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The History of Sigma Alpha Epsilon in the World War

By the Late
WILLIAM C. LEVERE

Billy Levere's Masterpiece, to which he devoted the last years of his life, has been completed, and is now on sale by the Central Offices. It is a remarkable book, with over 900 pages.

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Second—To establish and maintain a scholarship and loan fund to assist worthy and needy students.

Third—To receive endowments and gifts, both real and personal, for the furtherance of the objects heretofore mentioned.

The management of the Levere Memorial Foundation is vested in five trustees who are members of the Supreme Council of the Fraternity, elected at the bi-annual national conventions of the Fraternity.

It is hoped that every member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, whether active or alumni, will contribute some amount, large or small, according to his means, toward The Levere Memorial Foundation. Your gift honors not only the memory of William Collin Levere, but every member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon who has rendered distinguished patriotic service to his country since March 9th, 1856.

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THE LEVERE MEMORIAL

By Alfred K. Nippert

E. S. H.

WHEN Billy Levere closed his eyes in eternal sleep a year ago, February twenty-second, he left with the brethren of his beloved Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity the one great wish and ambition of his busy and useful life, namely, the erection of a worthy Memorial Temple at Evanston, Illinois, dedicated to the honor and memory of the thousands of loyal S.A.E.'s who, since the founding of the fraternity in 1856, have served their country faithfully and with distinction both on land and sea and sky.

In December, 1926, at the National convention of the Fraternity at Boston, the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the assembled delegates:

"Whereas, more than seven thousand members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity offered their services to their country during the recent World War, and

Whereas, a great number of these noble and patriotic sons of Minerva have died upon the field of honor, and

Whereas, it is the heartfelt desire and sincere wish of the members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity to do honor to the memory of these young heroes of the battle field in order that their patriotic devotion to their country may be a noble example to our youth now and for generations yet unborn;

Therefore, be it resolved, by the members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, in National Convention assembled in the City of Boston, Massachusetts, on this 30th day of December, A. D. 1926, and in the seventieth year of the founding of the fraternity and in the one hundred and fiftieth year of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, that the memory of these loyal sons of America be honored and immortalized in the erection of a great Memorial Temple, and that a corporation be chartered under the laws of the State of Illinois, or such other state as the Supreme Council of the Fraternity may deem advisable, said corporation to be a corporation not for profit and to be known as the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Foundation or some other appropriate name, under whose auspices and authority this memorial shall be erected and main-



Lauren Foreman
E.S.A.



Alfred K. Nippert E.S.H. Chairman of The Levere Memorial

tained at a place to be selected by the Supreme Council of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, and

Be it further resolved, that this Memorial Temple shall contain the records of all the members of this fraternity, including those who participated in the great World War, and in any other conflict in which this country of ours was at any time engaged, and

Be it further resolved, that a library and museum

open and free to the public be maintained within said memorial building, together with such other facilities and appurtenances as may be necessary and proper to maintain and carry on the intent and purposes of this Foundation and the honorable traditions of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, and

Be it further resolved, that the Foundation, through its Trustees, shall have full power and authority to maintain and manage said Memorial Building, Library and Museum, and are hereby authorized to receive funds, donations, bequests and endowments for the purposes of this Foundation, and the premises upon which this temple is to be erected may be mortgaged by said Trustees if it is found necessary to do so in order to raise the necessary funds for its erection, and

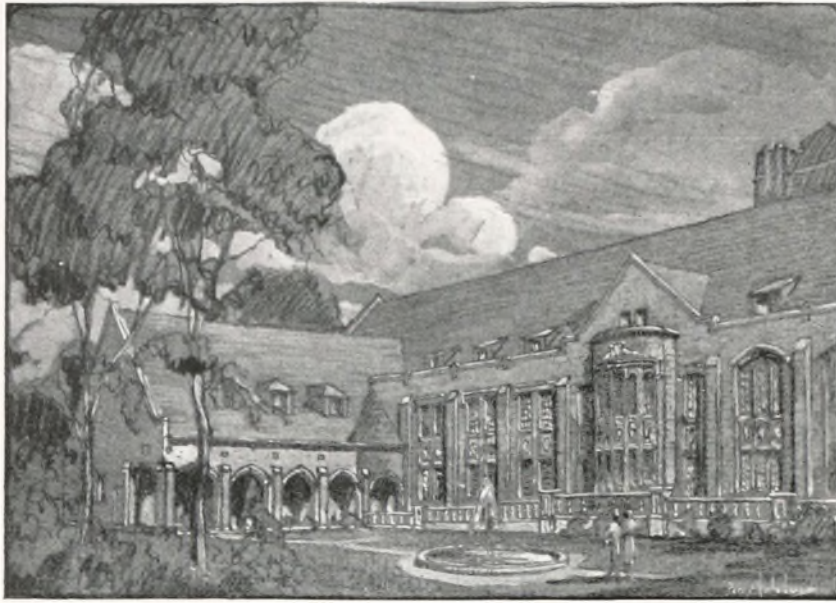
Be it further resolved, that the Supreme Council of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity proceed to carry into effect as soon as possible the intent and purpose of the foregoing resolution for the honor and glory of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and for the encouragement of patriotism and loyalty among the youth of our country."

This resolution was seconded by Brother Hartman (Penna. Omega), was put to vote and unanimously carried, there being present delegates of 95 out of the 96 chapters, all Province Archons except one, and four Past Eminent Supreme Archons.

The glad tidings of this action of the convention were brought to Billy Levere's bedside at St. Francis Hospital where he was making a losing but heroic fight against the inevitable.

On February 22, 1927, William Collin Levere entered the portals of the Chapter Eternal but his faith

in the destinies of Sigma Alpha Epsilon stirred up the leaders of the Fraternity to special efforts in developing a very definite and concrete plan along Billy's ideas. Levere himself had realized the financial difficulties which an appropriate war memorial would encounter and he himself bequeathed the magnificent sum of \$25,000.00 to the Supreme Council of the Fraternity, which sum was promptly paid over by his brother,



Rear view of The Levere Memorial Temple

Fred Levere, his sole heir and legatee and applied by the Supreme Council—as Billy himself would have it—toward the purchase of an additional piece of property adjoining on the south of the present Fraternity property at Evanston and which purchase now provides a fine corner lot fronting 200 feet on Sheridan Road (1856 Sheridan Rd.) and 132 feet on the west side of Hinman Avenue.

After this valuable piece of property was secured through the kindness and thoughtfulness of Mrs. Geo. B. Reynolds, the present occupant, the Supreme Council determined that the proposed memorial structure should immortalize the name and life of one of the greatest Greeks that ever worshipped at the altar of human brotherhood. The war memorial is to be known as "The Levere Memorial" and we hope it will be a most worthy monument to a still more worthy brother.

Soon after Levere's death Brother Norman H. Pritchard (Indiana Alpha), Eric Dawson (Mississippi Gamma) and James E. Chapman (Illinois Psi-Omega) petitioned the State of Illinois for a charter to be issued to The Levere Memorial Foundation, which has for its objects the following worthy purposes, to-wit:

1. To erect and maintain a memorial building to be known as the "Levere Memorial" in honor and memory of William C. Levere and of other members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity who have served their country on land or sea.

2. To maintain therein a memorial chapel, also a library, reading rooms, museum and art gallery, which shall be open and free to the public for research and study.

3. To preserve documents,

archives, war records, relics, pictures, works of art and related objects, for the encouragement of patriotic and historic research, particularly as to the history of education and educational institutions, together with such facilities as may be necessary or proper to the maintenance of such a memorial.

4. To cherish, maintain and extend the institutions of American freedom, to foster true patriotism and love of country in the youth of the nation, and to promote

celebrations on patriotic anniversaries.

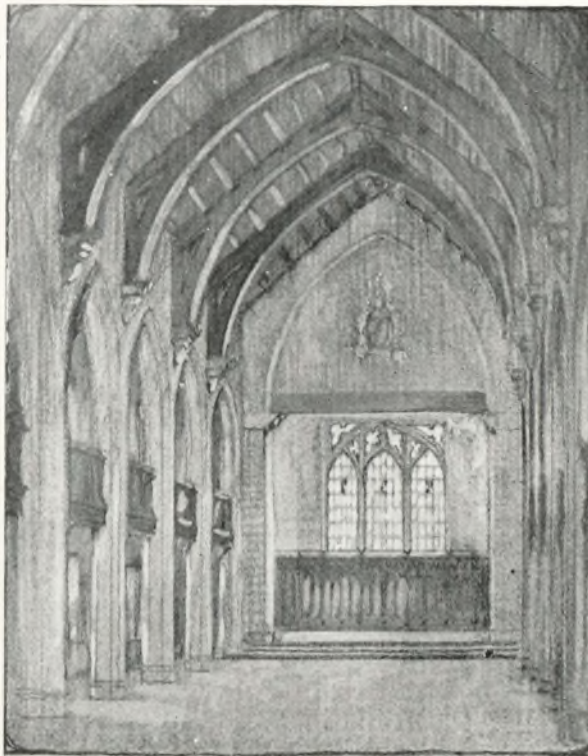
5. To establish and grant scholarships and loan funds to worthy and needy students in various universities, colleges and institutions of learning.

6. To receive funds, donations, bequests, endowments, and gifts, both real and personal, for the furtherance of the objects and purposes above set forth.

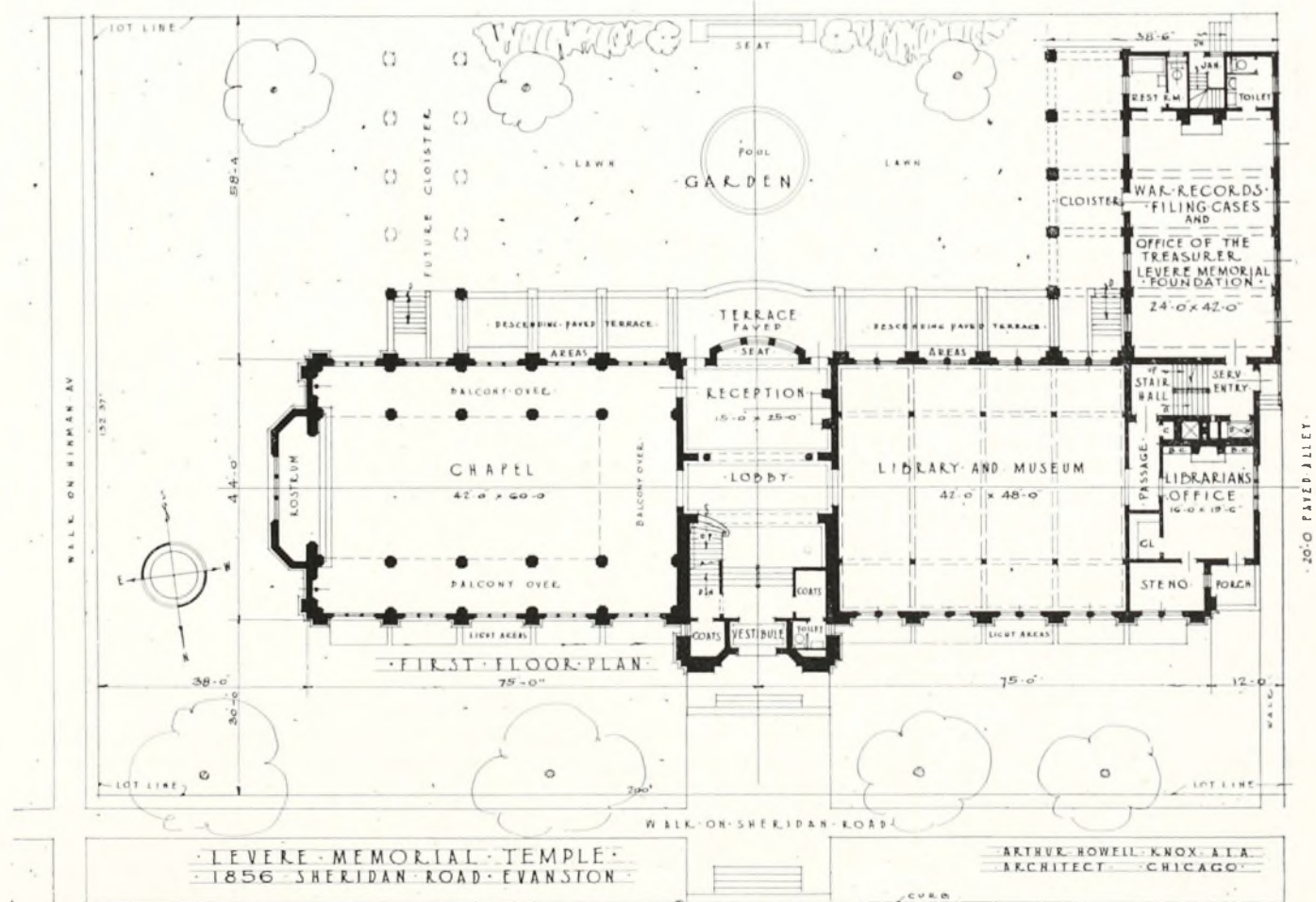
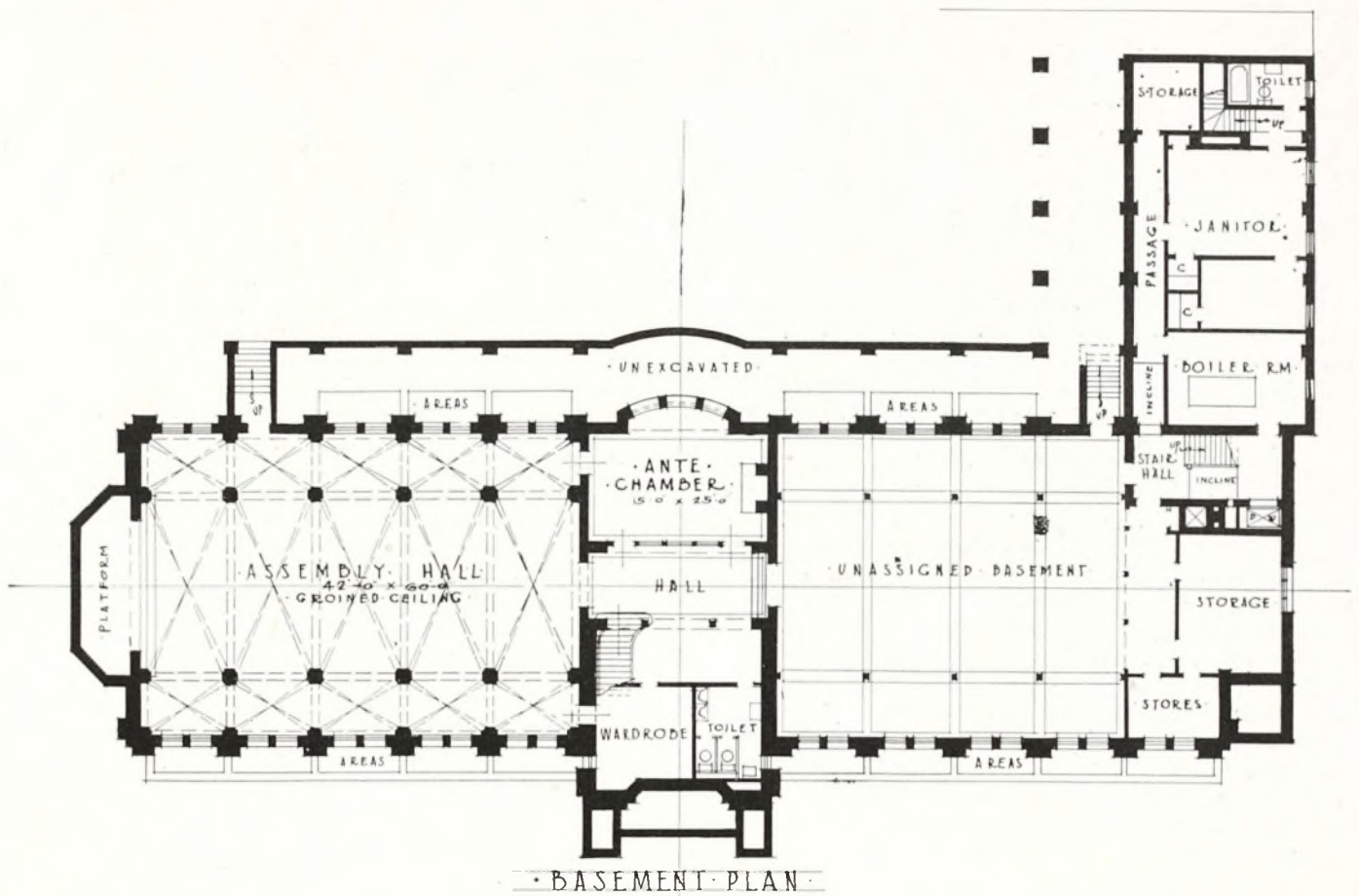
The charter was granted by the State of Illinois and the Trustees of the Levere Memorial Foundation acting under said charter are Lauren Foreman, O. K. Quivey, Eric A. Dawson, Geo. D. Kimball and Alfred K. Nippert. It is the duty of these trustees to carry out the objects, intentions and purposes of a great "War Memorial Temple" which had been the heart's desire of the man for whom it will be named.

Brother Levere had such a temple in his mind's eye when he asked twenty-five loyal S. A. E.'s to contribute \$1,000.00 each as "Founders" of such a memorial. It was not long before the following names appeared on this roll of honor:

- Judge Arthur J. Tuttle
- William C. Levere
- Don R. Almy
- William Mack
- Edwin W. Atwood
- William A. Vawter, II
- Albert R. Jones
- George H. Bunting
- A. L. D. Warner
- John Leroy Duncan
- Harry W. Drago
- Alfred K. Nippert
- William H. Marland
- C. M. Mitchell
- Lauren Foreman
- James Gamble Nippert
- Frank E. Jones
- Dr. Edward Mellus
- Louis Nippert
- Adolph Ettlinger
- Harold V. Hill



Interior view of the Chapel of the Levere Memorial Temple



Frederick E. Levere R. Frank Bunting
Col. Henry T. Bull John Langdon Jones

In addition to this "Founders' Fund"; the indefatigable Levere secured from thousands of alumni throughout the world small sums either as annual Alumni dues or as special contributions for the Memorial Temple. From these funds and from Billy Levere's \$25,000 bequest, the Fraternity purchased the above mentioned real estate at Evanston overlooking the beautiful Northwestern campus to the north and the white-capped billows of Lake Michigan to the east, while toward the west are located the stately Tudor Gothic stone mansions of the Northwestern sororities.

There are sufficient funds on hand to warrant the trustees to proceed seriously and systematically with the plans and specifications of the Memorial Temple. An eminent architect of Chicago and Evanston, Brother Arthur H. Knox (Ill. Psi-Omega) has been charged by the trustees with the drawing of the plans and specifications. It is highly fitting that Brother Knox should be placed in charge of this noble structure. He is a grand-nephew of our late Brother Philander C. Knox (Ohio Sigma) who was the framer of the Knox-Porter resolution which terminated the war between the United States and Germany, July, 1921. Brother Knox and Brother Levere have spent many nights discussing plans and ideas for the proposed structure and as a result of these lengthy conferences Brother Knox has planned a most wonderfully appropriate building to commemorate the ideals and heroism of S.A.E.'s who served and died for their country's flag.

It is up to the loyal sons of S.A.E., both active and Alumni to bring these plans of Billy Levere to active fruition. This is to be a Memorial Temple, unique in its design, ideal in its conception and absolutely distinctive in its uses and purposes. There is nothing like it in the entire Greek letter world or as the writer believes there is nothing in the history of American educational institutions or organizations that can quite equal the conception of the proposed memorial.

Every S.A.E. whom the gods have blessed with the riches of this earth will be given an opportunity to contribute to some part of the proposed building. Every family whose S.A.E. boy rests in Flanders field will have the opportunity to set aside some little niche or corner especially in memory of the beloved son or brother who gave his life that others may live. There will be, for instance, twelve large memorial windows in the Chapel, one window for each of the twelve provinces of the Fraternity. These windows will be appropriated as memorials by the twelve Provinces of the Fraternity and dedicated to a certain outstanding soldier or statesman of that particular province. The windows themselves may embody certain scenes or episodes of particular significance to the Province and will be constructed of the finest cathedral glass of effective coloring.

"When the gates of the Temple shall open" we will gaze upon windows of surpassing beauty containing the fine features of Noble Leslie DeVotie, our founder, William Collin Levere, the great friend to man, Wm. McKinley, Philander C. Knox, and the faces of some of our heroes of the Civil War, the Boxer rebellion, the Spanish-American and Indian Wars and last but not least the great World War. This chapel will be located at the east end of the memorial building and will have a balcony on three sides, with a seating capacity of about 600. It is confidently hoped that some friend of the Fraternity will donate the organ

in memory of some loved one and that some very personal friends of Billy Levere shall provide the funds for a Levere Memorial window just opposite the main entrance on the south side of the Central Tower. Then there are the chimes in the Memorial tower so beautifully designed by Brother Knox. Who, among our 35,000 members, will immortalize some choice spirit of his college days who has passed yonder to the Chapter Eternal by donating the chimes for the tower?

The writer feels that there are men and women in every part of our country today whose lives have been benignly touched by the spirit of S.A.E. and who will grasp this unusual opportunity to keep green the sweet memories of some beautiful life.

There are a number of large open fireplaces in the lobby and the Trustees room and library. A brother or chapter may wish to honor an outstanding event or personage in the history of the Fraternity or the nation by assuming the cost of construction of such a fireplace. The trustees will provide suitable bronze tablets to be placed throughout the Temple, bearing the name of the donor and appropriate memorial inscription.

The library in the western part of the Memorial building will contain the largest and most complete collection of books, pamphlets, prints and documents pertaining to the history of Greek letter fraternities since the founding of Phi Beta Kappa at William and Mary College, Virginia, December 1776, down to the present day.

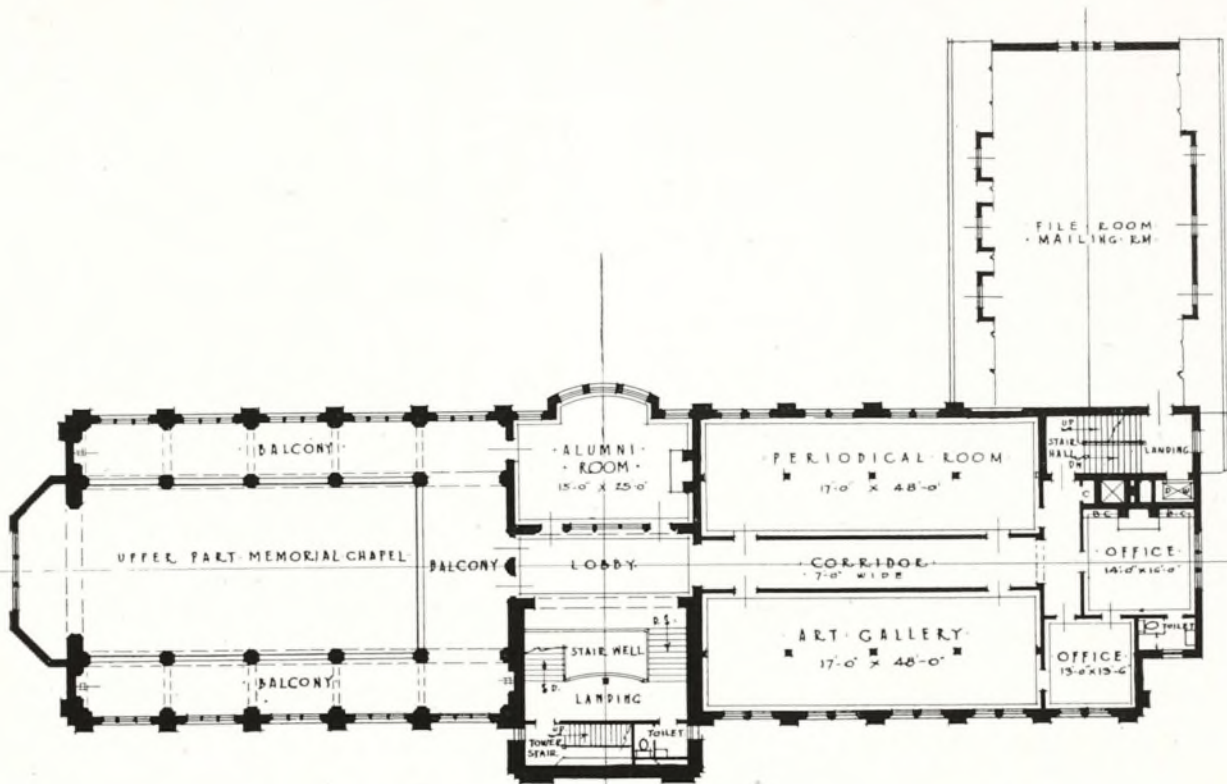
During his lifetime, Billy Levere browsed through the libraries, bookshops and private collections of America and Europe and gathered wherever he could an unusually rare and complete library of books and records pertaining to college fraternities, sororities and other college and university organizations—in fact his collections are invaluable and in case of a fire could never be replaced. The Trustees of The Memorial Foundation have placed thousands of these books, periodicals, ancient documents and original records, prints, paintings, photographs, steel engravings, etchings, etc., in fireproof vaults until the halls and shelves of the stone Memorial Temple can receive them without fear of loss by fire or otherwise.

The plans of Brother Knox show a large, long room on the second floor with a much desired north exposure in which will be hung rare paintings depicting historic episodes in the development of Fraternity life in our colleges and universities.

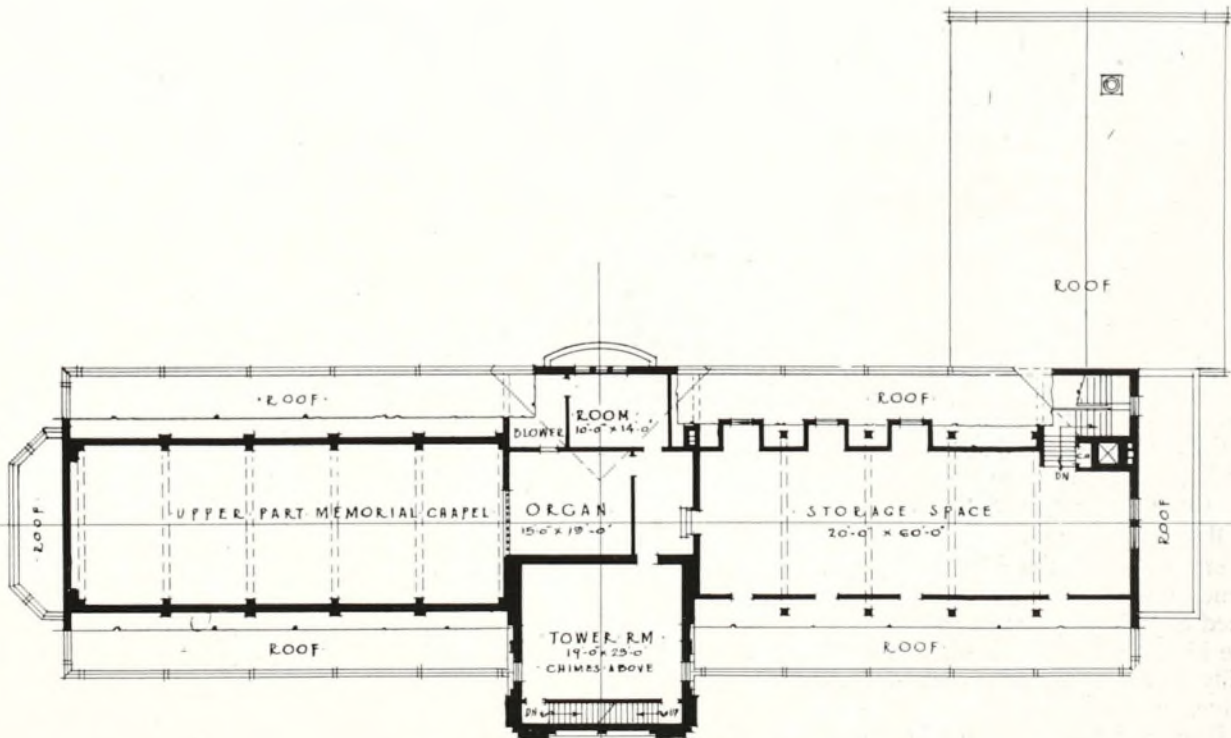
There will be the painting showing Lucy C. Pattie of Frankfort, Ky., returning the charter and ritual of Kentucky Chi Chapter at Kentucky Military Institute to Brother Albert McMahan after his return from the Civil War. These sacred documents had been entrusted to her in 1861, just prior to the enlistment of the entire chapter in the armies of either North or South.

Then there is that sad and tragic scene of the finding of the body of Noble Leslie DeVotie on the sandy beach of Mobile Bay, the first tribute of the Southland to the cause of the Confederacy in the year 1861.

Packed away in fireproof storage vaults is a splendid painting of the scene showing Brother Geo. D. Kimball and our late and much lamented Brother Don R. Almy and our own Billy Levere at the first interfraternity conference in New York City, a most valuable historical painting of an outstanding historical event in the annals of American Greek letter fraternities. There is also a famous scene of the first and last meeting of two S.A.E. brothers-in-arms, Capt. McKibben (Penn. State) and Brother Ed. Hender-



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son (Cal. Alpha) of Leland Stanford, just before the zero hour of one of the fiercest battles of the Argonne Forest. One of them, Bro. McKibben, never returned. His valor was recognized by bestowing on him the Distinguished Service Cross, post-mortem.

Last but not least we have the magnificent portrait by the well-known artist, John Myles, of our own Billy Levere, "the best beloved American in France," which will hang in the central tower lobby of the Temple.

I could go on and enumerate endless lists of rare etchings of classic temples of ancient Greece and Rome, Billy's private collection of bells picked up in every corner of the globe, rare volumes of the printer's art and books and prints of the Incunabula period of the printer's age that would delight the soul of a bibliophile.

But we have not forgotten our own personal records of every man that joined the ranks of S.A.E. beginning with that night on March the ninth A. D. 1856 on the shores of the Black Warrior River in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, down to the present day. There will be found in this Temple, the names of Columbia's most illustrious sons from the heroes of the Civil War on both sides of the conflict down to the bloody days of the late World War. Seven thousand of Minerva's bravest boys followed the flag and one hundred and fifty-seven lie buried in Flanders field—a record well worth a Memorial Temple such as we hope to dedicate to these fine young spirits. As you will observe from the sketch by Brothr Knox accompanying this article, the Memorial Temple will be of Tudor Gothic design and—it is conceded—will be the most beautiful structure of its kind in Evanston on the north shore of Lake Michigan—a city known for its beautiful buildings and cultured environments.

In order that the quiet and cloistered solitude of the library and chapel may not be disturbed by the work of the record or filing-clerks of the Librarian and Custodian, the plans provide for a wing extending along the west side of the property and joining the main building on its Southwest corner and running

north and south along the east side of "DeVotie Court." It is in this strictly fire-proof hall that steel file cases will contain the names and record of every S.A.E. from the cradle to the grave. Special attention will be given to the public service of our boys, both in times of peace and war—on land or sea or sky. We believe that by the safe-keeping of these records, our Fraternity will make a most valuable contribution to the national history of our nation which will draw to this shrine of our Fraternity, visitors from far and near, for it is definitely decided that the library facilities, reading rooms, art galleries and the memorial chapel will be open and free to visitors who may wish to use our accumulated archives and records for research and study.

It is not the intention of the Trustees of The Levere Memorial Foundation to burden the Fraternity with the construction or upkeep of this magnificent Temple—quite the contrary—we trust that many of the above mentioned memorials will be provided by generous provinces, chapters and individual active or alumni members of our Fraternity.

There are thousands of our boys who, upon reading these lines, could readily send to Brother Eric Dawson, Billy's successor, at 1856 Sheridan Road, Evanston, a \$5 or \$10 bill or acquire for the sum of \$50.00 a life membership in the National Endowment Fund, the money to be used for the purposes of The Levere Memorial. There are hundreds who can send One Hundred Dollars and more, while there are a large number to whom God has been good and who could easily join the "Founders List" and give One Thousand Dollars, and there are a few who could give to The Levere Memorial Temple five or ten thousand dollars or more. Do not hesitate in your generous impulses—for "he who hesitates is lost." If all the friends of Billy Levere respond as generously as I have reason to believe they will—this great Temple dedicated to the sons of S.A.E. who laid down their lives for their country will open its gates in time to admit a host of S.A.E.'s for dedication in December, 1930.

The Architect of The Levere Memorial Temple

Arthur Howell Knox is a quiet, unassuming, go-getter. He is a patient, penetrating man who succeeds when once he has begun a project.

As architect for the Levere Memorial Temple, Brother Knox will see to it that a Temple will be built, that every cent of the fund will be utilized to yield its greatest value, but more important still, the ideas and ideals of his chapter brother and friend, Billy Levere, will be perpetuated through the years to come.

Brother Knox was born in Topeka, Kansas in 1880. That same year his family came to Evanston to live. This just about makes Arthur Knox an Evanstonian and he is complimented on his early choice. He was



Arthur H. Knox, III. Psi-Omega (Northwestern)

initiated into Illinois Psi-Omega in 1898, received his B. S. at Northwestern in 1902 and graduated from Armour Institute and the Art Institute of Chicago in 1904. From this time until 1910, when he organized his own office, he was employed in several of the larger architects' offices in Chicago.

Brother Knox has designed many manufacturing plants, and numerous residents on the North Shore and in residential sections of Chicago, but his work for various societies and organizations is possibly best noted. Recent buildings designed have been the Covenant Church Community House and Gymnasium, Independence Park Field House and Gymnasium, Chicago; Swedish Fraternal Society Building, the Myrtle Masonic Temple, Chicago, the Lawndale Masonic Temple, Chicago and the Wilmette Masonic Temple, at Wilmette. The latter commission came as the result of winning an architectural competition in 1925. This building was erected by Brother Knox in 1926 and is a show place on the North Shore.

Brother Knox is also a member of the Am. Institute of Architects, Evanston-North Shore Society of Architects, A. F. & A. M. R. A. M., R. & S., Prairie Club of Ill. and the Am. Nature Ass'n.

Province Epsilon Convention at Miami

By Addison F. McGhee

Alabama Alpha-Mu



Delegates and guests at Province Epsilon Convention, Miami, Fla.

WHEN Judge Walter B. Jones, Ala. Alpha-Mu, of Montgomery, Alabama, Archon of Province Epsilon, called the Thirteenth Biennial Convention of Province Epsilon to order at the Hotel Alcazar on beautiful Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, Florida, Wednesday, December 28, the Eminent Supreme Archon, representatives from every chapter in the province and in addition representatives of several alumni associations were present. The night prior to the convention, Tuesday, there was a pre-convention smoker at the Alcazar. The affair was entirely informal and more than 100 brothers were present.

Promptly Wednesday morning Brother Jones, the Province Archon, opened the convention. After a cordial address by the Mayor of Miami for the city and Brother Roy A. Johnston, president of the alumni association, on behalf of the Miami alumni and Florida Upsilon, joint convention hosts, and the response by Brother Jones for the Convention, business matters were entered upon. Province Archon Jones, made his report in writing and covered every feature of his activities as province archon since his election at the Montgomery convention in 1925. There was profound silence in the convention hall when Brother Jones recalled in beautiful words the life and services of Don R. Almy, and Billy Levere.

In touching language Brother Jones told of his last meeting with Brother Levere: "I little realized as I stood with Brother William W. Brandon and Billy Levere one bleak morning early last January on the train platform at Montgomery and told Brother Levere goodbye as he started on his visitation to Alabama Mu at Tuscaloosa, a hundred miles up the road, that it would be the last time that Brother Brandon and I would hold in fraternal grip the loving hand of that big-souled S. A. E. and lovable man, William C. Levere, who was so soon to pass beyond the twilight's purple hills and face the golden dawn of life eternal.

"But we had given Billy the brother's grip for the last time. A few weeks later, on Washington's birthday, came the sad tidings from Jimmie Chapman. Just a simple telegram laid on my desk late in the afternoon: 'Billy passed away at 3.18 this afternoon.' That was all. Sigma Alpha Epsilon had suffered its greatest loss

since the death of De Votie, and our beloved fraternity stood with bowed head and heavy heart beside the bier of S. A. E.'s most honored son." Further tribute was paid Brother Levere and Brother Almy when the convention adopted resolutions presented by Brother Shepperd, of Georgia Phi, commemorative of their lives and services to the fraternity.

Brother Jones gave a detailed account of conditions in the province and of the affairs of his eight chapters. Among the recommendations made by the province archon was one changing the time of the province convention to some date other than around the Christmas holidays; another urging that all chapter houses be kept spic and span; another calling attention to the importance of the active chapters keeping in touch with their alumni and answering promptly all correspondence from the alumni; and another recommending the adoption of a new set of by-laws. One of the most important acts of the convention was the adoption of a comprehensive and well arranged set of by-laws.

At the Wednesday afternoon session Brother Lauren Foreman (Georgia Epsilon), the Eminent Supreme Archon, made an interesting address telling of the work and aims of the fraternity. Brother Foreman expressed the hope that within the next few months a suitable marker would be erected at the grave of our founder, Noble Leslie De Votie, in Linwood Cemetery, Columbus, Georgia, which is in Province Epsilon. Brother Foreman attended all sessions of the convention and his active and faithful interest was greatly appreciated by the delegates and officers of the province.

A petition for a charter was presented to the convention by representatives of the local, Phi Alpha of Miami University at Miami. A resolution of the convention offered by Brother Jean Etheridge (Alabama Mu), received the petition with interest and referred it to the province council for recommendation to the next national convention.

The social features of the convention were well arranged by the Florida brothers. There was the smoker Tuesday night, a wonderful boat trip to Cape Florida with music and dancing aboard Wednesday afternoon, and Wednesday night at the Coral Gables Country Club the convention banquet with Brother Bowman F.

Ashe (Ohio Sigma), president of Miami University, as toastmaster, and addresses by many prominent S. A. E.'s including Brothers Lauren Foreman, Roy A. Johnston, B. E. L. Timmons, and a series of splendid tableaux under the direction of Brother Harry Griswold (Georgia Epsilon).

Brother Jones, the province archon, principal speaker at the banquet, took for the subject of his address, "The American College Fraternity System, A Useful Institution." It was a clear explanation of the purposes of fraternities, and a vigorous answer to those who have misrepresented them. By direction of the convention the address will be printed in pamphlet form.

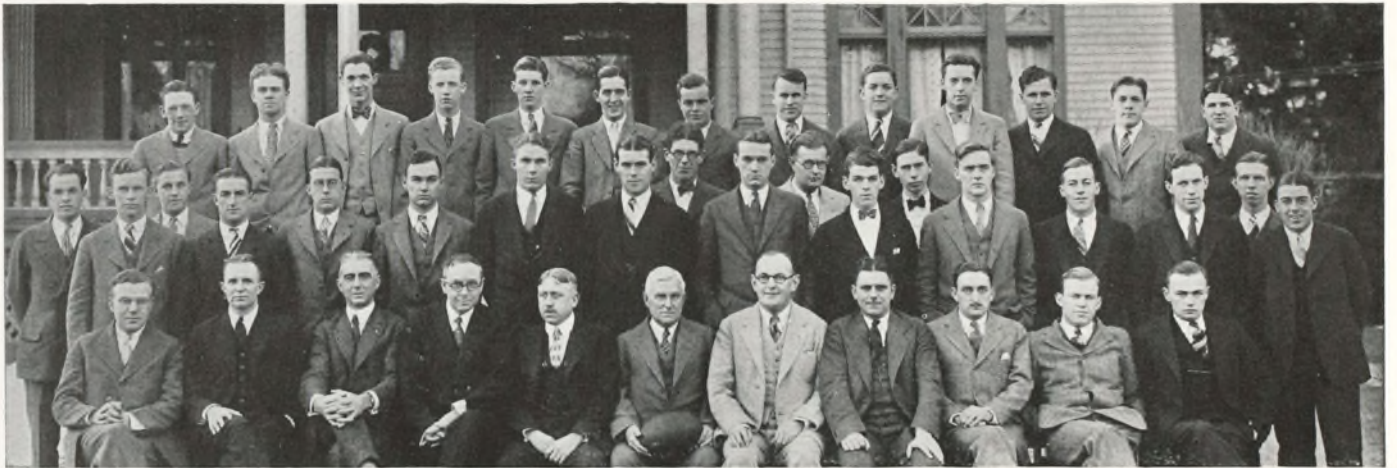
Thursday afternoon there was a sight-seeing trip

over greater Miami—a motorcade which was thoroughly enjoyed by all the brothers, and the closing social feature of the convention came Thursday night when the grand convention ball was held at the beautiful and picturesque Miami Biltmore Country Club.

Every visiting brother who attended the convention was impressed with the very generous and cordial hospitality of the Miami Alumni and the Florida Upsilon Chapter. While there was much entertainment, it was so arranged as not to interfere with the business of the convention. The sessions of the convention opened promptly and at every session every delegate was on the floor. The Miami province convention attended to more business than any other province convention held in recent years.

Convention of Province Alpha

By Spencer S. Dodd
New Hampshire Alpha



Delegates and guests at Province Alpha Convention, Orono, Maine

On the afternoon of December the ninth, the Pine Tree Limited left Boston with a large and happy group of men who were going to Orono, Maine for the regular Biennial Convention of Province Alpha of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. On the windows of the car were banners of S. A. E.—in the car were loyal S. A. E.'s. The trip itself was a pleasure, but the entertainment in store for this group at the Maine Alpha Chapter House was—? well, we'll tell the story.

The train arrived at Bangor late in the evening. The Maine Brothers were there however, ready with a happy welcome, and bag and baggage and brothers were bundled into cars for the last lap of our journey. Within a few minutes all were brought in the door of the home of the Maine Alpha Chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Mrs. MacCollum greeted one and all with sandwiches and hot coffee. We should right here say that any wandering S. A. E., who finds himself in Maine will be greeted by a most unusual house mother. The only thing about New England which is cold is the weather. From Texas to Maine no group could have been received more genially, and those who were present realized that Mrs. Mac's spirit of making the visitors comfortable added greatly to the success of the convention.

The morning of the tenth dawned not long after some of the bridge games had broken up. The sun streamed through the windows (during breakfast) and welcomed us to the offered tour of the campus.

Those of us who had never been in Maine were completely entranced by the beauties of this old state university. Cradled in a bower of pines in rolling snow-clad hills, we found a thoroughly modern educational plant.

The real object of our journey—The Province Convention—officially opened at 11.30 A. M. Various committees were appointed and the Province Archon called a recess until 2.00 P. M.

Province Alpha publicly expresses its appreciation to its newest Past Province Archon, Brother W. H. Marland, for a thoroughly efficient administration. The business during his term of office was handled with despatch and the convention in exactly the same manner.

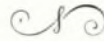
The business meeting ended with a report from each of the delegates present regarding the college activities with which the members of the individual chapters were associated. This report was especially interesting to the alumni present. We were all pleased to have brought to us again through this medium a realization of the splendid move which Sigma Alpha Epsilon

made when they admitted Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi into the fraternity.

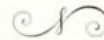
Brother Marland's report as Province Archon, was heard with a great deal of interest by all present. It very clearly brought to all members assembled, the fact that a Province Archon has duties both interesting and necessary. In his report he called to the attention of those assembled the fact that every chapter in Province Alpha owns the home in which it lives and

that the total value of real estate owned by the chapters was approximately \$240,000 with mortgages of only \$63,000.

Following the business meeting we all enjoyed a splendid banquet as guests of the Maine Alpha Chapter. Again we thank the cordial brothers of Maine Alpha for the genial hospitality and friendly reception which they extended during the convention.



Delegates and guests at Province Zeta Convention, Iowa City, Iowa



The New Honorary Eminent Supreme Archon



Bobby Jones and his pets

At the winter meeting of the Supreme Council held at Evanston in January of this year, Robert Tyre

Jones, Jr., was unanimously chosen Honorary Eminent Supreme Archon to succeed our lamented Don R. Almy. In accepting, "Bobby" wrote the following letter to the E.S.A., Lauren Foreman: "I have been notified that the Supreme Council of Sigma Alpha Epsilon has elected me to the post of Honorary Eminent Supreme Archon. I shall be very grateful if you would express to the Supreme Council my sincere appreciation of the honor which they have conferred upon me and say to them that I am exceedingly gratified to be thus rewarded by my Fraternity."

Recently the admirers of "Bobby" in Atlanta offered him a home worth \$50,000. In refusing the offer he stated: "I have reached the conclusion that the best interests of our great game would be best served if I did not retain the home." For this one statement he won again the admiration of the entire world, although it was made after the executive committee of the United States Golf association had decided that acceptance of the gift would in no way be a violation of his amateur standing.

"Bobby" is only a junior in the law school of Emory University, but has recently passed successfully the state bar examinations of Georgia. He will become an associate in the law firm of which his father is a senior member. He has definitely decided not to defend his British title this year, because he intends to finish his law course at Emory and school will not be out at the time the tournament is held. In January "Bobby" was made a director of the Atlanta Trust Co. to succeed his grandfather. He was also made local counsel of the Southern Railway in Atlanta, Ga.

Old North Carolina Rho-Rho

By Joel Yarbrough, Va. Sigma

Many years have passed and many great changes in the fraternity have come about since North Carolina Rho-Rho Chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon selected its men from the ranks of a cadet corps considered by military leaders the equal of the famous West Pointers.

This old historic chapter of the fraternity was located at the North Carolina Military Institute at Charlotte, N. C., and was the second chapter in the Old North State.

It was established in 1876 and flourished until 1877, the members surrendering the charter when opposition to secret societies arose among the faculty.

This military school was built in 1858 by the famous Confederate general and educator, Daniel Harvey Hill, and he was superintendent of the institution for two years.

The accompanying photograph clearly shows the military architecture of the old structure, although it was used for several purposes years afterward.

The building is now used for one of the public schools of the city, bearing the renowned soldier's name, and thousands of children romp and play on the hallowed parade ground just back of the archway.

Few alumni were given to the fraternity and to the world from this chapter, but each one of these became a useful and influential citizen in his community.

The most outstanding alumnus of this short lived "keph," as they were then called, was the late Governor Gilchrist of Florida, who was twice elected.

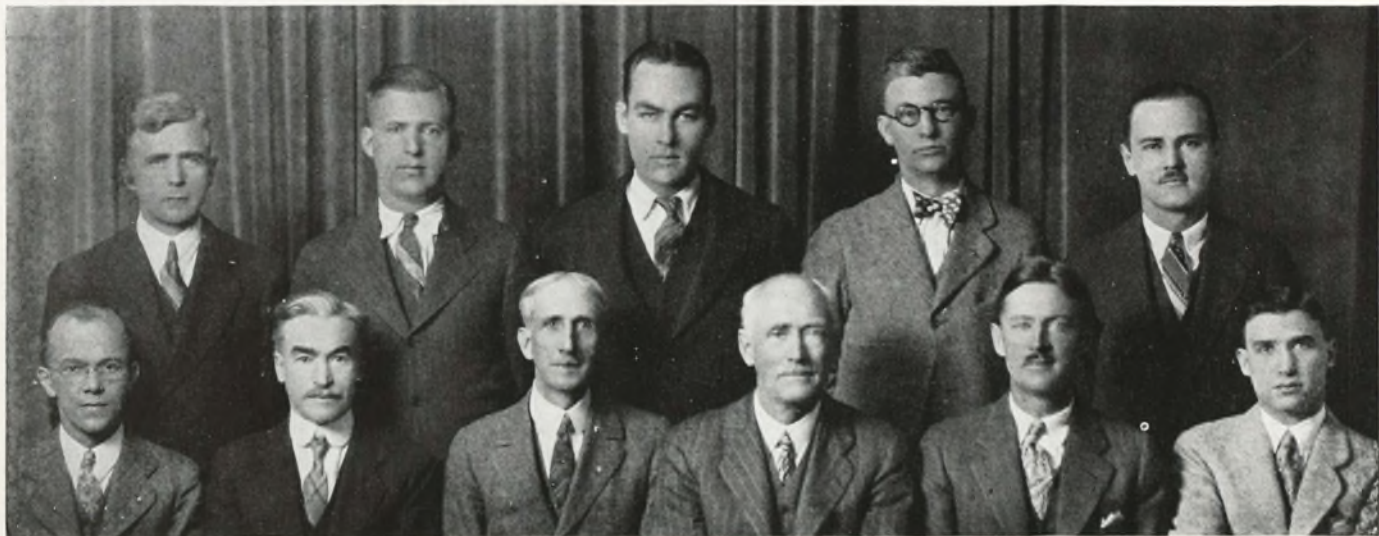
One of the "old boys," Brother Clarence E. Clark, of Augusta, Ga., is still living, and recalls very vividly and happily his fraternity life and experiences in barracks.



The D. H. Hill Public School of Charlotte, N. C., formerly the North Carolina Military Institute and domicile of N. C. Rho-Rho chapter of S.A.E. from 1876 to 1877. Left to right in the picture: John Yarbrough, Va. Sigma (Wash. and Lee); Joel Yarbrough, Va. Sigma (Wash. and Lee) Pres. of the Charlotte Interfraternity Club; H. P. Harding, N. C. Xi (Univ. of N. C.) Supt. of public schools of Charlotte; Otto A. Gullickson, N. Y. Mu (Columbia), Director of Physical Education, Charlotte public schools.

It has been said and very truthfully so, that more real romance lived and more thrilling incidents took place in the early inactive chapters of S. A. E. than in those of any other fraternity. Most assuredly, old N. C. Rho-Rho was one of these chapters and helped to make the treasured early romantic background of our fraternity.

We may well be sure that each one of those cadet members was a proud and loyal follower of Minerva, and that a strong and happy chapter was theirs back in those days in Charlotte.



Members of S.A.E. on the faculty of the Univ. of Iowa. Top row, left to right; Runner, Lierle, Gallup, Holmes, Yoder. Bottom row; Kittredge, McClintock, Teeters, Seashore, Kuever, Swingle

The Death and Funeral of Noble Leslie DeVotie

The painful intelligence was brought to the city this morning that Rev. N. DeVotie was drowned at Fort Morgan about 9 o'clock last night. He was standing on the wharf as the steamer Dick Keys was about leaving, when, by some accident, he fell into the water, and was never seen to rise. These are all the particulars we have been able to learn.

Mr. DeVotie was the son of Rev. J. H. DeVotie, long known in this community and throughout the South-west as an acceptable minister of the Baptist denomination, with which the deceased was also connected. He came down from Selma with the Governor's Guards, of which company he was an enrolled member; and soon after his arrival at Fort Morgan was appointed chaplain of the post, which station he had continued to hold.—Mobile Advertiser, Feb. 14, 1861.

Body Recovered

The body of Rev. N. L. DeVotie, of Selma, whose unfortunate death by drowning at Fort Morgan we noticed the other day, was found yesterday morning on the south beach, upper side of the wharf at Fort Morgan, and was brought to the city last night under an escort of four men from each company at the fort, making 28 in all. The body was conveyed to the armory, where it remained last night, and will be forwarded to Selma by the William Jones, Jr., which leaves this morning.—Mobile Advertiser, Feb. 17, 1861.

First Military Funeral under the Confederate Flag in Mobile

At 10 o'clock on Sunday morning (seventeenth) the remains of Rev. N. L. DeVotie were escorted from the armory to the steamer William Jones, Jr., to be conveyed to Selma. The regimental band, the Mobile Cadets, and the Continentals, the whole under the command of Captain Sands of the Cadets, formed the escort, with arms reversed and colors draped in black. The hearse, which succeeded, was attended by the detachment from the different companies of the garrison, designed to accompany the remains of their late chaplain to their final destination, and was followed by a large number of his personal friends. As the procession moved on, the large number of spectators which lined the streets, by a natural impulse of sympathy with the occasion, fell in and followed the cortege to the wharf. The circumstance that this was the first funeral ceremony under the flag of the Confederate states made the service peculiarly interesting and impressive.—Mobile Advertiser, Feb. 19, 1861. (Tuesday.)

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Unique Gathering of Fraternity Men

Another Monument for Chickamauga

AMONG the many interesting reunions and gatherings taking place in Chattanooga incidental to the dedication of the National Park, none are more indicative of the wide spread interest of this movement and the hold it has upon the hearts of the people, than is the reunion of alumni of what is generally considered one of the most progressive of all

the Greek letter fraternities in the United States; viz., Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

This fraternity founded at the University of Alabama in the year 1856, had a wide growth until the war of the Rebellion, when most of its members left educational fields for the more arduous duties of battle. About 250 of its members were killed in the conflict, while those who survived won for themselves great renown. The chapter at the Georgia Military Institute went in the Confederate service at Resaca, and continued as an organization through the entire war. Gen. Geo. P. Harrison, now congressman from Alabama, and a member of the congressional party attending the dedication exercises, was a member of this chapter.

It is a well known fact that the founder of the fraternity, Noble Leslie DeVotie, was the first man to lose his life in the Confederate service.

About ten years ago the artificial boundaries of the southern states could contain this splendid order no longer, and it began a conquest of northern educational institutions. That its work has been accomplished well is evidenced by the seventy flourishing chapters now upon the roll of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The very fact that a fraternity of purely southern origin should make such a record in northern institutions is of itself an unmistakable indication of the amity existing between the two sections. Indeed it has been a powerful force in cementing together the people of the once disrupted nation.

Headquarters have been established at 711 1-2 Market street, where handsome decorations tell the passing public that the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity was "once sectional, now national."

The eminent Supreme Arcon of the order, Mr. Albert M. Austin, a prominent attorney of the state of Ohio, has been in the city several days. And numerous other members, more or less prominent in fraternity work, are now in the city.

Some of the most prominent of the fraternity's alumni are attending the dedication; among whom might be mentioned Secretary Wilson, Governor McKinley, and Congressman Harrison, and Governor Atkinson. This fraternity numbers among its alumni more distinguished men than any other known Greek letter fraternity.—Chattanooga Daily Times, Friday, Sept. 20, 1895.

Capt. Richard Buchanan Posthumously Awarded

Captain Richard B. Buchanan, Marine Corps, posthumously, for "extraordinary heroism" at La Paz Centro when "he led his platoon into the city in the face of unequal and unfavorable conditions and, taking station at the head of the leading patrol, heedless of personal danger, directed the operations in a cool and effective manner until he received wounds which resulted in his death" was awarded a medal.

The Cover

The cover of this issue of the Record was drawn by Herbert Hamilton, La. Tau-Upsilon, while he was studying art in Chicago last autumn. This issue was originally intended as an historical one, and there are many historical articles and photographs in its contents, but it is in reality a Levere Memorial Temple issue and rightly so. The attractive cover of Herbert Hamilton is appropriate, though, for any issue.



Robert Hooks, Ga. Beta (Univ. of Ga.) halfback



Frank Dudley, Ga. Beta (Univ. of Ga.) quarterback



Dave McArthur, Tenn. Kappa (Univ. of Tenn.) tackle



Roy Witt, Tenn. Kappa (Univ. of Tenn.) Captain-elect, Halfback



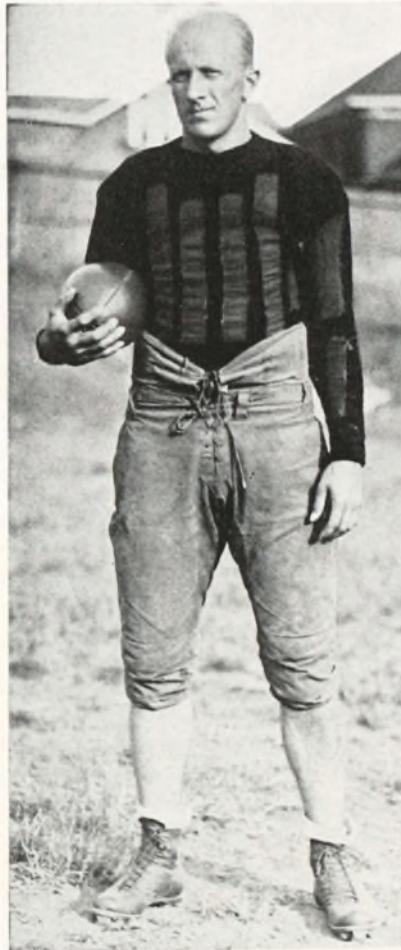
J. T. McCullough, Texas Rho (Univ. of Texas) center



Robert Lloyd, Tenn. Zeta (Southwestern) quarterback



Tom Nash, Ga. Beta, (Univ. of Ga.) All-American end. Star of the South



James Armistead, Tenn. Nu (Vanderbilt) leads nation with 138 points



Paul Armil, Iowa Beta (Univ. of Iowa) halfback



Emmett Wingfield, S. C. Delta (Univ. of S. C.) Capt. and quarterback



August Schumacher, N. Y. Alpha (Cornell) end



Rube Wilcox, pledge Miss. Gamma (Ole Miss.) halfback



Peter Pund, Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech.) center, capt.-elect



L. W. Mizell, Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech.) halfback



J. B. Lillard, Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech.) guard



Walter Patty, Miss. Gamma (Ole Miss.) end



Boyce Weakley, Col. Zeta (Denver) end



Walter Chapman, Col. Zeta (Denver) fullback



Joe Holsinger, Kans. Beta (Kans. State) half-back and golf capt.



Glenn Arthur, Wis. Phi (Beloit)



Lawrence Hart, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) quarter-back



Kermit Laabs, Wis. Phi (Beloit) fullback and captain-elect



Lee Meredith, Mich. Alpha (Adrian) guard



Allison B. Humphreys, Jr., Tenn. Lambda (Cumberland) Capt.



Lewis Osher, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) guard



Harry Tatham, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) center



Edward Miller, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) freshman coach



Verbon Toucher, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) guard



Sidney Autin, Tenn. Omega (Sewanee)



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Charles Coughlin, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) end



John Bruton, Tenn. Omega (Sewanee) Capt.-elect



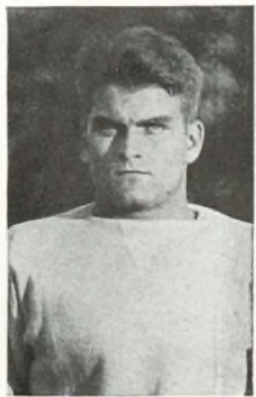
Frank Fitz, Cal. Beta (Univ. of Cal.)



C. R. Brumby, Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech) end



Irvine Phillips, Cal. Beta (Univ. of Cal.) Capt.-elect



Vernon Tupper, Jr., Tenn. Omega (Sewanee)

S. A. E.'s in Southern Football

By *Berry Grant, Georgia Phi*

S.A.E.'s distinguished themselves again this year on the Southern gridiron. The four outstanding teams of the South this year were Georgia Tech, Georgia, Tennessee and Vanderbilt, and on all of these teams were Sons of Minerva whose play was most outstanding.

On the University of Tennessee team which was undefeated and tied only by Vanderbilt, were Roy Witt, star half, and Dave McArthur, star tackle. The former was a fast elusive back, and probably the best in the South at kicking goals after touchdowns. Brother McArthur was a choice for All-Southern tackle by numerous writers.

At Vanderbilt there was Jimmy Armistead at fullback; Peck Owen at halfback; Kitty Creson at end and Eugene McIlwaine, half-back. According to statistics Brother Armistead was the leading point scorer in the country, surpassing Lane of Dartmouth and Welch of Pittsburgh. Owen was a smart runner and an excellent receiver of forward passes. Creson was good in all departments of end play. Vanderbilt was undefeated in the Southern Conference although tied by Georgia Tech and Tennessee and lost to Texas.

On the mighty Georgia team, which gave Yale their only defeat, we find Brother Tom Nash at end, undoubtedly the most outstanding player in the South. He was All-American choice of Grantland Rice, David J. Walsh, Walter Eckersall and many others. Along with Brother Nash were two great half-backs, Frank Dudley and Bobby Hooks. A play by these two brothers led to the defeat of the Eli team. With

Yale leading 10-7, a pass from Hooks to Dudley netted 52 yards and put the ball on the Yale 7 yard line, from which point Georgia put over the winning touchdown for a 14-10 victory. Cree Stelling was a tackle and Sidney Cox a fullback on the Georgia team.

On the other great Georgia team, Georgia Tech, there are two players who stand out as mountains, and whose names are written on the Scroll of Georgia Phi. Henry Pund was undoubtedly the greatest center of the South and one of the best in the country, although he received little publicity. Warner Mizell, at half-back, was one of the finds of the season. He was a triple threat man, a powerful and elusive runner, a great passer and a fine punter. The two mentioned brothers were instrumental in bringing the Golden Tornado back to the pinnacle of Southern football by their win over Georgia. On the Tech team were also John Lillard, guard; Robert Read, half;

Marshall DeVaughn, full; Jimmy Frink, half, and Charlie Brumby, end.

Other well known S.A.E.'s on Southern teams are Capt. Wingfield, S. C.; Mohny and Phipps of Kentucky; Haynes and Mason of Louisiana; Capt. Allhouse and Perry, at George Washington; Wilcox and Patty at Ole Miss.; Schmitt and Newman at Washington and Lee; Sadler and Gardner at Arkansas; Brown of Okla.; McCullough of Tex.; Autin, Bruton and Tupper of Sewanee; Kaminer of Va.; Loser and Hammack, Mercer; Bowyer, Stanley, and Yancey of Florida; Roach and Tatum at Southern Methodist; Captain Davis at William and Mary; Starling, Douglas and Ellis of Alabama.

Berry Grant's All-Southern S. A. E. Eleven

Nash	.....Georgia	..... End
Creson	.....Vanderbilt	..... End
Stelling	.....Georgia	..... Tackle
McArthur	..... Tennessee	..... Tackle
Lillard	..... Georgia Tech	..... Guard
Starling	..... Alabama	..... Guard
Pund	..... Georgia Tech	..... Center
Dudley	..... Georgia	..... Quarterback
Hooks	..... Georgia	..... Halfback
Mizell	..... Georgia Tech	..... Halfback
Armistead	..... Vanderbilt	..... Fullback



R. C. Read, Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech.) halfback



Joe Clifton, Ky. Epsilon (Univ. of Ky.) star of Navy team



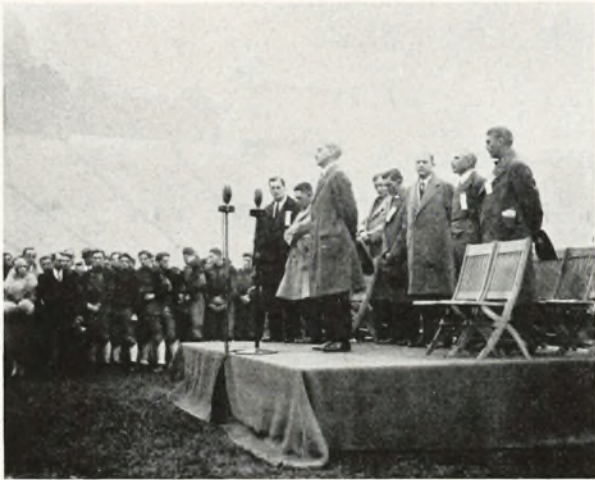
M. S. DeVaughn, Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech.) fullback

A Tribute to Andy Smith

By Marshall Hickson, California Beta

Western football scored another triumph over eastern football when Coach Price's California Bears defeated the University of Pennsylvania, 27 to 13, in their big inter-sectional game at the California Memorial Stadium. A crowd of thirty-five thousand persons braved the rain and uncomfortable weather to witness one of the most thrilling games of the season, played in honor of the late "Andy" Smith, head football coach at the University of California from 1916 to 1925.

teams were undefeated for five and a half years. Andy was also an all-American fullback star at Penn in 1904 and later coached his Alma Mater. The impressive exercises preceding the game were presided over by Charles Hyde, dean of men at California. Short addresses were delivered by Robert Sproule, comptroller of the University of California, and Sydney Hutchinson, chairman of the board of athletic control at the University of Pennsylvania. During the talks the captains of the California and Pennsylvania teams,



Broadcasting the exercises at the unveiling of the Andy Smith bench



The bench dedicated to Andy Smith just after the unveiling

California played a brand of offensive football which had not been seen for more than two years at Berkeley. Opening up with long passes and flashy runs, the Bears were clearly the superior team, winning their first touch-down early in the opening quarter. Captain-elect, Irvine Phillips, California Beta, played his usual brilliant game, hounding the ball, intercepting forward passes, stopping everything that came his way and topping it all by chasing a team-mate's sixty yard punt down to Penn's three yard line, putting the "Quakers" in somewhat of a hole.

The game was the occasion for paying tribute by dedicating a player's bench to the memory of Andrew Latham Smith, Pennsylvania Theta, whose California

headed by Coach Price, who was Smith's assistant at the time of the latter's death, and Lou Young, Quaker coach who learned his football from Andy, unveiled the memorial.

The bench, which will be used by California teams, bears two inscriptions. On the back facing the California rooting section are the words, "In tribute to Andrew Latham Smith, Coach 1916-1925." Behind the seat are inscribed two thoughts which Smith never failed to give his team before all games, "We do not want men who will lie down bravely to die, but men who will fight valiantly to live"; "Winning is not everything, and it is far better to play the game squarely and lose, than to win at the sacrifice of an ideal."

—Andy Smith.



J. P. Devine, Tenn. Lambda (Cum erland) made highest grade at state bar exam of Okla.



Russell Colton, N. Y. Rho (St. Lawrence) football manager and pres. of senior class



Eugene Ethridge, Ala. Mu (Univ. of Ala.) Executive Com., Honor Com., Gate Club, Pres. Parasites.



Seaton Van Dyne, III, Delta (Milliken) Capt.-elect football

Good News

By John Langdon Jones, Mass. Gamma

A former vaudeville booker and playwright who had abandoned the business of selling men's suits for his father in California met at a song publisher's office, and the firm of Laurence Schwab and Frank Mandel resulted. Today, among the youngest producers on Broadway, they have two current musical shows, both of which must be accounted successes. One is "Good News," which besides playing at Chanin's 46th Street Theatre, will soon open at the Selwyn Theatre in Chicago and the other is "The Desert Song" at the Imperial Theatre which is also playing in London, Chicago and on the coast.

Laurence, now in his early thirties, was born in Boston. He went to the Boston Latin School, and thence to Harvard, where he attended Professor Baker's 47 Workshop and acted in undergraduate theatricals.

During the Summers he played in Harvard Stock Company, which had Crimson undergraduates as a nucleus, and toured through New England. It is a little known and relatively unimportant fact of Schwab's dark past that he began his theatrical career as a super in the Boston Castle Square Stock Company. He rose rapidly, until he became leading man at \$25.00 a week with the Harvard troupe, playing in "The Country Boy," "The Gentleman from Mississippi" and "The Girl of the Golden West." It was while he was acting away for dear life in this latter piece at Nassau, New Hampshire, that a former schoolmate recognized him as the swashbuckling hero. This schoolmate had watched Schwab, during the days of adolescence, carry the ball over the goal line for dear old Boston Latin School. He looked, therefore, with a clear but skeptical eye upon the heroic acting of his former idol, until, convinced by a particularly awkward piece of business, he was forced to yell from his seat, "Play football, Larry, you're a terrible actor."

Out of Harvard, Schwab was still desirous of becoming an actor. He was going to be another Barrymore, come what might. So, armed with a note from a friend, he strode one day into the Wilmer & Vincent office in New York to ask Wilmer if he would engage an inspiring juvenile. Wilmer took one

look at the youth, and said, "I need someone to work around the office. How would \$10.00 a week suit you?" The youth was shocked. He who had been a \$25.00 a-week matinee idol in some of the leading towns of New England now offered a job as an office boy! It was

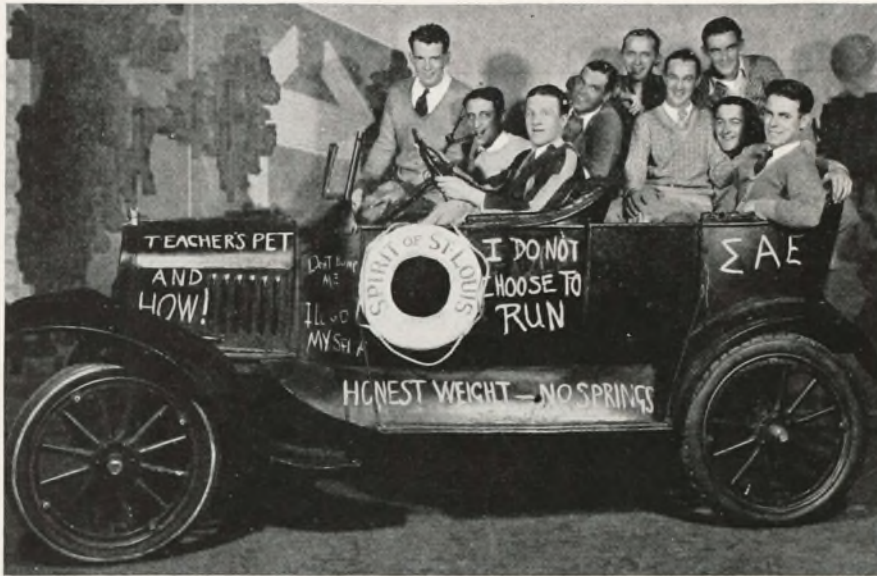
too ridiculous. Nevertheless, the idea of being associated with a theatrical firm had too strong an appeal to be ignored. At least it was Broadway and the stage! So young Schwab entered the offices of Wilmer and Vincent. Inside of a year he was booking theatres for them. Before another year had passed, he was writing, producing his own vaudeville acts. He wrote the skits, cast them, directed them, sold them to the Keith, now

Keith-Albee Circuit, and managed them. It was here that his knowledge of show business really began.

Came then the war. This statement may be verified by checking up with newspapers of the time. Laurence Schwab joined the Navy the day after hostilities were declared. He entered the ranks as a gob, and was discharged a Junior Lieutenant. During that period he served on every conceivable form of seacraft—battleships, cruisers, destroyers, submarines, seagoing tugs, transports, colliers and mine-sweepers.

The war over, he went back to vaudeville. Once more he wrote, produced and booked acts. Two persons who later became associated with him in legitimate productions were in his enterprises. Schwab put out Sammy Lee in a turn called "Sammy Lee and his Lady Friends" in the years before Lee was known as a dance director. He also had Eddie Buzzell in an act called "The Man of Affairs." This was later expanded into "The Gingham Girl," with Buzzell and Helen Ford, and the dances for it were staged by Master Lee. "The Gingham Girl" thus began several careers. It marked Laurence Schwab's entrance into the legitimate theatrical field; it was the first legitimate show for Eddie Buzzell, and it started Sammy Lee as a dance director.

Schwab's next show was "Sweet Little Devil" with Constance Binney. It was during the writing of this musical comedy that he met Mandel. He wanted a collaborator, and Max Dreyfus, of Harms, Inc., introduced the potential



The famous car which appears in the first act of "Good News," Broadway's most successful musical comedy this season

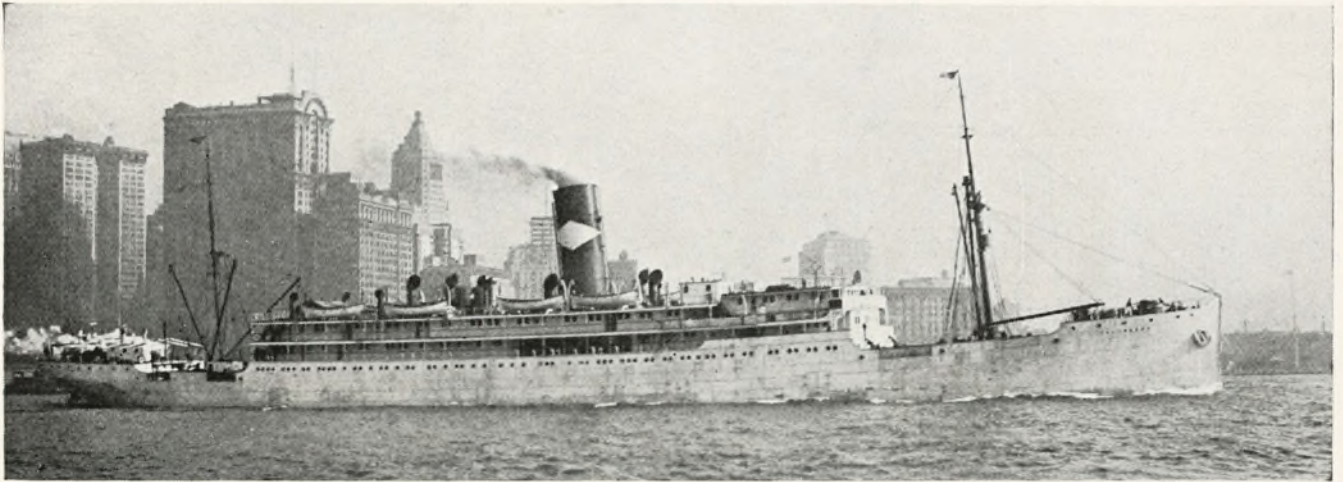


Laurence Schwab, Mass. Gamma (Harvard)

partners. "Sweet Little Devil" was written by Schwab and Mandel. Their next show was "The Firebrand," which began their joint producing careers and in which Horace Liveright also was associated. Then followed "Captain

Jinks," written by Mandel, Schwab and B. G. De Sylva, with music by Lewis Gensler, and "Queen High" and "The Desert Song." Schwab, who was co-author of "Queen High," wrote "Good News" with B. G. De Sylva.

Cruising the Spanish Main After the Convention In Miami



A Steamer of the "Great White Fleet"

The 1928 National convention of Sigma Alpha Epsilon will be held in Miami, Florida, during the week of December 24th, bringing together Sigma Alpha Epsilon from the coast and all the four corners of the country. The Boston, (Massachusetts) Alumni Association has seriously considered making this convention even better for its members in arranging a post-convention cruise trip at the termination of the meeting, to Cuba, the Canal Zone, Panama and Costa Rica, thus bringing our membership together in the happy comradery in which such a trip would result.

Upon second thought, it was decided by the Boston Alumni,—“Why confine such good news to ourselves, and be selfish about it; we can enjoy even better and happier times by making such a trip national within Sigma Alpha Epsilon?” This would bring us all into still closer contact, and the result should be “Better acquaintance amongst us all with many life long friendships made.”

As soon as the actual date of the termination of the convention is assured, which is now surmised will be Friday, P. M., December 28th, definite dates on the itinerary of the trip will be announced. The itinerary will be as follows: from Miami we will go over to

Havana, Cuba, (Paris of the Western World) then on to Panama, the Canal Zone and Costa Rica.

Havana has retained, in some magic and secret fashion of her own, and in spite of her indubitable advance, a great portion of the extraordinary glamour which lured within her walls the wealth, the beauty and the enterprise of the Indies in her days of greatness; and those days are still the days of today. It holds an essential glamour which makes it distinct from that of the Mediterranean or the Orient.

We will then board our cruising steamer, which, by the way, will be one of the palatial cruising steamers of the famous United Fruit Company's "Great White Fleet"; we will sail out past Morro Castle and on our way to Cristobal, the port of entry into the Canal Zone. There an extensive program will be arranged, taking us into many Canal Zone towns and the cities of Colon and Panama, in the Republic of Panama. We will go over to the Pacific side and by all means we will see all there is of the gigantic piece of engineering, our own Panama Canal.

We will proceed to Costa Rica. The thrilling ride through jungles, and then on up the mountains until we reach 5,000 feet above sea level will all be a revelation



Avenue of Palms, Balboa, Canal Zone



Myrtle Bank Hotel, Kingston, Jamaica

to us from the north and a picture we will always remember.

Leaving Costa Rica will bring us back to Havana for another stay of 24 hours and then on, enjoying all the luxuriousness and happy times on our floating palace, we again reach New York. It will be arranged for those residents in the South and West that connections be made at Havana on another of the "Great White Fleet" cruising steamers to take you direct to New Orleans, which should be a most central port for connections to the West, Middle West and the South.

We will not be away too long (about 18 days) and rates will be figured down to a minimum cost to make it possible for us all to go. Every detail is being

worked out at the present time to insure a winter vacation trip of many happy times.

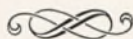
We would like to hear from all members that would be interested in this trip, and if you will sign the coupon, we will send you further information, as soon as every detail is worked out; dates, rates, etc.

Mr. Chas. E. Lawrence, 6 Beacon St., Boston, Mass.

I am interested in the Post-Convention trip next December and will be pleased to receive further information.

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A.D. 1874—Don Robinson Almy—An Appreciation + A.D. 1927

"Chevalier sans peur et sans reproche"



Don Almy at his country home with his family and friends

Sigma Alpha Epsilon has within the past year twice crossed the shadow of the Valley of Death, when two of its most loyal sons entered the gates of the Chapter Eternal.

Who among those who carried William C. Levere to his last resting place at Memorial Cemetery last February would have thought that a few months later our noble militant Don Almy would be laid to rest not far from the spot where his devoted brother-in-arms,

Billy Levere, had been consigned to Mother Earth? To lose such outstanding champions of human brotherhood is indeed a great loss to the Greek letter world and especially to our own fraternity.

William Levere was the organizer and chief-of-staff of this great army of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; he planned day and night toward a still greater and better brotherhood among American college youth, but it was Don Almy, the champion in steel helmet and armor, girded

for combat, who brought the ideals of William Levere to glorious victory and noble achievement.

We, his brothers in the bonds, will never forget the logic and eloquence, born of a righteous and noble cause, with which Don Almy carried all opposition before him on the floor of many of our national conventions, as well as in the Forum of inter-fraternal conferences. He was a Demosthenes, full of fire, eloquence, and persuasive power, while Levere was a Thucydides, the man of historical traditions, of hope, ideals and ambitions for his people—a great combination of two noble Greeks, of which even ancient Hellas could well be proud.

Their places cannot be filled. This is no empty phrase or commonplace eulogy, for we of the Supreme Council of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, who worked and lived with these two outstanding leaders of men day by day and year by year, know that William Levere and Don Almy stood like mighty watchtowers on the ramparts of the Greek world. Both men at the time of their passing were members of the Supreme Council. Don Almy had been advanced at the Boston convention in December, 1926 to the office of Honorary Eminent Supreme Archon, while William Levere had been for many years, and was at the time of his death, Eminent Supreme Recorder of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. They were among the master-builders who laid the foundation for the present greatness of our fraternity—two noble spirits that we hope will live on forever and ever in the memory and traditions of our order.

In Don Almy, the Greek letter world has lost a champion of unusual attainments. He was not dogmatic in his devotion and love for his own fraternity; like the knights of old, Don Almy would enter the lists in opposition to any attempt to undermine the work, objects and morale of Greek letter fraternities. He stood for the highest ideals in the youth of our country and despised and abhorred intolerance and snobbishness and pursued cant and hypocrisy with relentless vigor when they showed their ugly heads in Sigma Al-

pha Epsilon or in the Forum of inter-fraternity councils. Loyal to the core, indefatigable in his efforts, Don Almy developed the noblest and the best in the various chapters and it was with the earnestness and eloquence of a Demosthenes that he defended the maxims of his faith as a loyal son of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

It is trite to say of Don Almy "that we shall miss him," for his counsel, advice and constructive policies have become a part of the fabric of our entire fraternity structure and the influence of his splendid service to humanity at large and Sigma Alpha Epsilon in particular will live on for many a generation yet unborn and our sons will be recipients of the blessings wrought by Don Almy for the benefit of our great order.

The above heartfelt, even though inadequate, thoughts upon the character and achievements of our own Don Almy are the sincere expressions of the high esteem in which we of the Supreme Council hold the memory of one of our most loyal co-workers and brothers.

All of Sigma Alpha Epsilon mourns with the devoted wife and sterling young son at the bier of this beloved man, a "*chevalier sans peur et sans reproche.*"
Requiescat in Pace.

So done at the mid-winter meeting of The Supreme Council of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Evanston, Illinois, January 23, 1928.

Robert T. Jones, Jr.
Honorary Eminent Supreme Archon
Lauren Foreman,
Eminent Supreme Archon
O. K. Quivey
Eminent Supreme Deputy Archon
Eric A. Dawson
Eminent Supreme Recorder
George D. Kimball
Eminent Supreme Warden
Alfred K. Nippert
Eminent Supreme Herald

Rev. Dr. Harris Elliot and Rev. Mr. Frank H. Staples Celebrate 25th Anniversaries in Baltimore Churches

Twenty-five years of service to their churches by two Baltimore S.A.E. clergyman has brought a holiday ardor to each congregation; and with it much recounting of the days gone by and many presents.

A stained glass window commemorating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Rev. Dr. Harris Elliot Kirk at the Franklin Street Presbyterian Church has recently been dedicated. "The window adheres rigidly to the fourteenth century type, eclipsing in splendor anything of its kind in the country. The dominant crimson of the window was chosen mainly because crimson is Dr. Kirk's favorite color and, combined with blues of startling beauty and an extraordinary artistic use of grisaille, the whole presents an effect which is not to be found in any other American stained glass."

Brother Kirk, who became an S.A.E. at Southwestern in 1894, is well known as an author, having written among other books, "The Religion of Power," "The Consuming Fire," and "One generation to Another."

Southwestern doesn't get ahead of St. Stephen's College for the Rev. Mr. Frank Hay Staples, soon after he came from there and N. Y. Sigma-Phi began his services in the old St. Paul's Guild House in Baltimore.

There were twelve persons present in that small room on the upper floor.

Now Brother Staples as vicar of St. Paul's Chapel, has nearly 700 children in the Sunday School alone. It is by far the largest Episcopal Sunday School in the state. A new guild house is now at the rear of the church. "And it may be doubted," writes Henry M. Hyde in the Baltimore Sun, "if any guild house in the State is as busy a place as this. There is an old and flourishing men's club, a mother's club, a kindergarten and more than twenty clubs, chiefly athletic, for boys and girls.

"There is a city dispensary in the building, where doctors and nurses are on duty each day, and the Instructive Visiting Nurses and the Babies' Milk and Ice Fund also have centers in the guild house.

"The billiard room, the bowling alleys and the gym is open to men of all faiths and of none.

"In the building up of all these activities which intimately touch the lives of thousands of people in Southwest Baltimore, the Rev. Mr. Staples has been the moving spirit. And the movement to celebrate fittingly his twenty-fifth anniversary has come spontaneously from the people with whom he has worked so long."



Pledges of Ohio Sigma (Mt. Union) who won numerals, front row, left to right; Lacy, Caskey, Yaggi, Lehmis, and Smith. Second row, left to right; Boyle, Coburn, (Manager) Ehlers and Cooper



Letter men of N. Y. Rho (St. Lawrence)



Cadet officers at Vt. Alpha-Sigma-Pi (Norwich) Top row; Bancroft, Mahan, Orr, Nelson. Bottom row; Calderwood, Plumley, Bamford, Flint



Letter men at Vt. Alpha-Sigma-Pi. Top row; Calderwood, L. Pierce, McDonald, Grandy, Flint, Ring, Wescott. Bottom row; Plumley, Bamford, Taylor, Yarrington, G. Pierce, Mayo



Members of Honorary Engineering Fraternities, Ga. Phi. (Ga. Tech) Top row, left to right; Humphrey, Phi Kappa Phi; Pund, Phi Kappa Phi and Tau Beta Pi. Lower row, left to right; Moore, Phi Kappa Phi and Tau Beta Pi; Merry, Tau Beta Pi



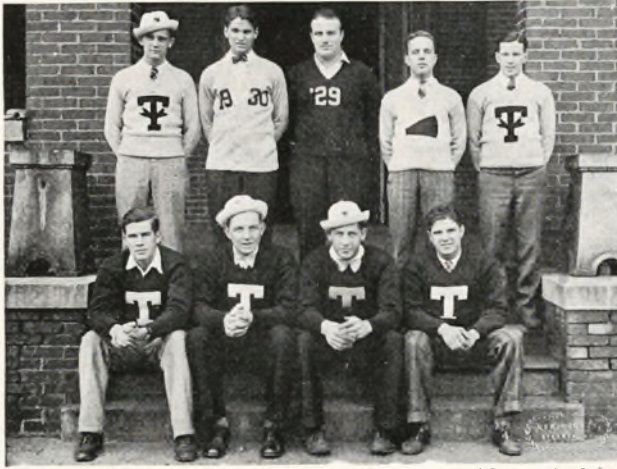
Class presidents at Ala. Mu. (Univ. of Ala.) Redd, Jun. engineers; Ellis, Junior lit.; Hazan, Freshman lit.



Letter men in football at Wash. Beta (Wash. State) Flechsig, Rohmer, Smith, Curry



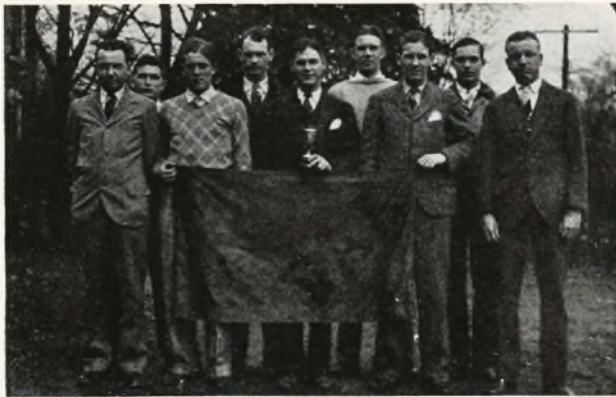
Standing, left to right; Hines, leader of the college band; Bennett, Pres. Y. M. C. A.; Barfield, football manager. In front Shrake, cheer leader. All of Ohio Sigma



Letter and numeral men at Georgia Phi (Geo. Tech.)
 Standing; Harris, Frink, Kinnett, Merry, Holleman.
 Seated; DeVaughn, Pund, Lillard, Mizell



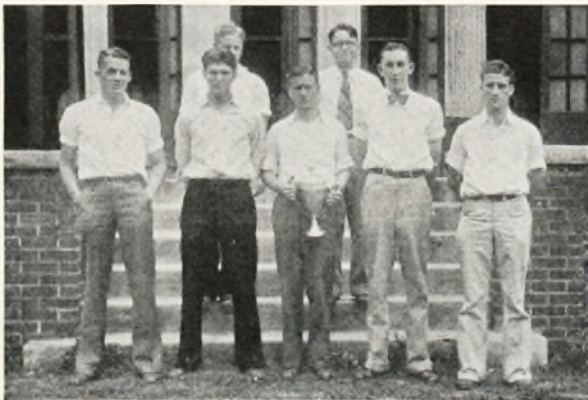
Ga. Phi (Ga. Tech.) Honorary Class Societies—top row
 left to right; Lillard, Frink, Walsh, Cook, Holleman.
 Lower row, left to right; Harris, Merry, Mizell, Pund



Baseball champions at the Univ. of Tenn.



Basketball champions at St. Lawrence Univ.



Basketball champions at the Univ. of Ala.



Basketball champions at Denver University



Volleyball champions at Mt. Union College, Ohio



Ass't Mgrs. N. Y. Rho. (St. Lawrence); Lyng, Murphy,
 Kramer, Brown, Crouse

Friendship—The Cardinal Principle of Our Fraternity

By Hulette F. Aby
Mississippi Gamma

(Address delivered to Oklahoma Kappa, March 9, 1927)

SEVENTY-ONE YEARS AGO, in the little town of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, Mother Mu Chapter of our Fraternity was born. As has been stated it did not spring full panoplied in an instant, from the power of Jove, but grew silently, but firmly, from a seed planted in the hearts of its eight founders. Little did they realize what the harvest from this little seed would yield in National fruitage. Little did I comprehend, at the time of my advent into the Fraternity, more than three decades ago, what an elephantine growth there would be from the growing young plant at that time. It was never intended by those sincere and serious young founders that Sigma Alpha Epsilon would be National in character, and their sole idea was for it to be a creature indigenous only to the Southland.

The seed as planted, and from which the birth of our beloved Fraternity sprung, in 1856, was one of friendship and great personal devotion of the founders, one for the other; and sincere friendship has become so deeply rooted in this band of brothers that nothing short of a great and lasting cataclysm could uproot it. It has so permeated the Fraternity that friendship of its members is nothing short of real filial devotion.

The entire fabric of the Fraternity was builded, and is now building, upon friendship, which shall be as lasting as the stars. Naturally there are other elements that entered into the Constitution of our Brotherhood, but the key-word was then, as is now, "friendship." There is something significant to me in that word, because it does not smack of anything commercial or business-like, and no pecuniary gain is sought by membership therein. Any deviation by a Brother from the cardinal principle as designed by the founders brings to him and his brothers a spirit of unrest, and, in a great many instances results in a complete abandonment of friendship. The founders in their wisdom, considering their youthfulness, smacked somewhat of a divine inspiration, and that wisdom, coupled with that real and touching friendship and devotion they had for each of their little band, created and ordained what they termed the Constitution of our order, and it stands today almost entirely in all of its original beauty and touching sentiment. All of the preliminary work in the founding of our Fraternity was based upon friendship. We find in our structure that friendship was used in the foundation, friendship was placed in the structure, and from the spires of its temple, so firmly built in our hearts, radiates friendship.

Some of us are young in the Fraternity, and do not quite as yet realize what is meant by a membership in this most worthy organization, but when the years have flown and our temples are touched with gray, one of our most cherished possessions, and one of the tenderest spots in our heart, will be the impenetrable, lasting and dying friendship for your brothers of the chapter, and I might say that this friendship goes for any other brother not of your chapter, but the same may not be as to him so pungent and refreshing.

I have come to know through years that the badge of our Order means friendship, and when I am fortunate enough to be in the company of members of S.A. E. who may or may not be acquaintances of years standing, I know that the precepts and teachings of friendship by DeVotie and his band are so firmly entrenched in the minds and hearts of those brothers that I have nothing to fear, because this friendship about which I am speaking, in such a case, means to me protection, truth, honor, integrity, faith and charity. It has been aptly said:

"To God, thy Country, and thy Friend, be true."

From an historical side of our founders we find that their aspirations and ideals were high and noble, still there is constantly before us the prevailing idea that they were at least human, just as we are today, and that they enjoyed full fun and amusement, and were not ashamed to record their revelry and joy in the minutes of the meetings of their chapter.

I would be remiss on this occasion if I did not speak of Noble Leslie DeVotie, who has been justly designated by his brothers of Mother Chapter as the Founder of our Order. To read of him and to record his achievements is an inspiration for every young man to follow. Time forbids me from speaking this evening of the other founders, and I can only say that they justly deserve all of the honors which have been so beneficently bestowed upon them.

DeVotie first conceived the idea of the founding of our Fraternity, and its birth was realized through his wonderful ability and great moral character, which some one has said, "Had broadened and extended, like that of Milton, beyond the precincts of his college, over and beyond his State, and into other states."

The President of the University of Alabama said, when DeVotie was yet a student, that he was the finest student of English he ever knew, and that he had never known him to do or be connected with any act, while a student in the University of Alabama, that could not be commended. Thus, my brothers, there were others who had exalted ideas of our boy founder. We have a living example of what he was, exemplified in the writings of our Fraternity, and the ideals of friendship and brotherly love set forth in our Constitution and ritual, as prepared by him, are nothing short of true reflections of his character and daily life. How could loftier sentiments reflecting the life of the author of that immortal document be more beautifully expressed, and what a blessing he has bestowed upon us by reason thereof. This document is surcharged with sincerity of purpose and moral uplift. Look at the adversity under which our grand brotherhood came into being, but its adversity only tended to kindle the fires and cement the ties of friendship.

"Friendship! Mysterious cement of the soul;
Sweetness of life and soldier of society."

Brother Rudolph, one of the founders, and who, next to DeVotie, had most to do with the actual embarkation of our Fraternity, said:

"DeVotie was the master mechanic of us all."

Our Fraternity could not have endured through the vicissitudes and troubles of its early life had it not been for the foundation rock as set by DeVotie. It was built on truth and friendship, and with those elements so firmly entrenched in its body politic, it stood the ravages of its early years only to come out stronger and better. It has now swept every shore of our Country, and, in my humble opinion, has been one of the benefactions towards healing the wounds between the North and the South, torn by the strife of the Civil War.

DeVotie died as he had lived, true to friendship to the last. It seems to us that he should have been spared to this world longer. But who, outside of public life in this country, has left such an imprint upon the minds and hearts of men as he? It is hard for us to visualize and conceive that one so young as he could have been the patron saint of all that which is so good, noble and true in Sigma Alpha Epsilon. His passing marked the first to fall, in line of duty, on either side of our great, but regrettable Civil War. The casket in which his body was laid to rest was the first to be draped with the flag of stars and bars of the Lost Cause. His tragic ending was a complete triumph of devotion to his God, his Country, and his fellowmen. How beautiful it is to us that the soul of our founder went home to Glory wreathed in a garland of patriotism and crowned with a diadem of achievement on earth.

History does not record any faults that were his, but is voluminous in its outbursts of praise and commendation. By his works handed down to us we have learned what true friendship means, and which to us has been the guiding star always in our achievement of greatness as a National Fraternity.

It is hard for us to discern and know what that element is in us that inspires and controls friendship and brotherly love, one for the other. The noble life of DeVotie, and his hand-maiden, our Constitution, placed friendship there never to be erased nor effaced from the tablets of our love and memory. This spirit of DeVotie, and his written tablets, as I have shown, is best epitomized in his own words, by the verse writ-

ten by him in the classbook of his brother, Rudolph, and which, by the way, is so emblematic of our creed and teachings that it is worth repeating:

I know we must part, yet, united in soul,
Our thoughts, like one current, together will
roll,

And, oh, should my soul be the first to ascend,
When an angel in heaven I'll plead for my
friend;

Yet sometimes I think when my young life is
o'er,

And my voice that has thrilled thee can thrill
thee no more,

That my spirit will steal from its mansion of
bliss—

To lie on thy bosom and guard thee in this.

Thou mayst whisper farewell, but thou canst
not depart,

I hold thee too close in the folds of my heart;
And that full heart is deeper than aught else
can be—

Unless 'tis the feeling I cherish for thee.

Thou canst not escape, for tho' wide be thy
bound,

Fond memories, like sentinels, guard thee
around—

Sweet watcher they'll keep each intruder
away,

And hold thee my captive by night and by
day.

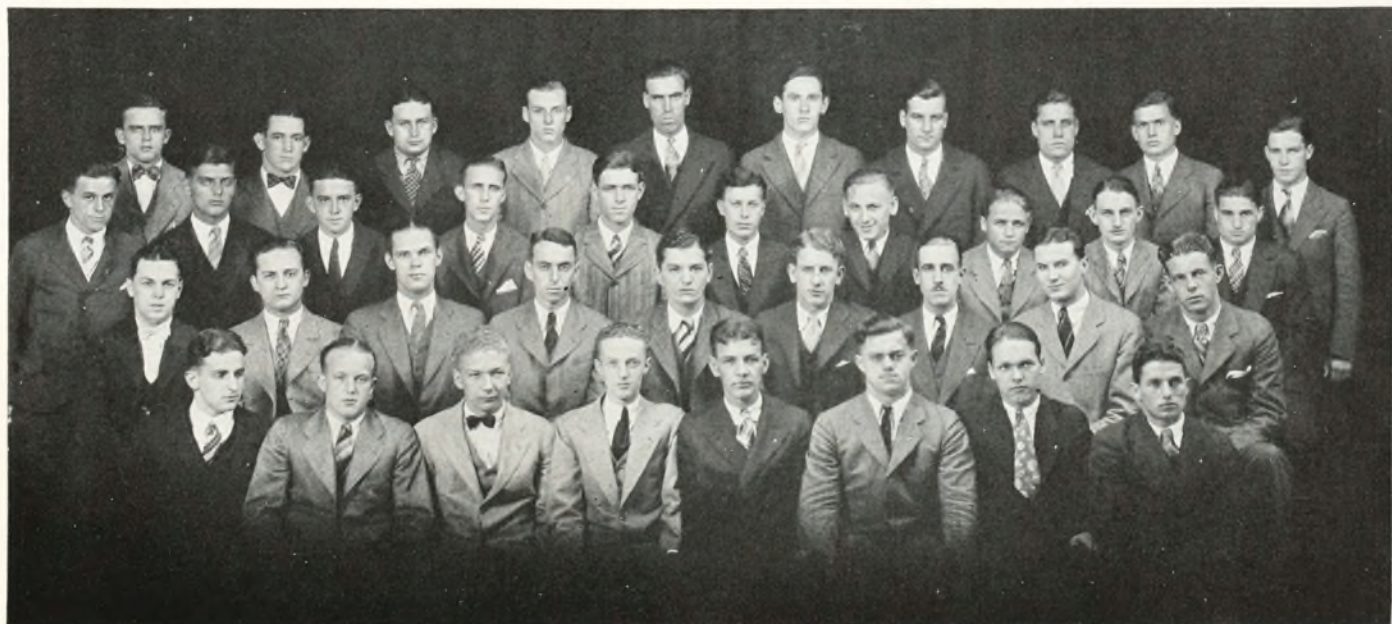
'Twere almost too sweet for such bosoms as
ours—

To die the calm death of the innocent flowers;
Yet, ah! if the angels will answer my prayers,

The close of our lives will be lovely as theirs;
And oh! when the death-pangs our bosoms do
rend,

They will mingle my spirit with that of my
friend,

For on hope's airy wings we lightly will rise,
And tho' parted on earth we'll be linked in the
skies.



The Active Chapter of New York Delta (Syracuse)



Theron A. Boyer, Ia. Beta (Iowa)



Boyd N. Liddle, Ia. Beta (Iowa)



Arthur C. Redel, Ia. Beta (Iowa)



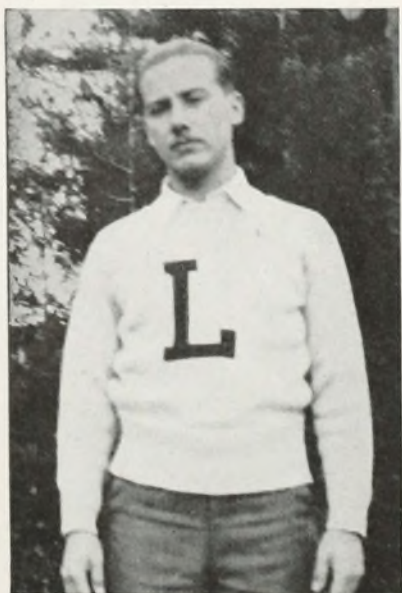
G. A. Pierce, Vt. Alpha-Sigma-Pi (Norwich) Capt. of Track



Guy Di Julio, Wash. Beta (Wash. State College) Varsity Baseball



Ben Rucker, Cal. Beta (U. of California) Basketball



Richard B. Dunn, N. Y. Rho (St. Lawrence) Manager of Basketball



R. T. Burkman, N. Y. Rho (St. Lawrence) Capt. Baseball 1928



Raymond A. Tate, Tenn Eta (Union) One of her famous athletes



J. P. Waters, N. H. Alpha (Dartmouth) Editor Jack O'Lantern



J. B. Zellers, N. H. Alpha (Dartmouth) Bus. Man. of Jack O'Lantern



Elmer Conklin, Ill. Psi-Omega. (Northwestern) Phi Beta Kappa



Samuel C. Jones, N. Y. Alpha (Cornell) Tau Beta Pi



Adelbert Schroeder, Penn. Alpha-Zeta (Penn. State) Student Colonel R. O. T. C.



Reginald S. Rood, Cal. Alpha (Leland Stanford) Phi Beta Kappa



Lyle Streeter, N. Y. Rho (St. Lawrence) Campus Leader



W. H. Young, Jr., Ga. Beta (Univ. of Ga.) Sphinx club, Pres. Interfraternity



B. H. Hardy, Ga. Beta (Univ. of Ga.) Editor of Georgia Cracker and Red and Black



Dwight Chapman, Mass. Gamma (Harvard) Phi Beta Kappa



Donald Putt, Pa. Phi (Carnegie) Pres. Student Council; Tau Beta Pi; Dragon.



Robert A. Culver, Tenn. Kappa (Univ. of Tenn.) Phi Kappa Phi



J. S. McAlister, Jr., N. C. Theta (Davidson) Phi Beta Kappa



Caldwell Withers, N. C. Theta (Davidson) Pres. Senior Class



Thomas Cannon, Pa. Phi (Carnegie) Delta Skull; Thistle Bus. Manager

The Interfraternity Conference

THE NINETEENTH annual Interfraternity Conference met at the Hotel Pennsylvania, November 25 and 26, 1927. Sixty-two fraternities were represented by two hundred delegates and guests. Chairman William R. Bayes, Phi Delta Theta, in his report spoke of the repeal of the anti-fraternity law in South Carolina. He recommended the adoption of some scholarship standard for fraternities, a further study of important national fraternity problems such as taxation of property and college visitation, campus conferences among undergraduates and greater stress on training for citizenship of fraternity men.

During the year five fraternities, Beta Kappa, Delta Sigma Lambda, Alpha Phi Delta, Alpha Lambda Tau and Phi Alpha had been admitted to junior membership and Phi Beta Delta had become a senior member. Mr. Oswald C. Hering, Delta Kappa Epsilon, in his report promised that the completed book on fraternity house building would be ready next year. It will include chapters on house planning, the ethics of architecture, costs and raising money. Mr. Hering showed lantern slides of chapter houses from all parts of the country to illustrate his report.

Chairman Harold Riegelman, Zeta Beta Tau, of the law committee rendered a splendid report on taxation of fraternity property. James Duane Livingston, Delta Phi, reported that regional interfraternity conferences were functioning successfully. Alvan E. Duerr, Delta Tau Delta, reported that fraternities are giving much thought and attention to the scholastic standing of their active members. Most fraternities now have rules regarding scholarship. Col. Alexander A. Sharp, Sigma Chi, reaffirmed his recommendation of last year that rushing and pledging be held in the early part of the college year, and that initiations be later as a goal for the freshman to attain. After various arguments, the general feeling prevailed that the problem is one to be solved by the respective institutions and not by the Conference.

Mr. O. K. Quivey, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, in the absence of Mr. James E. Chapman, Grand Treasurer, read a paper on the financial plan of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Mr. George V. Catuna of Theta Chi, reported

on the financial plan of his fraternity. Under the chairmanship of Mr. Harold P. Flint, Tau Kappa Epsilon, four special topics were discussed as part of the program. These were: "Co-operation Between University Administrators and Fraternity Officials"; "Undergraduate Chapters in Campus Politics"; "Recent Developments in High School Fraternities"; "The Plan and Possibilities of the Local Interfraternity Conference."

Resolutions of respect and regret were adopted, eulogizing two men prominent in interfraternity circles who had died during the year, William C. Levere and Don R. Almy, both of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and former Chairmen of the Conference. The Conference rose and stood in silent tribute to their memory.

Miss Louise Leonard, chairman of the National Panhellenic Conference attended the opening session and expressed the greetings of that organization. The following officers were elected for the coming year; Chairman, Harold Riegelman, Zeta Beta Tau; Vice-chairman, William L. Phillips, Sigma Phi Epsilon; Secretary, Clifford M. Swan, Delta Upsilon; Treasurer, Dr. Charles W. Gerstenberg, Delta Chi; Educational Advisor, Thomas Arkle Clark, Alpha Tau Omega.

At the banquet held on Friday night excellent speeches were made by Hon. John J. Tigert, United States Commissioner of Education and President of Phi Delta Theta, Dr. Josiah Penniman, Provost of the University of Pennsylvania and Dr. Francis W. Shephardson, Beta Theta Pi. At the Fraternity Editor's dinner on Saturday night the following papers were presented: "The Convention Daily, an Adventure in Fraternity Journalism," by C. B. Larrabee, editor of the "Delta Upsilon Quarterly"; "Elevating the Profession of Fraternity Journalism" by Leland F. Leland, editor of the "Teke" of Tau Kappa Epsilon; and "Fraternity History and the Fraternity Magazine" by Eric A. Dawson, editor of the "Record" of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

The following officers were elected: President, Cecil J. Wilkinson, Phi Gamma Delta; Vice-president, George Banta, Jr., Phi Delta Theta; Secretary-Treasurer, George Starr Lasher, Theta Chi; Executive committee; Leland F. Leland, Tau Kappa Epsilon and J. Harold Johnston, Pi Kappa Alpha.



Eugene Abrams, III, Delta (Milliken) Pres. Glee Club, Dramatics, Radio Star



Vector Furman, III, Delta (Milliken) Editor of Decaturian



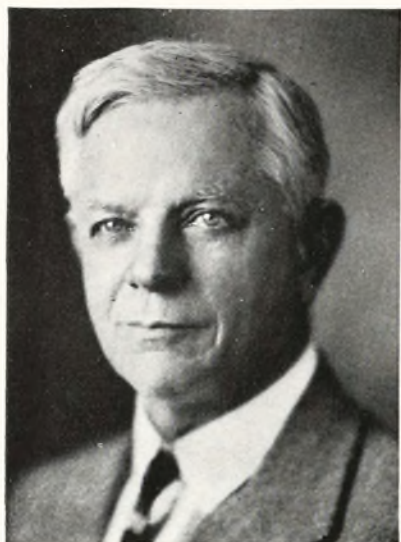
Roger Yoder, III, Delta (Milliken) President of Senior Hon. Fraternity



Preston Jenuine, III, Delta (Milliken) Track Star

Texas Rho Speaks

By Gordon Brelsford



H. Y. Benedict, Texas Rho (Univ. of Texas) President of the University of Texas

Brother H. Y. Benedict, of Texas Rho, was recently elected to the Presidency of the University of Texas, the domicile of his old chapter. Before becoming President of his alma mater, Dr. Benedict was Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and Professor of Astronomy and Applied Mathematics, and is now recognized as one of the foremost authorities in the nation in his particular fields. He holds

the following degrees: B.S., Texas, 1892; M. A., 1893; Ph.D., Harvard, 1898; LL.D., Baylor, 1920.

Needless to say, Texas Rho is quite proud of Brother Benedict, and the brothers and pledges are always happy to see him.

John T. McCullough, Texas Rho, has done more than his share of work in keeping his chapter at Texas University among the leaders. John has been the regular center on the varsity football team for the past three seasons. This past fall he was unanimously selected by the leading sportwriters as the best center in the Southwestern Conference where the grade of football played was as good, if not better, than in any other section of the country during 1927. Besides having a wonderful record on the gridiron, Brother McCullough has done his share in keeping his chapter above the average in its scholastic standing. He has made only one C during his college career; all the rest of his grades being A's and B's, which is an enviable record. He also received medals during his freshman and junior years for having the highest scholastic average on the freshman and varsity football squads respectively.

This past fall brother McCullough entered the law school. He was immediately chosen the president of the freshman law class. Besides this office, brother McCullough has been E. A. of his chapter and at present he is the Eminent Treasurer.



A Message from the Green Mountains

By Winston Allen Flint
Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Phi

Since installation last February, Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi has come to understand something of the wonderful spirit behind "Our Fraternity," and to appreciate the advantages which characterize membership in such a national fraternity as Sigma Alpha Epsilon. It can be said truthfully that during this year we have been fired with enthusiasm and that today we are determined to maintain for this Chapter in the land of the Green Mountains such standards of character and scholarship as Minerva demands.

As Norwich is a strictly military college, we strive naturally for high military honors and this year Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi claims one Captain, four First Lieutenants, three Second Lieutenants, and twelve non-Commissioned officers. Brother MacDonald received the Sophomore Military Medal last Commencement for having the highest military average for the year.



Cups Won by Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi (Norwich) During the Past Year

Although we did not win the White cup which is awarded at Commencement to that fraternity which has the highest academic average for the year, we were pushed into second place by the smallest possible margin. Brother Juckett won both freshmen medals for highest academic and general standing. His academic average was 97 which is most unusual and might give the impression that he is merely an academic prodigy, but, such is not the case for he is the ranking military man in his class, a class officer, and one of the most promising men on the track squad.

In athletics we have done exceptionally well. Brother Ellis who graduated last Spring, made a nation-wide name for himself by winning two national Rifle Championships. He is rated as the best shot in the country and in addition to bringing honor to Minerva he is responsible for the only national championship held by any small college last year. Brother Fitzgerald was named by the athletic council as the best all round athlete and was awarded the Council Torphy. Last year the Inter-Fraternity competition in all sports, with the exception of football, was introduced for the first time and we won the trophy with a total of 277 points. Brother Plumley was Captain of the 1926-27 basketball team; Brother Mayo was manager of football; Brother Bamford was manager of track. This year, Brother G. Pierce is Captain of track team; Brother Page is manager of basketball; Brother Stickney is manager of Polo; Brother Ring is manager of wrestling; Brother Plumley of Tennis. Twelve out of 16 major letters in track were won by S. A. E. men. The fraternity was represented on the various athletic teams as follows: Baseball (6); Football (3); Basketball (2); Tennis (2); Wrestling (4); Rifle (1); Polo (1).

In other extra-curriculum activities, Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi is equally strong. Brother Plumley and Brother Calderwood were elected last commencement to "Skull and Swords," the Senior Honorary Society, which is comprised of the seven strongest men on the hill. Three Brothers are on the staff of the War-whoop, the College Annual; another is on the editorial staff of the Guidon Board, the college weekly; and five are members of the Glee Club.

Due to changes made this year by the Inter-Fraternity Council our rushing season does not come until the end of the first semester, but at that time, we are confident of pledging our quota for S. A. E. At the present time there are thirty-two active members of the Chapter who are catalogued to the three upper classes.



OHIO MU

By Homer Williams

To start the year out right Brother Vic Weaver, Alumni Secretary, appeared before the active chapter and formally presented plans for our new chapter home in Fraternity Row, the culmination of a movement which has been on foot for some time. A committee of alumni headed by Brother Weaver is making plans for financing the new home and it is hoped that within a very few years Ohio Mu will realize her uppermost ambition.

For the first time in the history of the chapter, four S.A.E.'s were elected to Green Friars, men's Junior honorary society, including Brothers Harold Broughton, James Nicholson, James Kemper and Emmett Russell. In the election to Alligators, men's Senior honorary organization, Brother Nicholson was again honored. Brothers John Sloan and Arthur Huff were chosen by Phi Mu Alpha, honorary musical fraternity, Brother Huff being leader of the college band. Fourth Estate, honorary journalism group, chose Brothers Bernard Dawson, James Kemper, Robert McClelland and Robert Canary.

In scholarship, Ohio Mu was forced to content herself with second place at the close of the school year after leading for two semesters. Brother James Nicholson was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

This year the chapter has started off with a bang again with three regular varsity football men and four freshmen receiving numerals in the same sport.



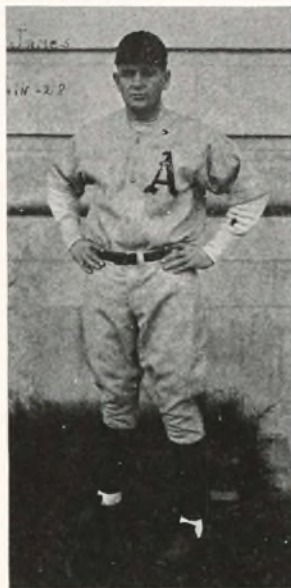
News from Alabama Alpha-Mu

By Porter W. Anderson

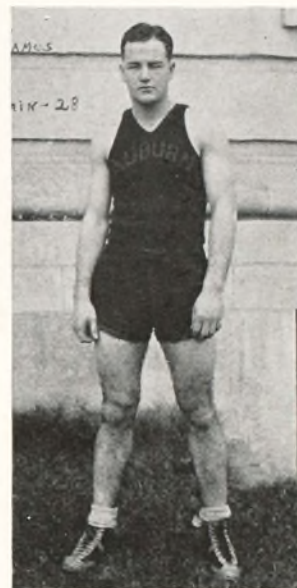
SINCE its establishment on the campus of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, in June 1878, Alabama Alpha-Mu has been a very active chapter.

Alpha-Mu had three men on the varsity football team who shone brilliantly throughout the season. Brothers Pat Moulton, Ebb and Fob James were the ones who performed on the gridiron for S. A. E., playing quarter and ends respectively. Basketball found three letter men on the court from Sigma Alpha Epsilon and the manager for the team during the season of 1927-28 comes from Alpha-Mu. Brothers Ebb and Fob James held down the guard berths in fine style the entire year and Brother Gordon Howell played a forward as well as taking over the managerial reins for the new season. These three men contributed very materially to the successful season which the Auburn Tigers enjoyed the entire season. In having Brother Fob James elected captain, for the coming season of basketball, both the captain and manager come from Alpha-Mu.

S. A. E. had five members of the championship Southern Conference baseball team and of these five, three will be back for another year, and one for two more years. On the pitching staff were Brothers Pat Moulton, Addison McGhee, and Frank Maury as letter men, while Brother Fob James held down the first sack and his twin brother, Ebb, caught the entire season. His services were well rewarded by having the honor of captain conferred upon him at the close of the year.



Ebb James, Ala. Alpha-Mu (Auburn) Capt. of Baseball



Forrest James, Ala. Alpha-Mu (Auburn) Capt. of Basketball

Brother Forney Ingram was a member of Scabbard and Blade, the national military honor society, president of Tau Beta Pi, colonel of the entire cadet regiment besides maintaining one of the highest averages of the senior class. Brother Bill Campbell was president of the Inter-fraternity Council and Boteghs, the national architectural honor society. Brother McGhee was also re-elected to the presidency of his class, it being the third time that he was elected class president.

This article must not be ended without mentioning the fact that the greatest honor that can be conferred on an athlete at Auburn, that of being awarded the Porter loving cup for the best all-round ability as an athlete, was unanimously awarded to the James twins jointly. This is the second time in the past five years that the cup has been in the possession of a son of Minerva and then it was held for three successive years by that wonderful athlete, Edward Sterling.



California Beta Strong

By Marshall Hickson

Many telegrams and letters of congratulation have been received at California Beta of late complimenting Brother Irvine Phillips and Brother Frank Fitz for their excellent work on the gridiron this Fall. Brother Phillips played a marvelously consistent game at right end, and besides being named on the all-coast elevens, was further honored by his election to the captaincy of the 1928 Varsity. This is his first year of Varsity competition, and he looks good for all-American honors next season. Besides being a football star, Phillips is also a track luminary, having placed last season in the national track meet in Philadelphia.

Brother Fitz played an excellent game at tackle, and scored the only touchdown for California in the Big Game against Stanford this year. He too is a track star, representing California in the high jump. California Beta has also been strong in the managerial field, Brother Swartz holding down a football manager's job. Brother Fry is on the Sophomore managerial staff. Brother Church at crew, and Brother Hickson at tennis, are working hard as Sophomore managers. Brother Miller is fulfilling requirements in an excellent way as one of the two Junior intra-mural managers.

Pledge Gene Herd came into the house at the first of the semester from San Mateo, where he played fullback on the San Mateo High team, which won the state championship last year. He started at fullback on the Frosh team this season, and is in line for varsity honors next year.

In basketball, Brother Ben Rucker played last season at forward, and stands an excellent chance to hold down that berth on this winter's Varsity. Brother Philliber is working on the managerial staff. Brother Lutz of last year's track squad will be out again next semester at the pole-vault.

In crew Brother Beers is forging to the front as coxswain. Brother Fawke is rowing number two consistently in the Varsity boat; and Brother Drouot is a leading candidate for number three position. Court Bell, who captained the Frosh crew last season, was forced to remain out of school this semester, but will be back again next year, and a strong contender for the Varsity boat at number five. Taking it all in all, California Beta looks back on a most successful year, not alone in athletics and outside activities, but also in scholarship, being the possessor of the Province Scholarship Cup. Brother Phillips and Brother Bertlesman were initiated into Beta Beta, Senior Honor Society, and Phillips and Brother Swartz into Skull and Keys, national honor society.

S. A. E. at Southwestern

By Charles Snepp

SOUTHWESTERN moved to Memphis three years ago from Clarksville Tenn., and with it came Tenn. Zeta, one of the oldest and most historical chapters in Sigma Alpha Epsilon. During the few years of change from a small school in a small town to a large school in a city, Tenn. Zeta has had many difficulties to overcome. It was necessary to get an early foundation here, so the chapter went after students from the city, and today not a man that S.A.E. wants in Memphis is lost to us. S.A.E. has the largest alumni association in Memphis.

The chapter suffered one great loss in its removal to Memphis, that being the resignation of Dean Scott C. Lyon, but we now have brother Eli McDougal as dean of the school. There are three more brothers on the faculty, all being alumni of this school and Tenn. Zeta. They are: Prof. Samuel Monk, Prof. Ernest Haden, and Prof. Nunk McQueen.

The brothers on the faculty and in the chapter are cooperating and planning to make the province convention, which is to be held in Memphis Feb. 24 and 25, one of the greatest and most beneficial conventions ever held in Iota province. We are anxious to have as many brothers as possible present for the ban-

quet on the 24th, and if any brothers in this section can make arrangements to attend, please notify Charles Snepp, Southwestern, Memphis.

On the varsity foot-ball team we had brothers Hawk, Lloyd, and Waring. Brother Hawk, half back '25, '26, '27, was the star of every game; Henry Waring finished a sensational season at end. His abil-



Chester Frist, Tenn. Zeta
(Southwestern) President
of Student Body



Sydney Latiolais, Tenn. Zeta
(Southwestern) An Out-
standing Leader

ity to catch passes made him famous. Waring is a basket ball player of no little fame. He is Captain of the team and is coach of the Girls' basket ball team and the boys freshman team. Bobby Lloyd, another one of our foot-ball men, deserves a lot of credit, for the brainy little quarter-back brought our team out of many difficult positions.

The literary and scholastic achievements of Tenn. Zeta are even more outstanding than her athletic ability. Brother Chester Frist is President of the student body, and is one of the most popular men in school. He has been Vice-president of the Y.M.C.A., President of the Honor Council, and President of the Debating Club. His ability to debate was demonstrated last year when he won the State Collegiate Oratorical Contest.

S. A. E. has the distinction of being the only fraternity on the campus that has two members on Omicron Delta Kappa, National honorary fraternity. Zeta's two men are Sydney Latiolais and Chester Frist.

Georgia Phi in 1928

By William D. Eve

GEOORGIA PHI, situated at Georgia School of Technology, claims as versatile a chapter as is to be found in the whole of Minerva's realms. Its members are prominently associated with the school athletics, campus activities, and social organizations.

Five members of Georgia Phi were on the Golden Tornado of 1927 which ended the long rule of Alabama and brought the Southern Conference Championship home to Grant Field. Peter Pund, of Georgia Phi, is captain of the 1928 Golden Tornado, and Brothers Lillard, Read, Mizell, and DeVaughn received the much-coveted "T" for services in the 1927 season. Brothers Frink and Brumby, although only sophomores, are on the squad and will be excellent varsity material next year, while Brother Harris is one of the two 1928 senior managers.

Brother Holleman captains the 1928 swimming team, and with the able services of Harris and Merry, Georgia Phi letterman from last season, the team has excellent prospects of keeping the conference title.

On the tennis team, Brother Merry has succeeded Brother Berry Grant as Captain, and this team also expects to repeat its conference championship of last year. From our chapter, Lewis, letterman from last year, and Brown, are expected to feature in the meets. Brother Cook is junior baseball manager.

In campus activities Warner Mizell is president of the sophomore class, and president of Skull and Key, honorary sophomore society, which has also Brothers Merry, Harris, Holleman and Frink. Brother Harris is secretary of Koeseme, honorary junior society, and members from Georgia Phi are Walsh, Lillard, Holleman, and Cook. In the Bulldogs, honorary senior society, we have Lillard, Walsh, Harris, and Pund. Pund is vice-president of the senior class and Mizell, Pund, and Harris are on the Student Council of which Harris is secretary.

In the Theta chapter of Phi Psi, national honorary textile fraternity, of which Pund is president, Brother Reeves is treasurer, DuPre is chapter editor, while Cook and Harris are also prominently identified with the social and academic activities of this professional fraternity.

The Freebody club, honorary society in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, of which Brother Lewis is a member, is being presided over this year by Brother Moore.

Brother Merry is president of the Georgia Tech chapter of the American Ceramic Society, and Georgia Phi is represented by Britt, Eve, and Brown in the Charrette Club, exclusive social club in the school of Architecture.

Brother Jones is photographic editor of the Blue Print, the Tech annual.

In the professional fraternities for honor engineering students, we are well represented in Phi Kappa Phi with Pund, Humphrey, and Moore, while in Tau Beta Pi are brothers Merry, Moore, and Pund.

Georgia Phi does not yet own her own home, but concerted steps have been taken recently and we are assured of a new residence, of which we may be proud, in the near future.

Georgia Phi last year inaugurated a new collegiate sport by sponsoring a greased pig chase. Two freshmen from each chapter here were invited and the winner received the pig, for his chapter's larder, and a twenty dollar gold piece donated by an alumnus of Georgia Beta, who is an ardent Georgia Phi supporter.

Our basketball team, Pan-Hellenic Champions of last year, have been equipped with new uniforms and from the form shown in early practices seem capable of repeating the triumphs.

In the R.O.T.C., Brother Humphrey is captain in the Coast Artillery unit and Brother Shepherd is lieutenant in the Air Service.

The Voice of Wisconsin Alpha

By Roy Kopp



Kenneth Crowell, Wis. Alpha (Univ. of Wis.)



Norbert Eschmeyer, Wis. Alpha (Univ. of Wis.)



Ewart Merica, Wis. Alpha (Univ. of Wis.)



Theodore Camlin, Wis. Alpha (Univ. of Wis.)

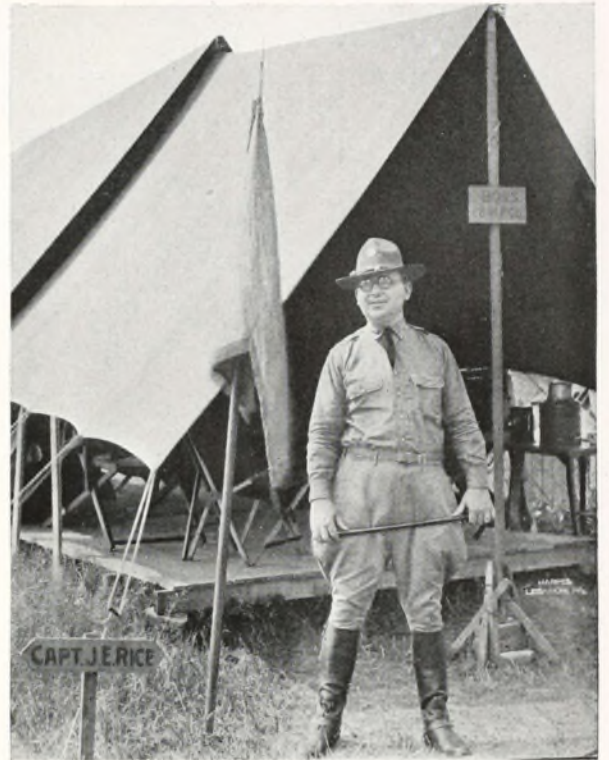
Theodore Camlin, besides having held practically all of the offices in the chapter, has found time which he devotes to school activities. He is a member of the Haresfoot Club, which tours most of the states of the middle-west with its annual show. He has been president of the Cardinal Board of Control also. Ewart Merica, in his junior year, was editor-in-chief of the Badger, which won third place in the national contest. For three years he was a member of the Wisconsin Union Board; for a like number of years he was a member of the Wisconsin Players, chairman of the sophomore shuffle, first assistant general prom chairman and an officer of the interfraternity council. Last year he was chairman of the decorations committee for Homecoming. He is a member of Sigma Delta Chi, White Spades, and the senior honorary society.

Kenneth Crowell does not allow his good grades to interfere with his campus activity. For two years

he displayed remarkable ability in his work on the Badger and at present is on the Advisory Board of that publication. He is first assistant general chairman of the Junior Promenade, which precludes his selection as chairman of the recruiting committee of the 1928 Military Ball. Ken is also president of the interfraternity council and represented that body at the annual convention in New York last November. Norbert Eschmeyer has always been active both in the chapter and on the campus. His greatest success was as business manager of the Cardinal. Glenn Arthur, although an initiate of Wisconsin Phi at Beloit, has made himself one of us with his personality, ability and intellect. He is versatile in his activities, being a member of the famous Wisconsin band and a star football player in the fraternity league at the same time. This year he is assistant on the Prom committee and is foreign advertising manager of the Daily Cardinal.



Georgia Phi's contribution to the Golden Tornado, champions of the South



Capt. Joseph E. Rice, Pa. Alpha-Zeta (Penn. State) the only captain of Military Police in the United States



Georgia Epsilon (Emory) in 1892



Pledges of Miss. Gamma



Library of Vt. Alpha-Sigma-Pi (Norwich)



Henry Waring, Tenn. Zeta (Southwestern) Capt. basketball



William A. Lockard, Penn. Phi (Carnegie) Scarab; Cleff Club; Capt. of Track Team



William Hinkel, Penn. Alpha-Zeta (Penn. State) is the best reason why Penn State has a winning tennis team



Richard Detwiler, pledge, Penn. Alpha-Zeta (Penn. State) Winner in freshman cross country inter-collegiate



John N. Geier, N. Y. Alpha (Cornell) Capt. Wrestling; Intercollegiate Champ. in 145 pound class



Herndon Fair, S. C. Delta (Univ. of South Carolina) Capt. and forward of Basketball



Fletcher D. Plumley, Vt. Alpha-Sigma-Pi (Norwich) Capt. of "C" troop and Capt. of Basketball



Norman L. Davidson, N. Y. Alpha (Cornell) Varsity Wrestling



Representatives on the "Volunteer" staff at the Univ. of Tenn.



A few members of Mass. Iota-Tau (Mass. Institute of Technology)



Pres. Daniel Willard of the Balt. and Ohio shakes hand with Charles Carrol of Carrolton, enacted by O. K. Quivey, Indiana Beta (Purdue)



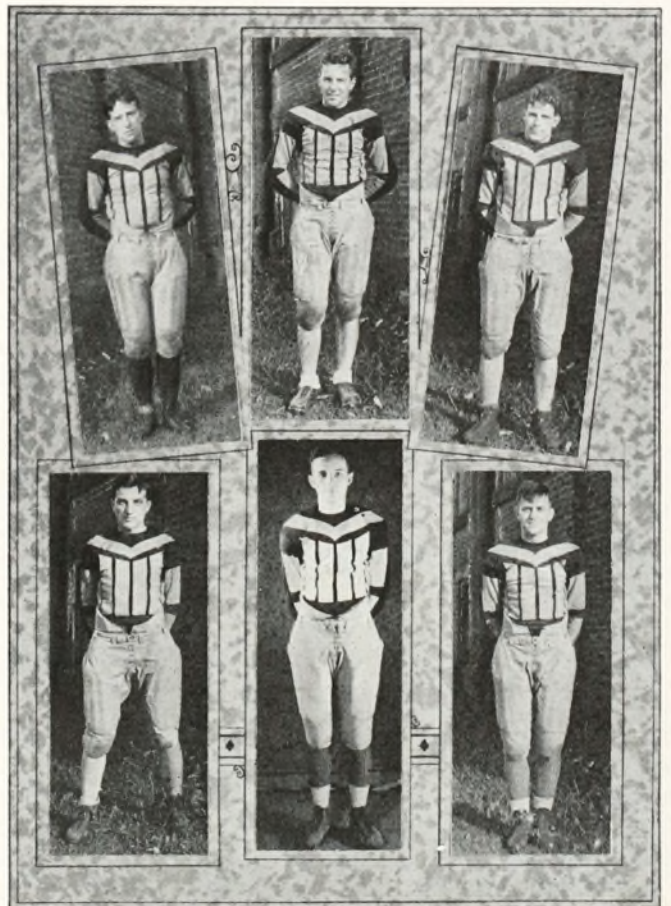
The Home of Mass. Iota-Tau (Mass. Institute of Technology)



Confederate soldiers dismantle a part of Balt. and Ohio during the Civil War after confiscating four of the roads locomotives. These locomotives were confiscated by Col. Samuel Spencer, Ga. Pi, (Ga. Military Institute) who later became president of the Balt. and Ohio R. R.



The B. & O. Centenary grounds from the air. Agri. Demonstration Special in the foreground exhibited by O. K. Quivey, Gen. Agri. Agent of the Co., assisted by P. O. Hurley and E. B. Baugh, all from Ind. Beta at Purdue



Members of the football team at Mt. Union, Ohio Sigma. Top row, left to right, Meredith, Yengling, and Klippert. Bottom row, left to right, Furcolow, Shank and Clapsaddle.

Forrest James—Actor

By Porter Anderson



Forrest James, Ala. Alpha-Mu (Auburn) In "Stark Love"

It seems that Fate deals kindly with some of us and brother Forrest James was the recipient of a most generous portion of her goodness, during a baseball trip that the James twins of Auburn took in the spring of 1926, when the Auburn team played the Vanderbilt Commodores in Nashville, Tenn. While the team was engaged in eating dinner one day in the hotel, a man walked up to Forrest and said that he represented a motion picture company and that he would like for a screen test to be made of his face. Of course Forrest thought that he was joking until the man became so insistent that finally he consented to have the test made. The test, should it turn out all right, would mean that he would be given a chance to take the lead in a picture called "Stark Love," which the movie man thought of producing. As a result of the test, the contract was signed and the party departed for the Smokie Mountains of Carolina to be gone several weeks.

The scenes were filmed with Brother James, a junior at a school way down in Alabama, taking the lead and performing his duties in a way that would make Jack Holt turn green with envy. After the picture was completed it was taken back to New York and produced as the most realistic picturization of the life as it is lived in the heart of the great Smokie Mountains that has ever been filmed. The picture brought fame to the director, Karl Brown, and established a reputation for Brother James in the cinema world both unique and widespread and one which has given his hosts of friends much pleasure.

The peculiar part about the whole thing was that the representative who first approached Forrest in the hotel was quite unable to distinguish the likeness, which is said to be almost perfect in this case of twins, and chose Forrest as the one who would be most apt to screen well and offered him the contract without

further ado about the matter. The twins are both excellent athletes and have been very active in all forms of athletics since they were big enough to toddle about. The catcher to first base combination is one that worked misery on the opposing teams during Auburn's fast flying campaign for Southern Conference honors last spring, and they each hit well over .300. The twin combination on the basketball court is one which was hard to beat and the perfect spirit of co-ordination which is always present in the case of twins, worked to perfection in every game that the Tigers played.

Already one man has gone forth from Alabama to put that old southern state on the map and it now looks as if there is to be another representative to aid Johnny Mack Brown, the University of Alabama star, showing them how it is done "way down South."

Practically every motion picture magazine has carried long and complimentary articles about Forrest James and his advent into the movies. They all predict for him unusual success. There was much talk about Forrest being an ignorant mountaineer and running away from the director and being opposed to "play acting." This of course was merely for publicity but every one who knows him feels sure that his merit alone will be his greatest publicity.



Captain of Three Sports

By Carter Harrison

Captain this year of three branches of sport, Melvin Davis, Virginia Sigma, versatile William and Mary College star, in all probability enjoys a distinction without parallel in modern intercollegiate athletics.

In addition to being leader of the football, basketball and track teams at the South's oldest school, Davis also is a member of the varsity boxing team.



Melvin Davis, Va. Kappa (William and Mary)

Davis, an end, was given all-Virginia honors this fall for the second year in succession. For three seasons, on the receiving end of the Matsu-Davis passing combination, the William and Mary leader set a record unequalled by any Southern football player. He scored a touchdown against Harvard in 1925, when the Crimson trimmed the Virginians, 14 to 7. This past fall he crossed Princeton's goal line as his team lost, 35 to 7. Against Columbia in 1926 he ran 95 yards for a touchdown, after picking up a fumbled ball. Columbia won that exciting game, 13 to 10, a week before they lost to Pennsylvania, 3 to 0. Davis' gridiron record also shows that he crossed the goal lines of Syracuse, Navy, Haskell Indians and other strong teams.

Capt. Davis also punted for his team and on other occasions acted as ball carrier and passer. Standing 6 feet and weighing 185 pounds, Davis is voted by Robert Hopper, former all-American end from Pennsylvania, as one of the greatest wingmen he ever saw.

Davis plays center on the basketball team and is a hurdler, high jumper, broad jumper and weight point scorer on the William and Mary track team.

What breathing spells offer themselves between basket ball and track will find Davis fighting for the college mitt artists in the heavyweight division.

Koppisch of Columbia fame was football captain for four years. Other athletes have been leaders of two important branches of sport the same year, but Davis, captain of three teams his senior year, probably stands alone in this respect. Davis is a native of Norfolk, Va.

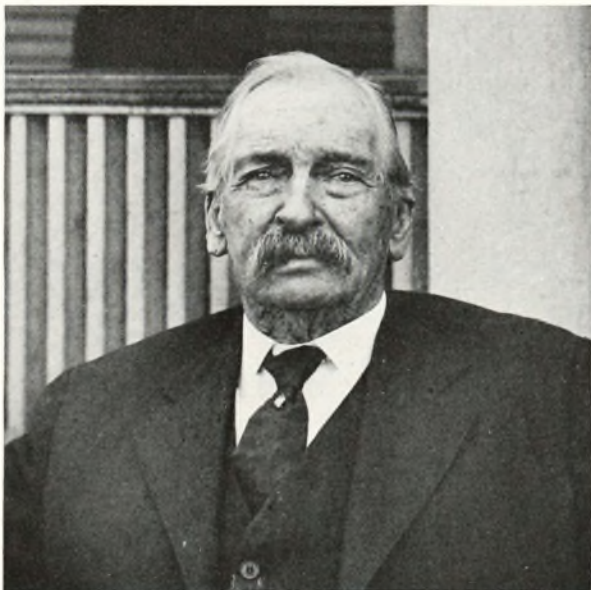
February 12, 1839 and attended the schools of Winchester nearby. He would have graduated in the class of '61 at Union had not the war between the states broken out. He enlisted immediately in the Confederate army at Camp Anderson, four miles from Murfreesboro, in company L of the 24th Tennessee regiment. He was wounded in the battle of Shiloh in his left foot, though not seriously, and suffered also the fracture of his collarbone in the same engagement. At that time he was a lieutenant. Due to his injuries he was invalided for awhile at one of the hospital camps. Upon his return to active service in August 1862 he was made captain of company G, and many times gave proof of his valor as a soldier of the Confederacy. He was always to be found at the head of his troops. Besides the battle of Shiloh he saw service at Perryville, Murfreesboro, Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge, Peachtree Creek, Atlanta and Jonesboro, Ga. As a fitting reward for his bravery he was complimented for his gallantry at the battle of Shiloh and was voted a medal by the Confederate Congress for "gallantry at the battle of Chickamauga."

Brother Bennett served through the entire Civil War, at the conclusion of which he was paroled at Macon, Ga. In November, 1865 he married Mrs. Martha Belle Anderson, whose maiden name was Martha Belle Messick of Beech Grove, Tenn. For many years he was engaged in teaching school and in farming. After ten years of this rural life in the small towns of Tennessee, brother Bennett secured a position with the Phillips and Button Manufacturing Co. of Nashville, which position he held for practically fifty years.

Five years ago Brother Bennett retired from the cares of the business world and went to live with his oldest daughter, Mrs. E. B. Barnes at 1211 Woodland St., Nashville, Tennessee. His devoted wife died in 1925. He has just celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday and all members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon sincerely wish that he will remain with us to spend many more of them. He writes that he is in good health and goes everywhere he wishes without the use of a cane. All hail to Brother Walker Marion Bennett of Tennessee Eta!

The Oldest Living S. A. E.

By Andrew Holmes



Walker Marion Bennett, Tenn. Eta (Union)

Captain Walker Marion Bennett has been a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon for over sixty-seven years. He became a member of Tennessee Eta at Union College located then at Murfreesboro, Tennessee, when the chapter was then known as Lambda chapter. Brother Bennett was born at Sparta, Tennessee, Feb-

Hal Totten Announces His All-Radio Baseball Nine

Hal Totten, Ill. Psi-Omega, baseball announcer for WMAQ, who broadcasted a total of 152 major league baseball games during the season just closed and then broadcasted the World Series has just announced the players whom he considers should constitute the world's champion radio baseball team.

Six are members of the National League and five are members of the American League. Here's the team:

Pitchers: Charlie Root, Chicago Cubs and Ted Lyons, Chicago White Sox; catchers: Gordon Cochrane, Philadelphia Athletics, and Charles Leo (Gabby) Hartnett, Chicago Cubs; first base: Lou Gehrig, New York Yankees; second base; Frank Frisch, St. Louis Cardinals; third base: Harold (Pie) Traynor, Pittsburgh Pirates; short stop: Travis Jackson, New York Giants; left field: Babe Ruth, New York Yankees; center field: Al Simmons, Philadelphia Athletics; right field: Paul Waner, Pittsburgh Pirates.

The First Man Who Interviewed Hickman

By Robert Benjamin, Oregon Beta



Parker E. Branin, Oregon Beta (Univ. of Oregon)

Going about his business unobtrusively in Pendleton, Oregon, is a stocky, brown-eyed son of Minerva who is responsible for one of the most brilliant journalistic enterprises ever effected in newspaper history. He is Parker Branin, city editor of the East Oregonian and Pendleton representative of the Associated Press. Oregon Beta of Sigma Alpha Epsilon claims him as her own, but must share him with Province Lambda as he is the Province Recorder.

He received nearly as many telegrams of congratulation as those who actually captured William Edward Hickman, kidnaper and slayer of 12 year old Marion Parker. Tom Gurdane and Buck Lieuallen, captors of the fugitive, were given the tip that sent them west along the Old Oregon Trail highway in search of the criminal. Here newspaper instinct would have sent young Branin out with them, to be on the scene when the story broke and a possible share in the \$100,000 reward, but he remembered his duty to the newspaper world and remained in the office to be ready to flash the first news of the capture over the press wires.

Thus it chanced that when officers found Hickman, Branin was ready with the flash that enabled papers throughout the country to issue extra editions that set new sales records. He then rushed to the city jail and when Hickman was safely locked in his cell, he was the first one allowed to interview the kidnaper. Hickman's first confession, consisting of about four thousand words, was taken verbatim and placed on the wires to the outside world.

The flash and bulletins of the capture and the confession were followed with subsequent stories of new developments and Branin stayed at his task and handled the situation in masterly style. Asa Keyes, district attorney of Los Angeles, used the confession obtained by Branin as the basis for his grilling of the prisoner.

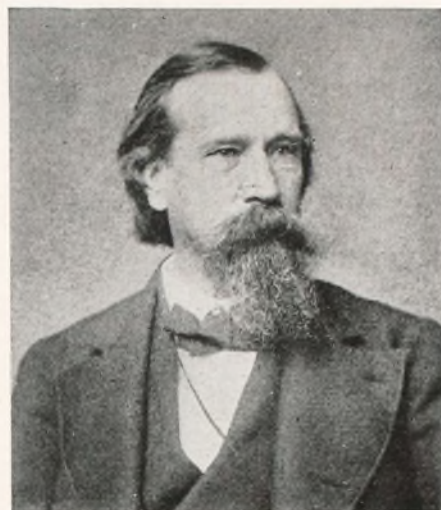


One of the South's most Illustrious Statesmen

By Harvey Lee Morrison

Mississippi's most famous citizen, one of the South's most illustrious statesmen and Mississippi Gamma's most prominent initiate is the matchless jurist, L. Q. C. Lamar. He was born in 1825 in Putnam County, Georgia, but most of his public life was spent in Mississippi. Perhaps no member on the rolls of Sigma Alpha Epsilon ever received as many honors as this great national figure. He married Miss Virginia Longstreet of Oxford, Georgia, July 15, 1847 and two years later moved to Oxford, Miss., where he became professor of mathematics in the state university located in that city. In 1857 he was elected to Congress, remaining a member of that august body until 1861 when he was appointed to the Secession Convention and to the Confederate Congress.

When the war between the states broke out he became a colonel of the 19th Mississippi regiment. In



L. Q. C. Lamar, Miss. Gamma (Univ. of Miss.)

November, 1862, he was sent to the Empire of Russia as special ambassador of the Southern states. At the end of the Civil War, in 1866, he returned to the University of Mississippi as professor of ethics and metaphysics, at which time he and a group of enthusiastic students became charter members of Miss. Gamma of S.A.E. They had met S.A.E.'s during the war and were anxious to have a chapter at Mississippi. The following year he was appointed as the first professor of law at the University of Mississippi.

In 1872 he was elected to Congress again, and in 1876 he represented his state in the United States Senate, where his intellect, oratory, character and wit won for him a reputation scarcely equalled by any senator since that time. His debates on questions of paramount issue to the nation have become documents of untold value. When Grover Cleveland became President in 1885 he made L. Q. C. Lamar Secretary of the Interior in his cabinet. In the following year Harvard conferred upon him the honorary degree of L. L. D. In 1888 he became Judge of the Supreme Court of the United States which position he held at the time of his death in Macon, Ga., 1893. He lies buried in St. Peter's Cemetery in Oxford, Miss., and his grave has become a shrine to all members of the fraternity who visit that university city.

Mississippi is proud of her illustrious citizen and so is Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Scarcely a city of any importance in the state has failed to honor him by naming some public building, park or boulevard in his memory. When Mississippi Gamma is allowed by the state law to build her chapter house the guest room will be known as the "Lamar Room" and it will be fitted with furniture, relics and souvenirs that once belonged to her most famous member.



Members of Miss. Gamma at the grave of L. Q. C. Lamar



Penn. Alpha-Zeta at home during a house party



The Supreme Council: seated left to right, O. K. Quivey, Lauren Foreman, Eric A. Dawson; standing, P. H. Senior, member of Board of Trustees, G. D. Kimball, A. K. Nippert



The Supreme Council at the grave of "Billy"



Col. John B. Rudolph and "Billy."

The Sanford Riley Hall

By Milton Aldrich

Mass. Delta

The handsomest building on the campus of Worcester Polytechnic Institute is the new Sanford Riley Hall, named in honor of one of Tech's most illustrious alumni and a member of Mass. Delta chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. One fifth of the student population is enjoying its hospitality and every man on the campus looks upon it with pride. The architecture of the building is in the Tudor Style. It is used as a dormitory, although there is a recreation room and two rooms for the use of the college Y. M. C. A. The dining room accommodates two hundred fifty men, service being on the cafeteria plan. The kitchen is considered the most modern in any college of New England.

At the left of the main entrance on the first floor is a large reception room, at the far end of which is an artistic fireplace surmounted by an oil portrait of Sanford Riley. Across the hall from this room

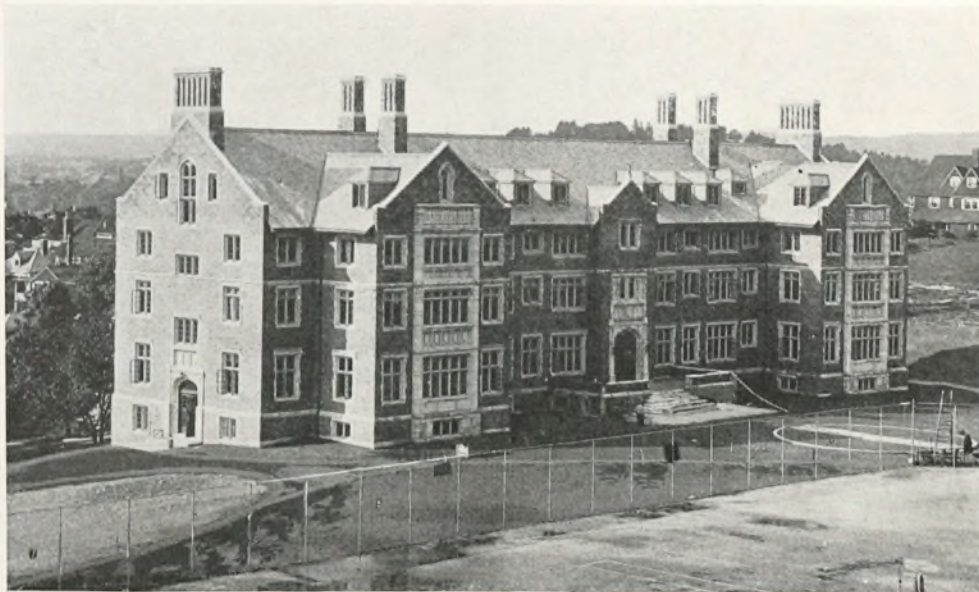


Statue of Minerva over the entrance to Sanford Riley Hall

is a smaller reception hall, where mothers will wait while Johnnie slicks his hair or changes his collar. In the sleeping quarters there are two types of rooms—single and double rooms. These rooms are inspected daily. All furnishings are supplied by the college. All first-year men are required to live in the Sanford Riley Hall.

The fund for this handsome student home was begun by the Board of Trustees in 1926 when they appropriated a large sum to be devoted to this building. Brother Sanford Riley became intensely interested in the project and followed the plans of the trustees in their minute details. He and his wife added a liberal sum to that already voted by the board. Shortly after that brother Riley became ill and suffered a prolonged sickness that ended in his death May 7, 1926. However, preliminary plans for the dormitory had gone on during his illness. Shortly after his death Mrs. Riley volunteered a generous addition to the already handsome sum as a memorial to her husband. This contribution was added to by other members of her family and the whole sum made possible the completion of the plans for the erection of the building.

Students also were given the opportunity of contributing to the fund. Alumni of Sigma Alpha Epsilon in the city of Worcester gave \$460 to be used to purchase the lead statue of Minerva that forms the finial over the main entrance. The building was begun in June 1926 and was ready for occupancy at the opening of school last autumn. The construction of Sanford Riley Hall has been a great step toward the ideal of Worcester Polytechnic Institute that it shall be "America's finest college of engineering."



Sanford Riley Hall

The Siren Call of the West

By Alvin W. Wendt

Archon, Province Kappa

From the earliest dawn of creation Man has ever been moved by an irresistible longing to know, explore and conquer the West. Up out of Mesopotamia, across the continents of northern Africa, western Asia, Europe, across the Atlantic, and across our own America from east to west, the strong men of every generation have risked their lives and fortunes, their future, their all, in quest of life anew where dreamers said fair Eldorados should be found.

Every westward thrust in response to this siren call of the ages has placed mankind amid new conditions and surroundings wherein he has been confronted with new and unsolved problems, the solution of which has ever enriched his life with renewed vigor, wisdom, strength and hope.

Thus, in the wake of ever changing time we see East making East of West, and West making West of East, that life and wisdom, love and understanding may be better balanced and more truly universal.

We, who are products of, as well as those who have cast their lot with the great section of our country known as the West, are deeply appreciative of the confidence reposed by Sigma Alpha Epsilon in granting chapters in our western universities. We feel that down the Coast, from Montana Alpha to California Gamma, over the plains of Arizona, Nevada, Idaho, and Wyoming, and the mountains of Colorado, the splendid outposts of the Fraternity bespeak the manner in which we have accepted the trust and kept the faith.

In individual strength and vigor our chapters have developed preeminently, and without exception our chapters are among the leaders on their respective

campuses. We feel that we need more of that calm and mature spirit, which our Brothers of the East possess in greater abundance. We need some larger event to bring us closer together.

As a sponsor of that great section known as the Far West, the Los Angeles Alumni Association, five hundred strong, invites the Fraternity to hold its 1930 Convention in Los Angeles. Our youthfulness and our geographic isolation have kept us from a firmer grasp and more conscious appreciation of the national unity which more thoroughly pervades the East.

Among our own sons of the West have come a great number of fine fellows from practically every chapter throughout the nation. They, in turn, miss the relationships which come from the closer ties of chapter life, and which do not exist between them and their adopted Brothers, and which can be supplied by some larger common interest which shall unite their varying personalities.

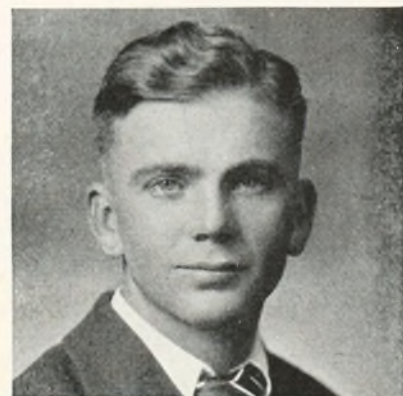
The Los Angeles Alumni Association is planning a wonderful time for you, of which you will be told in detail later. Special trains will bring you from North, East and South. We feel confident that on your return from Los Angeles you will agree that you have had the time of your lives, and you will also have the consciousness that you have helped us in the West make 1930 a turning point in the history of Sigma Alpha Epsilon in our section—a sort of coming of age, as it were—wherein we shall all enter, in greater numbers into that unity of spirit and purpose out of which shall come broader friendships and more abiding faith in the worthwhile ideals and objectives of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.



Judge Robert W. Steele, Jr., Col. Zeta (Denver) who succeeded Judge Ben Lindsey as juvenile judge of Denver just twenty-four hours after the latter had been ousted from office by the district court order



Billy Levere in his student days



Mills Astin, Wyo. Alpha (Univ. of Wyo.) Editor of the *Branding Iron*, Pres. of Quill Club; Theta Alpha Phi (dramatic) W. Club; Blue Key; Iron Skull (Soph. Honorary) Cheer Leader; Student executive board

A Common Cause and a Common Law

By Don R. Almy

When every man in every chapter in every institution realizes that he and his chapter are the custodians of the reputation of the whole fraternity cause, that the strength of the cause is no greater than its greatest weakness, that fraternity problems are common to all, that by a process of co-operation these problems can be solved at a minimum of cost, and that the value of membership in a fraternity would be proportionate to the extent of the co-operation, then we can broaden our interest and increase our influence. With the power of one-half million highly educated leaders of men actively co-operating with us, we can obtain the results we all desire.

Rivalry and competition we must always have, but rivalry and competition must be directed toward the things that count, the realities rather than the shams. Leadership that is recognized, must be leadership that combines fair excellence in scholarship—the prime purpose of college life—with participation in the social, business and athletic activities of the college, that develops many lifelong friendships and that all-round expansion of youth into manhood's estate, so easily recognized as the most valuable and everlasting advantage of undergraduate life to the vast majority of students.

There is honor in loyalty to the bright things of one's youth. There is a sweetness in the memory of college years and fraternity days. It is an incense sweet as honey that in the latter days of life rises in the charmed blessings of a richer recollection.

William C. Levere.

A Fraternity Man's Creed

To honor and obey the vows pledged at the time of initiation; to respect the opinions and views of other brothers; to place college loyalty above that of fraternity, for without the college the fraternity would not exist; to place democracy and broadmindedness above snobbishness and narrowmindedness, scholarship above social distinction; to see the good in a rival order; to be tolerant, helpful and sympathetic, not patronizing, toward the younger and inexperienced members; to see the beauty in all that God created, and so carry out the ideals of his fraternity that the world may see through him the inestimable value of a fraternity to the college youth.

When the Memorial building is complete, we have plans for inaugurating a system of S.A.E. scholarships which will add new lustre to the fraternity and enable us to aid the sons of worthy brothers who for financial reasons might otherwise be denied the privilege of a college education.

Lauren Foreman, E.S.A.

It is something to be proud of. Its badge on your breast is an emblem and a token of honor. It is equally great in other things. Its influence through the years has been for the good in life. Its sons have been men who have served their day and generation. This is why Sigma Alpha Epsilon has a right to live and continue its beneficent way through the years that line the ages of the future.

William C. Levere.

It has taken a long time to build S.A.E. up to its present financial standing, and during this period we have had to deny ourselves the privilege of doing many things we would have enjoyed doing. We are now approaching the time when our financial problem will be a matter of routine and we can give our attention to the very enjoyable task of carrying out the plans we have for the future and can indulge in the joy of making other plans for the good of humanity and the glory of our order.

Lauren Foreman,
E.S.A.

A Word to You—

Every S. A. E. whose address is known will receive a copy of this issue of The Record. If it stirs the dormant memories of your college days, or your fraternity, if you believe that your wife, your sons, your daughters, grandsons or granddaughters will like to read about their 'Dad's' fraternity, learn about its fine history, its noble men and its great accomplishments in art, science and literature, in the laboratory and lecture room, in public service of state and nation, on the campus and on the battlefields of the world, send your name and address for our regular mailing list and tell us how you like our plans for The Levere Memorial Temple.

Fraternally,
Eric A. Dawson, E.S.R.
Box 254,
Evanston, Illinois.

Fort in Forest Preserve to be McKinley Memorial

A memorial to President William McKinley will be erected in the forest preserve, it was announced yesterday by P. J. Ratigan, commander of the William McKinley camp of the United Spanish War Veterans. It will consist of a Spanish fort block house and shelter relics of the Spanish-American war.

III. Psi-Omega, (Northwestern)

Portrait of General Colton Lynes

In the recent exhibit in Atlanta of paintings by Mrs. B. King Cooper, famous Southern artist and native Georgian, there was shown a fine portrait of Gen. J. Colton Lynes (N. C. Rho-Rho) inspector-general of the Confederate veterans. The general wears his uniform and holds across his knee an unsheathed sword; with the left hand he holds a fold of the flag of the Confederacy. The title of the painting is "The Spirit of the Confederacy."

Collegiate

Roscoe Torrance and Joe Adams were on the committee which was instrumental in securing the new University of Washington Pavilion. The combination athletic field, gymnasium and auditorium was constructed at a cost of \$600,000 and financed by the Associated Students.

Wayne Sutton coached, Pledge Odell played and Mel Norquist umpired the All-Star charity hoop game at the University of Washington recently. All are from Washington Alpha.

"Great Minds," the play written by William Kimball, Washington Alpha, while a junior continues to find favor on the campus. It was voted the best production in the "Crow's Nest" this winter.

Captain T. E. Horton, South Carolina Delta, popular teacher and assistant coach at Bailey Military institute, has been ordered by the war department to report at Fort McPherson, Atlanta, Georgia, Tuesday for a physical examination looking to his acceptance by the army as a cadet in the Minn. Alpha flying school.

Roger Wheeler, captain of the University of Minnesota football team in 1926 and a star in basketball during his enrollment at the Gopher school, has joined the famous Fat Emma independent basketball team, formerly known as the Globe Trotters. Wheeler played forward on the Gopher quint.

Cy Olson, star forward on the Minnesota basketball quints in 1923 and 1924, will leave Minneapolis for Stockholm, Sweden, next week, to become associated with the General Motors Acceptance corporation office in that city. Olson, after his graduation, entered the United States counsellor service, serving as secretary to the American consul at Nicaragua and Sweden. He later resigned from the diplomatic service to enter the automobile business.

W. Mahlon Adams, Washington Alpha, is editor of the Seattle Alumni Chapter of Xi Psi Phi, dental fraternity.

Carroll Long, Tennessee Kappa and Joe Pennybacker, Tennessee Kappa are studying medicine at the University of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Oliver Horn, Missouri Beta, for ten years a star member of the championship Illinois Athletic Club swimming team, was recently elected captain for 1928.

The new captain was national backstroke champion in 1924, was a leading member of the United States water polo team in the Olympic games in 1924 and plays a roving guard position on the national championship water polo team of the I. A. C.

Brother Horn announced plans for immediately forming the strongest polo aggregation the I. A. C. has ever had in order to compete for the national championship and the right to represent the United States in the Olympic games in Amsterdam in 1928.

Kenneth Grumbles, California Gamma, national low hurdles champion in 1926, may earn a bright spot in the 440 yard sticks when the athletes are chosen for the 1928 United States Olympic team, according to a prediction of Dean B. Cromwell, southern California track coach who is hoping

to break his own record of placing the greatest number of college athletes on the Olympic team.

Michigan Iota-Beta prizes a collection of every college annual printed at the University of Michigan since the beginning. Brother Otto Hans presented this collection to the chapter library under the agreement that a Michiganensian be added each year.

S. A. E. Wive's and Mother's Club at Missoula, Montana, the home of Montana Beta, has supplied the chapter with a complete set of new curtains. "After the mothers finished you couldn't find a more homey chapter house at the University of Montana," said D. J. Shults, Editor of Montana Beta's paper "The Booster."

One of the finest guest books in our fraternity is in the possession of Michigan Iota-Beta and has been since October 1, 1895. On that date Judge Arthur J. Tuttle dedicated the book with his autograph. Thousands of brothers and friends of the chapter have written in the book since that time. Many names in the volume are of national note, but none are shown with more pride than the signatures of Emma Goldman and her persistent companion King Ben I. The date line penned by Emma Goldman records the visit as of February 19, 1910. The book is profusely illustrated by cartoons and pictures.

This telegram was received by Otto Hans, Michigan Iota-Beta, and one of the three owners of the American Plug Company. Otto Hans is a very loyal alumnus of our Ann Arbor chapter.

"Patterson. N. J.

O. H. Hans
American Plug Co.,
Ann Arbor, Mich.

Welch expansion plugs, made by your company were used in the Wright engine with which Col. Charles A. Lindbergh flew from New York to Paris. We know you will be glad to learn that you have done your part in contributing to his safety and success.

Wright Aeronautical Corporation."

R. W. Osterholm, R. S. Shankland, N. Poffenger and Frank W. Bargar of Ohio Rho are members of Tau Beta Pi.

Edwin Marshall, Mississippi Gamma, former star ballplayer at the University of Mississippi, has signed with Beaumont in the Texas League. Marshall is teaching at a local high school, but has a contract that will permit him to get away for the Spring training work.

Professor K. R. B. Flint has been elected president of the General Alumni Association of Norwich University, of which Kenneth MacMinn is clerk and H. G. Woodruff is treasurer. Ralph Denny is a member of the Finance Committee. All are members of Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi.

Students of Norwich University saved sixty-seven lives during the floods in Vermont last fall. There were many members of S. A. E. in the rescuing parties.

Jack N. Wolbert, Pennsylvania Gamma, in the game between Lafayette and Susquehanna ran back a kick-off for a touchdown, the first time this has been done in the new Lafayette Memorial Stadium.

Alabama Iota

Bowden; football, president of Panhellenic, student senate. Bartlett; football, student senate. Fullbright; football, alternating captain. Snavelly; manager of football.

Colorado Delta

Football: Daniel Beattie, Robert Brady, Lloyd Parkhill.

Track: William Coover, Alton Young, Lawrence Brown, Daniel Beattie.

Swimming team: Robert Beldwin, William Emery.

Wrestling: George Emery.
Baseball: Guy McAlexander, Lloyd Parkhill, Joe Christy.

Year Book: John Maxwell, editor.
Head Cheer leader: John Maxwell.

Colorado Lambda

Football: Douglas Shaw, W. Cline, Harold Eads.

Tau Beta Pi: D. Shaw, E. Gallagher, G. Bretschneider.

Colorado Zeta

Boyce Weakley: football, basketball, Captain track.

Brotzman: football and track.
Klein: senior class president.

Lehman: manager of publications 3 years.

Florida Upsilon

Ernest Bowyer: football.

D. K. Stanley: football.

Hervey Yancey: football.

Georgia Beta

Ernest Camp, Jr.: Phi Beta Kappa.
Benjamin Hardy: editor of Georgia Cracker.

Football: Thomas A. Nash, Robert G. Hooks, Frank C. Dudley, Howard Stelling.

Football manager: James M. Roberts.

W. M. Oliver: golf captain.

W. W. Oliver and W. T. Forbes: basketball.

Georgia Psi

Football: L. B. Loser, J. A. Hammack.

Track: William W. Fowler, Captain.

Idaho Alpha

Herbert Wunderlich: Phi Beta Kappa.

Gleen Jacoby: Three letter man in football, track and basketball.

Sam Perrins: Three letter man in football, baseball and track.

Art Cheyne: baseball.

Illinois Psi-Omega

Football: George Rojan, Arnold Karstens.

Swimming: Omar Millar, Captain, W. Colbath, D. Peterson.

Track: Irving Johnson, Andrew McGee, Ben Becker, Reno Biondi.

Illinois Theta

Football: L. Apitz, Robert Wolff, Harold Bluhm, Warren Klein, Laurel Smith.

Track: Robert Wolff, L. Smith, W. Klein, M. Pinner.

President Inter-fraternity Council: R. Wolff.

College Marshall: L. Apitz.

Editor of Forge: T. S. North.

Indiana Beta

Football: S. D. Ramby, D. Cameron.

Baseball: S. D. Ramby, F. J. Gross.

Swimming: R. B. Davenport, capt.

Tau Beta Pi: R. B. Davenport.

Indiana Gamma

Football: George Reinhardt.

Baseball: Francis Dugger.

Iowa Beta

Football: Paul Armil.
Basketball: Charles Dollarhide.
Baseball: Mearl Adams.
Swimming: Warren Pattie.
Track: Ray Junk.
Editor of Frivol: Harry Boyd.

Iowa Delta

Morris Penquite: track captain.
Football: L. Jones, C. Simpson, R. Kerr, A. Newens.
Basketball: Arthur Ashby.
President Inter-fraternity Council: Craig McKee.
Paul Freeburn: Varsity Debater.

Iowa Gamma

Football: Robert Lamson, Vernon Hall, John Kulp.

Baseball manager: Fred Boeckh.

Kansas Alpha

President Pan-Hellenic Council: George Ramsey.
Phi Beta Kappa: Ralph Mullin.
Football: R. Cooper, J. Schopflin, L. Leavengood.
Tau Beta Pi: James Eldridge.
Clifford Cooper: Co-captain track team.

Kansas Beta

Joe Holsinger: Captain of Golf Team, Captain of R. O. T. C., Junior class President.
Ed McBurney: Football letter man.
C. N. Bressler: Colonel R. O. T. C.
H. C. Bugbee: Varsity swimming team.

Russel Thackery: Editor of Royal Purple, Year Book; Editor of Collegian, College Paper.

Simon Tombaugh: Captain of football team.

James Yeager: Football.
Fred Shideler: Business Manager of Year Book; President of Student Council.

Paul Axtell: Captain of track team; Captain of cross country team.

F. H. Hagenbuch: Baseball team and R. O. T. C.

Ray Sanders: Football.

Kentucky Epsilon

G. A. Mohney: football, basketball, president Senior Class, Keys.

L. H. Layman, baseball.
F. P. Phipps: Keys, football, basketball.

W. T. Maxson: track.
H. B. Stone: football.

Kentucky Kappa

Thomas Goben: track.
Hugh Bass: captain of track.

Harold Craig: Business Manager of Cento.

B. A. Dawes: Circulation Manager of Cento.

Louisiana Epsilon

Charles Mason: President student body, president of student council, football, baseball, captain of basketball, col. R. O. T. C.

Maine Alpha

Albert Parker: Manager basketball.
Donald J. Huot: Tau Beta Pi.

Roy S. Hathaway: Track.

Massachusetts Beta-Upsilon

John Brewer: basketball.
Myron Keyes: football.

Laurence Wray: editor of Beanpot.
James Steele: President Junior Class, football.

Lee Worrell: basketball.

Massachusetts Gamma

T. C. Finley: Magna cum laude in history.

D. W. Chapman: Ivy orator, Phi Beta Kappa.

R. S. Riley: Varsity crew.

Massachusetts Iota-Tau

Parker Morell: Composer of Tech. Show.

Adam Stricker: Editor of Tech. Engineering News.

Neal Wells: Varsity crew.
W. N. Boynton: Track.

Claude Horton: Track.
Carl Svenson: Track.

Michigan Alpha

Wilson Willits: President Student Union.

Robert Church: President dramatic club.

Robert Longworth: Debating team.
Dwight McDowd: Manager football.

Michigan Gamma

W. J. Sparling: Tau Beta Pi, Mortar and Ball.

Ralph Dailey: Tau Beta Pi, Blue Key.

Michigan Iota-Beta

R. C. Walton: Phi Beta Kappa.
Arthur Evelyn: Baseball manager.

Carl Loos: Captain baseball.
Carl Darnall: Captain swimming.

Randolph Monroe: Captain cross-country.

Clarence Horn: Water-polo.

Minnesota Alpha

Edward Davidson: Pres. senior class, chairman banquet committee for "M" banquet, member committee for senior ball.

William Pettyjohn: Secretary of senior class.

Frank Engstrom: member of senior announcement committee.

Ray Archer: Asst. student ticket manager.

Richard Merritt: Pres. junior Mines.

Phillip Merritt: Manager of basketball team.

Everett Hardecke: Pres. of Soph. Agric. class, chairman of Athletic comm. of Agric. Col.

Rudolph Damm: Editorial Board of Minn. Daily.

Mississippi Gamma

Augustin Magruder: President senior law, honor student, assistant in English, Editor Scream.

Walter Patty: football.

T. J. Lilly, Jr.: Track coach, president Cardinal club.

Thomas Mosby: President sophomore class.

Bryce Alexander: track.
Reuben Wilcox: Football.

Missouri Alpha

J. L. Norberg: University golf champion

Kenneth Torrance: Leading actor of dramatic club.

Scott Kennedy: football, track.
John Waldorf: Football, basketball.

Robert Byars: football.
John Canaday: Col. R. O. T. C.

T. H. Pollock: President student body.

Missouri Beta

Meade McArdle: Captain of swimming.

Roland Baer: Pralma (senior honor)

Montana Alpha

Henry Gardiner: President of the student body.

Wayne Kobbe: Member of Tau Beta Pi.

Theron Ackerman: Manager of the track team.

Earl Semingsen, Arthur Olson: Track team.

Varsity Basketball: Gilbert McFarland, Ivar Twilde.

Adrian Ario, Arthur Olson, Francis Cashmere, Ivar Twilde, Herschal Hurd and Earl Semingson: Football.
Editor of the College Annual: LaSalle Worthington.

Montana Beta

Track: Dosa Schults.
Football: Reid Harmon.

President of University Band: George Borchers.

Nevada Alpha

Reynold F. Hansen: Captain-elect football, '28.

Vernon Cantlon: President of Associated Sun.

Budd Stevenson: Football manager.
Carol Cross '30: Class President.

Louis Lombardi: '29 Class President.
Chris Thorup: '31 Class President.

New Hampshire Alpha

John B. Zellers: Business manager of the Jack O'Lantern.

John P. Waters: Editor of the Jack O'Lantern.

Donald A. Benjamin: Manager of soccer.

Earl Fyler and Harold Ripley are members of the track team.

Basketball: Walter Turkevich.

New Hampshire Beta

George Bridge: Captain basketball, and Captain of R. O. T. C.

Stewart Weston: Captain of winter sports and Editor of the Golden Bull.

Ralph Regali, John Rogers, John Wettergreen, Ralph Farland, are all on the football team.

Track: Frank Watts.

New York Alpha

Cadet Colonel R. O. T. C.: Hamilton Ward, Jr.

Cadet Captain R. O. T. C.: John C. Ward, Jr.

Football: August Schumacher.
William A. Geohegan, Jr.: Track manager.

Track: William Roland.

New York Rho

Ronald Burkman: Basketball captain '27; also Captain baseball '28.

Richard Eckardt, William McCloud: Members of basketball team.

Baseball: Richard Eckardt, Vincent O'Brien.

Track: Foster Brown.
Russel Colton: Manager football team, and President of Senior Class.

Hockey: Richard Clark.
Band: Bent Lockwood.

New York Sigma-Phi

Student Council: Kenneth Urquhart, Frank S. Patterson, Edgar Kroll.

Basketball: Kenneth Urquhart, Frank Patterson, Edgar Kroll, captain-elect '28, John A. Watkinson, John M. Nobis, Robert Ricciardi and Harry Given.

Lacrosse: Kenneth Urquhart, Frank Patterson, Edgar Kroll Captain-elect '28, John Watkinson, John Nobis, Robert Ricciardi, Robert Burbank, W. C. Lown, and Robert Brome, manager.

Edgar C. Kroll: Advertising manager of the Annual.

Cross-Country: John Nobis captain, Joseph Staubach, Gordon Stancliffe and Robert Ricciardi.

North Carolina Theta

Boyce Martin: Editor of the Davidsonian.

Martin Crawford: Business manager of the Davidsonian.

Caldwell Withers: President of the Senior Class.

Student Council: William Powell.
Football: Samuel Smith.

Wrestling: Henry Russell.

North Carolina Xi

C. A. P. Moore: Editor of the Annual, Yackety Yack.

Finley T. White: Baseball Manager.

Ohio Epsilon

Edward Mattern: Editor of the Annual, President of Student Y. M. C. A. Football: Arthur Fennekohl and Fred Waldman.

Tau Beta Pi: William Hand.

Ohio Mu

James Nicholson: Phi Beta Kappa. Cadet Captain R. O. T. C.: Arthur Huff.

Basketball (All-Ohio Captain: James Nicholson.

Flamingo Business Manager: James Kemper.

Denison Business Manager: Robert McClelland.

Ohio Rho

William Gillett: Track Manager. Norman T. J. Baus: Orchestra Leader.

Cheer Leader: Harold E. Cable.

Business Manager of the Annual: Harold E. Cable.

Stanley Midnight: Basketball.

Band: Raymond C. Taft.

Football: Thomas Anspacher, and Alvin J. Tyler.

Athletic Manager: Thomas D. West.

Tau Beta Pi: Noland Poffenberger, Robert Shankland, George W. Clark and Robert W. Osterholm.

Ohio Sigma

Football: Arthur Yengling, Wilber Meredith, Leo Furcolow, Robert Clapsaddle and Donald Klippert.

Cheer Leader: Henry Shrake.

Junior Band Leader: Jacob Hines.

Oklahoma Kappa

President of the Junior Lawyers: Mart Brown.

Football: Mart Brown.

Cross-country: Leslie Niblack, captain.

Basketball: Leslie Niblack.

Track: Leslie Niblack.

Oregon Alpha

Football: John Peterson, Howard Maple.

Baseball: Howard Maple.

Kernan Markuson: Swimming Captain.

Water Polo: Bill McGinnis.

Oregon Beta

Commander of the R. O. T. C.: William F. James.

Football: Bert Kerns, (3-yr. letterman) Homer Dixon, (2-yr. letterman).

Pennsylvania Alpha-Zeta

Football: Vere Balmer and Harry Buesch.

Tennis: William Hinkel.

Cross Country Manager: Faron Bushnell.

Cheerleader: Harold F. Cain.

Student Colonel R. O. T. C.: Adelbert Schroeder.

Pennsylvania Chi-Omicron

Wilbur Hockensmith: Football and Honor Roll.

Louis Senrsenich: Band, Manager of Basketball.

Basketball: Cecil Ashbaugh, John McMahon, Harry McCandless.

Rynd S. Miller: Captain R. O. T. C. Class President '31: Jack Ewalt.

Cross Country Manager: John M. McLaughlin.

Pennsylvania Delta

Football Manager: George Cobaugh. Lewis V. Kost: Business Manager Gettysburgian.

William Boehner: Business Manager Spectrum.

Track: Arbour Yingst, Donald Gardner.

Football: Donald Gardner, James Roche.

Editor of the Gettysburgian: R. S. Davis.

Pennsylvania Gamma

Football: J. Wolbert. N. Wurberg. LaCrosse: Richard Drake, Captain. J. Wolbert.

Track: Joseph Mowrer.

Soccer: Joseph Mowrer.

George Olsen: Baseball Manager.

Wrestling: Richard Drake.

Drum Major: Frederick Roberts.

Tennis Manager: Donald Terwilliger.

Pennsylvania Omega

Football: A. R. Moon, J. R. Cober, C. W. White, C. A. Johnson, G. L. Lusk.

Basketball: A. R. Moon, Charles Bair, L. A. Westcott, C. R. Yengst, Frank Lavng (Manager).

Track: Allen R. Moon, Emmett W. Jackson, Gilbert Minnis.

Pennsylvania Phi

Donald Putt: Tau Beta Pi, President of the Student Council and Manager of the Interscholastic Track Meet.

Track: William A. Lockard, Captain, '28.

Advertising Manager of the Tartan: Jamse H. Seibert.

Business Manager of the Thistle: Thomas L. Cannon.

Pennsylvania Theta

Basketball: Gene Connell, Captain. Montgomery Chapman, Howard Moshier, Hoe Hartnett, Emil Forman, Damon Church, and Walter Dengler.

Wrestling: Thomas Pratt.

Soccer: Thomas Pratt, Earl Vollmer.

Football: James J. McGinnis.

Baseball: Gene Connell, Samuel Thomas.

Track: William Kastler, Whitman Pearson.

Polo: Eliot Hanscom, Captain.

Pennsylvania Zeta

Football: Mose Quinn, Lloyd Trimmer, K. Walls, Charles Jones, Bernard Klosterman, Benjamin Kupstas, Edward Halicki.

Debating Team: L. F. Lybarger, Jr., Preston Davis, R. Henry Coleman.

Editor in Chief of the Year Book: J. Roy Goodlander.

South Carolina Delta

Football: Emmett Wingfield, Captain, Jack Melton, Herndon Fair.

Basketball: Herndon Fair, Captain.

Baseball: William Lamar.

Manager Basketball: Richard Josey.

Tennis: William Coleman, Captain.

South Carolina Gamma

H. J. Bennett: Battalion Comander R. O. T. C., Business Manager of the Bohemian, President Y. M. C. A.

F. A. Dean: Football, Literary editor College Journal.

F. E. Exum: Manager Football, Baseball, Business Manager College Journal, Capt. R. O. T. C., Band.

M. W. Hook: Football.

J. C. Latimer: Football and Track.

L. Lindsay: Captain Basketball, Tennis.

R. W. Smith: manager Baseball.

J. M. Player: Captain, R. O. T. C.

J. C. Kennedy, Football.

Tennessee Eta

Edward Carr: President sophomore class, Editor of the Calliopean.

Robert Baldrige: Football.

Dixon Johnson: Football and Baseball.

Tennessee Lambda

Murphey McCloy: President Junior Class.

A. B. Humphreys, Jr.: Football Captain '27.

Tennessee Nu

Larry Creson: Football, Captain Baseball.

Ralph Owen: Football, Baseball.

Frank Bridges: Captain Basketball, '28 President Student Council.

Malcolm Moss: Captain Southern Champ. Basketball, Phi Beta Kappa and Baseball.

Andrew Holmes: Manager Football.

K. T. McConico: Drum Major.

James Armistead and Eugene McIlwaine: Football.

Sam. Fleming: Track Manager.

William Nestor: Captain Swimming Team.

Texas Delta

Robert Tatum: Co-Captain Football.

Percy Amackers: Track.

M. P. Crum: Business Manager of Year Book.

Virginia Kappa

Mel Davis: All So. Atlantic End, Football, Captain '27, Captain elect Basketball and Captain-elect of Track.

J. M. Robertson: President Junior Class.

W. J. Fields: Football and Track.

J. B. Bauserman: Football, Baseball.

Virginia Sigma

F. T. Parker: President of Glee Club.

H. E. Godwin: Manager of Boxing and Wrestling.

W. D. Bach: Manager of Baseball.

W. O. Gilbert: Advertising Manager of Mink.

F. E. Schmitt and J. G. Newman: Football.

Washington City Rho

Dave Allshouse: Captain Football '27.

Allen Perry: Football '27.

H. F. Durand and L. A. Knapp both received "A" ratings in Law School.

Washington Alpha

Joe Adams: Varsity Crew Manager.

Palmer Lewis: Scabbard and Blade.

Football: Leland Shelton, Al Prevost, Lloyd Niel, Charles Kock, and pledge Ray Odell.

Washington Beta

Forest Curry: Football.

Thomas Deering: Track.

Guy Di Julio: Baseball.

Alfred Flechsig: Football.

Ted Rohmer: Baseball, Football, Basketball.

E. C. Smith: Football.

Eldon Harvey: Baseball.

Wisconsin Alpha

President Interfraternity Council: Kenneth Crowell.

Assistant Business Manager, Daily Cardinal: Glenn Arthur.

Basketball: Lawrence Peterson and William Stols.

Swimming: Helmut Von Maltitz and Willard Densky.

Wisconsin Phi

R. D. Strawbridge: Business Manager of Annual.

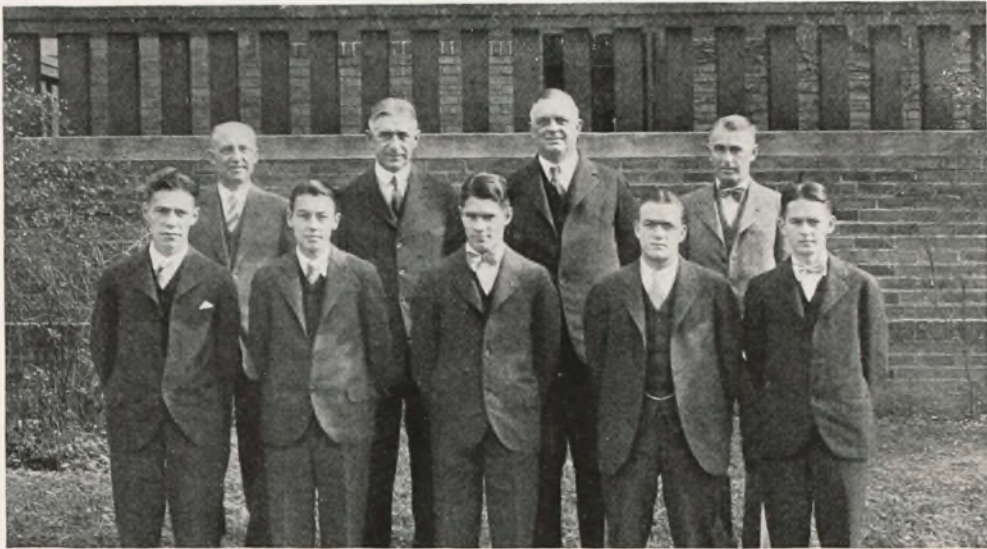
K. Laabs: Football, Basketball and Track.

Spence McMillan: Track.

Wyoming Alpha

Football: Lawrence Hart, Charles Coughlin, Toucher, Harry Tatham, Lee Coleman, Osher, and Louis Whitman.

H. Mills Astin: Editor of School Publication.



Four charter members of Ill. Beta (Univ. of Ill.) their four sons, now in college and another son, taken on Dad's Day at Champaign. Standing, left to right; W. G. Kaeser, O. A. Leutwiler, B. A. Campbell, J. W. Huss. Sons; K. K. Hoagland (his father unable to be present) W. V. Kaeser, L. G. Leutwiler, J. B. Campbell, J. W. Huss, Jr.



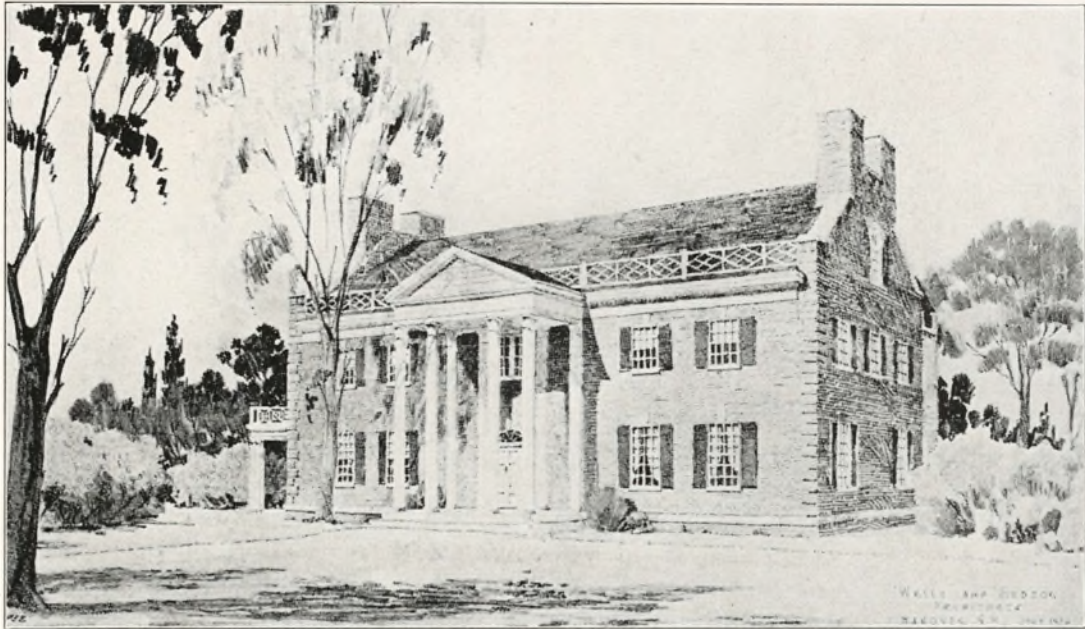
Four charter members of Vt. Alpha-Sigma-Pi (Norwich) Two fathers and two sons; Pres. C. A. Plumley, Fletcher D. Plumley, Winston A. Flint, and Prof. K. R. B. Flint, head of the political science department



Managers at Norwich; Bamford, track; Stickney, Polo; Ring, wrestling; Page, basketball; Mayo, football



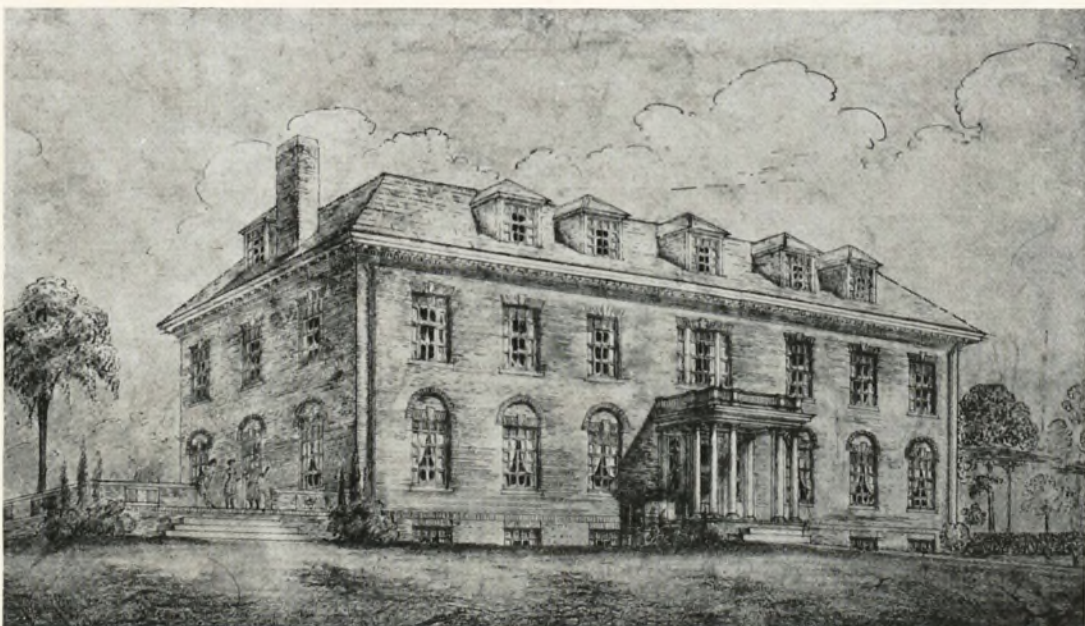
Ohio Mu (Denison) on Mother's day



The new home of N. H. Alpha (Dartmouth) as it will appear when completed



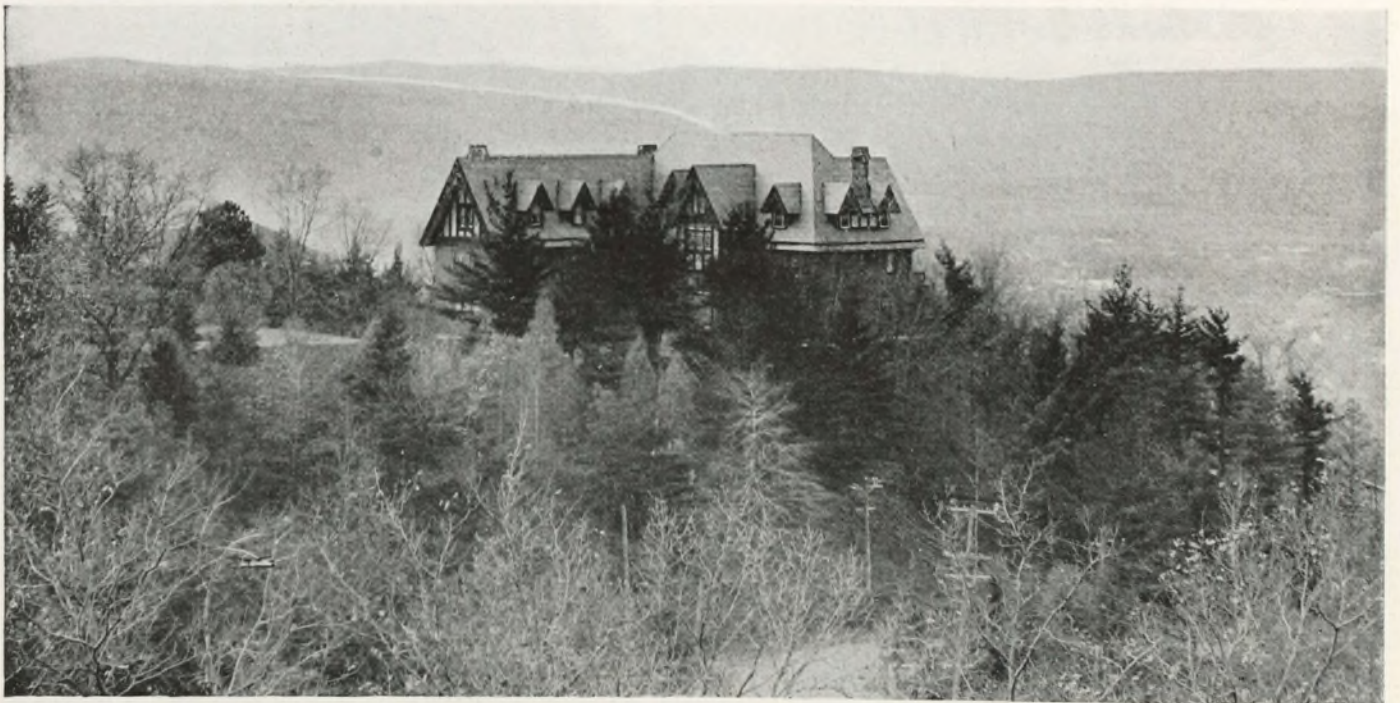
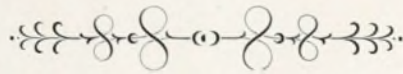
Letter Men of N. H. Beta (N. H. State) Front row: Five Captains; Weston, Winter sports; Bridge, Basketball; O'Connor, Football; Ramsey, Baseball; Percival, Hockey; Seated: Wetergreen, acting-Capt. of football; Rogers, McCooley. Back Row: Watts, Regali, Dearington



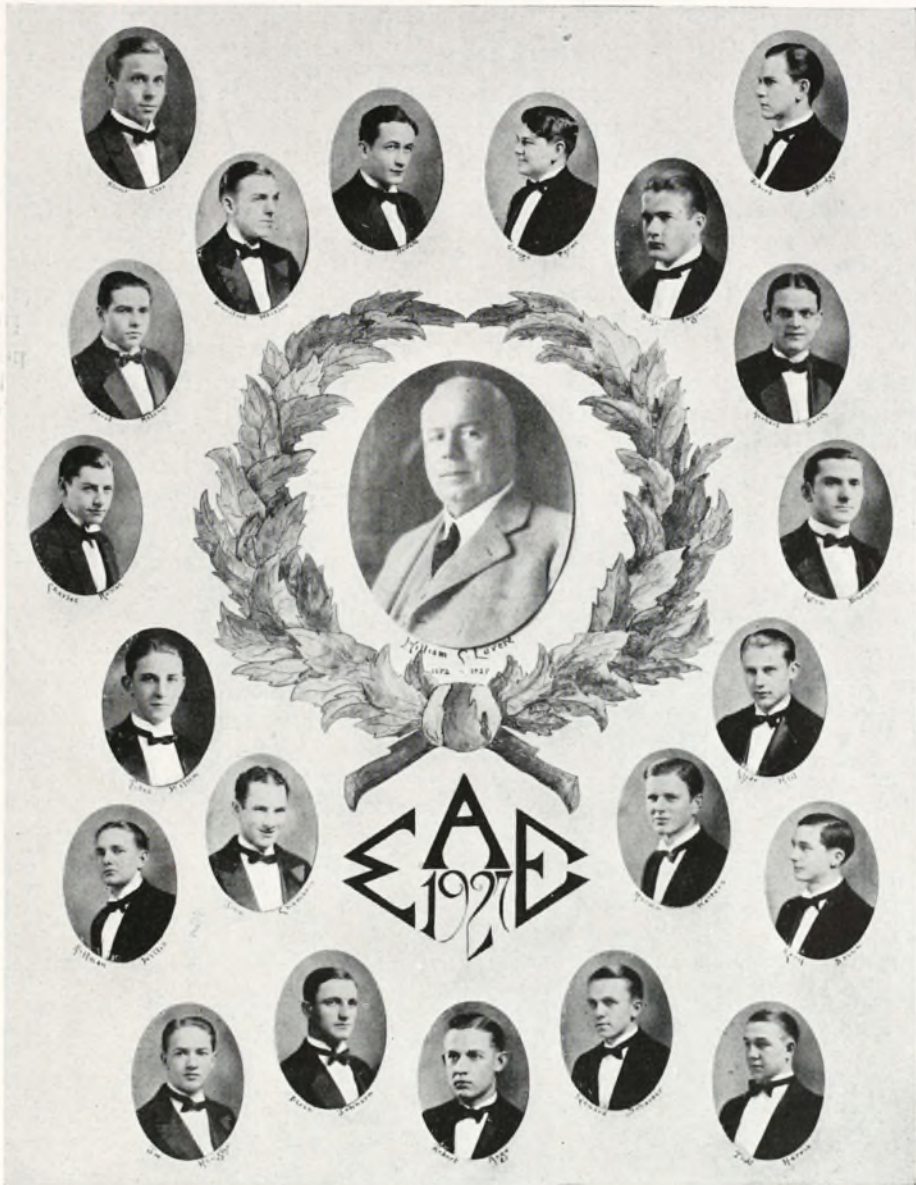
The new home of New Hampshire Beta as it will appear when completed



The active chapter of New York Alpha (Cornell)



"Hillcrest," the handsome home of New York Alpha (Cornell) which overlooks the city of Ithaca



Tenn. Eta, (Union) designed by Miss Catherine Routon, Pres. of The Minerva Club and sister of the chapter



The active chapter of Alabama Mu (University of Alabama)

Literary

M. Luckiesh, Indiana Beta, director of the lighting research laboratory of the General Electric Co., at Nela Park, Cleveland, Ohio since 1911, has been the author of fifteen books and 384 magazine articles which deal with some phases of lighting.

"The Cruise of Diabesse" by Frederic A. Fenger, N. Y. Alpha, has enjoyed wide popularity since it was published. His "Alone in the Caribbean," first published ten years ago, is selling well in a new edition which came out last fall.

In the January American Bar Association there appeared an article on "The Colorado River and the Constitution" by Wayne C. Williams, Colorado Zeta.

Walter Filkin, Kansas Alpha, writes a poem each day for the Kansas City Journal-Post. During the past six years he has spoken and recited his verses to more than 100,000 school children of Kansas City. The Journal-Post recently published "What Wins," a book of verse of which he is the author.

Henry Holt will publish in the near future a collection of short stories by John Russell, Illinois Psi-Omega, entitled "Cops-'N-Robbers." Brother Russell has just returned from Europe where he gathered material for a series of short stories which will presently appear in some of the current magazines.

Royall H. Snow, Massachusetts Gamma, and Benjamin Swisher, N. H. Alpha, were two of the winners in the recent Woodrow Wilson essay contest.

William Falkner, Miss. Gamma, is intermittently working on a humorous novel which he thinks will require five years to complete.

Paul F. Brissenden, Col. Zeta, is the author of "The History of the I. W. W."

D. S. Oakes, Ind. Beta, is the editor of a column entitled, "As I View the Thing," which appears daily on the editorial page of a newspaper in Decatur, Illinois.

Alfred Smaltz, Minn. Alpha, collaborated with Ilia Tolstoy, Iowa Gamma, in writing an intimate story of the family life of Russia's famous novelist Leo Tolstoy, which appeared in the October issue of Mentor. Brother Smaltz recently contributed an article to the Minnesota Alumni Weekly on "The World Is Becoming Disgustingly Alike."

"The Forum and Sanford Brown" is the feature article of the bulletin of the Law School of the University of Cincinnati. Judge A. K. Nippert, Ohio Epsilon, is the author.

"The Yankee of the Yards" is the latest volume from the pen of Arthur Van Vlissingen, Illinois Psi-Omega. It was done in collaboration with L. F. Swift and deals with the business career of G. F. Swift, Sr.

One of the outstanding young literary men still in college is Sterling North, Ill. Theta, who edits the Forge, a magazine of verse published at the University of Chicago. Brother North has sold "The Creek" to the Dial magazine. He is the winner of the Witter Bymer Poetry Prize and is a frequent contributor to Poetry, Dial, Harpers and Vogue.

Merle Thorpe, California Alpha, editor of the Nation's Business is the author of "That Man Mussolini" which appeared in the December issue of his monthly publication.

Lothrop Stoddard, Mass. Beta-Upsilon, is the author of "Red Russia Turns Pink," a featured story in October's Harpers.

William F. Bigelow, Ohio Delta, editor of Good Housekeeping, received the honorary degree of LLD at his alma mater, Ohio Wesleyan University, recently.

4,000 poems were submitted to Doran in competition for their volume, "The Spirit of St. Louis," named in honor of Lindbergh. Only one hundred were accepted and in that number was "Hymn to Man" by Royall Snow, Mass. Gamma. The last two issues of Poetry Folio, a small but excellent poetry magazine, has included poems written by Brother Snow.

"Parenthood and the Character Training of Children" is one of the late books from the pen of Dr. Thomas W. Galloway, Tenn. Lambda. Dr. Galloway has also prepared a series of outlines for incorporated social hygiene material in college and university courses.

Recently come from the press of the Ronald Company is "How to Understand Accounting," the work of Howard C. Greer, Ill. Psi-Omega. This is a book invaluable to any one in business.

Durand Smith, Ill. Psi-Omega, now on the editorial staff of the London (England) Daily News, contributes each day to that splendid newspaper an article of literary value. Recently he wrote a very interesting article about art in Chicago.

On a tour around the world George Walsh, Ga. Phi, wrote several articles for the Atlanta Journal.

Arthur W. Patterson, Maine Alpha, has written several stories for Youth's Companion. The latest one to appear in that publication is "Victory of Satterlee." Several are awaiting publication. Among some of his stories that have appeared in magazines are, "On the Fifth Green," "House on the Hill," "Sanctuary," "The Banshee," and "Quest of the Limping Man." He has had published one novel, "The Heaviest Pipe."

Fred E. Boeckh, Iowa Gamma, senior in Forestry, won a second prize of \$25 offered by Mr. Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Tree Association for the best essay stimulating interest in forestry conservation.

Exchanges

By Albert Sidney Balch

The Canadian premier, Mackenzie King, is a member of Kappa Alpha. (North.)

Ohio University is permitting sorority houses now for the first time.

Mr. Ralph Gooding Packard, the oldest living member, Theta Xi, is eighty-seven years old and the only living founder.

The Tau Kappa Epsilon chapter at Milliken has been first in scholarship for fifteen consecutive years.

Phi Kappa Sigma is considering the appointment of a salaried administrative officer for executive secretary.

Acacia is mourning the loss of Harry Brown, former Grand President and veteran fraternity worker.

Alpha Tau Omega has published a pocket size directory containing the names of 23,000 Taus.

Woodford Heflin is the third member of Sigma Chi's young chapter at the University of New Mexico to be chosen a Rhodes scholar.

Kappa Sigma announces that it is preserving forever the room in which it was founded. This apparently, is now at Georgia. We had always thought it was at Bologna.—The Rainbow of Delta Tau Delta.

Delta Upsilon, Phi Gamma Delta, Lambda Chi Alpha, Alpha Tau Omega and Sigma Alpha Epsilon are the only fraternities with over 46 chapters which are not located at West Virginia University.

Captain Hawthorne C. Gray, who tried to set a world's altitude record in a balloon and died in the attempt after reaching the new height of 43,000 feet, was a Phi Delta Theta from the University of Idaho.

Twelve members of the Theta Delta Chi Graduate Association of California have taken out insurance policies \$500 each, payable in twenty years to the Founders' Corporation.—The Palm of Alpha Tau Omega.

Sigma Pi has \$46,300.00 subscribed to its endowment fund begun January, 1923.

Kappa Alpha is the first fraternity to return to Furman University.

George Barton Cutten, president of Colgate University, is Phi Gamma Delta, as is Frank L. McVey, president of the University of Kentucky.

The most successful fraternity on any campus is the fraternity known for its democracy. Rattle of Theta Chi.

Martin J. Her, one of the new field secretaries for Phi Gamma Delta, was pledged to the University of Minnesota chapter of Fiji in his senior year.

Chi Omega's new chapters at the University of Virginia and Culver-Stockton College are the first national sororities on their campus.

The new buildings for the University of California in Los Angeles are being erected at Westwood, between Los Angeles and the sea. The campus will accommodate over 23,000 students when finished.

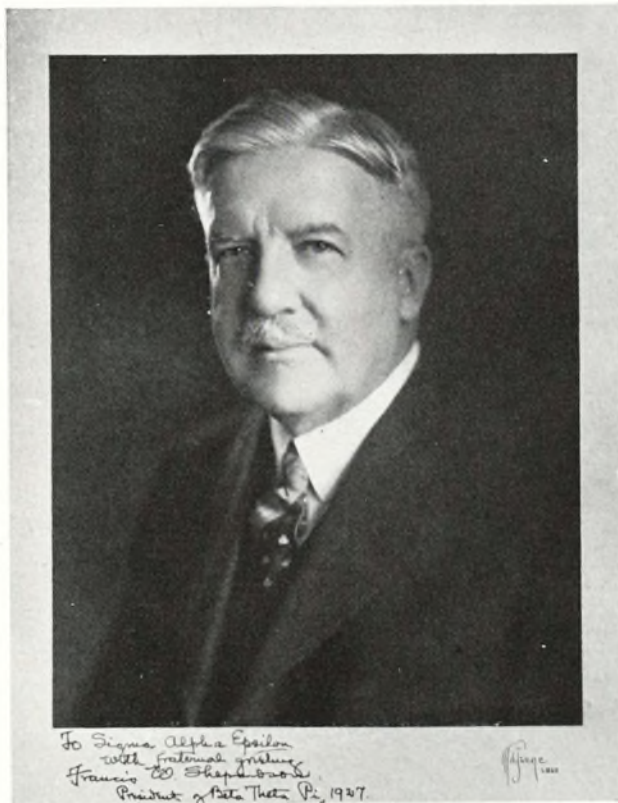
Among the famous men of the day who have worked their way through college, Owen D. Young, Beta Theta Pi from St. Lawrence and chairman of the board of Directors of General Electric is one of the most noted.

Chi Delta Phi, a sorority of authors or of authors in the making, has for its aim the raising of literary standards among college women.

Utah has the largest number of college students in proportion to population, we learn from Sigma Chi.

At the University of Toronto there are now at least thirty chapters of American college fraternities.

Alpha Kappa Lambda founded in 1914, the first college fraternity founded on the Pacific Coast, has 351 out of its 700 members as participators in its Life Endowment Fund. The fraternity has used the easy payment plan in making this enviable showing.



Dr. Francis W. Shepardson, Pres. of Beta Theta Pi, a life member of the endowment of Sigma Alpha Epsilon

William A. McAndrew, superintendent of Chicago's schools, stigmatized during the recent municipal campaign as "a stool pigeon of the British King," is a member of Delta Tau Delta.

The qualities employers like to find in college men according to the Hexagon of Alpha Chi Sigma are:
 Being a good soldier.
 The ability to get along with people.
 Perseverance.
 Imagination.

An hour after their graduation on June 15, eleven members of the Class of 1927 of the Virginia Military Institute were initiated into Beta chapter of Kappa Alpha, according to a story in the November issue of The Kappa Alpha Journal.

John Monk Saunders, author of "Wings" is a Sigma Chi from the University of Washington. Mr. Saunders was a Rhodes scholar at Oxford and for the last three years has been associate editor of the American Magazine.

Dr. Joseph C. Nate, well known historian of Sigma Chi and successful clergyman, has become the full-time Grand Tribune and will devote the remainder of his life as college and university visitation officer for the White Cross.

After a period of five years expansion Beta Kappa finds itself in flourishing condition with 20 chapters located in 16 states. Beta Kappa was founded in 1901 at Hamline University but did not begin to expand until 1922.

Volume one, number one, of the Crescent, as the Delta Tau Delta magazine was called in 1877, was reprinted in the November 1927 issue. The Crescent did not start off in a small way, especially when we consider that it was a monthly journal. In 1886, upon union with the Rainbow fraternity, its name was changed to The Rainbow.

"Let us be wide-versed in our moderate expansion, and not parochial," said an editorial in the Phi Kappa Sigma News Letter. "If the fraternity is alive, it must grow. It is our duty to direct its growth." With the last chapter granted to the University of California, at Los Angeles, Phi Kappa Sigma has 34 chapters.

Phi Gamma Delta has two visitation officers to properly supervise the functioning of sixty-nine undergraduate units.

Delta Zeta at the University of Washington is introducing a new policy for freshmen instruction. Every night study table is held in the house library from 7:30 until 10:30. "Every pledge in the house is there—sometimes much earlier than the hour set. At 10:30 both pledges and actives jump into their pajamas, wind up the phonograph and proceed to exercise heartily."

Pi Kappa Phi has revived its chapter at the University of South Carolina and has installed chapters at Ohio State and Penn State.

Kappa Kappa Gamma has lost Miss Jeannette Boyd one of the two last surviving founders of their order. Four of the founders who have passed on, although widely separated in life, all lie near together in the old graveyard at Monmouth, Illinois, within sight of the home in which Kappa was born.

One of Teke's loyal and illustrious members is Henry A. Burd, head of the department of Marketing and Advertising at the University of Washington. Mr. Burd, in addition to having served as editor of the Tau Kappa Epsilon magazine has been a member of four Teke chapters and a charter member of three.

The Chi Phi Chakett finds through an elaborate questioning process that "the great majority of our undergraduates are political conservatives; the great majority belong to church and practice religion; the conviction is strong that the fraternity system promotes good scholarship; or a vote of 6 to 1 regard a Phi Beta Kappa key as a higher honor than a varsity letter."

In March 1921 the Record changed to its present size. The Rainbow of Delta Tau Delta, The Octagonian of Sigma Alpha Mu, The Logos of Alpha Kappa Lambda, The Temple of Phi Kappa, and the Quarterly publications of Theta Xi and Delta Chi are now of the same approximate size and shape.

The Delta Tau Delta Loyalty Fund campaign during the next two years will seek not merely money but men. "The purpose will be not so much to raise funds as to resurrect Deltas. We shall stress the idea and broadcast it from Maine to Mexico, that our new legislation makes it the duty and privilege of every Delt alumnus to contribute by annual dues or prepaid life memberships to the welfare and progress of his fraternity."

Phi Delta Theta has seven chapters in Indiana while Beta Theta Pi, Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Gamma Delta, Sigma Chi and Sigma Nu each have five chapters in the state. Alpha Tau Omega follows with four. All of the above fraternities are at Indiana University, Purdue and DePauw. Lambda Chi, Phi Delt, Sigma Chi and Sigma Nu are at Butler. Beta, Lambda Chi, Phi Delt, Phi Gam and Sigma Chi are at Wabash. Beta, Phi Delt and Phi Gam are together at Hanover while Alpha Tau Omega and Sigma Nu have chapters at Rose Polytechnic.

Fraternities at Franklin and Marshall have been granted permission to build a Fraternity Row on the campus.

Pi Kappa Phi has moved its national headquarters to Evanston, Ill.



In the World of Affairs

Capt. Arthur B. McDaniel, Texas Rho, who piloted the airship "San Antonio" last year on the "good will" trip to the countries of South America, was awarded the distinguished flying cross and the McKay trophy in December by the United States government. Secretary of War Davis presented the medals.

Brig. Gen. Logan Feland, Kentucky Alpha-Epsilon (South Kentucky College) has arrived in Nicaragua to take over the command of all the marine and naval forces ashore in that country. This is the second time in as many years that Gen. Feland has been ordered to take command in Nicaragua.

Senator Pat Harrison, Louisiana Epsilon, was recently indorsed for the Democratic presidential nomination in a joint resolution adopted by the Mississippi legislature now in session in Jackson, Mississippi. Senator Harrison replied in a telegram that he was not and did not intend to be a candidate for the democratic nomination.

The Harmon foundation has named Dr. James Hardy Dillard, Virginia Sigma of Charlottesville, Virginia to receive an award for "distinctive work in race relations."

Dr. Dillard, active in increasing educational facilities for Negroes in the south, received \$500 and a gold medal.

Should the bill introduced in the Senate on December 19 by Hon. Hubert Stephens become a law, providing for the appointment of a United States district judge for the northern district of Mississippi, it is freely predicted that Major L. E. Oldham, Tennessee Lambda, of Oxford, former U. S. district attorney, and outstanding Republican lawyer of the state, will receive the appointment in the event President Coolidge is guided by party lines.

George V. Moore, Michigan Alpha, a nephew of Alexander Moore, former ambassador to Spain, was appointed judge of the Common Pleas Court of Allegheny County, Pa., by Governor Pinchot in 1925. With one exception he was the youngest judge to ascend the bench in that county. Last year he was nominated by the Republican party and elected in November for a full term of ten years, beginning the first Monday of January 1928.

Possibly one of the youngest advertising directors of a national magazine is Maynard L. Durham, Colorado Delta, who is now with The Sample Case, official publication for the United Commercial Travelers. Brother Durham, who is now twenty-five years old, graduated from the school of journalism at the University of Missouri in January 1924. Since that time he was connected with the Implement and Hardware Trade Journal of Kansas City and for the past eighteen months was advertising manager.

The Equitable Trust Company of New York announces the organization of a Life Insurance Trust Department and the selection of Edward M. McMahon as insurance trust officer. Mr. McMahon, who has been successfully



Col. Walter F. Reichardt, Ark. Alpha-Upsilon

engaged for a number of years in the field of life underwriting, will devote his entire time to the direction of this department. Brother McMahon is a member of Wisconsin Alpha.

One of the outstanding engineers of America is Col. Walter F. Reichardt, Arkansas Alpha-Upsilon, who is now residing in Watertown, Wisconsin. Col. Reichardt is the leading consulting engineer of Wisconsin and has to his credit many noteworthy achievements in the field of his chosen profession. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers and of the Western Society of Engineers. Aside from his professional duties Col. Reichardt finds time to be interested in civic and municipal affairs of his town and state. In this capacity he is a member of the Executive committee of the League of Wisconsin Municipalities and president of the Watertown Rotary Club.

Albert F. Saunders, M. D., Georgia Phi, Grand presiding Senior of Phi Chi medical fraternity, presided at the 25th convention of the Phi Chi Grand Chapter at Dallas, Texas, December 28-30th. Brother Saunders is now practicing at Meadow Bridge, W. Va.



Joseph R. Kidd, Penn. Gamma (Lafayette)

Joseph R. Kidd, Pennsylvania Gamma, has the distinction of being the youngest General Secretary of a State University Y. M. C. A. in the country. Brother Kidd graduated from Lafayette College at the age of twenty, and for three years served as Secretary of

the Sheff Christian Association at Yale University while he pursued his graduate studies. He is now twenty-four and is entering upon his second year as General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Indiana University.

Earl A. Emerson, N. Y. Alpha, Vice-President of the Armco International Company, of Middletown, Ohio, and formerly Vice-President of the Foreign Trade Association of the Chamber of Commerce, was elected President of that association, according to the announcement of Secretary Malcolm M. Stewart.

Mr. Emerson is the successor to Charles D. Oesterlein, a prominent manufacturer of machine tools, and though a young man has been in the export trade for a number of years and has made several trips around the world as the representative of his company.

The governor of Kentucky has appointed Professor Charles Henry Richardson, N. Y. Delta, of Syracuse University as an aide-de-camp on the governor's staff with the full rank and grade of colonel, "in recognition of his unusual service to the Commonwealth of Kentucky as assistant geologist in the Kentucky Geological survey."

This is the first appointment to an honorary colonelcy of any scientist for his service to a commonwealth in the field of geology, and one of the rare instances of appointment to such rank of a citizen of another state.

Judge C. B. Ames, Mississippi Theta, chairman of the citizens' committee that won the battle against the Rock Island tracks through the heart of Oklahoma City, was named Oklahoma City's most useful citizen for 1927 by unanimous vote of the committee named to pick the winner.

"In naming Judge Ames for the honor, the committee tried to pick a man who was not paid for his work; one who had made the greatest contribution to the city for 1927; one whose service was entirely unselfish and one whose accomplishments are of the most value to the city for the greatest length of time." Dr. Royer said in announcing the decision.

"Judge Ames was the unanimous choice of the committee. His work in the fight and against the railroad tracks, combined with his general usefulness for many years, caused every member of the committee to vote for him.

"Of course, there were many other very valuable and useful citizens named for the honor.

"We recognize that they all contributed much to the general good. But it was Judge Ames' work with the citizens' committee that we thought of greatest value to every citizen and every section of the city."

Eighteen names were submitted in the contest this year. Nominations closed December 22. Following the close of nominations, it was announced that time would be allowed the committee to investigate all candidates. All letters making the nominations or supporting candidates were turned to the

committee, which examined all recommendations.

The contest is conducted annually by The Daily Oklahoman, which makes an award to the winner.

Friends of Commissioner-elect Clifford Davis, Mississippi Gamma, presented him with a life size oil painting and a diamond studded shield, the badge of the fire and police commissioner, when he stepped to the bench in city court yesterday afternoon.

The oil painting, by Covert, was presented to the new commissioner by J. C. Carruthers of The Commercial Appeal. As Mr. Carruthers finished his brief speech of presentation, Capt. Joe Cole released a cord which raised the American flag revealing the oil painting of Judge Davis.

In the recent mayoralty election in the city of Memphis, Cliff Davis led the ticket and was overwhelmingly elected Vice-Mayor and city police commissioner.

On February 3, he was called to his Alma Mater to oppose the measure, introduced in the state legislature, to move the University of Mississippi from Oxford to Jackson.

For valuable service rendered as an organizer during the world war, the French government has made Lee Ashcraft, Alabama Alpha-Mu, of the Ashcraft-Wilkinson company, Atlanta, a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor. The distinction is seldom conferred by France for other than brilliant military service.

The diploma conferring this honor, one of the highest conferred by the continental republic, was transmitted to Mr. Ashcraft through the French consul at New Orleans.

Mr. Ashcraft's service to France was rendered during the early days of the war, when German potash mines in Alsace-Lorraine were captured.

Inexperienced in this field, the French government sought the aid of the Ashcraft-Wilkinson company, with the result that Mr. Ashcraft went abroad and successfully organized markets to handle the potash output, about half of which was absorbed by America.

With the merger, some time ago, of French and German potash interests, the services of the local company were no longer required, but the republic bore Mr. Ashcraft's service in mind.

Mr. Ashcraft has long been an outstanding figure in the business and civic life of Atlanta. He is past president of the chamber of commerce, a Rotarian, member of the executive committee of the Presidents' club and a rector of the Fourth National bank.

When Atlanta was swept by the disastrous fire several years ago, Asa G. Candler, then mayor of Atlanta, appointed Mr. Ashcraft as director of relief work here, he later becoming interested in the affairs of the local Red Cross organization, in which he has since played a prominent part.

Former Governor Clifford Walker, Georgia Beta, who retired from the gubernatorial chair last June, has opened offices for the general practice of law in rooms 403-11 Atlanta Trust company building, it was announced Saturday. He has removed

his residence from Monroe to Atlanta, residing on The Prado.

Governor Walker was in active practice of law at Monroe for 20 years, and was solicitor general of the Western circuit for some time. Later he was elected attorney general of Georgia, and served three terms in the attorney general's office before being elected governor, which office he held for four years. His private and public service have given him wide experience in all branches of legal practice.

Governor Walker was born July 4, 1877, in Monroe, the son of Billington Sanders Walker, and Mrs. Alice Mitchell Walker. He was graduated from the University of Georgia in 1897, with an A. B. degree, and then studied law. He married Miss Rosa Carter Mathewson, of Atlanta, on April 29, 1902.

Dr. A. R. Hatton, Indiana Alpha (Franklin) nationally famous municipal charter writer and consultant has moved from Cleveland, Ohio, and Western Reserve University to Evanston, Illinois and Northwestern.

"Dr. Hatton, gladiator of the city council, has had a colorful career here," writes The Plain Dealer. "It has been an almost continuous battle, reaching at times rather furious proportions during the three and a half years he has been a councilman. It is a twist of fate that, now that he is leaving Cleveland, many of the most bitter enemies of himself and his ideas have adopted his theories of government and are defending them against proposals to change."

An editorial in The Cleveland Press tells more of Brother Hatton's work in Cleveland. "He has been a tremendous force in municipal politics and civic matters in Cleveland. His name has been indented with many governmental reforms. He wrote the city charter under which we are oper-

ating today—the city manager and proportional representation government."

A refreshing and reassuring fact about Hatton is that he has none of the aloofness commonly associated with the professorial office. There is nothing cloisterlike about him. He fights in council or on the stump with all the give-and-take comradery of a Hinky Dink. At the city hall he is listened to, not as theorist but as a practical man who knows precisely what he is talking about and why he is talking about it."

"Probably several hundred people have asked us who Gilreath is," said an editorial in the Daily Free Press. "Frank C. Gilreath is president of the Gilreath Syndicate of Atlanta. He is a member of the staff of the Daily Free Press. He is one of the most active newspaper men in the country. What he doesn't know about news wouldn't be fit to print.

"Many years ago (but not too many) Frank Gilreath, then a country boy, full of ambition and determination, arrived in Atlanta with his mind made up to do newspaper work. When he applied for a job it was probably the first time he had ever been in a big newspaper plant. What he didn't know then about it would fill a book.

"Gilreath was bound to succeed. He possessed the virtue of patience. He inherited a brilliant mind, backed up with a will that has led him from the lowest round of the ladder to the pinnacle. He did not succeed by leaps and bounds, but by ceaseless toil and intelligent application. He did everything with all his mind. He did not overlook details. He crawled upward and onward. Today when the general public reads a news telegram and finds it signed 'Gilreath' all doubt evaporates, no matter how startling may be the statement contained.

"Gilreath is a golden-hearted fellow. Generous to a fault, if generosity is ever such; quick to respond, tenacious after having arrived. He's part bulldog in his make-up and never turns loose until he gets what he wants. So great is our confidence in him, we refrained from blowing the signal siren even after the Atlanta papers and the press associations and New York papers had flashed, waiting until we got a wire signed 'Gilreath.' Then we KNEW!"

Leslie B. Henry, California Beta, for the past several years chairman of the football committee of the Tournament of Roses, yesterday was elected president of the association, succeeding Harry N. Ticknor, who was not a candidate for re-election.

The election of Mr. Henry to presidency of the association is declared in the nature of a vote of confidence. Previous to the last East-West football classic in the Rose Bowl, Mr. Henry was the center of a controversy, in which the University of Southern California declared it was slighted in passing out invitations for participation as the Pacific Coast football representative in the New Year's game, Southern California claiming Mr. Henry was prejudiced against the local university. This was denied by Mr. Henry, who stated that the reason S.C. was not given the invitation to play was that the university asked too large a portion of the gate receipts.



A. R. Hatton, Ind. Alpha (Franklin) with William G. McAdoo

Men of S. A. E.

ARKANSAS ALPHA-UPSILON

Lewell Lafferty is manager of the bond department of the Dallas Trust and Savings Bank, Dallas, Texas.

COLORADO DELTA

Robert McGlone, '27, is now employed by the Daily Insurance Company of Denver, as Mine Inspector.

GEORGIA BETA

Frank W. Bell, '27 and W. Edward Robinson, '27, are continuing their law work at Columbia university.

William S. McMichael, '27, is now studying at Johns Hopkins.

Dr. Jeff Richardson after serving as interne at the Lakeside Hospital, Cleveland, O., has returned to Atlanta and opened offices in the Medical Arts Building.

Major Archibald T. Colley, U. S. Army, is commandant at the University of Georgia, in charge of the Military Department.

Clifford M. Walker, former Governor of Georgia, has moved to Atlanta and opened offices for the general practice of law in rooms 403-11 Atlanta Trust Company Building. Before serving as Governor he lived in Monroe, Ga.

GEORGIA EPSILON

Ben A. Neal is editor of the News published at Millen, Ga.

Willis M. Timmons has returned to Atlanta from Miami, Fla., and is now sales manager for the Oleomatic Company.

B. E. L. Timmons is agency supervisor for the Victory National Life Insurance Company of Tampa, Fla., with office 307 Barnett National Bank Building, Jacksonville.

William T. Neill is proprietor of the "Elektrik Maid" Make Shop at Hollywood, Fla.

Dr. Augustus B. Jones, Jr., is now located in Tampa, Fla., with offices at 804-9 Citizens Bank Building.

James Thompson Vann is a chemist for the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company at Oxmore, Ala.

Jackson Edward Cowart is with the American Savings Bank, Macon, Ga.

GEORGIA PHI

John R. Slater, mayor of Douglas, Ga., has been elected president of the Union Banking Company of Douglas.

GEORGIA PSI

R. L. Cousins, former principal of Carrollton High School, is now principal of the High School at Dublin, Ga.

Louis Reese, former coach at Hartwell High, is now coach at Dublin High School.

IDAHO ALPHA

David MacMillan is basketball coach at University of Minnesota.

Guy Pennell is connected with the Physical Education Department of University of Minnesota.

ILLINOIS BETA

Mr. Howard R. Green, a resident of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, recently completed the official investigation of the Northwest Sewer in Des Moines.

INDIANA ALPHA

Warren K. Woodward is state chemist for South Carolina.

Harry King is basketball coach at the Bosse High School in Evansville, Indiana.

Robert Rust is connected with the Franklin Pure Milk Company.

INDIANA GAMMA

Raymond H. Briney is at present working with the National City Bank of New York City.

IOWA DELTA

Sus P. Whiting has been elected president of the Waveland Club, a golf and country club of Des Moines.

Rex Fowler is president of the Golf and Country Club of Des Moines.

Palmer Kastberg '27 is in the City Engineer's office at Des Moines, Iowa.

Stewart Dulaney, LLB. '24, is with the Department of the Insurance Commissioner for the State of Iowa.

KANSAS ALPHA

Ray Lawrence is in Leipsig, Germany studying piano. He will be there a year.

James Eldridge is a building contractor in Kansas City, while Herbert Pennington is an architect there.

Sylvester McInerney is a promising Kansas City insurance writer.

KENTUCKY IOTA

A handsome portrait of the late Judge John T. Pendleton, for many years a distinguished jurist at Atlanta, Ga., was hung in the Superior Court Building at Atlanta on December 18, 1927.

KENTUCKY KAPPA

Donald Bartholomew is teaching Economics in the high school at Middleboro, Kentucky.

Lieut. J. E. Pace, is teaching and coaching at Kentucky Military Institute, Lyndon, Kentucky, and has just finished a successful season with his football team.

J. Brent Wood is a student in the Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Louisville, Kentucky.

Dr. L. J. Crenshaw is Professor of Chemistry and Head of the Department at Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Harvey Alexander was elected Instructor in the Romance Language Department at Centre College at the opening of the autumn term. For the past six years he has been on the staff of the Fulton, Kentucky high school, and this summer received his Master of Arts degree from Columbia University.

Fred Wilt will be graduated from the Medical Department of the University of Louisville, Louisville, Ky. at the end of the present school year.

L. C. Coleman graduates from the University of Cincinnati Medical School at the commencement in June.

William Lamb will receive the Doctor of Medicine degree from Northwestern University in June of this year.

N. Powell Taylor is connected with the Kentucky Utilities Company with headquarters in Louisville, Ky.

LOUISIANA TAU-UPSILON

Herbert Hamilton, '26, who has been studying advertising art in Chicago during the fall and winter is at work with Bauerlein Incorporated as an advertising illustrator. Upon his final visit to National Headquarters, Brother Hamilton, stocked himself with a fraternity flag, and other S.A.E. memorabilia to be given to his chapter.

John R. Dykers is now connected with the real estate firm of Buckner & Ulmer with offices at 212 West Forsyth Street, Jacksonville, Fla.

MASSACHUSETTS BETA-UPSILON

Charles C. Withers is with the first National Bank of Boston.

Edwin A. Parker is with the J. W. Parker, real estate company, of Marshfield, Mass.

MICHIGAN ALPHA

Haig Gay is reporter for the Adrian Daily Telegram.

Robert Longworth, Alvin Campbell and Hyrtle Feeman are teaching this year.

MINNESOTA ALPHA

Justin Hayes June and Dick Molyneux are attending the Harvard law school.

MICHIGAN GAMMA

Brother Charles W. Lapworth is now Assistant Construction Engineer of the Detroit Edison Co.

The State Vocational School at Coldwater, Michigan is now under the direction of Brother Clarence F. Ramsey.

Brother Donald G. Robinson is now selling Life Insurance in Detroit, Mich.

Brother Joseph R. Witwer now has charge of Roads and Parks landscaping in Wayne County, Michigan.

Brother Kenneth L. Burt is now Chief Chemist in the Butterworth Hospital of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Brother Harry K. Wakefield is again at the High school at Monroe, Michigan as basketball coach and agricultural instructor.

Brother Edwin E. Goshko of Detroit has entered the Dentistry school at the University of Michigan.

Brother Charles S. Robinson, who for a number of years has been chief chemist of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Michigan State, has gone abroad and expects to study in Europe for a year.

Brother Cecil B. Wallis is engaged in lumbering in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. Brother Wallis is from Ruyard, Michigan.

MONTANA BETA

Paul DeVore, '26, is acting as a reporter on the Helena Independent, Helena, Montana and has the Capitol building run.

Charles W. Bloom, '27, has accepted a position as a forest ranger in the civil service and is stationed at Thompson Falls, Montana as has Charles G. Kumler, '27, who is stationed at Avery, Idaho.

J. Harvey McAlear, '25, is now county attorney of Liberty county and holds the distinction of being the youngest county attorney in Montana.

Ole Kay Moe is now coaching at Montana State Normal College. He received this position on the basis of his excellent record at Belgrade, Montana.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ALPHA

Carl H. Bowen is with the Art Metal Construction Co., at Charlotte, N. C. Malcolm Johnson is studying in the National City Bank of New York.

NEW HAMPSHIRE BETA

Richard Wilder, '19, is district field manager for the Packard Motor Company.

NEW YORK DELTA

Carl Burkard is with the advertising division of the Proctor and Gamble Company of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Howard Wood is with the Stromberg-Carlson Company in Rochester, New York.

Kenneth Kostenbader is directing amateur theatricals in the eastern states and recently sold one of his own productions.

Peter Bourbeau is New England manager of the Architectural Record, Company of Geneva, New York.

Gordon H. Mahley has been graduated from the University and has passed the New York State Bar examinations.

NEW YORK RHO

Lynwood N. Harvey is circulation manager of the Architectural Record 119 West 40th Street, New York City.

NEW YORK SIGMA-PHI

Rev. Jacob Probst, '92, was awarded the degree of D. D. at the last commencement.

Rev. Albert J. Nock, '92, was honored by the degree of LLD. at the same time for his biography of Thomas Jefferson.

Rev. Leo Kroll, Jr., has entered the Order of the Holy Cross.

A. H. Moser, '26, is on the faculty at Vanderbilt and John Englekirk, '26, is teaching at Northwestern.

W. C. Lown, '27, is coach and instructor at Pomfret Preparatory School, Pomfret, Conn.

NORTH CAROLINA XI

General Albert Cox, of Raleigh, was unanimously elected commander of the North Carolina department of the American Legion at its convention in Washington.

Major W. H. Pace has recently entered into a law partnership with William J. Lambert, one of the foremost lawyers of Washington.

George Carmichael is now located at Hallgarten, 44 Pine street, New York City.

J. G. Cowan has moved from Brevard, North Carolina to Gaffney, South Carolina.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA

D. Roy Tompkins is attending the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia.

OHIO DELTA

Edwin G. Guthery, '00, president of the Alumni Fund Council of Ohio Wesleyan University will again serve on the Board of Trustees at Wesleyan.

OHIO SIGMA

Brother Kenneth Mills is now head coach at Sandusky High School.

OKLAHOMA KAPPA

Carroll S. Moore, charter member of Oklahoma Kappa is owner of the Moore Advertising Company at Fort Worth, Texas.

Roy S. Johnson has recently been elected president of the Oklahoma Mortgage Association.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA-ZETA

T. R. Russell is at present working in Oil City. He will probably be moved to New York within six months.

C. N. Higgins, James N. Stewart and Lawrence Young, all of the class of 1927, are at work in Pittsburgh.

PENNSYLVANIA CHI-OMICRON

A. F. Gustafson, '26, and N. Lee Frank, '25, are the coach and assistant coach respectively of the Virginia Military Institute.

R. D. Peck, '17, is Director of Athletics at C. M. A.

O. M. (Tiny) Hewitt, Captain of last year's Army team is line coach at West Point.

L. P. Jordan, '23, is football coach at the Jeanette, (Pa.) High School.

H. F. Latham, '25, B. C. Curry, '19, H. E. Wilson, '25, and L. M. Depp, '26, are holding responsible positions with the General Motors Corporation.

J. Steele Gow, '16, is Secretary of the University of Pittsburgh.

PENNSYLVANIA PHI

W. E. Rice, is Assistant Fuel Engineer for the United States Bureau of Mines at Pittsburgh, Pa. At the First National Fuels Meeting in St. Louis, Mo. last fall, Brother Rice made an address on "The Use of Fuels in Brick Kilns."

Walter F. Kaufman, who graduated from the law school of the University of Pittsburgh last year, is with the Armstrong Cork Company at Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

PENNSYLVANIA ZETA

Joseph Ingram is Professor of Law at Dickinson.

SOUTH CAROLINA GAMMA

Henry J. Bennett, Francis A. Dean, Frank E. Exum, Maxcy W. Hook, and James C. Latimer are experiencing success as teachers and instructor this year.

Lowry Lindsay is studying law at George Washington University.

John A. Law is working for his father in the Saxon Mills, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

SOUTH DAKOTA SIGMA

Homer B. Slater is now associated with the Standard Oil Company, as city salesman in Aberdeen, S. D.

Elmer McDowell and Harry McFrye are practicing law in Sioux Falls, S. D.

Dwight Redfield is connected with the Nash-Firch company of Watertown, S. D.

TENNESSEE ETA

Dr. George Bayne is an X-ray specialist at Bardwell, Kentucky.

Herbert Burch is studying law at Vanderbilt university.

Rev. Charles W. Daniel for 18 years pastor of the First Baptist Church of Atlanta has resigned to assume the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Richmond, Va.

Dr. R. A. Kimbrough, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Charleston, Miss., was recently elected president of the state board of Baptists of Mississippi.

TENNESSEE KAPPA

Joe Clark is at present in training with the National City Bank of New York for service in the far East. His address is 104 Wallace St., Freeport, New York.

E. A. Long, after working in New York for the Bankers Trust Co., has been transferred to Atlanta with the same institution.

George F. Neal, Capt. U. S. N. is at present aide to Secretary of the Navy Wilbur, after having served as Assistant chief of Staff to Admiral Hughes.

Col. J. C. Breckenridge, U. S. Marine Corps, is now in command at Quantico, Virginia.

Capt. Walter C. Chandler, Tennessee Kappa, in the strenuous campaign of January was elected city attorney of the city of Memphis, Tenn. He was director of the campaign for Mayor Overton.

TENNESSEE LAMBDA

Henry B. Oliver is assistant cashier of the City National Bank, Miami, Florida.

TEXAS DELTA

Carlisle Mouzon is head of the physics department at Wesley College, Greenville, Texas.

Emmet Ward is attending the Galveston School of Music.

TEXAS RHO

M. A. Cooper, Jr., Texas Rho, '15, is secretary of the Cooper Grocery Company, wholesale grocers and coffee roasters of Waco, Texas. The company has branches at Temple, Hillsboro, Taylor, Cleburne, Dublin and Gatesville.

VIRGINIA KAPPA

E. Baird Moffit, '14, has been elected treasurer of Province Gamma.

VIRGINIA OMICRON

John D. Martin is in his third year as president of the Southern League, the outstanding baseball league in the South.

WASHINGTON CITY RHO

S.L. Lewis, LLB. 1927, is practicing law in Dallas, Texas.

R. E. Laird, LLB. 1927, has a law practice in Waverly, Iowa.

Thomas C. W. Kurtz, 1867, is living at Hampshire Arms, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

WASHINGTON BETA

Alexander Dalgety, Washington Beta, has returned to San Francisco where he is employed in the office of Marsh & McLennan, Insurance Brokers.

Besser Lindsay Awards

HUGH D. DUNLAP—*Vermont Alpha-Sigma-Pi*

H. R. Roberts, Dean:—Hugh D. Dunlap received the degree of Bachelor of Science on June 16, 1927. (Norwich University.)

Fletcher P. Plumley, E.A.: Hugh D. Dunlap, who graduated from Norwich University in June 1927 as an honor graduate, was one of those actively interested in Alpha-Sigma-Pi and in the affiliation of Alpha-Sigma-Pi with Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He was a prominent, efficient and very valuable member of the Fraternity.

R. D. Potter, Prof. of Physical Education:—Received letters as follows; Football 1925-26, Baseball (Manager) 1926; Trace 1927.

GEORGE H. WOOD—*Mississippi Gamma*

H. H. Hazel, Athletic Director, University of Mississippi:—Was a varsity baseball player for three years.

C. Longest, Registrar:—Had an average grade considerably above 80.

E. A. Dawson, E.S.R.: Brother Harden Wood was an active and loyal member of Mississippi Gamma while he was in college. He was Eminent Archon of the chapter for one semester and took an active interest in the chapter at all times. He was very prominent in campus activities.

GORDON H. MAHLEY—*N. Y. Delta*

L. M. Sweitzer, Secretary: Syracuse University:—average of 80.3%.

A. W. Wright, E.A.:—Was active as a member of the New York Delta chapter of S. A. E. holding several offices in the chapter. The offices held were E. H., E.D.A. and in his senior year that of E.A.

G. B. Thurston: Graduate Manager:—Certifies that Gordon Mahley was awarded the S in three varsity sports, Football, Basketball and Lacrosse.



Founders' Day will be celebrated this year by the Detroit Alumni Association, February 25. The date necessarily is early because of the Province convention, at Cincinnati, and because of other arrangements already made by the three active chapters. For some time, it has been the custom for the actives to join with the alumni in this event. This year, the affair is to be changed somewhat from other years. It will be a mixed party. The dinner will start at 7 p. m., according to present tentative plans, and will be finished at 8 p. m. The ladies then will retire for bridge until 10:30 p. m. During that time will be held the ceremonies included in the observance. At 10:30 p. m., the Brothers and their ladies will meet and dance until 2 a. m. Every S. A. E. in Michigan and neighboring states is urged to attend. In charge of arrangements is H. D. Hart, chairman.



The second Founder's Day banquet for the state of Iowa will be held this year at the Fort Des Moines hotel, Des Moines, on March 10. The festivities will consist of luncheon, afternoon initiation of pledges from the three chapters in the state and a supper and banquet in the evening. All members in the vicinity of Des Moines are invited to be present and take part in the celebration.

Chapter Connubial

Arkansas Alpha-Upsilon—Spurgeon S. Patterson to Miss Ruth Oberst at Blytheville, Arkansas, December 25, 1927. At home, Atlanta, Georgia.

California Alpha—Wayne C. Chapman to Miss Maude E. Withers at Pendleton, Oregon, June 12, 1927. At home, Pendleton, Oregon.

California Gamma—Lindley Bothwell to Miss Marion Seal. At home, Los Angeles, California.

Colorado Zeta—Joseph Wells to Miss Marie Graf. At home, 2258 South Clayton Street, Denver, Colorado.

Florida Upsilon—Paul Emmert to Mrs. Blanche Tatem at Brandenton, Florida, September 12, 1927.

Florida Upsilon—Marshall Carn to Miss Hazel Padgett at Tallahassee, Florida, June 11, 1927.

Florida Upsilon—Archibald Livingston, Jr. to Miss Katherine Broadus at Tampa, Florida, November 16, 1927.

Florida Upsilon—Maurice James Wilson to Miss Ruth Cannon at Concord, North Carolina, December 7, 1927.

Georgia Beta—James Lemuel Dowling, Jr. to Miss Lola Mae Thomas at Lake City, Florida, June 4, 1927.

Georgia Beta—Joel Davis Norris to Mrs. Genevieve Harper Hill at Atlanta, Georgia, January 28, 1928.

Georgia Epsilon—Samuel Martin Inman, Jr. to Miss Margaret Garwood at Atlanta, Georgia, December 27, 1927.

Georgia Phi—Julius Deck Garlington to Miss Martha Castleberry Maddox Denton at Atlanta, Georgia, November 1, 1927.

Georgia Phi—Claude August McGinnis, Jr. to Miss Rebecca Bayless Ashcraft at Atlanta, Georgia, November 2, 1927.

Idaho Alpha—Guy Penwell to Mrs. Betty Lays at Minneapolis, Minnesota, December 24, 1927.

Illinois Beta—Avery Brundage to Miss Elizabeth Dunlap at Chicago, Illinois, December 22, 1927.

Illinois Delta—Tom Blake to Miss Vesta Harper at West Frankfort, Illinois.

Illinois Delta—Louis L. Burwell to Miss Alice M. Pigg at Chicago, Illinois, August 3, 1927.

Illinois Delta—Roland Johnston to Miss Mabel Ash.

Illinois Psi-Omega—Andrew Jackson McGee to Miss Etta Mae Squire, January 9, 1928.

Kansas Alpha—Winfield Freeman Liggett to Miss Sarah Louise Evans at Kansas City, Kansas, November 26, 1927.

Kansas Beta—Jack Bennett to Miss Etta Conroy at Liberty, Missouri, June 7, 1927. At home, Concordia, Kansas.

Kansas Beta—Tom Griffith to Miss Eleanor Dempsey. At home, Wareham Apts., Manhattan, Kansas.

Massachusetts Beta-Upsilon—Alfred G. Place to Miss Marion Marr at Boston, Massachusetts, September, 1927.

Massachusetts Beta-Upsilon—Lawrence Wasson to Miss Caroline Hall at Plymouth, Massachusetts, June, 1927.

Michigan Gamma—Henry W. Pangborn to Miss Florence Boomhauer at Bad Axe, Michigan, June 10, 1927.

Mississippi Gamma—Charles Marshall Dunn to Miss Mayme Sample at Jackson, Mississippi, November 20, 1927.

Mississippi Gamma—F. F. Fleming, Jr. to Miss Carolyn Newsum at Jackson, Mississippi, January 1, 1928. At home, Clarksdale, Mississippi.

Mississippi Gamma—Gaston Hewes to Miss Julia Smith at Oxford, Mississippi, November 24, 1927.

Montana Alpha—Marcellus L. Maylor to Miss Ruth Namias Du Cette at Los Angeles, California, October 21, 1927.

Montana Beta—Leslie Lowry Colville to Miss Beulis Fern Maxim at Bend, Oregon, September 4, 1927.

Montana Beta—Paul DeVore to Miss Maxine Cameron at Helena, Montana, October 29, 1927.

Montana Beta—Leonard Jourdonais to Miss Ruth Anderson at Belfry, Montana, September 1, 1927.

Montana Beta—James Harvey McAlear to Miss Anastasia Lee at Columbia Falls, Montana, June 8, 1927.

Montana Beta—Everett Marble to Miss Louise Snyder at Great Falls, Montana, September 17, 1927.

Montana Beta—Ole Kay Moe to Miss Edna Louise Schenk at Helena, Montana, July 7, 1927.

Montana Beta—Walter G. Simpson to Miss Fredericks Sarah Hougland at Thompson Falls, Montana, September 7, 1927.

Nebraska Lambda-Pi—Ralph Rickley to Miss Pauline Barber at Fullerton, Nebraska.

Nebraska Lambda-Pi—Horace F. St. John to Miss Isabel Welch, July 5, 1927. At home, Elm Creek, Nebraska.

New York Delta—Strever Benham to Miss Caroline Biehler at Syracuse, New York, May 19, 1927.

New York Delta—James P. McClelland to Miss Alice Brigham at Liverpool, New York, May 7, 1927.

New York Mu—Robert Campbell Garth to Miss Sarah Souther Lingle at Davidson, North Carolina, December 28, 1927.

North Carolina Xi—Sam G. Jenkins to Miss Eugenia Harrell at Lake City, Florida, August 18, 1927.

Ohio Delta—Owen Pogue to Miss Mary Elizabeth Mueller, June, 1927.

Ohio Theta—Clay Cockerill to Miss Martha Hartman, September 3, 1927.

Oregon Beta—Parker E. Branin to Miss Mildred Lalore West at Salem, Oregon, August 28, 1927. At home, Pendleton, Oregon.

Pennsylvania Gamma—Pierson Booth to Miss Helen Elizabeth Collier at Corinth, Mississippi, October 11, 1927.

Tennessee Eta—Norman Russell Jobe to Miss Erau Izzard at Mobile, Alabama, November 22, 1927.

Tennessee Eta—Robert Hearn Spraggin to Miss Margerite White at New Orleans, Louisiana, July 2, 1927.

Tennessee Kappa—Morgan Ayres to Miss Patricia Miller at Knoxville, Tennessee, September, 1927.

Tennessee Kappa—Frank Preston to Miss Margaret Reece at Knoxville, Tennessee, November, 1927.

Tennessee Nu—Neil H. Cargile to Miss Eleanor Allen at Nashville, Tennessee.

Tennessee Zeta—J. Parchman Henry to Miss Emma B. Smith at Meridian, Mississippi, December 28, 1927.

Texas Delta—Porter Asburn Bywaters, Jr. to Miss Margaret Linda Atwood at Ennis, Texas, November 24, 1927. At home, Dallas, Texas.

Texas Delta—Laurin P. Marlow to Miss Frances Hill, July 26, 1927.

Texas Rho—H. Clay Perkins to Miss Dorothy Benners, September 3, 1927. At home, 4913 Worth St., Dallas, Texas.

Virginia Kappa—Lloyd Quinley Hines to Miss Elizabeth Jennings at Roanoke, Virginia, October 5, 1927.

Virginia Kappa—Wilfred Samuel Webster to Miss Hettie Fortesene Whitfield at Lexington, Kentucky, November 24, 1927. At home, Coalgood, Kentucky.

Virginia Sigma—S. H. Floyd to Miss Blanche Homington, June 3, 1927. At home, Jacksonville, Florida.

Virginia Sigma—William H. Maynard to Miss Elizabeth Whittington at Tunica, Mississippi, December 21, 1927. At home, Lexington, Virginia.

Virginia Sigma—Byron Chauncey Mohler to Miss Dorothy Butlin, January 13, 1928.

Washington Beta—Kenneth A. McKenzie to Miss Margaret R. Westerman at Seattle, Washington, October 5, 1927.

Wyoming Alpha—Robert Gish to Miss Dorothy Zaring, September 5, 1927. At home, Calpet, Wyoming.



Chapter Natal

Arizona Alpha—To Mr. and Mrs. Irving P. Crowell, a son, Paul Irving, January 3, 1928.

Florida Upsilon—To Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Futch, a son, Edward Roy, November 8, 1927.

Georgia Epsilon—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams, a son, James Fred III, December 5, 1927.

Idaho Alpha—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Olsen, a daughter, Joan Jeannette, November 26, 1927.

Illinois Beta—To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reid, a daughter, Kathryn Jo, January 10, 1928.

Illinois Psi-Omega—To Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith, a son, William Joseph, Jr., January 14, 1928, at Chicago, Illinois.

Indiana Gamma—To Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Darnall, a daughter, Dorothy Eleanor, November 26, 1927, at Wabash, Indiana.

Louisiana Epsilon—To Mr. and Mrs. William C. Armstrong, a daughter, Ann, December 20, 1927.

Maine Alpha—To Mr. and Mrs. George D. Woodberry, a daughter, Priscilla, November 8, 1927.

Massachusetts Beta-Upsilon—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Starke, a son, Richard Prescott, November 10, 1927.

Michigan Iota-Beta—To Mr. and Mrs. Norton Schuyler, a son, Philip Livingston, May 8, 1927, at Clinton, Missouri.

New York Delta—To Mr. and Mrs. Al Scholls, a son, September 30, 1927, at Watertown, New York.

New York Sigma-Phi—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Powers, a daughter, Patricia Louise, September 7, 1927.

North Carolina Xi—To Mr. and Mrs. Claudius Dockery, Jr., a son, Claudius III, December 28, 1927.

North Dakota Alpha—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Aandahl, a daughter, Mamie Louise, December 7, 1927.

Pennsylvania Delta—To Rev. and Mrs. J. Ray Houser, a son and a daughter, Luther Donald and Ardath Elaine, July 5, 1927.

Washington Alpha—To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bowles, a son, December 14, 1927, at Laurelhurst, Seattle, Washington.

Washington Beta—To Mr. and Mrs. David Taggart, a daughter, October 25, 1927.



Chapter Eternal

RESOLUTIONS OF PROVINCE EPSILON

William C. Levere

Whereas since the last convention of Province Epsilon, William C. Levere, Eminent Supreme Recorder, and untiring worker for SAE, has been called to his reward, and whereas, in the long history of SAE, no son has served her with greater devotion, ability and loyalty, and whereas Brother Levere's work for SAE has made our fraternity strong, noble and placed it in the front rank of American College Fraternities, now, therefore be it Resolved by Province Epsilon that we deeply mourn the passing of this noble brother and that each of us feels a sense of personal loss in the death of Brother Levere.

Resolved further that we extend to Brother Levere's family the assurance of our heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved further that these Resolutions be spread upon the convention minutes and a copy sent to the Record.

(Signed) R. M. Eden,
S. H. Dykes,
A. N. Sheppard.

RESOLUTIONS OF PROVINCE ALPHA

Don Robinson Almy

WHEREAS, in the wisdom of Divine Providence, our brother Don Robinson Almy of New York City, Past Eminent Supreme Archon of our Fraternity 1914 to 1918, and present Honorary Eminent Supreme Archon has been called from his earthly labors to the Chapter Eternal while still in the vigor of life and usefulness, therefore be it

RESOLVED: that, while this Province bows in humble submission to the will of the Supreme Archon of the Universe, and acknowledges the working of Providence in human events and in our individual lives, we gratefully express our appreciation of our Brother Don Robinson Almy, his great service to our fraternity through many years of active effort, and the many reforms which have been brought about, not only in our own fraternity but throughout the Greek Letter World through his vision, integrity and his great love for man.

RESOLVED: that, we recognize and appreciate the sterling qualities of mind and heart of our Brother Almy, his genial ways, his faithful service, his great interest in our fraternity, his exemplary life, his standing as a lawyer and an advocate, his ability to hold and fill important offices of private and public trust and the confidence of the public in his integrity and faithfulness. What will prove to be a more lasting memorial to Brother Almy is the constructive thought contained in his last address, delivered to the National Convention in Boston on December 28, 1926, entitled "The New Profession." His was the realization in full of the spiritual manifestation of brotherhood. He was a man of whom we can say; he was wise, steadfast in the strength of God, and true.

RESOLVED: that, a page be set apart in our records to record our appreciation of Brother Almy and of his services to our fraternity and humanity at large, and that an engrossed copy of this resolution be sent to his family.

Respectfully submitted,

Herbert H. Bennett
Charles F. Collins
Spencer S. Dodd
Charlie E. Lawrence
Horace Z. Landon
William H. Marland

HAWLEY KNOX RISING

Mass. Beta-Upsilon

WHEREAS, It has pleased Divine Providence to call from our midst our beloved brother and faithful friend Hawley Knox Rising, whose interest, thought and efforts have been of such inestimable value in the building up and the carrying on of the affairs of this fraternity,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the members and delegates of Province Alpha of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity in Convention here assembled express their appreciation of his kindly spirit, his loyalty both personal and fraternal, of his unstinted willingness to serve both his Chapter and his Fraternity at large, of his intelligent administration of the many offices it devolved upon him to hold, and of his bearing and conduct as a gentleman to whom the younger members of the Fraternity were proud to look up, and with whom the older members were proud to associate.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED, That while mourning his loss ourselves we also extend sympathy to his family whose support and approval made his efforts so thorough and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be spread upon the records of this Convention and forwarded to the Eminent Supreme Recorder, and to members of Brother Rising's immediate family.

Respectfully submitted,

Herbert H. Bennett
Charles F. Collins
Spencer S. Dodd
Charles E. Lawrence
Horace Z. Landon
William H. Marland

Orono, Maine
December 10, 1927

ROBERT YOUNG

Penn. Phi.

Robert Ord Young, member of the Junior class and a Junior editor of the Tartan staff, quietly joined the "Clan Eternal," Saturday night, October 8, at the Presbyterian Hospital. After three days of illness, his death came from spinal and cerebral meningitis, believed to have resulted from operations of last year and the past summer.

"Bobby," as he was known to all, came here from Denver, Colorado. He was a member of the Junior class in Engineering, a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, a Junior editor on the Tartan staff and a member of the Thistle staff for 1928. He always took an active part in Carnegie life and held various places in campus activities. Serious, thoughtful, enthusiastic, hard working and agreeable he won the love of his fraternity, and made a host of friends on the campus.

DONALD JAMES BAIRD

Florida Upsilon

Brother Donald James Baird was born March 8, A. D. 1904, at Mendota, Illinois. At the age of 7 he moved with his family, an only child, to Jacksonville, Florida, and at-

tended the public schools of that City. During those years he was an outstanding figure in social and religious activities, and boys' fraternal orders, being known both for his cheerfulness and his stability.

In 1922 he entered the University of Florida, and became a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. During his years at the University he enjoyed the same well-merited admiration and respect that were his before entering college. In fraternity work he was Eminent Correspondent for two years, and Eminent Archon during his senior year. In 1925 he was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Laws, and immediately entered into the practice of law at Jacksonville, Florida.

He was fast earning for himself a name as one of the most conscientious members of the younger bar of the city, when, at the age of 23 he was stricken with appendicitis and died.

FLOYD WINGO
Miss. Gamma

Floyd Wingo, widely known attorney of Stuttgart, Ark., and past state legion commander, died in the Trinity Hospital at Little Rock, Nov. 29, 1927, as a result of an automobile accident. The accident occurred when a bus in which brother Wingo was riding was struck by a car driven by a negro. Brother Wingo was born in Martin, Tenn., and attended the University of Mississippi where he was initiated into S.A.E. He moved to Arkansas fifteen years ago. He was a veteran of the World War.

PAUL GRAY ELDER
Penn. Alpha-Zeta

Paul Gray Elder met an accidental death July 8, 1927, at Winnipeg, Manitoba. Until May 15 last he had been in the employ of the Mineral Leasing Division of the U. S. Geological Survey for a period of four years. While hunting near Winnipeg last July he discharged the gun he was carrying in an attempt to climb a fence. He was instantly killed. His body was brought to Phillipsburg, Penn., where it was interred.

MURRAY M. STEWART
Georgia Beta

Murray M. Stewart, former mayor of Savannah, died at his home Jan. 19, 1928. Bro. Stewart was stricken by a heart attack and failed to respond to treatment. He was a prominent citizen of Savannah and was mayor for two terms, from 1919 to 1923.

Brother Stewart is survived by his widow, who was Miss Harriett Jones, of Baltimore, their marriage occurring in March, 1882; one son, Murray McG. Stewart, Jr.; four daughters, two sisters and three grandchildren.

He was a native of Savannah, and was born there March 4, 1868. He attended the University of Georgia.

After leaving college, he first entered newspaper work in Savannah, later going into the brokerage office of his father. After his father's death he conducted the business and was largely instrumental in forming some of the largest fertilizer concerns in this section.

HAROLD FRYE TAYLOR
Pennsylvania Alpha-Zeta

Harold Frye Taylor, of the class of 1926, at Penn State, was reported lost at sea in October, 1927. His death was later affirmed by the Captain of the S. S. "Pan America,"

on which he had been employed. Brother Taylor, or "Doc," as he will be remembered by his many friends, was the beloved son of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Taylor of Monongahela City, Pa. While "Doc" was in school at Penn State he was Captain of the Golf Team, Editor of the Froth, Editor of the Old Main Bell, Member of Blue Key Society, Parmi Nous, and Pi Delta Epsilon, besides being a member of several other organizations on the Campus, and Eminent Archon of the Chapter.

WILLIAM J. LINWOOD
Ohio Sigma

William J. Linwood was born in London, Eng., but came early to America and received his education in the schools of Alliance, Ohio, and at Mount Union College. In 1894 he entered the stock raising business and was known among members of the fraternity then for branding all of his cattle with the initials "S.A.E." He was married to Miss Josephine Atwell of Alliance, Ohio. He resided for fifty years at Raton, N. M., where he took an active part in the affair of the state and county. At the time of his death, Dec. 18, 1927, he was vice president of the National Bank of New Mexico. He is survived by his widow and three sisters.

Alabama Alpha Mu—Langdon B. Gammon died at Rome, Georgia, November 16, 1927.

California Beta—John A. Davitt died at San Francisco, California.

Colorado Delta—Elliot S. Ray died at Pueblo, Colorado, October 29, 1927.

Florida Upsilon—Donald J. Baird died at Jacksonville, Florida, October 3, 1927.

Florida Upsilon—De Forest Chrinstance died at Miami, Florida, April 16, 1927.

Georgia Beta—Henry S. McClesky died at Little Rock, Arkansas, January 8, 1928.

Illinois Beta—Elmer Ferdinand Bauer died at St. Louis, Missouri, November 29, 1927, as a result of being gassed during the World War.

Iowa Delta—Girard George Ingersoll died at Battles Wharf, Alabama, November 13, 1927.

Kansas Alpha—Roscoe C. Chambers, first charter member of Kansas Alpha died at Kansas City, Missouri, July, 1927.

Louisiana Tau-Upsilon—Frank Dawkins died at New Orleans, Louisiana, July, 1927.

Massachusetts Iota-Tau—Addis Devey Nelson was killed in an airplane collision at Norfolk, Virginia, November 9, 1927.

Nevada Alpha—R. W. Hesson died at Elko, Nevada.

North Carolina Theta—Willoughby Erwin Chambers, class of 1896. Deceased.

Ohio Tau — Benjamin H. Sizelove died at Hamilton, Ohio, October, 1927.

Pennsylvania Alpha-Zeta—Robert B. Meckley died at his home in Schenectady, New York, November 28, 1927. He was buried in Lisburn, Penna.

Tennessee Kappa—C. W. Conrad died October 7, 1927.

Washington Beta—E. F. Dodds died January 26, 1927.

Washington Beta—Edward Keith Hyde died at his home, Bellingham, Washington, January 7, 1928.

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