of a new Fraternity at Pennsylvania.

It seems to me that the situation here has not changed materially in the last few years. While the number of Fraternities here has increased, there has been a corresponding gain in the student body. There are from twenty-five to thirty percent of Fraternity men in the College, Towne Scientific School, and Wharton School, and probably ten to twenty per cent. more are available for fraternity purposes. We do not feel that the field is overcrowded and would be glad to see your Fraternity represented.

The success or failure of a new organization will depend on the efforts and character of the men themselves, rather than upon any local conditions and I feel sure the boys petitioning you will give a good account of themselves.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Thos. P. McCutcheon, Jr.

Chairman of Committee on Non-Athletic Organizations.

Report, with reapies.

ALPHA SIGMA PHI FRATERNITY

May 2, 1914

Wayne Montgomery Musgrave, Esq.,
Grand Junior President,
National Headquarters,
Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity,

Sir:-

Pursuant to your instructions of April 26th, I have visited

Philadelphia on the 28th instant for the purpose of passing judgment upon
the character of the group of Pennsylvania students who have formally
petitioned for admission, as a local chapter, to our Fraternity.

I report as follows:

The entire evening was spent in conference with the eleven petitioners. The occasion was the regular weekly meeting of the group.

Which for purposes of prosecuting their claim for recognition have been operating as a "Comedy Club". The discussion which for an hour and a half touched upon all phases of proper inquiry lead to a very favorable impression of the membershipeof the petitioning body.

Personality of men: Not a man is unattractive personally; five men stand out because of prepossessing personal characteristics.

Composition of group: The group is quite representive of the several departments of Pennsylvania. In addition the men show much interest in social and athletic activities. One man is on the track team. Half the men enjoy rather close relationship with men on the football and track teams and the crew.

Program of work: (In the event of favorable action by you)

The men have worked out a definite program of action in the event of
favorable action by the Fraternity. Several prospects are being strenuously followed up now and plans are being consummated which will enable

them to Onclude arrangements during the summer for a house.

General fitness of Fraternity men: The men are Fraternity material in that they have a large outlook, real capacity for fellowship, and a proper sense of fraternity obligation. I believe that recognition by them would not be ill-advised.

Other considerations which suggest the advisability of establishing a chapter at Pennsylvania, I need not pass upon.

By reason of the foregoing, I respectfully urge that your reference of their petition to the several chapters be accompanied by your favorable Respectfully submitted, in Alphaepmaki, endorsement.

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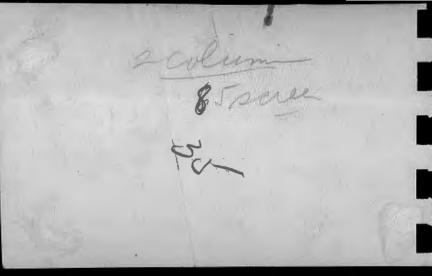
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REGULATIONS FOR FRATERNITY HOUSES

No. 1—All students of the University are required to comport themselves at all times on the campus and off the campus in an orderly and proper manner. They must respect the rights and property of all persons at all times and at all places. They must not interfere with or inconvenience traffic of any kind on the campus or off the campus.

No student, group, or class "activity" celebration or contest, or gathering of any kind whatsoever, formal or informal, official, or unofficial, may be engaged in, on or off the campus, without the express permission of the proper University officer or committee.

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No. 2—The possession, transportation, purchase or sale, or use of intoxicating liquors is prohibited in all University buildings, or on its grounds, or in student lodgings.

No. 3—Gambling in any form is prohibited in all University buildings, or on its grounds, or in student lodgings.

No. 4—Each student of the University at the request of a member of the University faculty, or of a University administrative officer, or a proctor, senior adviser, dormitory official or watchman, must identify himself by presentation of his matriculation card.

No. 5—Fraternity members are responsible collectively and individually for conduct within their fraternity house.

No. 6—The throwing of anything from the windows or doorways is prohibited.

No. 7—The use of firearms or explosives of any description is prohibited.

No. 8—Members of fraternities desiring to entertain ladies in their fraternity house are required to register such entertainment in the office of the Director of Student Welfare, Room 111 College Hall, at least one week in advance of the date on which the entertainment is to take place. Two married ladies will be required to act officially as chaperons whose names and addresses must be given at the time of registration. When written acceptance has been received from the chaperons, the entertainment will be duly registered and the fraternity notified.

It is not necessary to comply with these registration requirements when ladies are to be entertained in a fraternity house between the hours of Noon and 8 P. M. on Saturdays and Noon and 8 P. M. on Sundays.

R.a. Brotemarkle Personnel Office