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BOWDOIN AND THE KAPPA

By CHARLES S. F. LINCOLN, *Kappa* '91

DOWN IN MAINE," as we say north of Boston, on an alluvial plain extending from the falls of the Androscoggin to Casco Bay, on the main line of the Maine Central Rail Road, and on Route 1 is the site of Bowdoin College. The town was settled in 1738, and should have been named Pejepscot, the Indian name of the locality, but the loyal, if not admiring subjects of the House of Hanover called it Brunswick.

The falls have played a great role in the business destiny of the town, and of its neighbor across the river, Topsham.

The plain on which the town and the college are situated is sandy, and covered with pines, at least many are still there, and is broken by an old river terrace, called by courtesy "the hill."

In the closing years of the 18th Century, the District of Maine, still an integral part of Massachusetts, feeling its growing pains, and a bit jealous of its more prosperous mother, decided that it needed a college of its own, and began petitioning the legislature in 1787, for a charter. Owing to political intrigues, this was turned down, and not until seven years later, in 1794, was it finally granted. After much scheming, and not a little animosity, Brunswick was finally selected as the site for the college, which was named for its sponsor, and first real benefactor, the late Governor of Massachusetts, William Bowdoin. With its slender resources and the

usual delays, building was not started until 1800, and the Reverend Mr. James McKeen of Beverly, Massachusetts, was elected President. The first class was admitted in 1802, and was graduated in 1806.

This brief statement is largely for the orientation of the readers, for there are many to whom Maine and Bowdoin are only names. Even as late as two years ago, after a certain election, doubts were expressed as to whether Maine was still in the United States; and many people are inclined to confuse Brunswick with our big neighbor, the Canadian Province of New Brunswick.

Bowdoin, after its modest and unpretentious start, soon became a going concern, and in 1820 was established its affiliated branch, the Medical School of Maine, the graduates of which received their degrees from Bowdoin, though the College never had or aspired to the status of a university. The Medical School was closed after an honorable career of one hundred years, as the higher standards of medical education, the needs of increased clinical facilities and full-time professors could no longer be met.

Bowdoin College in its first three decades must have been rather a queer place, from our point of view. Youth took itself more seriously than it does today, if we can judge by its correspondence; and most of the social delights and distractions of today were either unknown or suppressed. The days of dueling were

hardly over, and personal grievances could be settled by physical prowess without danger of fatalities. Tempers were more touchy, and there was no mass feeling, such as is fostered by athletic competition, to relieve the tension. Forensics and debates were the popular mental safety valves, outside of study and

teen kindred spirits met, and decided to form a social and literary society, with the express purpose of affiliating with some one of the other extant fraternities. Delta Phi was considered, but no approach was made. The next step was to get in touch with a member of the Gamma Chapter of Psi U.



HOME OF THE KAPPA CHAPTER

reading. The two general literary societies, which included practically the whole student body, were keen rivals, and the feeling between them ran high. Into a life of this sort entered the intercollegiate Greek letter fraternities.

The Kappa of Psi U probably owes its rise to the establishment, in the spring of 1842, of the Bowdoin Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi. It was first in the field, and, from contemporary accounts put on more or less "side." Early in the same year four-

The rapidity with which negotiations proceeded in those days is in striking contrast with the delay and probation which has kept many a worthy successor without the door of its Psi U home over a period of months or years, and in some cases has resulted in a closing of the door forever.

The apparently successful application was stopped abruptly by the idea in the mind of the Union Chapter that the petitioners were a bunch of Delta Phi's in disguise, desiring to

obtain a copy of the Psi U constitution; rather a sad reflection on the aims of a rival society.

For a time negotiations were suspended, and the Bowdoin men, naturally offended and disappointed, decided to form a local, and await development. So in the fall of 1842 the courageous fourteen "swung out" as a local, the Omega Phi.

There was apparently some hostility among the student body to the idea of these secret societies as rivals of the older and more open societies, the spirit of which crystallized at Williams in 1834, in the founding of a violently antisecret society Delta Upsilon, which later changed its title to nonsecret, and today does not bother to distinguish itself in name or method from the common herd of Greeks, whom it originally sought to put out of business.

Four months later in March, 1843, the new society made first election from the class of '44, in its test of strength against its intercollegiate rival. It was their first chance for comparison of their respective popularity in the student body, and a week later the recorder triumphantly reports that "all individuals elected at the previous meeting, and who were in town, had accepted, and were in readiness to be initiated," which rite took place on March 27. The recorder wishes it distinctly understood that six of the eight had also been elected to Alpha Delta Phi—they chose the local.

Three months later the subject of petition to Psi U was again brought up; this time through the encouragement of Mellen Chamberlain, Zeta

'44, and the zeal of William D. Northend, '43, one of the original group of petitioners. Events moved swiftly, and early in July they were notified by Mr. Chamberlain, that Lincoln F. Brigham, Zeta '42, would be down within a few days, with power to initiate, and install the chapter. This took place on the evening of July 20, in Rooms 3 and 4, College House, long since torn down. On the 26th the members met again, and voted the meagre furnishings of the Omega Phi Society to be the property of the Kappa Chapter of Psi Upsilon.

The following year, 1844, the Alpha Eta of Chi Psi, and the Theta of Delta Kappa Epsilon were established, which was the fraternity situation at Bowdoin for the next thirteen years.

The seventeen years down to the tragedy of the War between the States were years of prosperity and success. Under President Woods the College flourished, maintained its position as a small college, and graduated an average of three hundred, every ten years, from 1830 to 1890: the lean years being from 1870 to 1890. The College began to pick up again after President Hyde took charge in the fall of 1885.

In the first half of the Kappa's history, from '43 to '91, its life was essentially literary and scholastic; the old idea of the fraternity as a center of culture and mental growth still obtained; the meetings were well attended, and a regular literary program was carried out. In the beginning the chapter met in the room of one of its members; soon a hall or rooms were rented where the meetings were held, and feasts were served.

In the early days of the Kappa, two great family names were on its rolls extending through twenty-five years; Packard and Smythe; sons and cousins of two of Bowdoin's early and distinguished professors. The line, Alas! is extinct at Bowdoin, with a probable renewal in a year or so. There were other famous names in that first era: Senators Frye, and Johnson of Maine; and Rice of Massachusetts and Came of Maine in Congress; Sir Josiah Pierce, John H. Goodenow, and Sumner I. Kimball, in Government service; Gov. Quinby of New Hampshire; Cols. Gilman, Howard, and Gen. Cilley in the old Army; Judges Symonds, Emery, and Wiswell; Bishop Spalding of Colorado; Revs. Egbert C. Smythe, John Cotton Smith, J. K. Greene, and W. R. Hunt; and Dr. Simpson of Chicago, dermatologist, and authority on radium treatment.

The writer is too close in the second era to evaluate its members; but they are receiving their share of distinction in the life of this generation, and it would be difficult to make an adequate selection.

Early in 1900 the chapter houses

were built. Since then and especially since the war, the tendency has been to stress the social side of fraternity life, and perhaps over-stress the entertainment of the eternal feminine; and the increased use of the combustion engine as a means of rapid and cheap transportation, has had much to do with the slump in scholastic standards, and the neglect of cultural ideals.

In spite of the disintegrating trends of the present century—note the croak of the mossback—the rising generation of Kappa Alumni, as before stated, is a credit to the College and the Fraternity.

Next June it will be for the fifth time our privilege to entertain the Convention of Psi U. Maine is beautiful in summer; the Bowdoin campus must be seen to be appreciated, and it is the opportunity of a lifetime. The dates are June 21, 22 and 23.

In another four years the Kappa will have its centennial. May its second century be more successful than the last; and may the ideals and aims of the Fraternity remain untarnished by the more ephemeral and material claims of the present.

The author of "Bowdoin and the Kappa," is Brother Charles Stewart Fessenden Lincoln, Kappa '91. A distinguished alumnus of Bowdoin College, one of the most loyal and beloved members of our Fraternity, he has had a most interesting career, much of his life having been devoted to medical missionary work in China. The Secretary of his class at Bowdoin, Brother Lincoln has been most helpful in supplying THE DIAMOND with news items.

This will be the sixth time that the Fraternity has held its Convention with the Kappa Chapter. Previous Conventions were held there in 1850, 1875, 1894 and 1911. In 1862 there was not a quorum at the scheduled Convention.

NORMAN ALEXANDER McLARTY, NU'10, APPOINTED POSTMASTER GENERAL OF CANADA

By LESLIE CLARE MOYER, Nu '10

ON JANUARY 23rd last, Norman Alexander McLarty, P. C., B.A., K.C., M.P., was summoned to Government House, Ottawa, and in the presence of Governor General Tweedsmuir and Prime Minister Mackenzie King, was sworn in as a Member of His Majesty's Privy Council and Postmaster General of Canada.

Brother McLarty's elevation to the Cabinet comes as no surprise to his contemporaries in the University of Toronto and in the Fraternity. From early youth he has been marked for leadership and has acquired and modestly assimilated his honours without seeking them. Incidentally he was prophetically referred to by his friends of undergraduate days as the "Prime Minister."

Born in St. Thomas, Ontario, on February 18, 1889, Brother McLarty entered the Arts Faculty of the University of Toronto in 1906 and as a matter of course became President of his Freshman year. During the ensuing four academic years he was conspicuous in all the activities of his Fraternity, Class and College. His range of attainments extended from athletics to the winning of the Gold Medal for Oratory.

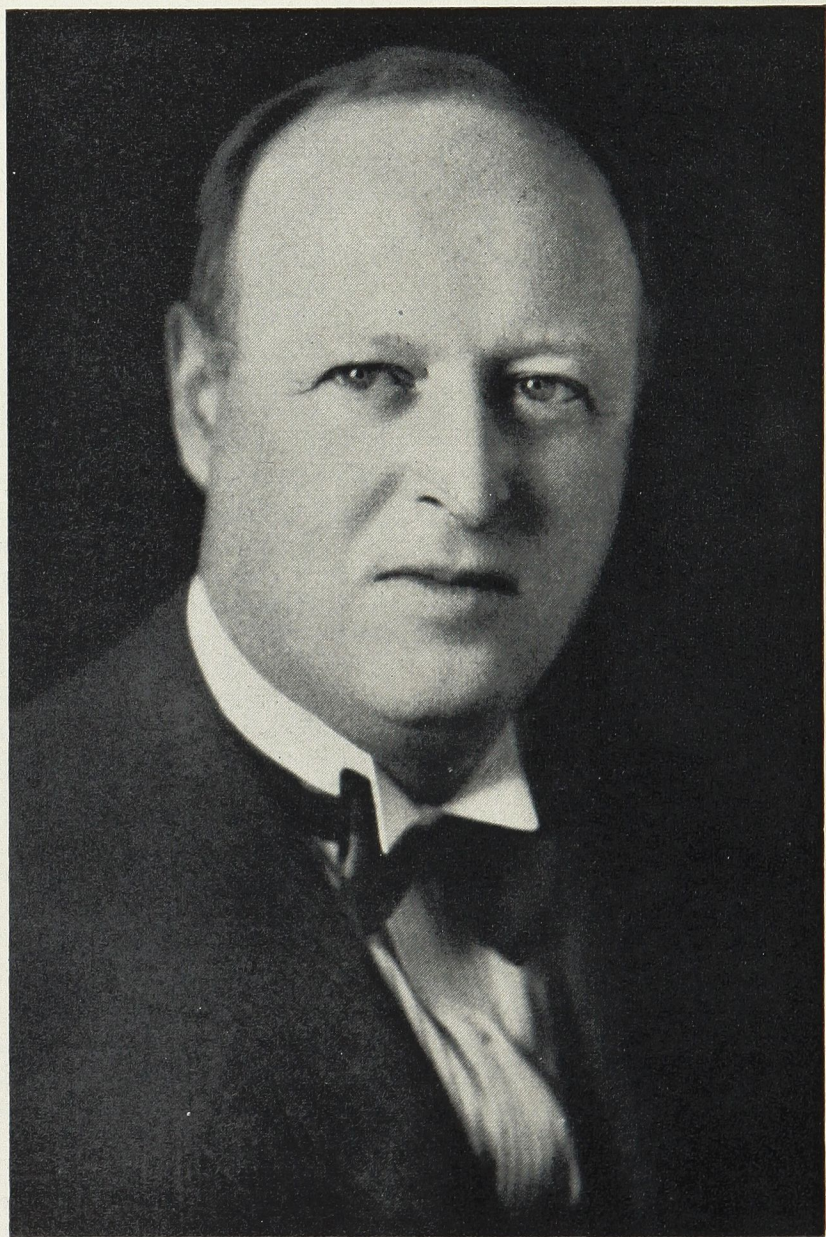
From University College Brother McLarty proceeded to Osgoode Hall where his record was equally bril-

liant, and whence he was admitted to the Ontario Bar. After some ten years in the successful practice of Law in Medicine Hat, Alberta, he returned to Ontario and opened an office in Windsor. Specializing in corporation law he rapidly built up a large practice and a wide circle of friends. On more than one occasion he declined the urgings of his party leaders to enter public life. Finally in 1935 he capitulated and was elected to the House of Commons with a sweeping majority as a supporter of the Liberal administration.

At the opening of his first Parliamentary Session he was honoured with the task of moving the Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne and his contribution on that occasion has been described as one of the classics of Hansard.

It is characteristic of Brother McLarty that few people, even in Ottawa, know that he is the instigator and author of Canada's Home Improvement Plan. After a study of similar schemes in the United States, he laid the ground work for a Canadian system even to drafting the legislation. Then he turned over his work to the National Employment Commission.

A Press Gallery commentator made the statement when Brother McLarty moved to the treasury benches in the House of Commons that he looked more as a Minister



NORMAN ALEXANDER MCLARTY, *Nu* '10

of the Crown should look than any other member of the Cabinet. He is a careful dresser and is never seen in public (except on the golf course,) without a wing collar and bow tie.

Brother McLarty was married early in life to Dorothy McColl, also an alumnus of the University of Toronto. They have two daughters, Barbara and Sheila.

The editorial page of *The Windsor Daily Star* for January 24, 1939, contained the following remarks concerning Brother McLarty:

"Mr. McLarty Steps Up at Ottawa.

"One of the most generally satisfactory pieces of news Windsor and Essex County have had in a long time came yesterday afternoon when the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King announced to an applauding House that he had invited Mr. Norman Alexander McLarty, B.A., K.C., member of Parliament for the riding of Essex West, to become a member of his cabinet with the portfolio of Postmaster-General.

"That the new Postmaster-General will give an excellent account of himself in the higher responsibilities to which he has been

elevated goes without saying. Everyone, friend or foe, appreciates Mr. McLarty's unusual qualifications. He has an exceptionally attractive personality, a faculty for making and holding friends, an outstanding flair for public utterance, a kind and sympathetic manner. Of Mr. McLarty it has been said that no man in the country has better manners, a finer sense of politeness and courtesy, and from our long and intimate acquaintance with him we can quite believe that this is the case. We do not wonder that Mr. King has selected the Essex West member for his cabinet because Mr. McLarty is the sort of man to appeal to the Prime Minister.

"Mr. McLarty's serious and painstaking efforts as spokesman for West Essex have attracted favorable attention and comment throughout this district and at Ottawa. He has been an indefatigable worker, anxious and ready at all times to do his best for the riding and for the area generally. He has always welcomed cooperation and suggestions from all classes of people and every school of political thought. In his new capacity *The Star* predicts he will be more than ever anxious to serve, and it will be excellent business for this community to cooperate with him enthusiastically to this end. Particularly important is the idea of close working arrangements between the member and the new civic administration, for between them, they will be in a position to accomplish much for the city and district."

The McGill Interfraternity Scholarship Cup's first decade ends as it began—on the Epsilon Phi mantel. The recently issued report of rankings for the 1937–1938 session places PSI Upsilon once more on the top. For the ten years the record has been: 1929 (PSI Upsilon); 1930 (PSI Upsilon); 1931 (Alpha Delta Phi); 1932 (PSI Upsilon); 1933 (no report); 1934 (Delta Sigma Phi); 1935 (Delta Sigma Phi); 1936 (Phi Delta Theta); 1937 (PSI Upsilon); 1938 (PSI Upsilon).

A marvelous record for which the Chapter is to be most highly congratulated. The winner of first place honors five years out of the nine which have been reported and in the other years the runner-up. Can any chapter of any fraternity equal this fine record?

By special order of the State Department, the diplomatic pouch that carried State papers to our Embassy in Berlin also carried a complete assortment of American funnies for Ambassador Hugh B. Wilson, Beta '06.

PLANS FOR THE 1939 CONVENTION WITH THE KAPPA

By GEORGE H. QUINBY, *Kappa '23*

THE Kappa Chapter extends its greetings to all Brothers, old and young, and invites them to attend the 1939 Convention of Psi Upsilon on June 21, 22, and 23 at Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine. Recognizing the danger attendant on a journey to a foreign clime, we desire to allay the fears and alleviate the tribulations of travellers from Canada and the United States by stating a few facts concerning this last outpost of Republicanism.

First of all, our active chapter is composed in an overwhelming majority of outlanders who, having spent some time among the natives, will be happy to act as interpreters and guides. The traveller from Boston, having followed Route One one hundred and fifty miles or having spent three hours on the Boston and Maine—Maine Central Railways (no change in Portland is necessary), will be heartily greeted in Brunswick by Brothers of the local chapter even from beyond the Hudson. Second, since twelve of our chapters are within four hundred miles of this alien territory, we are hopeful that many a comrade will come to cheer us in our exile. Particularly do we urge your presence because—as is often remarked by our Brethren of the Faculty and by that most faithful of convention-trotters, Brother Charles S. F. Lincoln—Brunswick is at its loveliest in late June. And who are we to suggest that the departure of the

undergraduates has anything to do with it?

Let us presume, then, that your worst worries concerning the political and climatic conditions of “Vacationland” are overcome. What will you find here?

Brunswick is a small town and Bowdoin a small college. In order to plan a big time we have, therefore, needed much assistance from the college authorities and our Kappa Alumni. President Kenneth C. M. Sills—alas, a Deke!—has promised us the use not only of the college dormitories, student Union, and auditorium, but of the playing fields, tennis courts, and swimming pool as well. Any Brother desirous of research will find the Library also available. Our guests will thus sleep, eat, attend meetings, and—we hope—play on the campus, which will be ours for the duration of the Convention.

Business meetings will be held from 10 to 12 each morning and from 2 to 4 on Wednesday and Thursday. After the Wednesday session the delegates are invited by President and Mrs. Sills to attend a reception and tea at their home. Plans for the evening are not yet ripe for disclosure, except that no formality will be observed.

After the meetings on Thursday the Convention will move *en masse* to the near-by fishing village of Harpswell, where—after such appetite provoking antics as befit the

solemnity of the occasion—a clam bake will introduce the guests to down-East cooking. The less athletically-inclined may raise a hunger by means of a boat ride on Casco Bay.

At noon on Friday all golfers will be rounded up by Brother Hood, who has made arrangements for a tournament on the links of the Poland Spring House. Non-golfers will find a variety of amusements—athletic or otherwise—awaiting them on the campus, and may journey in a second wave later in the day to

the Poland Spring House. The Convention Banquet in that famous old hostelry will conclude festivities on Friday evening. It is too early to announce the speakers at present writing; but we have in mind the standards set by Brothers Olcutt, Taft, Phelps, and many another Psi Upsilon orator.

Arrangements will be made so that a return to Brunswick to spend Friday night may be made.

We hope for a record turn-out. It does get lonely down here in the wilderness!

The Convention organization is as follows: Pierson C. Irwin, Jr., '39, William B. Allen, '39, Harry P. Hood, '39, Frank E. Woodruff, '39, Oakeley A. Melendy, '39, and Walter M. Benham, '39. This committee is being aided by a Portland Alumni Committee whose chairman is Roland E. Clark, '01, and the Boston Alumni Committee whose chairman is Bradley P. Howes, '28. In the near future an Alumni Committee will be set up in New York.

The following Brothers have been exceedingly helpful in supplying news items and in giving valuable suggestions for the March issue of THE DIAMOND: Edward Baruch, Lambda '30; Robert L. Bliss, Chi '30; Frederick S. Brandenburg, Rho '09; E. Willis Brown, Omicron '31; Benjamin T. Burton, Chi '21; Donald V. Carey, Iota '25; Cyril J. Carroll, Nu '32; Herbert G. Coddington, Pi '86; R. Bourke Corcoran, Omega '15; William A. Cornelius, Eta '89; John W. Corris, Upsilon '36; George R. Cory, Theta '34; Charles W. Curts, Zeta '23; Robert A. Eichelberger, Tau '26; William S. Eichelberger, Eta '23, Tau '24, Iota '24; Cadwallader Evans, Jr., Eta '01; Charles N. Fuller, Xi '35; Stephen G. Kent, Delta Delta '11; Charles S. F. Lincoln, Kappa '91; Godfrey E. Macnab, Nu '19; W. J. McClelland, Nu '23; Leslie C. Moyer, Nu '10; George H. Quinby, Kappa '23; Thomas B. K. Ringe, Tau '23; George F. Russell, Iota '01; Lewis Schwager, Mu '95; George T. Sharp, Tau '11; Theron H. Spring, Kappa '29; Robert B. Waltz, Theta Theta '35; William H. Wetmore, Lambda '84. The Editor is deeply indebted to them for their kind assistance.

At this time the Editor wishes to pay his respects to the great help which has been given him by Brother William S. Eichelberger, Eta '23, Tau '24, Iota '24. Much of the most interesting Psi U news contained in the last two volumes of THE DIAMOND has come from him.

ROSWELL GRAY HAM, EPSILON '14, NEW MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

THE DIAMOND notes with much pleasure the election of Brother Roswell Gray Ham, Epsilon '14, to the Executive Council, to



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ROSWELL GRAY HAM, *Epsilon* '14.
Newly Elected Member of the
Executive Council

fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Brother Henry Percy Douglas, Chi '94. His term will run until 1942. He is the first Brother from the Epsilon Chapter to have served on the governing body of Psi Upsilon. President of Mount Holyoke College since 1937, the entire Fraternity is proud of the record of the new member of the Council.

Born in California, Brother Ham

graduated from the University of California in 1914 with the B.L. degree. The next year he became an instructor in English at the University of Washington, returning to California in that capacity in 1916. As Captain in the Marine Corps, he saw service overseas during the World War from 1917 to 1919. From 1920 to 1925 he was a student in the Yale Graduate School and an instructor in English. In 1925 he received his Ph.D. in English Literature and joined the Yale Faculty. Amherst College bestowed an honorary LL.D. upon him in 1936, and he was similarly honored by Mills College a year later.

Brother Ham has three children, Roswell Gray, Jr., and Cornelius Kimball, by his first wife, Helen Cornelius, who died in 1933, and David Sargent by his second wife, Hilda Sargent.

An extremely able executive and scholar (he is a recognized authority on Dryden), Brother Ham was one of Yale's most distinguished teachers. He is the author of *Otway and Lee—Biography from a Baroque Age* (1931), and of numerous articles on English literature. He is conspicuously qualified to follow in the steps of that long list of Psi U's who have rendered notable service as college and university presidents.

Brother Ham should contribute much to the Executive Council. The Fraternity is indeed honored that he has found the time to serve.

'LITTLE CHI' DINNER FETES THREE VARSITY CAPTAINS

By ROBERT L. BLISS, *Chi '30*

WHEN sixty odd New York City Alumni of the Chi sat down to their forty-third annual Little Chi Dinner at the Union League Club, January 20, they had as their guests three outstanding members of the Class of 1939 at Cornell—Brothers Alfred F. Van Ranst, Captain of the Ivy League Football Champions; All-America Tackle, William W. McKeever, Captain of Track at Ithaca; and Cornell's plucky little base runner, Robert F. White, Captain of the Big Red's Baseball Team. Van Ranst is also a track letterman, and White also plays football, as well as heading the Chapter. Lyndon H. Stevens, Chi '39, Manager of Track, was the delegate from the chapter. He is the son of Edward L. Stevens, Chi '99, and brother of Edward L. Stevens, Jr., Psi '30.

The highlight of the evening was the showing of the colored movies of the Cornell-Dartmouth and Cornell-Penn State Football Games, shown for the first time publicly. Produced by the Eastman Kodak Company last Fall, the colors instilled all of the excitement and action of the real game. Captain Van Ranst acted as commentator and his analysis of the plays, and his personal reminiscences spiced the program.

Brother Charles H. Blair, Chi '97, President of the Chi of Psi Upsilon Association, presided and introduced the guests. He paid tribute to Carl F. Spang, '39, mentioned for All-

American Right End, who was unable to attend, and to the other five Chi regulars of the Big Red lineup. Spang, Van Ranst and McKeever were chosen to play in the North-South Game at Montgomery, Alabama, in the Blue and Gray contest on January 2.

New York Alumni of the Cornell Chapter call themselves informally, "The Little Chi," and their annual dinners have become one of the ever-green traditions of the chapter and of the Fraternity. Started in 1896 when a group of undergraduates visited the New York members of the chapter during the Christmas holidays, they have gained in interest each year. Of the founders, three are living, Brothers "Harry" Sheldon, Chi '97, "Billy" Atkinson, Chi '95, and "Ernie" Bull, Chi '98. The late "Bill" Brayton, '93, "Fred" Heitcamp, '96, Ezra Cornell Blair, '96, and "Kitty" Rand, '97, were the others. It was probably, according to best recollections, Ezra Cornell Blair, '96, grandson of the founder of the University, and brother of Charles H. Blair who originally hit on the idea.

The first of the dinners was held at a place called John's Chop House, somewhere near Fulton Street, in downtown New York. Then later came an affair at Muschenheim's Arena. "Charlie" Blair, who has missed only one in their entire history, recalls that that night in 1900, there was raised enough money to

build a wing for a dining room on the Chapter House at Ithaca. His comment "—and we did it on domestic champagne" might be a commentary on the promotional prowess of Chi men when they go to work for the chapter or the University. This same group organized the largest group endowment of Cornell Alumni for Cornell's War Memorial Dormitories, after the war.

Present at this year's affair were Brothers Charles H. Blair and Henry Sheldon, '97, Charles T. Ellis, '99, Gordon W. Colton, '00, George R. Van Namee, and Charles S. Yawger, '02, and Barringer, Sigma, '02 (honorary member of the Chi), David T. Wells and Theodore P. White, '04, Henry Sage Dunning, '05, George Scott Whiting, '06, Robert Burns and William S. Stowell, '07, Fielder J. Coffin and John P. Dods, '08, John B. Delehanty and Walter

B. Woodruff, '10, Foster M. Coffin and Leonard T. Kittinger, '12, George H. Selden, Stoddard M. Stevens and Donald B. Rice, '14, William L. Kleitz, '15, Thomas T. Cooke and George M. Stevens, '16, Edward Ewen Anderson and James E. Brinckerhoff, '17, Willard Fiske Place, '18, Richard P. Dyckman and G. Ruhland Rebmann, '19, Anthony O. R. Baldridge and Willis Y. Harlow, '20, Benjamin T. Burton, Willard A. Kiggins, William C. Murray, Henry J. O'Brien and James S. Stanley, '21, Donald R. Schively, '22, Robert M. Curts, '23, Louis S. Fuertes, '27, Charles F. Bell, Kenneth A. Browne, John W. Gatling and John W. White, '28, Robert L. Bliss, '30, Lloyd W. Stevens and Richard Browne, '32, Benjamin L. Barringer, '33, Harold S. Monroe and Howard C. Peterson, '34, and Robert J. Reiley, '37.

Otis E. Randall, Sigma '84, once said: "There is just one thing which will always interfere with successful fraternity life in college, and that is the presence of fraternity politics which is always showing its ugly head at critical times. There is no phase of fraternity life which must be watched more carefully than this one thing. If we can only make the undergraduates realize that fraternity life is possible and desirable only when each fraternity recognizes that it is a part of a collection of fraternities and that the whole fraternity system is dependent upon and subordinate to the college as a whole, then we can accomplish the great things which are possible through the presence of fraternities in our undergraduate college life."

George F. Nettleton, Beta '96, said in an address at the Psi Upsilon Club of New York on March 13, 1926: "Certainly any undergraduate of today knows the zest of excellence in any line. What we need is to have students feel that, though they may not be Phi Beta Kappa men, they can yet find in the general intellectual life of the college that stimulus which now has invaded the athletic life of the college, so that all men, even those who know they cannot 'make the team,' may feel that they can have an opportunity for self-expression and self-development."

FIVE POWER CONFERENCE HELD AT THE THETA

THE Five Power Conference gathered with the Theta Chapter on Saturday, December 10, 1938. The five upper New York State Chapters of Psi Upsilon, the Theta, Psi, Upsilon, Pi and Chi, along with guests from the Xi, assembled in Schenectady just before Christmas. Nine members of the Psi, one from the Upsilon, twenty-six from the Pi, seven from the Chi, and two from the Xi, along with the Theta Chapter, participated in the Conference.

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 P.M. by Brother David B. Miller, Theta '39, head of the Theta Chapter, who acted as chairman. The problems for discussion were scholarship, Alumni relations, freshman training and attendance at meetings. The discussion on these vital problems should be of interest to all members of the Fraternity.

Scholarship: Bart Stevens, Psi '39, opened the discussion by reporting on the activities of the Psi. The freshmen are aided by bi-weekly seminars conducted by the upper-classmen. Last year a study table was held for freshmen deficient in some subject. Study rules are, at present, enforced in the house. While scholarship reports are received from the professors, they are of little help. The most effective system, it has been found, involves the assigning of deficient freshmen to upper-classmen who have had the subjects causing the difficulty.

Richard Burrell, Upsilon '39, stated that the high standard of the

Upsilon scholarship was due largely to advance information obtained concerning the men about to be pledged. Details in regard to their academic background are secured from the Dean and from their preparatory schools. Seniors are appointed as freshmen advisers. These seniors aid the freshmen, interview the professors and conduct a house meeting after the marking periods to determine the Fraternity scholastic standing. There is some class rivalry in regard to scholarship. A file system for quizzes is maintained as well.

Richard Borden, Xi '39, spoke concerning the Wesleyan system. There the freshman chooses his own senior adviser from a suitable list of Brothers. The quiz file system is utilized. The Fraternity has access to the college files to determine the I.Q. rating of the students. Likewise, one of the Alumni gives cash prizes for scholarship attainment in the chapter. The system seems to work very well.

Eric W. Pratt, Pi '39, stated that at Syracuse, senior advisers are appointed for the freshmen. Scholarship cards are issued and the marks are listed. Freshmen are placed under nightly study rules, and are required to attend a study hall if their average is below "C."

Alumni Relations: Robert Langdon, Psi '40, stated that the lack of a city near Hamilton College was a handicap to the Psi. The best solution of the Alumni problem found to date has been the appointment

of an Alumni Specialist, a Brother whose job it is to meet visiting Alumni, know them all, and see that they are taken care of and made to feel at home.

Robert White, Chi '39, reported on the activities of the "Little Chi" Alumni organization in New York, and also on the use of *The Chi Journal* to stimulate Alumni interest. The Alumni weekend reunion idea, instituted some two years ago, turns the house over to the Alumni on a given weekend for reunion purposes, and has proved very successful.

Jim Cox, Pi '39, told of the Mothers' Club, an organization of Alumni wives, which holds regular meetings at the Syracuse Chapter House, and also of the Pi Trust Association, which keeps the Alumni and the undergraduate financial machinery going. *The Pi Garnet*, the chapter paper, has proved successful in promoting Alumni relations.

Freshman Training: Robert McDowell, Pi '40, stated that at Syracuse a regular weekly pledge meeting is held, with senior supervisors. One senior acts as song chairman, and the freshmen must report to him concerning their mastery of the songs. After the meeting a senior advice period is held, when the freshmen are quizzed and criticized for their various activities during the week gone by. Frequent smokers are given for the freshmen. Hell Week is a work week around the house, with suspense and ritual leading up to the initiation.

David Wilder, Theta '40, read a quotation from *THE DIAMOND* of 1936, concerning the abolition of Hell Week. He upheld this action in

regard to hazing, and the substitution of ritual and suspense, which create a better attitude in the freshmen. At the same time, a course in the History of Psi Upsilon might well be substituted, and therefore, a more complete study and appreciation of the Fraternity. The Brothers must meanwhile present a serious and united front, making the initiates see just what is behind our one hundred year tradition.

Jim Cox, Pi '39, advocated the drilling of the freshmen in tradition. This, he felt, was the only way to instill a reverence for the future.

Attendance at Meetings: Robert White, Chi '39, turned to the problem of attendance at meetings at the Chi. The fine now imposed for absence, a fee of five dollars, is so large that the Brothers invariably waive it. Hence the fine is ineffective.

Jim Cox, Pi '39, reported that at the Pi, only sickness or other reason of a similar serious character will be effective to excuse a Brother from a meeting. Only the head of the house has the power to grant excuses from meetings. For absence and for tardiness fines are imposed.

Richard Borden, Xi '39, suggested that the chapters get at the root of the matter and improve the meetings. At the Xi the business is disposed of outside the Chapter Room, and the inner meetings are short. Each week one or two of the Brothers prepare informal speeches on some current topic of the day, concerning the college, the Fraternity or the outside world. Extemporaneous speeches are also demanded. Discussion on all points of every topic is fostered, and the meetings

take on a mature aspect. Absence brings warnings from the head of the house, with a possible fine.

Brother Borden also told the group of his experiences at the University of Washington and of Psi Upsilon in the far west. He brought greetings from his own guest chapter, and from the other New England chapters which were invited to attend the Five Power Conference but were unable to do so.

Brother Miller thanked everyone for his co-operation in preparing the excellent talks and in aiding to

make the Convention such a successful one.

The business meeting was followed by a dinner in Hale House, the Union College Dining Hall. After the dinner, at which the heads of the chapters gave brief talks, the group adjourned to the Theta Chapter House where beer was plentiful. Both here and at dinner the singing was lusty, usually under the leadership of the Brothers of the Pi.

Again, the meeting was a most successful one. It was regretted that the Brothers of the other New England chapters were unable to attend.

In the near future the Zeta will have a new chapter house. We are privileged here to quote from a booklet entitled "The New Home of the Zeta Chapter."

"The idea that the Zeta Chapter of Psi Upsilon needs a new home is not new. In 1929, the late Brother Allan Priddy, '15, set out to raise a Building Fund. A single letter of solicitation sent the late Brother Edward Tuck, '62, was met with generous response. A few weeks after this first gift was received, there came an economic change which seemed to indicate that further fund raising effort at that time might prove unsuccessful. The project was dropped and the single gift deposited in a savings account. It is still there—plus a substantial sum of interest.

"The same motives which prompted Brother Priddy almost ten years ago, have led the Trustees of the Zeta Association to take up the project at this time. This little booklet has been prepared to remind you of this pressing need and to acquaint you with the home which has been conceived. . . .

"The little white building between College Hall and St. Thomas Church is now almost thirty years old. For most of you who read these lines, it was your Hanover home at least part of the time while you were at Dartmouth. You know the charming 'homey' atmosphere of its living room. You know the friendly warmth of its fireside. These are distinctive charms which will be retained in the new building.

"You also know how painfully cramped the sleeping and study quarters were and still are. . . .

"A careful study shows the impracticability of merely adding to the present structure. A new house offers the only practical and economical way to provide the facilities needed. A year ago, we called into consultation Mr. Fred W. Wentworth who designed the present structure. . . .

"We feel these plans provide an eminently satisfactory solution of our problem. The sketch shows a home which will be by far the most attractive building among the fraternity houses at Dartmouth."

PROMINENT PSI U'S OF YESTERYEAR

CORNELIUS COLE, Xi '47, United States Senator from California, 1867-1873, died November 3, 1924. Born in Lodi, New York, September 17, 1822, the year after Napoleon's death, he remembered that during his childhood the depressing effects of the revolutionary war had not entirely passed away, and he clearly recalled having seen soldiers who had served under Washington in 1776. During the civil war he was a member of the House of Representatives. In 1922 he returned to Wesleyan University for the seventy-fifth anniversary of his graduation.

A recent issue of *The Saturday Evening Post* carried the following story about Brother Cole.

"The late Senator Cornelius Cole was 100 years old in 1922, and Los Angeles gave him a banquet. Paul G. Hoffman, then Studebaker distributor in Los Angeles, now head of the Studebaker Company, was one of those present.

"The centenarian who had sat on the knees of Revolutionary soldiers was an erect six feet two inches, his mind as alert as ever. He told his hearers that he had only one message to bring them. His long experience had brought it home to him repeatedly: That human liberties were won in this country at heavy sacrifice of blood and fortune; that liberty is easily lost; that we must be ready to fight again, if necessary, to keep it; that we must never suffer any man to arrogate to himself the powers of a king, emperor or dictator.

"Speaking before the Bond Club of New York recently Mr. Hoffman recalled Senator Cole's warning, and how indifferently it fell upon the ears of a group of business men in 1922. 'We listened tolerantly,' he said, 'because he was an old man but privately most of us thought he was living in a world of ideas belonging wholly to the past. Our minds were on the real-estate boom in Los Angeles and the possibility of making some quick and easy money. What did an old man's warning have to do with us? We had just finished making the world safe for democracy hadn't we?'

"'I have thought of that address a thousand times since, however. The old senator was not in his dotage. It was we who were blind.'"

Some other prominent Psi U's of yesteryear were: Edmund Munroe Smith, Gamma '74, who was Professor of Roman Law and Comparative Jurisprudence at Columbia University for over thirty years; Dean C. Worcester, Phi '88, for years a member of the faculty of the University of Michigan, an authority on the Philippine Islands, being Secretary of the Interior for the Islands for a time following 1901; Edwin Augustus Grosvenor, Gamma '67, distinguished professor at Amherst and for many years President of Phi Beta Kappa; William Pierce Frye, Kappa '50, United States Senator from Maine, 1881 to 1911; Joseph R. Hawley, Psi '47, United States Senator from Connecticut.

Brother George C. Hill, Beta '45, one time editor of The Boston Post, said of Psi Upsilon: "It is the seed-bed of the undeveloped powers of reflection and expression. It imparts flexibility to what is scholastic, puts joints into the stiffness of pedantry, runs the liquefied mass of the student's ill-sorted acquirements in its own graceful mould, and sends him forth supple from his college, to take the plunge in the heady currents of the world."

AMONG OUR ALUMNI

Once again a member of Psi Upsilon is to be congratulated over the legal honors that have been bestowed upon him. John T. Cahill, Lambda '24, has been appointed United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York to succeed Lamar Hardy. Born in New York City thirty-five years ago, Brother Cahill was graduated from Columbia College in 1924 with high honors, and from the Harvard Law School in 1927, where his record was also a very distinguished one. The son of a former New York City policeman, he worked his way through both Columbia and Harvard.

In 1927 Brother Cahill joined the law firm of Wright, Gordon, Zachry and Parlin, in New York City, and is still with that firm. From 1931 to 1933 he served as second assistant Attorney General of New York State, during which time he prosecuted many well known criminals.

To Brother Cahill, who has long been one of the outstanding young members of the bar, go the best wishes of the entire Fraternity for success in his new undertaking.

Phil Edward Gilbert, Jr., Zeta '36, of Evanston, Illinois, has just received the highest honor obtainable at the Harvard Law School, that of the Ames Competition. The Ames Competition has been conducted at Harvard since 1911 through the more than sixty individual law students' clubs. Each club elects one of its members as a representative to compete. Brother Gilbert, a member of Powell Club, was this year the winning finalist.

During his four years at Dartmouth Brother Gilbert ranked among the five highest honor students in English and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa in his junior year.

He will receive the LL.B. from Harvard in June and will join the New

York Law Firm of Donovan, Leisure, Newton and Lumbard.

The Washington Evening Star for February 6, 1939, contained the following remarks about William Christian Bullitt, Beta '12, American Ambassador to France:

"It is to be doubted whether there is a figure more fascinating than Bullitt in American public life. He is immensely able, very quick, deeply cultivated. No man talks better and few think harder. He retains a peculiar boyish charm. He is a *bon viveur*, fond of good living, gay and rich, with a peculiar ability to assume the grand manner when necessary. Considering all these qualities, it is scarcely surprising that he should be the friend of more great and celebrated men and women, in America and abroad, than pretty nearly any one else you can think of. The President cherishes him like a brother. Leading politicians all over Europe accept him as a confidential crony. He has virtually been an unofficial member of the French cabinet since he arrived at his post.

"Nor is his present glory more than a natural climax of his past. Rich Philadelphian; reporter; assistant to Wilson at the Peace Conference; emissary to Soviet Russia; revealer of all the horrors of Versailles which the elder statesmen had agreed to conceal; pupil of Freud; adviser of Roosevelt in 1932—his life has been a kaleidoscope show in which all the pieces were brightly colored.

"As a public figure, however, Bullitt also has considerable significance. He does his job, it may be said at once, with remarkable efficiency. His reports to the President on European affairs are the most comprehensive and accurate which the State Department receives. If something big is going on Bullitt is always in daily touch with the main actors. He can get facts from a stone, and has reorganized the Paris Embassy so that each of his subordinates produces a double harvest of facts."

Dr. George Howard Fox, Beta '94, has recently been inaugurated to the presidency of the New York Academy

of Medicine. In his address Brother Fox said that a government administered health insurance plan would result in the lowering of the quality of medical service in the nation. Under such a scheme, "panel doctors" would be so overworked by the need of keeping clerical records and treating persons not seriously ill, that careful diagnoses could not be made nor could the physicians prescribe and follow up the cases. He charged that the National Health Conference was a New Deal organization without the backing of more than a minute minority of the nation's doctors.

Brother Fox now holds the position occupied in 1892 by his beloved father, Dr. George Henry Fox, Upsilon '67, who was a member of the Executive Council of Psi Upsilon from 1900-1932.

Dr. Alfred Large, Nu '36, of Toronto, has been awarded the Hallett prize for the highest marks in anatomy at the primary examination for fellowship in the Royal College of Surgeons. "It is believed," says the *Toronto Globe and Mail* for February 1, 1939, "that Dr. Large is the first Canadian to receive this award. He is filling a post in a hospital in Southend."

Dr. Gilbert Hovey Grosvenor, Gamma '97, President of the National Geographic Society, of Bethesda, Maryland, has contributed \$2,400 of the amount paid him by the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission, for nine and one-half acres opposite his estate, to speed the development of Section three of Rock Creek Park in Montgomery County.

Brother Henry N. Woolman, Tau '96, a member of the Executive Council of Psi Upsilon, was one of the seven distinguished Alumni of the University of Pennsylvania signally honored by the Alumni Awards of Merit at the twenty-fifth celebration of a mid-winter homecoming of the Alumni at the University

on January 21, 1939, being the nearest Saturday to Benjamin Franklin's Birthday, which occurs on the 17th. Judge Lamberton saluted Brother Woolman as follows:

"Henry Newbold Woolman, B.S., 1896, Sc.D. 1930. Because of his gift of land at Valley Forge and his vision of University expansion, he has stirred the imagination of educators and alumni and opened new vistas in undergraduate instruction, and also because of his unselfish and untiring services as alumni officer and trustee."

To quote from *The Pennsylvania Gazette* for February, 1939:

"Henry Newbold Woolman is a director of The General Alumni Society and its former president. He is a trustee of the University and the donor of the Valley Forge Tract. He is secretary and vice-president of the Supplee-Wills-Jones Milk Company, and a director of the National Dairy Products Corporation.

"The Alumni Awards of Merit go to Alumni of the University, who, either by their records in the world at large, or by their contributions to the life of the University of Pennsylvania, have reflected particular credit upon their alma mater."

The Reverend Mr. Howard Vincent Harper, Iota '29, the Rector of Grace Church, Waycross, Georgia, has been made chairman of a newly formed Association of Church Publications which has as its task the improvement of publicity throughout the Episcopal Church. Brother Harper was selected for this post because of his extensive survey of the publicity methods in the Church, which he found to be very wasteful and inefficient.

David B. Salmon, Pi '37, despite his twenty-four years, has gained fame as a musical composer. Horace Heidt's well known orchestra, playing at the Biltmore in New York City, introduced Brother Salmon's song entitled "You Are the Meaning," in his national broadcast on January 18, 1939. Since that time

the song has received much favorable publicity. The song was recently accorded first prize in a contest sponsored by The American Composers' Association, Inc., of Chicago, Illinois. An accomplished musician, Brother Salmon has headed a dance band in Syracuse for six years.

William Benjamin Spoffard, Beta Beta '14, of *The Witness*, is one of the best known editors in the Protestant Episcopal Church. In regard to him, Brother Donald V. Carey, Iota '25, writes:

"Bill is from Trinity and had the high honor of being named in the Dies committee investigation along with Mr. Chief Justice Hughes and Shirley Temple as one whom the Communists are making into a sucker. Bill recently gave public thanks for the publicity and information. Those of us who know Bill thank God for his truly liberal outlook and his swell sense of humor. Psi U is often accused of being made up of reactionary conservatives and rich men and there are some of us who don't like that kind of a reputation."

Gifford Pinchot, Beta '89, former Governor of Pennsylvania, at a meeting of the International Reform Federation in Washington, D. C., predicted the early return of prohibition. "I am completely satisfied," said the former Governor, "that the people of the United States are on the way to drive out liquor again."

Brother Leslie Clare Moyer, K.C., '10, has recently been appointed Clerk of The Senate at Ottawa and the Fraternity extends to him hearty congratulations and best wishes in his new post. Brother Moyer graduated from The University of Toronto in 1910 and after a short journalistic career in Toronto and Regina he studied Law at the University of Saskatchewan. During the war he was awarded the Distinguished Service Order for "gallantry on the field." For several years following the war he was private secretary to the

Right Honourable Mackenzie King, the present Prime Minister of Canada. For the past number of years he has been practising law in Ottawa and only recently received this important appointment.

Brother Moyer very kindly contributed the article in this issue of THE DIAMOND on Brother Norman A. McLarty, Nu '10.

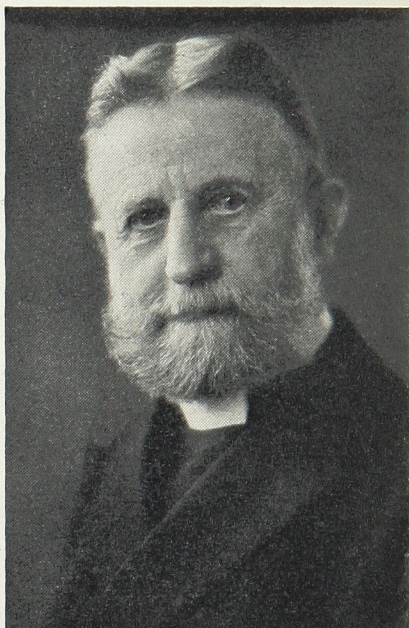
On Oct. 21, 1938, Gilbert Hovey Grosvenor, Gamma '97, was awarded the degree of Doctor of Laws by his alma mater with the following citation:

"To enlarge the boundaries of human knowledge, to throw light upon the dark places of the earth is a great enterprise. To aid in the continuation of sound education after school days are over is to make an outstanding contribution to human welfare. No organization has made such a contribution more effectively or universally than has the National Geographic Society. The *National Geographic Magazine* literally circles the earth. It is read where there is human habitation. This is the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the National Geographic Society. For many years it has been under the direction of one man, and because of his skill and devotion has increased from 900 members to 1,150,000 members. A graduate of Amherst College, A.D. Magna Cum Laude; Officer of the Legion of Honor of France; Phi Beta Kappa; author. Mr. President, I present for the degree of Doctor of Laws the President of the National Geographic Society, Gilbert Hovey Grosvenor."

Archibald MacLeish, Beta '15, is without doubt one of the leading American poets. Born in Glencoe, Illinois, May 7, 1892, he received the A.B. degree from Yale in 1915, the LL.B. from Harvard in 1919, and the M.A. from Tufts in 1932. From 1917 to 1919 he served as captain in the Field Artillery, U.S.A. Brother MacLeish has been the author of many works of note, including, *The Pot of Earth*; *Nobodaddy*; *Streets in the Moon*; *The Hamlet of A. MacLeish*; *New Found Land*; *Conquistador*; *Union Pacific—a Ballet*; *Panic*; *Public Speech*;



JOHN H. ARNDT, *Iota* '21



C. H. ARNDT, D.D., *Iota* '89



ROBERT N. D. ARNDT, *Iota* '27



DAVID B. ARNDT, *Iota* '24

The Fall of a City. He has gained great fame with his radio dramas.

This is a brief story of three Psi U's, Brothers in the Bonds, Brothers in the flesh, and sons of a distinguished Psi U.

The Psi U Brothers who are the subjects of this narrative are the sons of Brother Charles H. Arndt, D.D., Iota '89, author just 50 years ago of our beloved song "Welcome Brothers Old and Young," and a well-known Philadelphia cleric, now retired after 40 years of devoted service in the ministry at Christ Church, Germantown, Philadelphia. His Psi U song, conceived many years before his Psi U sons, was recently voted among the top ranking favorites in a poll of the Brothers from coast-to-coast. His love for Psi U is as strong now as in his undergraduate days.

The three sons, brothers in the flesh, and Brothers in the Bonds, are John, Dave, and Bob Arndt—Iota '21, '24, and '27 respectively.

Fifteen years ago, John and Dave formed a partnership and began from absolute scratch to build an advertising agency based on \$100 borrowed capital, a pair of shears, a second-hand typewriter, loaned office space, and a zest for the future. In 1928, Bob joined them after having been told by his brothers to temper his colossal Kenyon culture with a good many months of practical selling experience which he did in the retail food field as a Sunshine Johnny—salesman for the Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company.

Today—the John Falkner Arndt & Company, Incorporated, occupies the entire 23rd floor of a modern office building in Philadelphia, services over 30 national and local advertisers, is Headquarter Agency of the Continental Agency Network (an inter-connected group of advertising agencies in

ten major cities), and is a member of the American Association of Advertising Agencies. The company is recognized as one of the most outstanding agencies in Philadelphia and the country—and the future is promising. John is President, Dave is Secretary and Treasurer, Bob is Vice-President.

It is somewhat odd, the coincidences of the parallels in the lives of these three Psi U Brothers. All went to the same preparatory school, all wended their way to Kenyon College in Ohio, all became three Brothers of their Father in Psi U, all went into the same business together, all got themselves engaged (to different girls) in the same year, all got married (to the same different girls) in the next year—one had five Psi U ushers and two Psi U ministers (including his Father) to expedite the marriage—all had blond baby sons within the following year. And as of the present writing, John has three sons and a daughter, Dave has two sons, and Bob has two sons and a daughter—his family having been tripped in one fell swoop by the birth of twins, a boy and a girl, last December.

Active in business and civic interests as well as operating their own advertising agency, John is a member of Philadelphia's Committee of Seventy, Dave, one of the two agency men in the Sales Manager's Association, and Bob, prominent in the affairs of the Junior Board of Commerce as Chairman of the Americanism Committee. John was recently honored by appointment to the Jury of Annual Advertising Awards—the group which selects the year's outstanding national advertising.

And so, this Psi U family continues to push, produce—and progress, in the fond expectation of adding 7 Psi U grandsons to the roster in the years to come.

Yale alumni have voted Senator Robert A. Taft, Beta '10, of Ohio the outstanding alumnus of 1938.

ALUMNI NOTES

THETA

Frederick B. Richards, '88, is a Council Member for the class of 1888 at Union. His address is 22 Notre Dame St., Glens Falls, N. Y.

Dr. Charles G. Stiles, '04, is a Council Member at Union College for the class of 1904. He lives at 443 Bard St., Port Richmond, N. Y.

B. A. Collins, '08, is national advertising manager of *The Cleveland Plain Dealer* and resides at 2871 Sedgwick Road, Shaker Heights, Ohio.

Henry E. Lewis, '09, of 3 Elk St., Albany, N. Y., is a Council Member for the 1909 Union College class.

Everett L. Baker, '14, of 329 Spring St., Oneida, N. Y., serves as Council Member for the 1914 Union College class.

Harrison Gunning, '14 is treasurer of the Carolina Exploration Co. Inc., Gastonia, N. C.

Walter C. Baker, '15, of 555 Park Ave., New York City, is the Council Member for the 1915 Union College class.

Floyd F. Eldred, '17, has a daughter attending St. Lawrence University.

William M. Ham, '32, is Council Member for the 1932 Union College class. His address is 11 North Church St., Schenectady, N. Y.

George R. Cory, '34, is editor of the *Maplewood News*, a weekly newspaper. He does the whole job himself. George served as the editor of *THE DIAMOND* for three years from 1934 to 1937, and did an excellent piece of work.

DELTA

The present officers of The American Savings Bank of 115 West 42nd St., New York City, present a solid Psi Upsilon and Delta front. They are: William M. Campbell, '98, President; Henry R. Sutphen, '00, First Vice-President; John V. Irwin, '94, Second Vice-President and counsel; and Perry C. Pentz, '94, Secretary.

Reinald Werrenrath, '05, leading baritone singer, a member of the Executive Council, has since 1907 appeared with marked success in recitals and oratorios in leading cities throughout the United States. He is the Musical Director of the Fraternity.

BETA

Dr. Charles Seymour, President of Yale University, was in Minneapolis at the time of the election of officers for the Yale Minneapolis Alumni Association. The luncheon in his honor was at the home of Franklin M. Crosby, Beta '97. Totten Peavey Heflinger, Beta '21, was elected President. Lyndon M. King, Beta '10, is on the Alumni board.

Harold C. Metcalf, '04, is head of the collegiate department of Macmillan.

Marsh K. Powers, '10, former advertising and business management expert of Cleveland, is now assistant to Glenn L. Martin, President of Martin Aviation Company, Baltimore, Md. Brother Powers is in charge of the company's advertising and related matters.

Elmore Bostwick, '16, is an instructor in the Music Department at the University of Washington.

SIGMA

Dean Otis E. Randall, '84, discussed the "nature and possibilities of the spiritual eye and ear" at the January meeting of the Rhode Island Association of Congregational Christian Ministers at the Central Falls Congregational Church.

Eben P. Morse, '23, who left Providence a couple of years ago to enter business in Lowell, Mass., is living at 234 South Maine St., Andover, Mass.

Paul D. O'Brien, '27, is, according to Stanley Woodward, sports editor of the *New York Herald-Tribune*, one of the outstanding football toastmasters of his experience. Paul did the honors at the football dinner at the Brown University Club in New York in December.

Frederic S. Cross, '26, practices law with the new partnership of Jones, Day, Cockley and Ginn, recently formed from the merger of two old established law firms of Cleveland. His offices are at 1759 Union Commerce Building. Fred's bachelor quarters are at 14101 Drexmore Road, Shaker Heights, Ohio.

Lee Mack Marshall, '31, is now advertising manager of the Continental Baking Company, with his office at 630 Fifth Ave.,

New York City. He has been with the company since he left Brown.

GAMMA

George M. Whipple, '78, is secretary of the 1878 class. His address is 120 Boylston St., Boston, Mass.

At the sixty-seventh reunion of the class of 1884 held at the Barbizon-Plaza Hotel, New York City, October 14, 1938, William C. Atwater, Edward M. Greene, Joseph C. Spafford, and Walter F. Willcox attended. The President read a letter from the Boston manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York stating that those who entered Amherst over fifty-eight years ago should now number 24.24 men instead of the thirty-four now alive.

Edward A. Appleton, '89, has been for many years connected closely with the Horace Smith Fund in Springfield, Mass. The income from this large fund has been used for years in helping students along different lines of profession and industry. Appleton has been president and secretary of the Horace Smith Fund and has given most careful service in the selection of worthy students to receive aid from it. He has been compelled to resign from his trusteeship, giving place to a younger man.

Henry E. Whitcomb, '94, is secretary of the 1894 class. His address is 6 Harvard Sq., Worcester, Mass.

Edward H. Houghton, '93, is President of Houghton Mifflin Company.

William S. Tyley, '95, is secretary of the 1895 class. His address is 165 Broadway, New York City.

Richard H. Gregory, '98, gave the report on the new plan for business management of the Amherst fraternities at the recent meeting of the Alumni Council. Dick more than anyone else is the father of this plan, which has already proved its worth, and the report was most enthusiastically received.

Walter H. Griffin, '99, is secretary of the 1899 class. His address is 165 Broadway, New York City.

Charles H. Dayton, '02, is secretary of the 1902 class. His address is 110 William St., New York City.

Wilbur F. Burt, '12, was elected in January, a director of the Socony Vacuum Oil Company, Inc. He started in the manufacturing department of Standard Oil of New York in 1912, following graduation from

Amherst. Later he was made a director of that company. Four years after the organization of Socony-Vacuum, he became chairman of the manufacturing committee, which post he now holds.

Merrill Anderson, '18, of the Merrill Anderson Company, advertising, banks especially, is working on a new scheme for bank service to communities, through a research advisory service. This gives the well-known small business man access to technical laboratory service which would not otherwise be available. Sounds like a fine idea to assist the banks in regaining some of their lost prestige.

Augustus W. Bennet, '18, still lawyering and refereeing bankruptcies in Newburgh, N. Y., has recently been appointed District Deputy Grand Master of Masons for the Orange-Rockland district. As the personal representative of the Grand Master of the State, Gus has to make official visits to the nineteen lodges in his jurisdiction.

Barr C. Rimer, '23, paying teller at the A to H window of the Florida National Bank, St. Petersburg, will hand over the necessary money and a fraternal grasp, each of which require the necessary credentials.

ZETA

John Roland (Jack) Childs, '09, who was well known by Brothers in Chicago and the vicinity, is now advertising manager of Nu-Enamel Corporation, paint manufacturers, of Cleveland, Ohio. Jack commutes from a rural setting in suburban Aurora.

George C. Valentine, '15, has a wonderful grove at Palmetto, just across the Manatee River from Bradenton, Fla.

Warren King, '38, has just returned from Europe where he played with the American football team which toured France. A recent picture sent by Brother David W. Hosmer, '38, shows Brother King being kissed before a game by his French opponent.

LAMBDA

Graeme M. Hammond, '79, neurologist and athlete, passed his eighty-first birthday February 1 without running his usual three miles around the track at the New York Athletic Club. He was too busy to do so, said the doctor.

The picture of Archibald Douglas, '94, former President of the Executive Council, was on the cover of the *Columbia Alumni News* for January 13, 1939.

Francis N. Bangs, '10, is president of his class at Columbia. Albert C. Rothwell, '14; Ray N. Spooner, '15; and Ronald M. Craigmyle, '20, hold similar positions in their respective classes.

Fred Uhrbrock, '27, recently resigned from The First Boston Corp. to go with Young & Ottley, Inc., investment counselors, and as an incident to this expansion, he has moved his family from the City to Scarsdale.

Lawrence Tassi, '28, has resigned from the Central Hanover Bank to go into the linen business with Leonardo Nachetinovich & Co., Fifth Ave., New York City.

William Galbally, Jr., '30, is busy with aviation and the practice of law in Pasadena, Calif.

Brothers Clarence Schwerin, '30, and Joseph Schwerin, '28, are both gloating over their latest legacies born in September and July, respectively. This is the third for Clary, making him two up on Joe.

Dwight Holbert, '31, has recently joined his father, H. H. Holbert, in the practice of law in New York City.

It is rumored that Brothers Alan Kennish, Jr., '32, and Bernard Ireland, '31, have side bets on which of them will have the first legacy. We wish them both luck.

John Moran, '36, is with the Shell Union Oil in Elizabeth, N. J.

Arnold Stebbinger, '37, has been sent for three year's residence in Cairo, Egypt, by the Standard Oil.

KAPPA

Sterling Fessenden, Esq., '96, Secretary General of the Municipal Council of Shanghai's International Settlement, has resigned to take effect June 30.

The Reverend Dr. John H. Quint, '97, of the First Congregational Church, Chelsea, Mass., celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his pastorate on November 15, 1938.

Major Charles F. Houghton, '14, is Instructor of Cavalry with the New Mexico National Guard, Santa Fe, N. M.

Major Richard T. Schlosberg, '18, Signal Corps, U. S. A., is in the office of the chief signal officer in charge of the Signal Corps film laboratories, Hollywood, Calif.

Theron H. Spring, '29, has just passed the Maryland State Bar examinations and is a candidate for admission to the Bar of that state.

The engagement of Mrs. Claire Guthrie English of Emporia, Va., to Professor George H. Quinby, '23, of the English Department at Bowdoin College, was announced shortly before Christmas.

PSI

George E. Miller, '03, has his medical office just opposite the Congregational Church in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Daniel L. Wertz, '37, is studying Pharmacy at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science and is also doing some graduate work in Economics at the University of Pennsylvania. His permanent address is 144 Fayette St., Johnstown, Pa.

Myron Carmer, '38, is studying medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University.

Peter Carl Hoch, '38, is at Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar.

Clark W. Moore, '38, is doing graduate work in political science at the University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland.

John V. Thorp, '38, is selling insurance.

Joseph A. Kelley, '38, is employed as a reporter on the *Emporia Gazette*, Emporia, Kan.

Robert L. Keeler, '38, is a salesman for Remington-Rand in Buffalo, N. Y.

John B. Goldsborough, '38, is working as engineer on one of the construction companies in New York City.

George Vicary, '38, graduated from Hamilton in January, 1939.

XI

M. Eugene Culver, '75, Box 1107, Middletown, Conn., is the secretary of his class at Wesleyan University.

Herbert P. Gerald, '82, 140 Church St., Middletown, Conn., is the secretary of the 1882 class at Wesleyan.

Karl P. Harrington, '82, read a paper of "Richard Alsop" to the monthly meeting of the Connecticut Historical Society in Hartford on November 1, 1938.

Dr. Linnaeus E. LaFetra, '91, and Mrs. LaFetra are at their winter home, 345 21st Ave., N.E., St. Petersburg, Fla.

Professor Lincoln R. Gibbs, '92, of Antioch College, has a very interesting article in a recent issue of *Zion's Herald* entitled "The Church and Present-Day Youth," in which he diagnoses trouble and prescribes remedies.

Edwin O. Smith, '93, was re-elected to his fourth term in the General Assembly of Connecticut from the Town of Mansfield by a vote of two to one.

Howard A. Sutton, '95, 260 South 21st St., Philadelphia, Pa., is the secretary of the 1895 Wesleyan class.

Arthur B. Darling, '95, is still with the Central-West Public Service Company and likes California. His address is 3701 W. First St., Los Angeles, Calif.

Robert A. Anderson, '02, is the secretary of the 1902 Wesleyan class. His address is 34 East First St., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Carl F. Price, '02, is prominent in the insurance business in New York City, and is one of the leading Alumni of Wesleyan.

Hugh D. Maydole, '02, has been since 1929 State Secretary of the Y.M.C.A., in New Hampshire.

Raymond L. Gillispie, '10, is secretary of the 1910 class at Wesleyan. His address is 265 Market St., Bethlehem, Pa.

The Reverend Dr. Charles D. Brodhead, '15, *Zion Herald's* Philadelphia correspondent, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from Temple University in June. He is at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Media, Pa.

Harold P. Tasker, '22, is still stationed at the Army Base in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Alexander P. Robertson, '22, the son of Daniel L. Robertson, Xi '78, is practicing law in Glens Falls, N. Y.

Warren C. Heidel, '24, is secretary of the 1924 Wesleyan class. His address is 160 Curtis St., Meriden, Conn.

Richard H. Edwards, '24, has three sons and one daughter.

James M. Osborn, '28, is now located in New Haven, Conn., and is connected with Yale University.

Thomas H. Skirm, '31, of Bank Lane, Essex, Conn., is secretary of the 1931 Wesleyan class.

UPSILON

Dick Gardiner, '34, is progressing well at Eastman Kodak Company and is seen frequently around the chapter house.

Dick Edgerton, '36, is a teaching fellow at the University of Michigan in the Department of Chemistry.

Rupert Havill, '36, is finishing his last year of medicine at the University of Rochester Medical School.

Alfred Maurer, '36, is employed at the Taylor Instrument Company and shows promise of a bright future.

Robert Shetterly, '36, is still in the advertising department of the Procter and Gamble Company.

John M. Stevenson, '36, is employed again at Macy's in New York City.

Edward Weingartner, '36, has accepted a position in the training department of the Vick Chemical Company.

Robert Babcock, '37, Rhodes Scholar, has made quite a name for himself at Oxford as an athlete and ambassador of good will.

Jim Shetterly, '37, is beginning his law study at Michigan, rounding out a blanket delegation at that University from the Upsilon Chapter.

Samuel Stratton, '37, is studying at Harvard for his Ph.D. in philosophy.

Robert Weingartner, '37, is in his first year of law at Harvard.

Brother Len Swett and Ned Walworth, both of '37, are in their second year of law at Michigan.

Cass Henry has been one of our assistant district attorneys now for several years and an interested member in Alumni affairs.

IOTA

The Reverend Dr. Charles H. Arndt, '89, rector emeritus of Christ Church at St. Michael, Germantown, Pa., and Mrs. Arndt are passing the winter at the Berkeley Hotel, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Luther Day, '02, has merged his law partnership of Day-Young-Veach and Le Fever with the established firm of Tolles, Hogsett and Ginn, under the new name Jones, Day, Cockley and Reavis. Their offices are in 1759 Union Commerce Building, Cleveland.

Philip T. Hummel, '23, has been appointed chairman of the Kenyon Singers Committee in Cleveland, Ohio.

William G. Turner, '36, has recently accepted a temporary appointment as Assistant Dean of Kenyon College. Brother Turner was formerly with the Knox National Bank in Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

PHI

Cedric C. Smith, '18, is with the personnel division of the Ford Motor Car Company, Detroit, Mich.

Thomas I. Underwood, '20, has been con-

nected for many years with the important Chicago law firm of Winston, Strawn and Shaw.

Charles E. Irvin, '21, is living in Ann Arbor and is connected with the Huron Valley Realty Company.

Richard H. Milroy, '30, was elected to the Senate in Ohio. One of the youngest state



RICHARD H. MILROY, *Phi* '30

senators in the country, he is only thirty years of age, he is a member of several important committees including taxation, insurance and judicial. A practicing attorney in Toledo, Ohio, active in Masonic affairs, he is one of the leaders of the Lucas County Republican Club.

OMEGA

Parker Painter, '14, has been living in Ocala, Fla., since 1931. He has a farm and is interested in getting out limestone for road construction from his land.

PI

Stephen C. Phipps, '03, has his winter home and a fine citrus grove at Valley Rio a few miles east of Tampa, Fla.

CHI

Samuel J. Graham, '09, is vice-president of the Dixie Vortex Company, in New York City. He lives in Greenwich, Conn.

William F. Bernart, Jr., '24, is associated with the Pitney-Bowes Postage Meter Co., of Stamford, Conn.

John O. Dodd, '24, is connected with the life insurance office of H. S. Vail and Sons, Chicago, Ill., at 110 S. Dearborn St.

Ken A. Browne, '28, is a mechanical engineer for the Wright Aeronautical Corporation, Paterson, N. J.

The marriage of Arnliot Roald Brauner, '33, and Marga Elaine Yeoman of New York City, was recently announced. He is working for the Dennison Mfg. Co., 220 Fifth Ave., New York City.

W. T. Reed, '33, was married to Katherine Kay Tweedy in June. He is with the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company in Binghamton, N. Y. His two brothers, John C. Reed, IV, '28, and Henry M. Reed, Jr., '26, are connected with the same company, the former in Tiffin, Ohio, the latter in Louisville, Ky.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Jack Kittle, '38, to Elizabeth Mills of Rome, N. Y.

BETA BETA

William P. Niles, '93, is the rector of the Church of Good Shepherd, Nashua, N. H.

William Blair Roberts, '05, is the Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the Diocese of South Dakota.

Paul Roberts, '09, is the Dean of St. John's Cathedral, Denver, Colo.

Bertram L. Smith, '15, is the rector of Christ Church, Dallas, Tex.

ETA

This year, in June, at Lehigh the class of 1889 will be celebrating the fifty year golden jubilee reunion. The living members of Eta's delegation are as follows:

Albert Harlan Bates, a prominent patent lawyer in Cleveland, Ohio, with offices at 1125 Terminal Tower Building.

Justice Cox Cornelius, retired. Entered with the class of '88; was out of college a year, and graduated with '89. Address 821 Lehigh St., Easton, Pa.

William Albert Cornelius, retired from steel business in Pittsburgh after many years,

and is now Executive Secretary of the Alumni Association, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa.

Adolph August Hoehling, Jr., who is a Major, Judge Advocate General's Department, U. S. A. He is Vice President, Trust Officer and General Counsel for the National Metropolitan Bank, Washington, D. C.

William Sigler Jones, retired. A trustee, Presbyterian Board of Education and active in its work. Address, 326 Scotch Plains Ave., Westfield, N. J.

Clarence Walker, retired. For many years he was with the Pittsburgh-Conneaut Dock Co., Conneaut, Ohio. Now living at 2904 Francis Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

All of the above Brothers are making their plans to be in Bethlehem to visit the Eta Chapter and to celebrate their fiftieth reunion on June 9 and 10.

Albert E. Robinson, '23. Brother Robinson's new address is care of A. E. Robinson Company, 605 Washington Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

William Cannon, Jr., '27, formerly of Bridgeville, Del., is now living at 2018 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pa.

TAU

Henry N. Woolman, '96, showed some very fine pictures of beautiful American trails at the Christian Association on December 1, 2, 1938.

Frank B. Evans, '01, has recently been made Vice-President and General Manager in charge of staff (Executive Offices) of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania.

William K. Beard, Jr., '19, is business manager of *Electric World*, a McGraw-Hill trade publication, at their New York headquarters. His brother, David F. Beard, '23, is direct mail manager of the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company in New York.

Thomas B. K. Ringe, '23, is a partner in the Philadelphia law firm of Morgan, Lewis and Bockius. He prepared the obituary notice of Merritt Hulburd, '23.

Albert C. Woodruff, Jr., '30, is associated with the textile firm of Jos. Bancroft & Sons Co., 40 Worth St., New York. He is a brother of Percival C. Woodruff, '21.

Benjamin C. Taber, '31, who is associated with the law firm of Woodling and Krost in the Union Commerce Building, Cleveland, recently returned from a vacation in Florida.

MU

Henry F. Nachtrieb, '82, is living in Berkeley, Calif. Until his retirement this "grand old man of the Mu" was head of the Biology Department at the University of Minnesota.

Charles F. Haglin, '13, has been awarded the contract for the new pressroom of *The Minneapolis Star*. This is to house the ten additional press units which have been purchased recently. After the Governor of Minnesota had turned the first spade of dirt, Brother Haglin's steam shovels followed very shortly.

OMICRON

Tracy S. Barrett, '28, had the distinction of being the most effective pitcher in the International League last year. While with Syracuse he won sixteen games and lost but three, and led the League in earned runs with a mark of 2.34. Joining the Cincinnati Reds late in the year, he won two well-pitched games. His manager, Bill McKechnie, predicts a fine future for him.

DELTA DELTA

Among the Alumni back for the initiation of the freshman delegation on February 11 were Brothers Stephen G. Kent, '11; Laurence C. Wellington, '12; Kirk McFarlin, '12; and Malcolm C. Sherwood, '14.

Thorn Dickinson, '11, is now residing in Los Angeles, Calif., and is connected with Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation, 510 Homer Laughlin Building, Los Angeles, Calif.

Alan C. Hood, '29, was married on the Friday before Thanksgiving to Miss Gail Francisco, also of East Orange, N. J. The Brothers in the wedding party were: Robert Bergen, '28; Donald Snell, '29; Norman Hood, '34; William Tierney, '28; Henry Ballou, '29; Robert Greer, '29; and George D. Graffin, '28. Fred Hood, '31, was the best man. Other Brothers attending were Richard Chase, '29; J. R. Boyce, '32; and W. C. Boyce, '36. After a trip to Florida the couple is residing at 160 Prospect St., East Orange, N. J.

On January 14, George D. Forney, '36, was married to Miss Priscilla Brush, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton M. Brush (Beta '08) of Greenwich, Conn. The couple spent several days skiing in New England and two

weeks in Havana, and are now at 527 East 72nd St., New York City.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Alice Allaben of Binghamton, N. Y., to Darwin R. Wales, '36, son of Mrs. B. Roger Wales and the late State Senator Wales. Brother Wales is attending Albany Law School.

A letter received from Louis J. Hector, '38, who is studying at Oxford as a Rhodes Scholar, deplored the "abysmal lack of modern conveniences" at that University. Brother Hector spent a six-week vacation skiing in Switzerland.

THETA THETA

Russell Stanley ("Rusty") Callow, '16, continues his fine work as crew coach at the University of Pennsylvania.

NU

Bill Hanley, '01, one of the founders of Nu Chapter has recently recovered from a serious illness.

Members of Nu Chapter will welcome the return to Toronto of Brother Blake Jackson, '07. He has recently been living in the United States and he has now taken up permanent residence in Toronto. He is President of the Jackson Lewis Construction Company which in the past has constructed many fine buildings in Toronto.

Bert Northey, '12, the first Canadian Psi to be elected to the Executive Council of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity, is at present wintering in Florida.

Doug. Torrance, '12, has excelled this winter in the ancient game of Ice Curling. He is considered the champion silver winner of the famous old Toronto Curling Club founded over one hundred years ago.

Murray McCrimmon, '16, was recently elected Chairman of the House Committee of the University Club of Toronto.

Ralph Henderson, '29, was recently married to Miss Doris Cleland and they expect to make their home in Toronto.

EPSILON PHI

Stuart Forbes, '11, is President of the International Intercollegiate Hockey League.

Jim Wood, '13, has been appointed Superintendent of Jasper National Park, Jasper, Alberta, after having served for several years in a similar position at the Prince Albert (Sask.) National Park.

Brock Jamieson, '25, has sailed for Singapore to become Assistant Sales Manager, Ford of Malaya.

Hugh Trimmingham, '37, has received an appointment as Associate at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.

ZETA ZETA

Victor W. Odlum suffered a gassing on a recent inspection tour of Home Oil Well, Alberta, but recovered in quick order.

Alex Fisher, '32, became on January 29, 1939, the proud father of a baby daughter. His wife is the former Lois Tourtellotte.

Mark Collins, '34, former President of the Student Body at the University of British Columbia, has recently been promoted to the position of plant superintendent of the Imperial Cannery at Steveston, B. C.

Les Robinson, '34, has moved to Kamloops to open a law practice with (we blush) an Alpha Delt, Don Mactavish.

John Logan, '36, writes from Oxford that he is rowing each day and is managing to get by on one and a half "sconces" of beer per workout.

A welcome addition to the Vancouver Alumni ranks is Brother Herb Hammond, Epsilon Phi '37, who joins Brother Bob Berwick, Nu '36, in the architectural profession.

Victoria Psi U's, headed by Brother Bob Wallace, played hosts to the Brothers taking part in the annual "Invasion," February 4, at a dinner party.

More than fifty Brothers attended the rushing party at the Point Grey Golf Club given by the Alumni in honor of the active chapter. Brother Norman Hyland could not resist the opportunity to work in an advertising "plug" and showed some motion pictures of the salmon industry.

A wire was sent to the Laurentian Club, Ottawa, on January 30, complimenting the Psi U's in that city on the formation of an Ottawa Psi U Club. Brothers Frank Waites and Ross Tolmie are residents of the Canadian capital.

Visiting Psi U's are reminded that Alumni meet informally at luncheon daily at Winnifred's, directly opposite the Hotel Vancouver, and twice monthly (Thursdays) at the Pacific Athletic Club.

More alumni notes for the June issue, please!

ACTIVITIES OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF PSI UPSILON LIFE MEMBERS

(Additions to the List from December 5, 1938, to February 10, 1939.)

Delta: Charles A. Bill, '92; Clarence F. Von Egloffstein, '12. *Gamma*: A. S. Hutchins, '79. *Lambda*: Walter S. Robinson, '19. *Phi*: Henry E. Bodman, '96; Samuel Stewart Bradley, '91; G. M. Carter, '07; Robert B. Evans, '30; James H. Flinn, '96; Walter Robbins, '96; Amasa M. Rust, '01. *Eta*: William A. Cornelius, '89.

With these additions there are now ninety-nine life members distributed as follows: *Theta* (3); *Delta* (7); *Beta* (5); *Sigma* (2); *Gamma* (5); *Zeta* (2); *Lambda* (4); *Psi* (1); *Upsilon* (1); *Iota* (5); *Phi* (24); *Omega* (6); *Pi* (2); *Chi* (8); *Beta Beta* (2); *Eta* (2); *Tau* (2); *Mu* (2); *Rho* (3); *Epsilon* (2); *Omicron* (2); *Delta Delta* (2); *Theta Theta* (3); *Nu* (2); *Epsilon Phi* (2).

None of the principal of a life membership (\$25.00) is being used for the current running expenses of the Association, but only the interest received from the investment of such funds. The Association is considering awarding an appropriate certificate to be sent to the Life Members.

The Alumni Association has a reasonable supply of song leaflets still on hand at Headquarters which it is willing to offer free to Psi U gatherings. The plates for the Elliott Addressing Machine, purchased a few months ago, have been completed and the entire list of living alumni of the Fraternity (with the exception of roughly two thousand unknown addresses) has been circularized with the annual report of the Alumni Association. This is probably the first

time that the entire body has ever been completely circularized on anything, and this includes those Alumni living in foreign lands throughout the world. While there are, of course, many address changes daily and still many incorrect addresses, the address file of the Fraternity is today in the best shape in which it has ever been, due to the installation of this new machine and the extra work put on it. Most of the reports were sent out with return postage guaranteed envelopes in an effort to bring up-to-date and make corrections in our address files. The selector system on this machine makes it possible in very short order to run off lists of the individual chapters or individual delegations, THE DIAMOND subscribers, Life Members of the Alumni Association and dues-paying members of the Alumni Association.

As the result of such circulation many interesting letters have been received. Among the most interested and loyal Psi U Alumni are the Beta men, in the terms of letters received.

A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Governors of the Alumni Association was held at the Union League Club, New York City, on Monday, January 16, 1939. Present were Brothers Burton, President, Merrill, Richards, Robinson, Rosenberry and Turner.

PSI U CLUB OF CHICAGO

Brother Charles N. Fuller, Xi '35, has sent the Editor the following account of the Founders Day Banquet held at the Hotel Sherry, Chicago, on November 18, 1938. Brother Fuller, Secretary of the Psi U Club of Chicago, writes:

"Our toastmaster, C. Lyman Emrich, Jr., Omicron '34, introduced the princi-

pal speaker of the evening, Jay Berwanger, Omega '36, who quite naturally spoke to us about his football experiences. Brother Berwanger recounted some of his more thrilling games and showed us moving pictures of several of these, from which it was simple to understand why he attained All American honors.

"There were about 130 brothers from many chapters, among them Brother Werrenrath, Delta '05, from whom the brothers were unsuccessful in getting a song. We also had with us Brother Emmet Murphy, Omicron '07, of New York. President Hoerger gave a report of the club's plans, and the secretary of its activities during 1938, the highlights of which were two smokers in the Omega chapter house and a very well attended field day in the Glencoe Golf Club.

"We are looking forward to a more enthusiastic attendance at our weekly luncheon meetings at Mandels Men's Grill and hope that any Psi U's coming to Chicago will let the secretary know about it so that they may be informed of our activities from time to time.

"Ralph N. Cushing, Kappa '05, continues to be the man behind the throne as far as the Fraternity is concerned among the Chicago Alumni. He modestly refuses to accept one of the major offices, but always does more than his share of the organization work."

PSI UPSILON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN NEW YORK

The Psi Upsilon Alumni Association of Western New York is sponsoring a Psi U Monday luncheon club which meets at 12:15 every Monday noon at the Rochester Chamber of Commerce for food and good fellowship. Speeches are barred. The attendance has been excellent, with brothers from the Upsilon, Theta, Psi, Tau, Pi, Gamma, Delta Delta, and Chi Chapters represented thus far. All brothers who may

be in the vicinity of Rochester on Monday noons are cordially invited. The luncheons were organized by David M. Allyn, Upsilon '31, and any requests for further information may be addressed to him at 130 Main Street, East, Rochester.

The Psi Upsilon Association of Western New York also held its second annual dance at the University Club of Rochester on Saturday, February 4. Paul E. McNamara, Upsilon '34, was chairman. The party was attended by an enthusiastic group of fifty couples.

PSI UPSILON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF WISCONSIN

Brother R. Bourke Corcoran has received the following letter from Brother George F. Russell, Iota '01:

"Our association renews its activity every year with a summer picnic and a winter luncheon. I was President for 1938, and not bragging, but with pride, I think we held our two most successful meetings: on August 25th at the North Shore Country Club, golf, followed by supper with plenty of beer and songs, attendance 46, including twelve rushees and two actives from Amherst here on a rushing tour, Brothers Bob Jones and Henry B. Poor, the latter being the Chapter President and a most likeable fellow; and on December 30th, at the University Club, private luncheon in the library attended by fifty alumni, actives and pledges, including our guest, Brother Franklin B. Evans, Omega '16, who flew here from Chicago in his own plane. He showed us films and told of his plane trip last year over Alaska and Siberia. It was all most interesting.

"The officers for 1938 were: President, George F. Russell, Iota '01; Vice-President, H. Dorr Wakefield, Rho '16; Secretary, John M. Mackie, Sigma '37; Treasurer, William E. Husting, Rho '32.

"The officers elected for 1939 are: President, J. Fletcher Harper, Rho '16;

Vice-President, Harley F. Riley, Iota '22; Secretary, Robert Liebman, Rho '34; Treasurer, William E. Husting, Rho '32."

ALUMNI CLUB OF OTTAWA

The Laurentian Club at Ottawa, Canada, awoke to new sounds and songs on the night of January 30th, when, for the first time, Ottawa Psi U's gathered for dinner, organized and brought together by Brother Percy Harris, Nu '09, and Brother Cyril Carroll, Nu '32.

The Chairman and Dean of Ottawa Psi U's, Brother Frederick Honeywell, Nu '02, spoke feelingly of the old days of the Fraternity and passed on a challenge to the younger Brothers; this challenge did not fall unheeded, but brought into being the Alumni Club of Ottawa, Canada, with the following officers: President, Frederick H. Honeywell, Nu '02; Convener, Percy Harris, Nu '09; secretary and Representative of the Nu, Cyril Carroll, Nu '32; Representative of all American Chapters, Donald B. Cruikshank, Zeta '31; Representative of the Epsilon Phi, Howard Hyman, Epsilon Phi '25; Representative of the Zeta Zeta, Ross Tolmie, Zeta Zeta '29.

The speaker, Brother Norman A. McLarty, Nu '10, spoke with great humor, affection and inspiration when he told of his undergraduate days, his fraternity's many petitions to Psi Upsilon, and the events which brought a Nu Chapter to old Psi U.

Brother McLarty was the recipient of sincerest best wishes upon his recent appointment as Postmaster General of Canada.

Brother Clare Moyer, Nu '10, was also congratulated upon his appoint-

ment as Clerk of the Senate of Canada. Many songs were sung, with the Brothers Cruikshank (a father and son in Psi U) in the vanguard.

Brother Don Cruikshank received gracefully the plaudits of the Brothers for his recent sports victory. Don and his wife won the Waltzing Championship in the Canadian Title Figure Skating Championships.

Brother Harris was commended for his appeal to the Brothers for help to all Chapters in rushing, and Brother Carroll offered to act as clearing house for all names submitted.

Telegrams were read from Brother Burton, President of the Alumni Association, Brother Stephen G. Kent of the Executive Council, the Nu, the Epsilon Phi and the Zeta Zeta.

Those Brothers present were: *Epsilon Phi*: Grant Lothead, '11, C. W. Mitchell, '23, Karl Ingersoll, '25, Howard Hyman, '25, Bryce Grayson Bell, '32, C. K. Rowan-Legge, '32, Graham Garvoek, '33; *Zeta*: Donald B. Cruikshank, '31; *Gamma*: Dwight P. Cruikshank, '05; *Zeta Zeta*: Ross Tolmie, '29; Frank Waites; *Nu*: Frederick H. Honeywell, '02, Percy Harris, '09, Norman A. McLarty, '10, L. Clare Moyer, '10, Cyril J. Carroll, '32, Herbert Beall, '32, Barry German.

Brother Carroll will welcome correspondence from all Brothers in matters of the Ottawa alumni, and Brother Harris, on behalf of the Alumni Club of Ottawa, extends to visiting Psi U's a hearty welcome.

CYRIL J. CARROLL, Secretary
Alumni Club of Ottawa, Canada
193 Holmwood Avenue, Ottawa

John W. Corris, Upsilon '36, has kindly consented to act as a clearing house for the Upsilon Alumni news. His address is Todd Union, University of Rochester, River Campus, Rochester, N. Y. Please cooperate with him. Brother Corris is the Director of Todd Union, University of Rochester.

THE EDITOR'S MAIL BAG

Brother Theron H. Spring, Kappa '29, writes from Baltimore, Md.:

"I wish to express the great pleasure I receive four times a year when it is my privilege to read THE DIAMOND through, almost from cover to cover. I certainly hope that there will never again be a lapse such as that that existed during the first part of the Century when THE DIAMOND was not in print.

"I should like to suggest that each succeeding DIAMOND contain more and more accounts about the doings of prominent members of Psi Upsilon. It would also be nice if the Alumni of various chapters could be induced to send in more and more items about their current doings. Down here in this city about the only way I know about the doings of the Kappa Alumni is when I read some items in THE DIAMOND and also in the Bowdoin Alumni paper."

The Reverend Mr. Donald V. Carey, Iota '25, Rector of Grace Episcopal Church in Grand Rapids, Mich., writes: "Thanks for the picture in THE DIAMOND—it brought me letters from long lost friends."

Brother Lewis Schwager, Mu '95, writes from his home, 943 Twenty-second Avenue North, Seattle, Wash.:

"At Minnesota we had John F. Schurch, 1891, Hastings, Minnesota, and John F. Schurch, 1895, Minneapolis, Minnesota. The latter is left out of all Psi U literature for the past quarter century. The former died years ago in Shanghai, and the latter is very much alive, being assistant to the President of the D. and L. Ry. I knew them both intimately, because the Hastings Brother graduated with me in Law in 1896. Another strange thing, the two Brothers were not related and met for the first

time in the Chapter House, and, another coincidence, we three all had Swiss parents, born within thirty miles of each other in Switzerland."

Brother Robert R. Waltz, Theta Theta '35, whose address is the Travelers Insurance Company, 315 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California, writes:

"You are to be congratulated upon the change in editorial style which has served to make THE DIAMOND a very interesting chronicle of the news of our Fraternity.

"The writer had the good fortune to be a delegate at the 1936 Convention held at Rochester. Indeed it is unfortunate that more Brothers, especially from the Far West, cannot attend such a splendid gathering in fellowship.

"A group of some ten or twelve Brothers of the Theta Theta Chapter have recently organized a monthly luncheon, which, pending future plans, is being held at the Dawn Club in San Francisco. Brother Sam Hess, '36, is entitled to the credit for the monthly affair. Two such meetings have been held with hopes for a mixed gathering for an evening social at a future date.

"Suffice to say that meeting of men like Archibald Douglas and Stephen Kent very definitely impressed upon me what a privilege it is to be a member of such a Fraternity. Might I add that the visit of an 'old' Psi U to the Chapter House, although expensive, has had a very definite result in bridging the gap of 2,000 miles to Minnesota and contact with the older Chapters of the East.

"The Washington Chapter is comparatively young but very active and well thought of. From personal experience as a past President I am sure that the Chapter is lacking a historical record and should be pressed, while yet young,

by the Executive Council to make a move in the direction of recording and bringing up to date pertinent facts of the Chapter's twenty-two years. When the late Brother A. P. Sawyer, Beta '80, was alive, he was a 'walking' dictionary of the Chapter, for he was very instrumental in its founding."

Brother Frederick S. Brandenburg, Rho '09, President of the Rho of Psi Upsilon, Inc., writes:

"Just this morning I wrote a check of about \$1,200 for taxes on the Hall of the Rho. While I hate to see so much good money going that way, I am glad to note the improvement of our financial position. This is the first year in many when we have been able to meet our taxes without resorting to partial payments.

"We have been carrying the interest burden of a \$16,000 mortgage; and it has

been a dream of mine to raise enough money from Rho Alumni to buy that paper, hold it in the corporation, and use the \$800, which has been our interest charge, for scholarships. As a matter of fact, we are getting donations right along and have reduced substantially our indebtedness.

"Many of the finest boys in the Rho are fighting their own ways through college; and a loan of \$200 a year would enable them to do more for themselves and the chapter. Such loans would be made without interest; and I believe we would get back 75% of them within five years of a Brother's graduation.

"If you think this plan will interest fellows from the other chapters, you are at liberty to print this letter or any parts of it. I would like to know how many chapters have scholarship funds available for needy Brothers.

"We are going to put over our Rho Scholarship Foundation!"

On January 20, 1939, a dinner was given at the University Club in New York City to the College Presidents, and seventy-two attended. Brother Nicholas Murray Butler, Lambda '82, President of Columbia University, was toastmaster. He functioned with his usual charm.

The active chapter at the Gamma is making an active campaign, nationally, among the Congressmen to exempt student employees from the Federal Social Security Tax. This campaign is in charge of Henry B. Poor, Gamma '39, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Gamma.

In The Saturday Evening Post for February 11, is an article by Nicholas Murray Butler, Lambda '82, entitled "Lincoln and Son." This article mentions several well known members of Psi Upsilon.

Frederick W. Mehlhop, Phi '88, has graciously agreed to help the Editor with news of Psi U's in and around Chicago. Brother Mehlhop resides at 833 Foxdale, Winnetka, Ill.

The 1939 Convention of the Fraternity will be held with the Kappa, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Me., June 21, 22, 23.

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

A regular meeting of the Executive Council was held at the Union League Club, New York City, on Tuesday, January 10, 1939. Brother Turner, President, presided. The following members of the Council were present: Brothers Turner, Bangs, Burton, Collins, Corcoran, Fales, Jones, Kent, Northey, Weed and Woolman. Present by invitation was Brother Henry B. Poor, Gamma '39.

The Secretary-Recorder, Brother Kent, reported that Chapter histories had been received from the Gamma, Pi and Zeta Zeta, and that names and addresses of Chapter Alumni Association officers had been received from the Sigma, Psi, Delta Delta and Nu Chapters. A second letter had been sent out to the Chapters which had not responded to the Secretary's earlier letter calling for this material. The Secretary further reported that blanks for the annual report to the Executive Council had been sent to the Chapters. Upon his recommendation an expenditure of \$15.00 was authorized for the better preservation of certain Convention records.

The Chairman of THE DIAMOND Advisory Committee, Brother Weed, reported that the January issue had gone to press, and recommended that the appropriation for printing for the present college year be increased from \$3,000 to \$3,100, due to the increase in the subscription list. This increase was authorized. Brother Weed announced that prizes of \$10 and \$5 for the best and second best Chapter Communication had been provided for the January issue of THE DIAMOND, and that this issue would contain a history of THE DIAMOND written by Brother Herbert S. Houston, Omega '88.

† A committee, consisting of Brother Weed, Chairman, and Brothers Jones and Burton was appointed and empow-

ered to arrange with the printer for a reprint of Brother Houston's article.

A letter from Brother Edward T. Richards, Sigma '27, dealing with the cost of printing THE DIAMOND was referred to THE DIAMOND Committee.

The resignation from the Council of Brother Henry Hill Pierce, Kappa '96, was accepted with deepest regret and appreciation of his valuable services to the Fraternity.

Brother Roswell Gray Ham, Epsilon '14, was unanimously elected as a member of the Council, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Brother Henry P. Douglas, Chi '94.

Brother Kent reported that he had completed his review of all amendments to the Constitution since the printing of 1903, and that the Convention records would shortly be forwarded to Brother Bangs, the other member of the Committee appointed to bring the Constitution up to date, so that he might pass on the results reached. Brothers Kent and Bangs were directed to obtain estimates on the cost of printing a revision of the Constitution.

Brother Weed reported that research had revealed that the old document recovered by the Fraternity in February, 1936, had been adopted as the Constitution of the Fraternity shortly after January 10, 1834, and had remained in force and effect until about September, 1834. His committee therefore recommended that it be entitled "The Founders' Constitution."

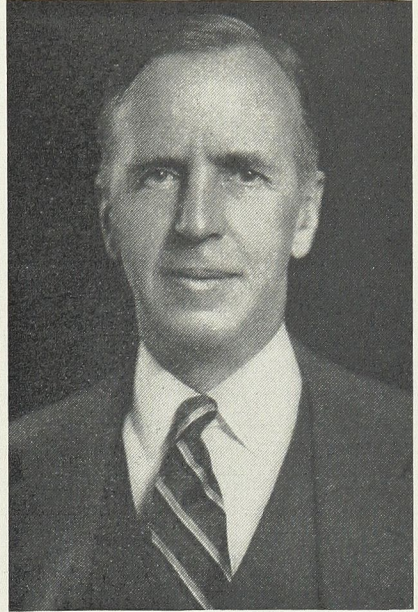
Brother Corcoran recommended on behalf of the committee to investigate the possibility of electing honorary members that the chapters interested be advised that under the present Constitution this is impossible.

The President designated Brother Corcoran temporarily to serve as a representative of Psi Upsilon on the Dartmouth Inter-fraternity Committee.

The Treasurer reported that the combined net worth in all funds as of October 31, 1938, was \$44,385.78. Brother Jones further reported that he was appointing Brother Kent to succeed the late Eugene S. Wilson to serve as co-trustee with him of the Willard Fiske Fund.

The members of the Council stood while the President read the Necrology.

THE DIAMOND regrets the resignation from the Executive Council of Brother Henry Hill Pierce, Kappa '96. He has been a member of the Council since 1933. Brother Pierce was born in Portland, Maine, November 7, 1875. Graduating from Bowdoin College with the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1896, he received his law degree at New York University. In 1926 Bowdoin conferred upon Brother Pierce the LL.D. From 1909 until his retirement due to ill health in 1929 Brother Pierce, as a member of the well known firm of Sullivan and Cromwell in New York City, was an outstanding lawyer. Elected to Phi Beta Kappa while in college, he is a



HENRY HILL PIERCE, *Kappa '96*

a director of the Major Car Corporation, of the Canal National Bank of Portland, Maine, and a trustee of Bowdoin College.

The Editor regrets that he did not have enough material on hand to complete the story of Psi U Rushing. It is hoped that it will be possible to have this item ready for the June issue of THE DIAMOND.

It is hoped that the "June" DIAMOND will be out this year during the month of May. It is, therefore, requested that the material for the last number of this year be in the hands of the Editor by April 15. This will be appreciated greatly.

Again prizes of \$10.00 and \$5.00 respectively will be awarded to the associate editors who do the best and second best jobs of reporting in the June issue of THE DIAMOND.

The obituary sketches of Brothers Albert E. Miller, Phi '83, and William Tyler Miller, Phi '92, prepared by Brother Earl D. Babst, Iota-Phi '93, were received too late for inclusion in this issue and will appear in the June number.

PLEDGES ANNOUNCED BY THE CHAPTERS

OMEGA

University of Chicago

Class of 1942: Edward W. Caulton, Chicago, Ill.; Kenneth H. Cornwall, Sioux City, Iowa; Dan Crabb, Bloomington, Ill.; Paul A. Florian, III, Chicago, Ill.; William Gibler, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Allen P. Graves, Dubuque, Iowa; Arthur L. Johnson, Jr., Oak Park, Ill.; Dale P. Johnson, Chicago, Ill.; Kenneth F. MacLellan, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; Robert Reynolds, Lakewood, Ohio; Allan Vanderhoof, Chicago, Ill.; Alexander G. Webbe, Barrington, Ill.

MU

University of Minnesota

Ellesworth Atkinson, II, Wayzata, Minn.; Richard Clayton, Minneapolis, Minn.; Douglas Farnam, Duluth, Minn.; Horace Hitch, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn.; John Jerome, Minneapolis, Minn.; Frank Learned, St. Paul, Minn.; Her-

bert Parker, Minneapolis, Minn.; Ernie Small, Jr., Hackensack, N. J.; James Egan Smith, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn.; Hugh Thompson, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn.; Telford K. Thompson, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn.; Charles Volk, Minneapolis, Minn.; Clarence Wollcott, Minneapolis, Minn.

ZETA ZETA

University of British Columbia

Class of 1940: Gerald Edward White, Victoria, B. C.

Class of 1941: Lionel Joseph Fournier, Pincher Creek, Alberta; Robert Campbell Kenmuir, Vancouver, B. C.; Edward Lambert Margetts, Trail, B. C.

Class of 1942: George Stamatis, Vancouver, B. C.

Class of 1943: James Lloyd Darby, Vancouver, B. C.; George Douglas Jessup, Ocean Falls, B. C.; David Robert Nichols, Vancouver, B. C.

From the Associate Editor of the Phi comes this note of interest. "Brothers connected with the Rho will be interested to know that Brother Ed. J. 'Backwash' Collins, Rho '38, former President of the Rho Chapter, captain of the Wisconsin crew, and at present a student in the Michigan Law School, has fashioned for himself a position of genuine esteem and affection here at the Phi. Chiefly through his efforts a last-minute wager was arranged between the Phi and the Rho as to the outcome of the Michigan-Wisconsin basketball game. The stakes were, of course, a keg of beer. Wisconsin won, and 'Backwash' collected the beer. But the keg apparently was 'lost in the mails,' or at least the Brothers at Madison are still totally unaware that a wager even existed. When accosted recently, 'Backwash' was heard to reply with suspicious sincerity, questionable indignation, 'What they (Brothers at Rho) don't drink . . . won't hurt them.'"

In the June issue of THE DIAMOND will appear an article by Brother Thomas R. Badine, Xi '37, on "Scholarship Loans," The Associate Editors are requested to send the Editor any available information concerning scholarship loans in their chapters.

IN MEMORIAM

HENRY EDWIN ANDREWS, *Kappa '94*
(*Professor of Art at Bowdoin*)

Brother Henry Edwin Andrews, Professor of Art and curator of the Museum of Fine Arts at Bowdoin since 1918, passed away suddenly a short time ago. A loyal and enthusiastic brother, a teacher combining a meticulous with a lively approach to his subject, and a friend and adviser to many generations of Kappa men, he will long remain in their memories as a representative of the finest qualities of a *Frater in Facultate*. Unlike many teachers of art, he had a real gusto for living; because he loved a good meal, a good story, and a good companion, he was much beloved.

JOHN EVANS CORNELL,
Omega '83, Phi '84
(*Prominent Manufacturer and Philanthropist*)

John Evans Cornell was born August 1, 1862. He was the son of Paul Cornell, the founder of the section of Chicago now called Hyde Park. After his graduation from the University of Michigan he entered the practice of law and took over the management of his father's estate. In 1900 Brother Cornell became interested in the manufacture of Paper Valve Bags which twenty years later made him a fortune. He became President of the Bates Valve Bag company. The business pressure of the past few years weighed heavily upon him causing heart trouble. After two years' struggle he passed away at the home of his father-in-law in Alexandria, Minn. Brother Cornell's name is a household word in Hyde Park, Ill. A supporter of many charities, a member of many of Chicago's leading clubs, he belonged to the Christian Science Church.

In 1892 Brother Cornell married Katherine Spear, a singer of local repu-

tation. He had a family of three daughters and one son.

ALFRED COWLES, *Beta '86*
(*Chicago Lawyer and Philanthropist*)

Alfred Cowles, Chicago lawyer and long an advocate of better government, died at his home on January 15, 1939, of pneumonia at the age of seventy-four. A native of Chicago, he was graduated from Yale in 1886. While in college he was captain of the 1886 Yale crew which scored a smashing and a record-time victory over Harvard on the Thames. After attending the Yale and the Northwestern Law Schools he was admitted to the Illinois Bar in 1891. From 1891 to 1901 Brother Cowles was engaged in the management of *The Chicago Tribune*. Director of the Chicago Tribune Company, he with his brother and sister in 1928 presented \$350,000 to Yale University to be used in the study of public and governmental affairs. He was also a director of the American Radiator Company, the Continental Illinois National Bank, and chairman and a trustee of the Rialto Trust Company of Chicago.

ALBERT MYRICK FREEMAN, *Beta '89*
(*Beloved Dean of Blair Academy*)

Albert M. Freeman, Dean of Blair Academy, died in the Easton Hospital on September 27, 1938. Born in Provincetown, Mass., in 1865, he received his primary education in the public schools and prepared for college with a private tutor. Entering Yale College in 1885, he took a Bachelor of Arts course, and distinguished himself in both athletics and scholarship. After leaving college he taught at the Knapp School in Plymouth, Mass., and the Franklin School in Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Blair Academy Bulletin for Octo-

ber, 1938, was in the form of an *In Memoriam* number. We are privileged to quote therefrom:

"In 1894 Mr. Freeman came to Blair as a instructor in the classics, and during the ensuing forty-four years he was an integral factor in the growth of Blair from a small co-educational academy into a nationally known preparatory school for boys. Mr. Freeman became Dean in 1914, and continued the teaching of Latin throughout his service at Blair. He always regretted the loss of Greek from the preparatory school curriculum.

"When Mr. Freeman came to the Academy he was a young man of large physique and, following the custom of the early days, he played occasionally on the varsity football team even though he was a member of the faculty. Throughout his years at Blair he always retained a very sincere interest in the athletics of the Academy.

"Dean Freeman was long active in the affairs of the Blairstown Presbyterian Church. At his death he had for many years been an elder in the Church and Treasurer of Church Benevolences.

"Blair Alumni recall the many times that he represented the faculty at Alumni Association banquets. He was always a welcome guest and his addresses invariably were enthusiastically received. During 1934 the Alumni, trustees, and students paid special tribute to him as he completed his forty years of service."

Brother Charles W. Curts, '23, wrote concerning Brother Freeman:

"Dean Freeman . . . was a loyal Psi U and dearly beloved by all who knew him. . . . Pleasant indeed is my memory of my first visit to the Academy as an Alumnus, and the genuine greeting and handclasp proffered by him on that occasion. Yes, and how he smiled with real satisfaction when he noticed my Psi U badge, and hastily extended the grip, clearly indicating his personal approval. The fact that I was a Psi U seemed to add an additional bond of affection to a friendship which I had ever valued highly."

PRENTISS B. GILBERT, *Upsilon* '06, *Beta* '07, Charge d'Affaires at our Embassy in Berlin, died February 25. An obituary notice will appear in the June issue.

THOMAS KELLER GALE, *Psi* '84
(*Prominent Salt Manufacturer*)

By HERBERT GUIBORD CODDINGTON, *Pi* '86

Thomas K. Gale, graduate of Hamilton College and a member of Psi Upsilon, died at his New York City home October 17, 1938, aged 80 years.

Mr. Gale was the son of Thomas Gale, a native of England, who was one of the pioneer salt manufacturers in the vicinity of Syracuse, owning salt wells and salt sheds along the shores of Onondaga Lake just north of Syracuse. The community which sprang up around the wells and sheds came to be known as Galesville. The Gale homestead was located there. Thomas K. Gale continued the business begun by his father until 1926, when part of the land on which the Gale salt sheds stood was acquired for the Onondaga Lake Parkway, in which one salt well, donated by Mr. Gale, was retained, and in which stands a monument inscribed to the effect that the elder Gale was once the largest manufacturer of solar salt in this country.

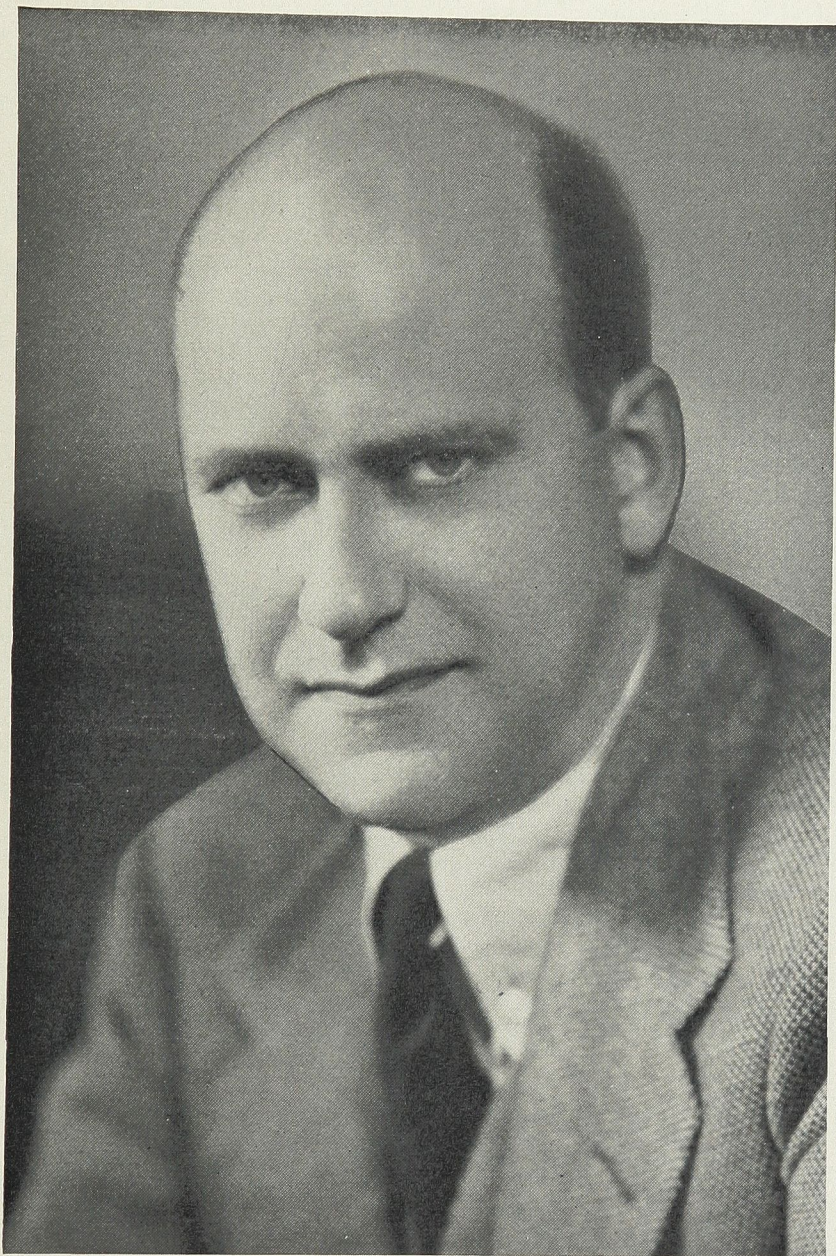
Mr. Gale was a man of fine character and wide interests. He was a member of the Sons of the Revolution and a Director of the Onondaga Historical Association and a communicant of Trinity Episcopal Church, Syracuse. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida Benjamin Gale.

MERRITT HULBURD, *Tau* '23
(*Prominent Editor and Motion
Picture Director*)

By THOMAS B. K. RINGE, *Tau* '23

Brother Merritt Hulburd, a prominent editor, died at Palm Beach, Fla., on January 22, 1939. He was thirty-six years of age.

Brother Hulburd was born in Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa., on March 6, 1903. He attended the Germantown High School in Philadelphia and upon his graduation entered the Wharton



MERRITT HULBURD, *Tau* '23

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School of the University of Pennsylvania, from which he was graduated with the Class of 1923. While at Pennsylvania he was an active and enthusiastic member of his delegation at the Hall of the Tau.

He was a member of the cricket team in his freshman and sophomore years. In his junior year he was Assistant Manager of the Musical Club, of which he was Manager in his senior year. While an undergraduate he sang in the chorus of the Mask and Wig shows and held numerous offices in the Chapter.

Having majored in English Literature, upon graduation he became an instructor in the Department of English of the University of Pennsylvania, where he took his Master's Degree.

In 1924 he married Jean Thompson of Ambler, Pa. The Hulburds have one son, Merritt Hulburd, Jr., who, with Mrs. Hulburd, survives.

After two years as a member of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania, he accepted an invitation extended by the late George Horace Lorimer, "builder," guiding spirit and Editor of *The Saturday Evening Post*, and became a member of the Editorial Staff of the *Post* where he continued for six years as an Associate Editor.

Early in the year 1931 he became associated with Paramount Pictures in editorial work in New York, and in the spring of 1932 Paramount sent him to Hollywood where he had a rapid rise in the industry.

At one time, while with Paramount, he had charge of a group of sixty writers. At the end of his Paramount contract in 1934, he became associated with Samuel Goldwyn, with whom he became an associate producer.

In the winter of 1935-1936, when Goldwyn collapsed from overwork, Brother Hulburd took over the production schedule and produced "Dodsworth" and later "Come and Get It." In the following season he produced "Hurricane," "Dead End" and "Stella

Dallas." During these years Brother Hulburd's salary was reputed to have been between \$72,000 and \$125,000 per year; undoubtedly he had reached the top in the editorial and producing phase of the moving picture business.

Late in 1937 Brother Hulburd thought himself in need of a rest, or to use his own language, felt that he was "infected with the Hollywood disease." It was at this time that he accepted an invitation to return to his old job with *The Saturday Evening Post*, to which, after a brief vacation in England, he returned in January of 1938.

Almost immediately after returning to Philadelphia, Brother Hulburd began to suffer from an unusual affliction with younger men, high blood-pressure. This ailment became so acute that in June he was forced to take a leave of absence because of his inability to continue at his work, and he spent the summer in New England, attempting to recuperate. After a prolonged rest, he resigned from the *Post* staff and planned to re-enter the motion picture business with David Selznick. However, almost immediately following the making of arrangements for this new venture, he suffered a complete collapse and underwent a major operation early in November which was designed to give relief from the high blood-pressure from which he had been suffering so severely. While recuperating from this operation, he was spending a brief period in Florida when his condition suddenly became worse and he suffered his second collapse, which resulted in his untimely death.

On January 24, 1939, the members of his delegation from Pennsylvania's Tau gathered to pay their last respects to "Merry," as he was affectionately known to them, a wonderfully cheerful, dynamic personality, who, in his brief years, had earned a brilliant reputation in a highly competitive field, and a prominent place in the hearts of his brothers in Psi Upsilon.

WILLIAM JEREMIAH MILLARD,
Delta '93, Lambda '94
(Distinguished Lawyer)

William Jeremiah Millard, former Assistant United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, counsel in many important criminal cases, and Assistant Corporation Counsel of New York for almost twenty years, died January 29, 1939, from pneumonia at the age of sixty-six. As senior member of the law firm of Millard and Greene, of which he had been a member for many years, he defended Henry Judd Gray in the Snyder-Gray murder case in 1927. While Assistant United States Attorney he prosecuted the late William J. Fallon, a lawyer charged with bribing a juror; the Fuller-McGee bucketshop cases; the Ourrell-Gregory stock brokerage case; and the case of G. H. Miles, former sea captain charged with murder on the high seas.

Born in Chester, N. Y., on September 2, 1872, he was graduated from Columbia College and from the New York Law School. Assistant Corporation Counsel of New York from 1897 to 1917, during that time he rewrote the city's sanitary code. From 1917 to 1921 he was associated with former Mayor John P. Mitchel and George V. Mullan. After serving as Assistant United States Attorney from 1921 to 1925, he returned to private practice.

A founder and charter member of the Bronx County Bar Association, President for many years of the Masonic Veterans, he was active in Fusion politics in the Bronx.

Surviving are his wife, the former Edna L. Kirk, and a brother, Charles Warren Millard, Delta '93.

ALBERT E. MILLER, *Phi '83*
(Distinguished Lawyer and
Michigan Alumnus)

The following account of Brother Albert E. Miller, one of the most dis-

tinguished members of the Phi Chapter, is printed from *The Michigan Alumnus* for February 4, 1939.

"Albert E. Miller, former varsity baseball player, a Past Director of the Alumni Association, and long a leader in Michigan Alumni affairs in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, died suddenly on January 23 in Marquette, a victim of a heart attack while he was on the way to his law office . . .

"Only last June this distinguished Alumnus ended a connection as Solicitor of the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic Railway which had brought him success and recognition in the legal world. He had completed a half-century of service in this field, besides carrying on a law practice which made him a leader of the Bar in his section of the country.

"He was born in Ypsilanti, September 21, 1861, and was admitted to the Bar in Michigan two years after his graduation from the Literary College of the University. Following two years of practice in Detroit he moved to Marquette to begin the career which ended last month. He was an active Republican and was also vitally concerned in the lay administration of the Episcopal Church, attending many national meetings of the denomination.

"He was a frequent visitor to Ann Arbor, often attending meetings of the Varsity 'M' Club and of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association."

EDWARD ROLAND STEARNS,
Kappa '89

(Prominent Congregational Minister)

The Reverend Dr. Edward Roland Stearns, for many years prominent in the Congregational Church of New Hampshire and in later years active in its denominational work overseas, died January 21, 1939 at his home in Concord, N. H., at the age of seventy-one. A graduate of Bowdoin College and of the Andover Theological Seminary, he served pastorates at New Vineyard and at Warren in Maine and at Lancaster, N. H., before going to Concord, N. H., in 1912 to be field secretary of the New Hampshire Ministers and Widows Char-

itable Fund. In 1915 Brother Stearns became secretary of the New Hampshire Home Missionary Society. In 1929 he received the degree of Doctor of Divinity *honoris causa* from Bowdoin. Retiring in 1932, he has since that time traveled widely in this country and abroad in the interests of the church.

ARTHUR LEONARD ANDREWS, *Xi* '75. Word has been received of the death on September 15, 1938 of Brother Andrews.

STEPHEN OSGOOD ANDROS, *Kappa* '97. Word has just been received of the death of Brother Andros in Santa Fe, New Mexico, in December, 1937.

JAMES MOORE AUSTIN, *Tau* '15. Brother Austin died September 1, 1937. He was head of the Pittsburgh office of the National Refractories Co.

CHARLES WINTERFIELD BALDWIN, *Beta* '61. Word has just been received of the death of Brother Baldwin in Baltimore, Md., on July 15, 1938. The Reverend Mr. Baldwin must have been the oldest member of Psi Upsilon.

WALTER SAVAGE BALL, *Gamma* '97. Brother Ball died at his home in Providence on November 3, 1938.

EDMOND BEARDSLEY, *Psi* '76, *Gamma* '77. Brother Beardsley passed away on November 9, 1938, at the age of eighty-five. He was formerly chief clerk of the accounting and auditing division of the New York City Department of Water Supply, Gas, and Electricity.

HARRY W. CARROLL, *Theta Theta* '80. Word has just been received of the recent death of Brother Carroll, who was Comptroller and Ex-Officio City Clerk of the City of Seattle, Wash. A life member of the Alumni Association, he has been a loyal member of the Fraternity.

RUSH CHELLIS, *Zeta* '83. Brother Chellis passed away on May 22, 1937.

LLEWELLYN W. COLLINGS, JR., *Chi* '36. Brother Collings of South Orange, N. J., passed away December 27, 1938, in Detroit, Mich., at the age of twenty-four.

DANA PAUL DAME, *Zeta* '80. Word has just been received of the death of Brother Dame on March 13, 1938.

GEORGE THOMAS EATON, *Gamma* '78. Word has just been received of the death on March 2, 1937 of Brother Eaton.

GEORGE E. GREENE, *Eta* '90. Brother Greene, formerly of Lockport, N. Y., died February 13, 1938.

WILLIAM CARROLL GUNNING, *Theta* '16. Word has been received of the death of Brother Gunning on November 8, 1938, at St. Johns Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHARLES HEBERT HAM, *Zeta* '71. Brother Ham passed away on November 14, 1937 at the age of eighty-four.

HOMER EATON KEYES, *Zeta* '00. Word has just been received that Brother Keyes died from a heart attack on October 8, 1938.

JOHN WARDEN McCAULEY, *Theta* '83. Brother McCauley passed away in 1937.

ROBERT DOUGLAS MILHOLLAND, *Eta* '90. Word has just been received of the death about a year ago of Brother Milholland.

ALBERT LAYTON REGISTER, *Chi* '89. Word has just been received of the death on August 15, 1938 of Brother Register.

EDWIN A. RICHARD, *Lambda* '86. Brother Richard passed away on January 21, 1939.

JOHN MASON STEELE, *Upsilon* '72. Word has just been received of the death about two years ago of Brother Steele of Pittsford, N. Y.

HIGH LIGHTS FROM THE CHAPTER COMMUNICATIONS

It is difficult in a few words to summarize the important points in the communications from our twenty-seven chapters. Much deserves to be stressed. The Editor wishes to congratulate the Associate Editors for their splendid cooperation.

In the field of scholarship there are many items which give cheer to those interested in the academic improvement of Psi Upsilon. The twelve Delta pledges all passed successfully the work of the first semester. Considerable improvement is to be noted in the showing of the Kappa. The Psi reports that the sixteen pledges came through the mid-year period, many with flying colors; that five seniors, Brothers Childs, Collins, Hilfinger, Hummer and Newkirk, and three juniors, Brothers Langdon and Rogers and Pledge Maloy, made the Dean's List. The Upsilon stands second among the fraternities at Rochester. The Psi promises much improvement. Brothers Cox and Ward of the Pi are to be congratulated upon receiving scholarships to the Harvard Law School. The Beta Beta seems due to have one of its best scholastic years. The Tau has a high standing at Pennsylvania. The Mu's record for the fall quarter shows a marked improvement over a year ago. With Brother Kenneth Bellile gaining more scholastic honors the Rho stands among the first ten fraternities at Wisconsin. Brother Freeman Dill of the Epsilon was the winner of the freshman scholastic award for the past year. Due to more stringent study rules an improvement is anticipated in the standing of the Omicron. The record of the Delta Delta continues to be excellent. The chapters have become more conscious of their academic responsibilities.

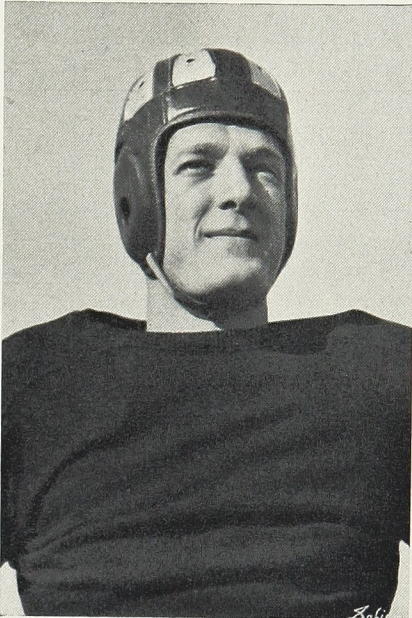
Interest in intramural events again

runs high. Our chapters are to be most highly congratulated over their fine showing in this all-important phase of college life. Especial credit goes to the Theta, Sigma, Lambda, Phi, Omega, Pi, Beta Beta, Mu, Rho and Omicron. Lack of space prevents a detailed account of the achievements of the chapters.

Once more we find that our undergraduates have generously given their services to the various college teams. There is no form of sport in which our younger brethren are not active. The Sigma, Zeta, Kappa, Psi, Xi, Upsilon, Omega, Pi, Chi, Tau, Epsilon, Omicron, Delta Delta, Theta Theta, Nu deserve particular mention.

Psi U's are captains of many athletic teams. Ted Cobb, Gamma '41, is acting captain of the Amherst ski team. Whit Miller, Zeta '40, has been chosen leader of the 1939 Dartmouth football team. Roy A. Merchant, Zeta '40, is captain-elect of the Dartmouth cross country team. Phillip B. Schnering, Omega '39, captains the Chicago water polo squad. Cornell again has Psi U leaders: Al Bosson, Chi '39, co-captain of hockey; Bill McKeever, Chi '39, of track; and Bob White, Chi '39, of basketball. With Al Van Ranst, Chi '39, as captain of the 1938 football team, this was a great year for the Chi. The Pennsylvania basketball team is under the leadership of "Pace" Brickley, Tau '39. The Pennsylvania tennis team is under the leadership of Stewart Forshay, Tau '39. Jack Flagg, Theta Theta '39, is captain of the Washington track team, while Bill Haas, Theta Theta '39, is the leader of the hockey squad.

Clyde B. Holmes, Jr., Kappa '40, is manager of the Bowdoin swimming team, while the Wesleyan aquatic squad is managed by Joseph B. Kaes-



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CHARLES WHIT MILLER, *Zeta '40*,
 Captain-Elect of the Dartmouth
 Football Team

shaefer, Xi '39. Lyn Stevens, Chi '39, manages the Cornell track team. The Pennsylvania basketball team has a Psi U manager in the person of Jim Morgan, Tau '39. At Toronto the Senior Intercollegiate Track Team is managed by Bill Brown, Nu '41.

The accomplishments of a number of our younger Psi U Brothers have been particularly outstanding. It is impossible here to list them all.

John Frederick Martin, Sigma '39, is not only the head of the Brown Chapter, but holds as well many important positions on the campus. Manager of the football team, business manager of the college year book, he is a member of the Inter Fraternity Governing Board.

Kenneth D. Clapp, Sigma '40, won the fifty yard dash at the Prout Games in Boston in January, his time of 5.4 seconds equalling the meet record. A week later at the Milrose Games in New York, he placed third in the sixty yard

dash, which was won in world record time. To date he has been undefeated in intercollegiate competition.

The Fraternity is rightly proud of Charles Whit Miller, *Zeta '40*, Captain-elect of Dartmouth's 1939 football team; he is probably the outstanding man in his class. He has been President of his class for three years, and is at present President of Green Key, the junior honorary society. In his freshman year, "Whit" captained the undefeated yearling football team, in addition to figuring prominently in track and skiing. This winter he is a member of the Varsity Ski Team and is recognized as one of New England's outstanding ski jumpers. Chosen as "King" of his delegation, Brother "Whit" rounds out his campus activities with excellent marks, ranking in the upper tenth of his class.

Martin F. Hilfinger, Jr., Psi '39, Captain of the 1938 Hamilton football team, has been placed on the Dean's List for high scholarship. He has also been presented with the Fowler Award, the highest athletic honor at Hamilton.

Special mention must be made of the appointment of David L. Gillispie, Xi '39, as co-editor of the *Argus* at Wesleyan; of the election of Pledge William Bruckel, Upsilon '42, as President of the freshman class at Rochester; of Pledge Bob Johnson, Phi '42, who was on the Michigan breast stroke relay team which recently shattered the American mile relay record; of Robert E. Merriam, Omega '39, who is chairman of the Student Publicity Board at Chicago; of Thrasher T. Gray, Eta '39, who is news editor of the *Brown and White*; of Charlie Augspurger, Tau '39, who is the able business manager of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*; of Samuel A. Rea, Tau '40, who is President of the junior class at Pennsylvania; of the election of Count Moore, Tau '40, as President of the Mask and Wig Club; of the election of Pledge George Stamatis, Zeta Zeta '42, as President of the freshman class at the University of British Columbia.

CHAPTER COMMUNICATIONS

THETA

Union College

THE Five Power Convention held at the Theta on December 10 seems to have been disappointing in attendance only. It was with great pleasure that we were able to welcome Brothers from the Psi, Upsilon, Pi, Chi, and Xi.

The skiing instinct takes the Brothers away every week-end. Trips to North Creek and environs vie with those to Skidmore. Brother Ted Thomson has joined the ski team and promises well. The Outing Club has a following among the pledges, with Walden, Baas, Fletcher and Field participating.

The daily task of raising and lowering the college flag has been assigned by the Brothers to the freshmen, both as a measure of discipline and as a means of assuring Administration smiles on future Theta enterprises. The flagpole was a gift of Psi Upsilon to Union College in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the Fraternity's founding.

At present, the chapter stands second in the intramural sports competition. The scholarship committee is awaiting the outcome of the mid-year examinations to determine the House's scholastic standing and the question of the required average for initiation of the pledges.

T. DOUGLAS O. STEVENSON
Associate Editor

DELTA

New York University

THE BEGINNING of the second term finds the active chapter rather jubilant over the showing it made the first semester. The pledge group also did itself proud, for none of the twelve pledges is on probation, which is rather unusual for a pledge group of this size.

The regular spring initiation started February 1, and the formal initiation was held Monday evening, February 13. Because of financial difficulties three of the twelve pledges were not able to enter Psi Upsilon at that time.

Brother Ericson has decided to take advantage of a business opportunity, and will discontinue his studies for the time being. The house will miss him greatly, as he is one of the most popular members of the 1940 class.

The Christmas dinner dance this year was one of the most successful ever held. The house was decorated with boughs of fir, and looked exceedingly well.

An informal radio dance was held on New Year's Eve. Brother Berne added a great deal to the evening by officiating at a square dance. At twelve o'clock the traditional snake dance ushered in the New Year in a very fitting manner.

ROBERT W. KAMM
Associate Editor

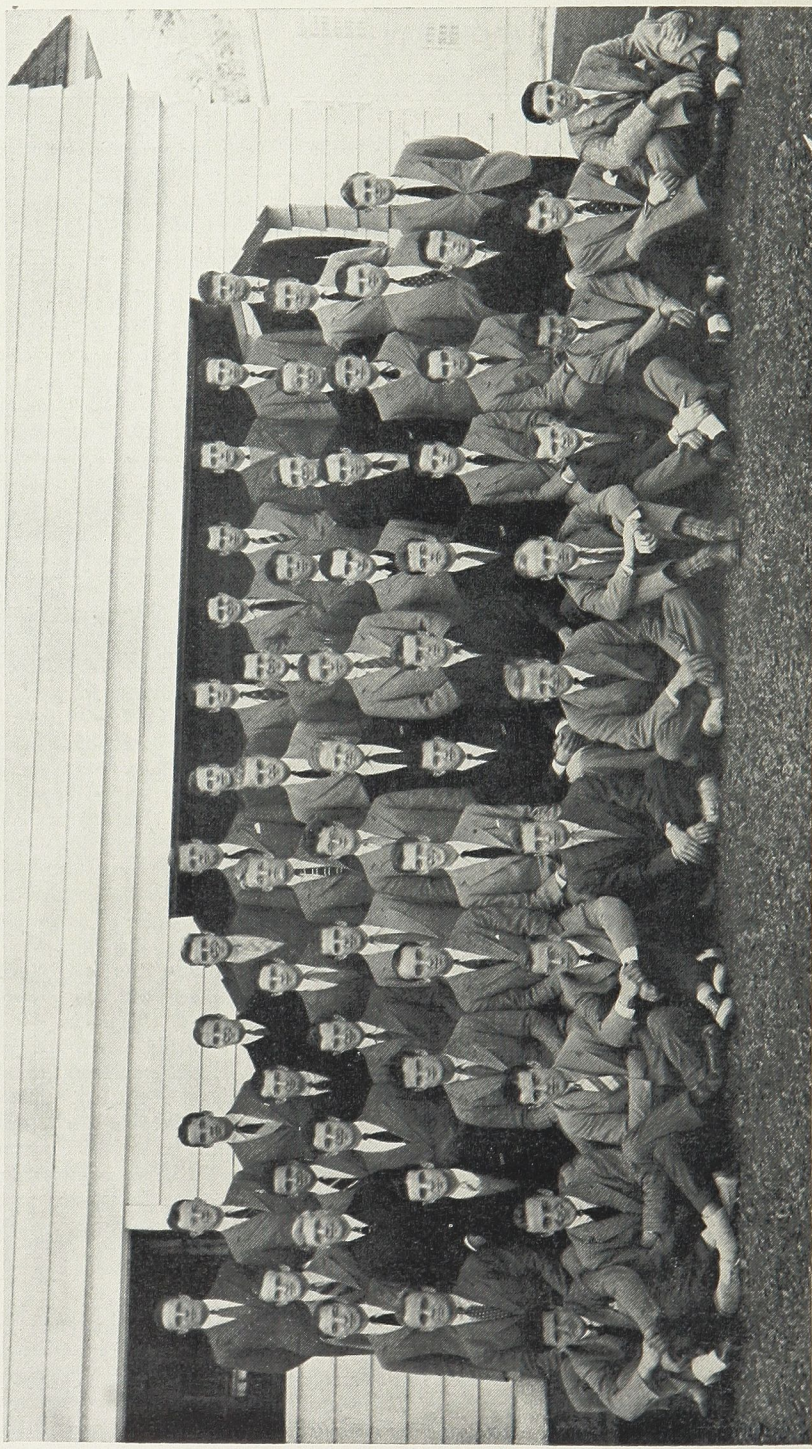
SIGMA

Brown University

IN A YEAR that saw many fine boys going through rushing, the Sigma secured a very promising pledge class of fifteen men, again topping all of its rushing rivals. This success was due mainly to the splendid work of the rushing committee under the leadership of Brother O'Brien, and to the excellent cooperation of the whole chapter. The initiation ceremony began February 18.

At the last meeting of the first semester Brother Jack Martin took over from Brother Davis the leadership of the house. Jack is prominent in many college activities and holds many important positions on the campus. He is manager of the football team, business manager of the year book, and a member of the Interfraternity Governing Board, to mention but a few of his achievements. The other officers for the second semester are: Brother O'Brien, Brother Church, Brother Vocke, Brother Rhodes and Brother Constable.

The Sigma is ably represented in winter sports by Brother Glatfelter and Fisher on the winning basketball team, Brother Fuller on the varsity wrestling squad, and Brothers Clapp and Constable on the track team. Brother Clapp won the fifty yard dash at the Prout Games in Boston in a time of 5.4 which equalled the meet record.



Safren

THE ZETA CHAPTER OF PSI UPSILON

In intramurals the Sigma leads in points for participation and victories over the other fraternities. It is hoped that with the present cooperation of the Brothers that we will be able to win the Lanpher cup for intramurals. Brothers Church and Graham are the individual high scorers and are striving for the Washburn cup which is awarded to the man who individually wins the most points.

S. J. SHERER
Associate Editor

GAMMA

Amherst College

AT THIS time, unfortunately, there is pitifully little of a meaty nature to relate concerning the Gamma. Henry Poor, Student Council mogul, stands as journalistic copy No. 1, and, at present is leading a phalanx of lobbyists to influence legislators in Washington to exempt student waiters from the maze of Social Security tommy-rot. It might also be mentioned that Psi Upsilon has secured a prominent part in the administration of *Student*, Amherst's bi-weekly, with George Ford, attaining membership on the editorial board, Jack Becker assuming the position of Feature Editor, and Art Dowling, by virtue of a grueling business board competition, rising to the post of National Advertising Manager. Ford, sophomore dynamo No. 1, is also co-winner with Dick Holzaepfel of the first leg in the musical clubs managership race.

The ski team, long a Psi U monopoly, has been hard hit by the loss of the services of its leader, Ted Cobb, who is suffering from a broken knee-cap. Acting-captain, manager, and ranking skier is the vigorous, broad-shouldered Phil Ball.

At the time of writing, mid-years, that painful prelude to several days of blissful Manhattan madness, are over. The results are about as expected. The senior delegation, led by that implacable expression of genius, the Dawn Patrol, rose as one from a beer can to hold its 83 average and the freshmen are still trying to figure out why the History 1 exam was so disastrous.

FRANK C. PORTER

RICHARD D. HOLZAEFFEL

Associate Editors

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ZETA

Dartmouth College

BROTHER *Whit Miller, '40*, was recently elected Captain of the 1939 Dartmouth football team. Brothers Gibson, Zitrides, Mills, Courter, Young, and Miller received their varsity letters.

With the football season over, Brother Miller has discarded his football shoes for ski boots, and with Brothers McLane and Fletcher represents the Zeta on Dartmouth's potent varsity ski team.

Brothers Young, Hall, and Sullivan are members of the varsity basketball team; Sullivan figuring prominently in several of the Big Green's recent victories.

Brothers Merriam and Kelley are on the varsity hockey team and have started every game to date.

Brothers Les MacMillin and Gus Zitrides have each reached the finals in the College Wrestling Tournament. Both are title holders from last year.

At a recent formal meeting, Brothers Gibson, Ballantyne, and Lilly were introduced as the new officers of the Zeta Chapter.

Brothers Merchant and McCoun are on the varsity track team, figuring in the long distance and dash, respectively. Brother Merchant is the recently elected cross country captain for next season.

Of interest to the Zeta Alumni . . . we have not sold or swapped or even given any of our backyard to the new dining hall . . . We had a grand carnival this year with some sixty men having young ladies up. A new event was the dance in Thayer Hall on Saturday night . . . The sculpturing was done this year by Brothers Naylor, Igleheart and Ed Miller. Their snow sculpturing last year was a highlight of the Carnival.

GORDON K. MCCOUN
Associate Editor

LAMBDA

Columbia University

THE Lambda is still among the leaders in the competition for the Dean's Trophy. The ping pong team, consisting of Brothers Zimmerman, MacKenzie and Reid, won the interfraternity championship. In addition,

Brother Zimmerman captured second place in the University open ping pong tournament. The badminton team has also been quite successful. Brothers MacKenzie and Schanck have reached the finals and are hoping to win the championship for the house. It is yet too early to predict the outcome of interfraternity basketball, but so far the Lambda's team is undefeated and is anticipating a most successful season.

The Brothers of the Lambda have been so pleased with the formal dances this year that they have requested Brother Black, dance chairman, to run another. In recognition of this request, a formal dinner-dance was held on February 18, which was even more successful than the one held at Christmas.

JOHN P. REDWOOD, JR.
Associate Editor

KAPPA

Bowdoin College

THE WINTER term finds the Kappa recuperating from mid-year examinations with less than usual amount of casualties which hitherto has made the chapter outstanding upon the Bowdoin campus. Moreover, a new spirit of enthusiasm, which is most gratifying, can be recognized, especially where the approaching 1939 Convention is concerned.

In winter athletics the house is ably represented in every major sport. Brothers Melendy, Allen, Monroe, Bonzagni, and Harding are members of a state champion hockey team. On the freshman squad Brothers Sides, Bloodgood, and Driscoll promise to develop into good varsity material for next year. In the indoor track Brothers Huling, Mitchell, Rowe, and Newhouse are leading men in the events. Brother Huling was high scorer in the Christmas Gambols, an intramural athletic event here at Bowdoin. Brother Newhouse, although a freshman, is proving to be an exceptional runner in the one thousand yards and one mile events. On the swimming team Brother Steve Carlson is one of the best dash men in the tank. Brother Thwing is ranking diver of the varsity squad, while Brother Holmes heads the managerial department of the team. Brother Melendy, although a member of the hockey team, is also playing regularly on the Bowdoin independent basketball team.

Brother Coombs is an outstanding player on the freshman team.

Among the Brothers engaged in extra-curricular activities Brother Calvin Hill, a member of the Masque and Gown, played a leading role in a recent college production of "Take It Away," a musical comedy satirizing the faculty, written by a Bowdoin student. Brother Hugh Monroe was stage manager of the production. Under the direction of Brother George Quinby, '23, the show was such a success that it will be given in Boston in the near future.

New elections of house officers included President, Brother Oakeley A. Melendy; Vice-President, Brother Willard B. Knowlton; and Secretary, Brother Walter H. Benham.

At this time the house takes pleasure in announcing the engagement of Miss Mary Newell of Bath, Maine, to Brother Eastham Guild, Jr., '39, of Newton, Mass., on December 21, 1938.

In connection with the 1939 Convention the Kappa takes pleasure in announcing that Brother Roland E. Clark, '01, has been elected chairman of the Portland Alumni Committee, while Brother Bradley P. Howes, '28, is chairman of the Boston Alumni Committee. On February 17 the Boston Alumni Committee will hold an all Kappa dinner at the Boston Yacht Club, where further plans for the Convention will be discussed.

WILLARD B. KNOWLTON
Associate Editor

PSI

Hamilton College

THE JANUARY finals as well as the June finals have always proven to be the weeding-out period at Hamilton College. To the knowledge of the active Brothers, the Psi has never gone through one of these periods without losing at least one man. *It is with the greatest of pleasure then that the Psi can announce that all sixteen of its pledges came through the mid-year period and many of them with flying colors. The other three delegations also did very well for themselves with Brothers Newkirk, Childs, Hummer, Hilfinger and Collins of the senior delegation and Brothers Langdon and Rogers and Pledge Brother Maloy of the junior delegation on the Dean's List.*

At an all-college dinner a few weeks ago,

Brother Martin Hilfinger, '39, was presented with the Fowler Award, the highest athletic award at Hamilton College. At the same meeting, Brothers Rogers, '40, MacLenathen, '41, and Eddy, '41, received college sweaters in recognition of their athletic endeavors this year. Class numerals were given to Brother Van Deusen, '41, and Pledge Brother Seaver, '42.

With the hockey game between Springfield and Hamilton at the Second Hamilton College Winter Carnival, Brother George Vicary played his last intercollegiate game as lineman for the "Buff and Blue." He joined our long list of Alumni this January. For the Carnival, Brothers George C. Morehouse, '24, Ernest R. Briggs, '28, Chauncy D. Cowles, '33, Lyman A. Spaulding, '34, Myron E. Carmer, '38, and John B. Goldsborough, '38, all of this chapter were present. It is the hope of the Psi that these and as many more as possible will come back for spring house party which will be held this year the week-end of May 6.

DAVID B. MOORE
Associate Editor

XI

Wesleyan University

THE PRESIDENCY of the house was taken over at the first of the year by Brother Eichin. It is a time-honored custom at the Xi that the rushing chairman be President during the term when the class bearing his name is initiated. As grades are out, now a good number of the "Mikes" will be initiated February 18, on Alumni week-end.

This winter Brother Kaesshaefer is manager of swimming. In the tank we have Brothers Bell, Eichin, Hancock, and Pond, all possible letter winners. In wrestling we find "Tiger" Ross competing for the 175 pound berth on the team. Brother Smith is running anchor man on Wesleyan's relay team and on the basketball floor the Xi has six freshmen on the first two teams. Recently our swimming team placed second in a closely contested interfraternity swimming meet.

In recent publication board appointments Brother Gillispie was chosen co-editor of the *Argus*. Brother Hancock was made associate editor of the *Argus* and *Cardinal*.

Our chapter meetings have lately taken a turn for the better due to an innovation.

Instead of every meeting being of a literary character we now have occasional debates with one of the Brothers leading the discussion from the floor.

EMENS GUERNSEY
Associate Editor

UPSILON

University of Rochester

ELECTIONS for second term: Head of the House, Brother Dustan; social chairman, Brother Hoot; grotto engineer, Brother Woods (an experienced sapper); traditions committee to revive old customs and invent new ones, Brothers Forbes, Decker, Burrell and Frawley; song and benediction leader, Brother Hudak.

Finances are in excellent shape. *Scholarship is the second best on the campus.* Now that examinations are here the lights burn late every night and the luncheon table talk is burdened with vain regrets, spirited with frequent, "Next semester . . ." We expect no casualties; rather, we hope for citations in dispatches.

The chapter has men in many of the key offices on the campus. Brothers Searle and Burr help run the Public Affairs Forum. Brothers Rogers and Ross are crackling executives of the campus paper; Brothers Searle, Stranges, and Curchin are officers of the sophomore class; *Pledge Bruckel is president of the freshman class.* Also, four Brothers are on the swimming team which may well go undefeated. Five there are who spark the varsity quints. Brother Barrus is the champion skier of Library Hill. Brother DeMers stars for the house in handball. Brothers Williams and Stonebraker are back of campus business enterprises. Brother Stapleton graces many occasions with his burnished wit. Really, the campus is primed for a Psi U coup. We are going to wait till spring to reap our rewards.

The house scene, from day to day, is various. Items: resounding religious arguments in the showers; fifteen men foraging for pick-up suppers in the kitchen at once; four men waiting to get at the phone; the engineers talking wisely about binary alloys; snowballs whizzing into open Alpha Delt windows; after supper expeditions to the Library; city Brothers looking for places to sleep; three men trying to write a skit an

hour before a house dance; Brother Martin looking frantically for his left shoe.

JOHN FORBES
Associate Editor

IOTA

Kenyon College

THIS IS the time of year that Gambier has little to offer in the way of news. Talk in and about the campus is primarily concerned with the mid-year examinations that are now in full swing.

Shortly after the beginning of the second semester, a mid-year dance will be held in the social rooms of the fraternities. The Brothers are all looking forward to this event with the greatest of pleasure. We hope that the Brothers of near-by chapters will feel free to visit us at this time. We still remember with pleasure the visit of the Brothers from the Phi.

Officers for the new term are Allen Gage, President; Arthur Kohler, Vice-President; Phil Porter, Secretary; and Brothers Cless, Hunter, and Ellis.

We are happy to announce the pledging of John Albach, St. Louis, Missouri.

PHIL PORTER
HOWARD GRAHAM
Associate Editors

PHI

University of Michigan

THE PHI has a particularly proud story to tell about its activities since the last DIAMOND issue. Attention should be directed first to the new set of chapter officers. With justifiable esteem the house points to its new President, Brother Chuck Evans, under whose capable leadership a busy and prosperous second semester is virtually assured. Other officers are: Brother Ed Hoagland, Vice-President; Brother Don Barnes, Secretary-Treasurer; and Brother George Miller, Recording-Secretary.

Our bitterly-waged campaign for the Interfraternity Athletic Championship is progressing at a rapid clip with a happy measure of success. Manifestly weary of winning only the *second place* award—which after four consecutive years, has nearly become an annual event—the Brothers have hoisted themselves into *first place*, where it

is said they have made plans for a prolonged stay.

Directed by Brother Bucko McCabe, the handball and volleyball teams were undefeated champions of the League; the squash team, according to the grapevine, should coast to a series of quick victories.

The Michigan breast-stroke relay-team, which lately shattered the American Mile Relay Record, was ably sparked by Pledge Bob Johnson.

Hockey at midnight under arc lights is nothing unusual in the backyard of the Chapter House. This winter's long stretch of sub-freezing weather has kept our ice-rink in perfect shape and has provided skating for everyone at all hours.

With exams looming in the immediate future, the Phi hopes that in the next DIAMOND it may boast of a greatly improved scholastic rating.

DONALD E. BARNES
Associate Editor

OMEGA

University of Chicago

(The prize of \$5.00 for the second best Chapter communication is awarded to George E. Garvey, Omega.)

AFTER a strenuous but profitable week of intensive rushing at the beginning of the winter quarter, the Chapter pledged a delegation of twelve men. The fine work of Brother Button, rushing chairman, and the effective co-operation of the entire Chapter were responsible for obtaining a fine class.

Psi U on this campus is very well represented in activities. Brother Schnering is captain of the water polo team which has been Conference champions for three years. Brother McLaury is doing a fine job at one of the guard positions on the same team. Brother Jorgensen is making his bid for a guard position on the varsity basketball team. Pledge Brothers Vanderhoof and Dale Johnson are on the freshman basketball squad which is said to be one of the best Chicago has had in many years. On the varsity track team, we have Brother Richard Caulton in the quarter-mile, Brother Merriam in the half mile, Brother Parsons in the hurdles, Brother Erickson in the pole vault, Brother Rendleman in the shot put, and Brother Nash, formerly of the Rho, in the dashes. Pledge

Brother Edward Caulton is a hurdler on the freshman track squad. Brothers Shostrom, Jorgensen, Stevens, and Daniels are working out daily in the field house for our championship varsity tennis team. Brother Palmer is playing on the recently formed hockey team.

The Brothers take an active interest in activities other than athletics. Brother Merriam is chairman of the Student Publicity Board and Brother MacLellan is a junior assistant. Brother Evans and Pledge Brother Florian are doing well on the *Cap and Gown*, the University's annual. Brother Stevens and Pledge Brother Reynolds are members of the *Daily Maroon* staff. Brother MacLellan is manager of the ticket sales for the Washington Prom. Brother Webbe will be a leader for the Prom, one of the biggest social events on campus. Brothers Pfeiffer and Art Salzmann are members of the Reynold's Club Council, which is comparable to a student union.

Our intramural teams are doing well. We have three basketball and four bowling teams on their way to the finals. We are concentrating our efforts toward the track meet to be held in the near future. Several Brothers are competing in squash and badminton which are gaining popularity here at the University.

GEORGE E. GARVEY
Associate Editor

PI

Syracuse University

WITH MEN participating in many activities the Pi has had a busy winter. Top honors go to Brother Lovell who has distinguished himself, after two years of hard work, by being elected assistant manager of the Varsity football team.

Indoor crew practice finds Brothers Hadley, Hilfinger and Weeden pulling for the varsity. Pledges Schopfer, Glass, Douglas and Barnard are aiming for a slot in the frosh boat.

Brother Doolittle, outstanding junior in the college of Business Administration, has been appointed to the junior class executive committee which arranges and decides on the class functions for the year.

Intramural sports have reached a new high at Syracuse. The Pi has entered teams in every sport. We have been at the head of the fraternities all year. For individual honors of the Pi: Brothers Anderson, Ruhle, and

Moore were picked on the intramural "All University" football team. Brothers Moore and Farrington on the "All U" basketball team; and Brothers Hilfinger and Moore on the "All U" water polo team.

Brother Kallock, noted horse man and owner of a string of polo ponies, is trying to start a polo team at Syracuse U.

The University Winter Carnival was postponed from January 6 and 7 to February 10 and 11. Brothers Hill, Moses, Hadley, McDowell, Wardwell and Pledge Morin were on various Carnival Committees and arranged the different events. Brother Wolf was on the Senior Ball Committee, one of the most colorful events of the year.

Brother Walter L. Glass, Pi '16, entertained the chapter January 15th with movies which he had taken while on a canoe trip in Canada with Brother Hilfinger. Movies were also shown of the 1936 Olympics in Germany, and the 1939 Rose Bowl game.

Pledges McDowell, Menzies, and Humphries are participating in Boar's Head Dramatic Society. A \$100 Scholarship was awarded to Brother Kallock by the Boar's Head Dramatic Society.

Brothers Cox and Ward have received Scholarships for the Harvard Law School.

The Pi will be represented at the undergraduate Psychology Convention to be held at Hobart College this spring by Brother Hadley.

TEMPLE LYNDS
Associate Editor

CHI

Cornell University

AS THIS is written, the Chi is winding up the first term with exams and is getting set for the Junior Week House Party. Exam week brought us a snow storm which took most of the Brothers out of doors for a snow battle. A surprise attack on the Sigma Phi house resulted in a drastic retaliation, but the situation was kept under control and the two houses are once again on peaceful terms.

Aside from these extra-curricular winter sports, a few of the Brothers are taking the winter sport season seriously. Al Bosson, co-captain of hockey, is goalie on the team, which did excellently at Lake Placid during the holidays.

Al Vaughan and Duke Ramsey are rolling

up points for the basketball team, while Charlie Bowen is playing for the junior varsity. Winter track keeps Bud Davis, Al Van Ranst, Kirk Hershey, Bob Brunet, and Captain Bill McKeever busy, as well as manager Lyn Stevens.

Our pledges are also active in winter sports. Pledge Mark Day is doing excellently on the freshman polo team. Pledges John Sanders and Dick Graham are out for freshman track, and Pledge Bill Paty is on the yearling swimming team. Pledge Harry Tredennick is out for freshman basketball.

December elections made Brother Bill Mills the new head-of-the-house. The other officers are: Brothers Jim Rutledge, Lyn Stevens, Ed Wardwell, Paul Stark and Buzz Kuehn.

The Little Chi dinner was held in New York, January 20. Delegates Al Van Ranst, Bill McKeever, Carl Spang and Lyn Stevens brought back reports that it was a huge success. Seven of the Brothers attended the five power conference in Schenectady, December 10, and greatly enjoyed the hospitality of the Theta in its new chapter house.

Brothers Al Van Ranst, Carl Spang, and Bill McKeever wound up their college football careers in the North-South game in Montgomery, Alabama, January 2.

As the term closes, the entire Chapter is looking forward to the new one, the first major event of which will be initiation.

EDWARD A. WARDWELL
Associate Editor

BETA BETA

Trinity College

THE END of January finds the Beta Beta in the throes of the mid-year examination period. *Inside glimpses show that the chapter is scheduled for one of its best years, scholastically.* Standing fourth at the last reckoning, which counts the percentage of honor grades, the brothers in the chapter are all hoping to raise their marks sufficiently to be able to walk away with the Scholarship Cup this year. With the standing of the freshman delegation as high as it is, the Beta Beta expects to be able to initiate a large class.

The chapter water baseball team had its hopes for a championship dashed when they were nosed out in a hair-raising final by the Sigma Nu's. Brother Reinheimer, who was

captain of the outfit this year, was the outstanding player. Brother Jim Neill's basketball team stands third in this intramural sport, with a better than even chance of capturing a place before the last whistle. The squash team, ably led by Brother Upham, who plays Number Two on the College team, was defeated by St. Anthony, 3-2, in the final match of this branch of intramural sports.

Following up last year's successful Connecticut Valley Psi Upsilon Banquet, which the Beta Beta instigated, the chapter has already appointed a committee, consisting of Brothers Bates and Hawkins, who so ably ran the affair last year, and Brother J. Neill. This committee will assist the Alumni Committee in any way possible, and thus we hope to have an even larger turnout last year.

JAMES S. NEILL, JR.
Associate Editor

ETA

Lehigh University

WITH THE beginning of the second semester we find the brethren working hard in activities as well as studies in an effort to make the year a complete success. Examinations over, and the Military Ball in the offing, we find Brothers Carrier and Norton doing an excellent job as members of the committee. Brother Coleman is now taking an active part in the affairs of the Scabbard and Blade society. Brother Gray is very competent and is doing a fine job as news editor of the *Brown and White*, the university newspaper. In the field of athletics we find Brother "Monk" Matthes occupying a berth on the undefeated varsity wrestling team, while Pledge Hitchcock has a "bar-arm" on his position on the freshman wrestling team. Brother Woelfel is on the varsity swimming team. Brother Mahoney can be found any day in the gym preparing for the spring tennis season.

Brother Hine transferred at mid-years to the Casey Jones Flying School at Newark, N. J., where his engineering training will undoubtedly be of great assistance.

The Chapter takes great pleasure in announcing the pledging of Charles H. Hearshey, '40, and the initiation of James H. McMillen, II, '42, and Jeffrey S. Wetrich, '42.

ROBERT O. DAVIES
Associate Editor

TAU

University of Pennsylvania

THE MID-YEAR finals are now over and from all reports *the Tau should maintain its high scholastic standing among the different social fraternities on the campus.*

Prior to the two week examination period, the Tau held three preliminary rushing smokers with Art Kneibler acting as rushing chairman. The intensive week of rushing is just commencing and it looks like the Tau will again secure the pick of the freshman class.

The Tau has completed its elections for the second term of school. Brother Art Kneibler will succeed Brother Payson Brickley as President, Brother Charles du Pont will become Vice President, and Brother Palmer Hughes Jr., will replace Brother Maynard H. Moore III, as secretary. Brother Charles DeRitus and Brother Donald MacCallum will continue as treasurer and house manager, respectively.

On the campus the Tau is continuing to take the spotlight in extra-curricular activities. *Brother Count Moore is the newly elected president of the Mask and Wig Club.* Brother Charles De Ritus, next year's associate manager of the show, has been elected to the Mask and Wig Club, as has Brother Sheldon Potter. The next year's Mask and Wig show will miss the talented services of Brothers Koenig and Ford.

Brothers Pace Brickley and Jim Morgan, captain and manager respectively, are attempting to guide Pennsylvania to another Ivy League Championship in Basketball. Brother Stewart Flogshay, captain of the tennis team, recently won the University tennis tournament. Brother Lafe Weeks has been showing up well as the Red and Blue's star breast stroker in all the swimming meets, and Brother Charlie Augspurger, who is the able business manager of the *Daily Pennsylvanian*, is also manager of the swimming team. Brother Palmer Hughes, Jr., Sprinter, and Brother Sam Rea, assistant manager, are the Tau's representatives in track, and are both looking forward to a more successful indoor and outdoor season.

Brother Rea, this year's president of the Junior Class, Phi Kappa Beta Junior Honorary Society, and assistant manager of the track team, recently passed his flying tests to get his

private pilot's license. He is now working hard to secure his commercial transport license.

Brothers Maurice Felton, Frank Boyle, and James Holland will receive their diplomas this February.

We were all glad to meet Brother Warren King of the Zeta Chapter, who paid us a very pleasant but an unfortunately short visit.

We are sorry to report at this time that our regular associate editor, Don MacCallum, has been taken sick with pneumonia. We are hoping that he will recover soon. We also regret to report that Brother Charles Bradshaw broke his arm while attempting to ski at the Dartmouth Carnival.

PALMER HUGHES, JR.
Associate Editor

MU

University of Minnesota

CONGRATULATIONS are in order for Brother Bill Ovrum, under whose able leadership the Mu enjoyed a very successful rushing season.

We are also thankful to the Alumni Board who presented us with all new modern leather furniture for our living room, besides doing a great deal of remodeling and repairing to the house prior to rushing week.

Scholarship Chairman Brother Bob Roesler has just received word that the Mu's record for the fall quarter showed a marked improvement over last year.

In the mid-year house elections Brother Austin Knutson was elected to guide the destinies of the Mu for the remainder of the scholastic year.

While Brother Harvey McNair is aiding the varsity hockey team in one of its most successful seasons, the house team is marching toward its third consecutive University Championship, having easily defeated the Beta's and the Phi Psi's. Also the house basketball team seems confident of the championship with many of the freshmen showing outstanding ability. Brothers Judd Ringer and Jerry Nowell are out for winter football, while Brother Welles Hodgson is awaiting the start of the track season, having been a freshman contender in the broad jump.

Temporary sleeping facilities have had to be arranged in the house, due to the unusual number of town men that have moved while their families are vacationing.

We would also like to extend an invitation to the Brothers of *other chapters* to visit the Mu and enjoy our winter sports.

WIN STEPHENS, JR.
Associate Editor

RHO

University of Wisconsin

THE RHO CHAPTER opened the new year with a most successful semester completed and looking forward to a more prosperous year. With most of its pledge class having weathered the final examinations, the Rho stands securely situated and will continue to perpetuate the sacred band with added zeal.

On December 13th, the chapter held its election of officers with the following brothers being elected: Donald O'Neil, president; Kenneth Bellile, 1st vice-president; William Rodgers, 2nd vice-president; John Wakefield, 3rd vice-president; Jack Howard, recording secretary; and John Foley, corresponding secretary.

The chapter has had a very successful season in intra-mural sports around the campus, having finished second in its division in basketball, and is again headed for high ranking in ice hockey with an impressive undefeated record to date.

The brothers of the Rho point with pride to the brilliant social season climaxed by Brother Samp's reign as king of the University of Wisconsin pre-prom dance. The occasion was celebrated by a pre-dance dinner party which every brother and member of the pledge class attended. On February 3rd, the chapter joined its three way partners, Delta Kappa Epsilon and Alpha Delta Phi, at a formal prom dinner party. The affair was a great success.

Scholastically, the chapter is maintaining its high standard of being among the first ten fraternities on the campus with Brother Kenneth Bellile leading the way. Brother Bellile has been elected recently to Phi Kappa Phi, honorary fraternity.

The chapter points with pride to its status and achievements on the campus, and will continue to exert its every effort to carry on the spirit of the brotherhood. The Rho sends its heartiest wishes to all the brothers for a successful and prosperous year.

JOHN FOLEY, JR.
Associate Editor

EPSILON

University of California

THE START of the spring semester at the University of California saw the initiation of the largest group of men in the history of the Epsilon. They were as follows: Class of '39, Donald Herbert McAuley of Los Gatos; Class of '40, James Joseph Mitchell of Redlands; Class of '41, Forrest Morton Smith of Piedmont and Ted Train Staffler of Los Angeles; Class of '42, Raymond Oscar Amling of Santa Ana, Edward Munroe Benson of Whittier, Allen Benjamin Couthie of Salinas, William John Eagleton of Portland, Oregon, Fred Door Garner and Harcourt Hervey of Los Angeles, Spencer Root Kern of Carmel, Mead Brokaw Kibbey of Sacramento, Hunter Savidge Robbins of Flintridge, and from Berkeley, Albert Lee Clark, William Ben-nison Fulton, Charles Irving Hamilton, and Dudley Watson Thomas.

With the initiation in the background, the common thought turned to athletics. Several brothers, feeling the urge to butt heads, turned out for rugby. They are Brothers Tom Wood, Art Anderson, Earle Snell, Bill Hutters, Ted Staffler, and Dave Anderson; the last four of whom are on the first string. Brother Mead Kibbey is working on the Freshman rugby team, as is Brother "Ben" Benson.

Varsity baseball claims Brothers Paul Holmes and Ben Haile, while Brother Freeman Dill is giving his support to the light weight basketball quintet.

Brothers Fred Garner and Spencer Kern are participating with the Frosh tennis team, and Brothers Hervey and Fulton are each pulling an oar with the Freshman crew. The varsity crew has attracted Pledge Bill Rawn and Brother Benson Roe. This is Brother Roe's last semester with the varsity shell before he travels East to continue his study of medicine.

Brothers Dud Thomas and Ray Amling are assets to the Freshman baseball team, as is Brother Bill Eagleton to the Freshman track team. Both Brother Amling and Brother Eagleton were outstanding in preparatory school competition.

The Epsilon has been the recipient of an indescribably beautiful rug to adorn its lobby. The donors were the alumni of Southern California to whom we are forever thankful.

Brother Freeman Dill was the winner of the Freshman scholastic award for the past year. He has acquired commendable results in spite of his basketball activities and other outside diversions.

As may be gathered, the freshman class has seated itself deeply in the routines of the Fraternity, the school, and in the competition on the field of athletics. This gives an aspect of great security and success for the future which is most comforting and gratifying.

RICHARD C. MILLER
Associate Editor

OMICRON

University of Illinois

THE CHAPTER is starting off the new year under the able guidance of Brother McCoy, who was placed in office in January.

At the time of the writing of this communication, the Brothers are working hard at their semester examinations, and they hope to be able to raise the house average. Only a few Brothers are expected to leave the Chapter because of their scholastic deficiencies. This is largely due to the more stringent rules put into effect this year.

Brothers Jack Millett, Steward and Brown are on the varsity track team. Brother Brown has already earned his letter in cross country. Brother Millett is number one dash man on the varsity team. Brother Harry Martin is on the varsity basketball team. Brother Scott, having finally regained his eligibility, will have a berth on the varsity baseball team this spring.

Brother Stem has been editing the *Omicron Arrow*, and through this publication, the Chapter has been able to collect many past due accounts of the Brothers. The *Arrow* has brought many of the alumni closer to the Chapter, and their aid during the past year has been greatly appreciated.

Four of the Brothers are in the advanced military corps, and many of the freshmen have joined Pershing Rifles. Pledges Martin and Huwen are on the *Illio* staff, which is the year book of the University. Pledges Dundas and Schroeder earned their numerals in Polo.

Brother Sears is the head of the only Junior Class political party, and recently he was the chairman of the Junior Prom.

Under the able leadership of Brother

Scott, the Chapter has done very well in university intramurals. The chapter is now preparing to enter the intramural basketball tournament. Hopes are very high because the team is looking very good this year.

The Chapter has been carrying on its policy of rushing during the year with a good deal of vigor and expects to pledge three or four new men, bringing the total to twenty-one or twenty-two men for the year. This number should adequately take the place of those leaving school.

R. KELLER STEM
Associate Editor

DELTA DELTA

Williams College

(The first prize of \$10.00 for the best Chapter Communication is awarded to Mark S. Wellington, Delta Delta.)

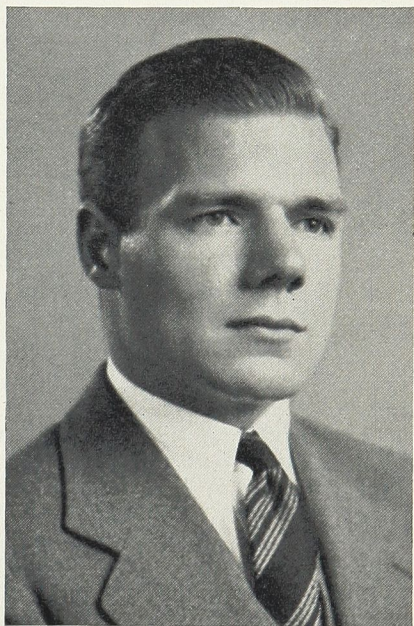
A VERY successful initiation ceremony was held at the chapter house on February 11.

The 1942 delegation is already a well-unified group, and is thoroughly assimilated into the house. During the Hell Week preceding the initiation considerable attention was paid to the orientation of the freshmen, with respect not only to their position as members of the Fraternity, but to their responsibilities in connection with college curricular and extra-curricular activities. The following members of the class of 1942 were initiated at this time: Gilbert C. Bills, Chicago, Ill.; William J. Fuchs, Wynnewood, Pa.; John M. Gibson, Greenwich, Conn.; Harry N. Gifford, Elgin, Ill.; Irving L. Selvage, Essex Fells, N. J.; E. Lawrence Smith, Syracuse, N. Y.; John T. Tuttle, Oneida, N. Y.; Raye P. Woodin, Flushing, N. Y.

Nicholas J. Foley of Brooklyn, N. Y. and John W. McKay of Fort Wayne, Indiana, both of the class of 1941, were initiated on January 18.

The almost automatic re-election in December of Brother Bruce Coffin as Head of the House and of Brothers Jake Warden and Jerry Brush as his assistants, is outstanding evidence of the thorough satisfaction their leadership in all departments has given the house. Credit for this leadership is also due to Brothers Anderson, Kaelber and Cook, who were re-elected to the respective junior positions on the executive council at this time.

The Delta Delta has every hope of retaining the top scholastic position it holds among William fraternities when the midyear marks have been tabulated. Only one Brother has been forced to leave college for scholastic



BRUCE PITKIN COFFIN, *Delta Delta '39*,
Re-elected Head of the Delta Delta.

reasons in the past year, compared with much higher mortalities previously. *Six juniors, Brothers Anderson, Armsby, Cook, Kaelber, Wellington, and Wilds, are taking honors work in various subjects.*

Brother Dan Whiteley set a new college diving record of 103.64 points when the powerful Williams swimming team swamped Fordham last December. He nosed out Brother Coffin, former holder of the record, by two-fifths of a point. Brothers Cook, Behrer, and Stuart are also on the team. Brothers Wells and Conant have been doing most of the scoring for the hockey team, which won the Round Robin held at Lake Placid during the Christmas recess. Brother Hal Haldeman, in spite of a back injury suffered while playing basketball for the house, hopes with the assistance of Brother Whiteley to recapture the intramural handball championship.

MARK S. WELLINGTON
Associate Editor

THETA THETA

University of Washington

THE PRESIDENT of the chapter for the winter quarter is Brother Bill Haas, captain of the University hockey team and outstanding member of the golf team. Other new officers include Brothers Flagg and Scammell, Vice President and Secretary respectively.

Four Psi U's are first string track material with Captain Jack Flagg, hurdler and middle distance ace. Chuck Bechtol, Johnny Will and Dick Northcraft tossing the shot, discus and javelin respectively.

Brother Jeff Keating was recently elected to Scabbard and Blade, Military Science honorary. Pledgeman Leinenweber has made remarkable progress in crew, having advanced from the Jayvee to the first boat of the Varsity.

Brother Elmore Bostwick, Beta 16, who for the past several years has been a singing instructor in Seattle, has volunteered to coach us in our singing. Since the beginning of winter quarter Brother Bostwick has tested every voice in the house and has made special arrangements of all our songs to fit our range. Weekly rehearsals are held and the chapter is looking forward with new interest to the all-University song fest held late in the spring.

Brother Bostwick is doing a great service to the house and is receiving the full support of all the brothers.

Plans are being made for our third annual Beachcombers Brawl, which seems to get better each year.

The Theta Theta is pleased to announce the pledging of Walter Moore, Jr., '40, a transfer from Pomona College.

JACK BRIGGS
Associate Editor

NU

University of Toronto

THE OUTSTANDING feature of the second term was the Fraternity Spring Formal which took the form of a dinner and dance at the Toronto Hunt Club. It was followed the next afternoon by a tea at the chapter house. The annual sleigh ride party and the parents' tea were equally successful.

Bill Brown has succeeded Bill McLean as manager of the Senior Intercollegiate Track Team, on which the house is well represented.

Brother McLean claims to be devoting his time to studies. Fred Rowell is dabbling in high finance as treasurer of the Victoria College Athletic Association. "Hank" Beggs appears to have deserted his fellow engineers and is dividing his interest between the camera club and symphony concerts. Herb Coons is applying his literary skill as sports editor of the *Transactions* and Year Book of the Engineering Faculty. Brother Pat Alley is assistant manager of the Senior Intercollegiate Hockey Team which is at the top of the league; while Murray Wilson is holding down a position on the University Squash Team. Most of the Brothers are active in the inter-faculty sports such as baseball, hockey and basketball. Pledge Doug Baird is doing an excellent job in goal for the Medical Faculty hockey team.

The Interfraternity Council is an ever-growing organization on this campus. It has recently been the center of much discussion and controversy over an organized rushing system advocated by some of the Fraternities. The council is supervising an interfraternity sports league including basketball, baseball, hockey and pingpong. In this department the NU is more than holding its own.

The Brothers graduating this year, mostly engineers, say the unemployment situation is critical.

We take pleasure in announcing the pledging of Mr. Fraser Allen, '42, of New York City.

SIDNEY K. SHELDON
Associate Editor

EPSILON PHI

McGill University

LIFE HAS again come back to the house with the passing of holidays and exams. Installation of officers who were elected before Christmas took place at the first regular meeting of the new session. It is with regret that we accepted the resignation of Brother Dave Skelton as president of the Epsilon Phi Chapter; but this regret is tempered by the realization that in Brother Bob Vaughan we have an excellent man to fill the position in an able manner.

The Interfraternity Bowling League has come to a close and the brothers are now

turning their attention to hockey, the Interfraternity League having started on January 23. In connection with hockey credit must go to Brother Burrows for his fine playing with the intermediates.

Pledge Duff has been elected to the Scarlet Key Society.

Rumor has it that there is to be a party on the eleventh anniversary of the entrance of Epsilon Phi into Psi Upsilon. This informal gathering was held last year for the first time and was such a success that the brothers feel it should be repeated. On March 17 then a barrel of oysters will probably be efficiently and comfortably disposed of, and any brothers in the vicinity are most welcome to aid the actives and alumni in its consumption.

F. MURRAY FARR
Associate Editor

ZETA ZETA

University of British Columbia

THE ZETA ZETA is pleased to announce the pledging of the following men as a result of the recent Spring Rushing Period:—Robert Campbell Kenmuir, George Stamatis, David Robert Nichols, of Vancouver, B.C.; George Douglas Jessup, of Ocean Falls, B.C.; Lionel Joseph Fournier of Pincher Creek, Alta.

On February 4 the Annual "Victoria Invasion" was held. A majority of the college paid a one-day visit to the "little bit of England on Vancouver Island." A Psi U luncheon was held with the Victoria Alumni acting as hosts to the Zeta Zeta Chapter.

Social activities in the near future are the annual Pledge Dance; the Formal at the Hotel Vancouver; and Fathers' Night at the House.

Brothers Douglas Ford and Derek McDermot are taking leading roles in the forthcoming Musical Society Production "Serenade." Brother Dick Montgomery is L. S. E. on the Junior Class Executive who recently staged the extremely successful Junior Prom. Brother Rodney Piosson, '35, is directing the dramatic section of "Varsity Time," the campus radio program released over a local station.

Pledge George Stamatis was elected President of the Freshman Class at elections held recently.

JOHN E. STARK
Associate Editor

LATE NOTES

Francis N. Bangs, Lambda '10, a member of the Executive Council, was the recipient on February 12th of the Columbia University conspicuous service medal. Only twelve of these medals are awarded annually to alumni who have performed distinguished service for the University. The citation was:

"Francis Nathan Bangs, '10C, '13L, New York City, Member of a distinguished Columbia family and son of a devoted trustee who helped build Columbia to greatness, he has served with distinction as president of his college class, representative of the Alumni Fund, and as treasurer of the Association of the Alumni of Columbia College."

Richard Eichelberger, Tau '31, of Everett, Pa., was recently appointed Investigator-Appraiser by the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission for the new All-Weather Highway. Sales manager of E. Eichelberger Coal Co. from 1933 to 1939, since 1935 a partner of E. Eichelberger and Sons, retail merchants at Saxon, Pa., a banker, he was for a time a director of the Eastern States Bituminous Coal Association.

Edwin L. Garvin, Delta '97, a former President of the Alumni Association of Psi Upsilon, was on February 21, 1939, re-elected President of the Board of the Brooklyn Public Library

Senator Robert A. Taft, Beta '10, was accorded the honor of reading

Washington's Farewell Address to Congress in connection with the Birthday service in the Senate on February 22. Brother Taft stands high in the Republican Presidential possibilities.

Prentiss B. Gilbert, Upsilon, '06, Beta '07, Charge d'Affaires at the Embassy in Berlin, who died February 24, was the first representative of the United States to sit on the Council of the League of Nations.

Word has just been received of the death of Saxe Henry Hanford, Gamma '95, of Rochester, N. Y.; the Reverend Dr. George H. Haigh, Pi '93, of Syracuse, N. Y. Obituary notices will appear in the June issue of THE DIAMOND.

The New Jersey Alumni Association of Columbia University made the annual Lion Award to Brother Marcellus Hartley Dodge, Lambda '03, at a dinner held March second at the Suburban Hotel, East Orange, N.J. The award is made to an alumnus who has rendered fine service to his Alma Mater.

Lindsay Morris, Epsilon Phi '32, is communications manager of the Quebec section of the American Radio Relay League.

In the June issue Greek symbols will be used to designate the chapters.

The prizes of \$10.00 and \$5.00 for the best and second best jobs of reporting by the Associate Editors for the March issue have been awarded to Mark S. Wellington, Delta Delta '39, and to George E. Garvey, Omega '40, respectively. Brother Wellington received the second prize in the June, 1938, issue.

Attention, Associate Editors! Copy for the June issue is due by April 15th. The Editor requests the following material: Names of the outstanding scholars in the chapters, with their academic records, and their pictures (glossy prints, please); also information as to whether the chapters or the alumni associations have a provision for scholarship loans for needy brothers, and if so, the nature of the provision.

The next meetings of the Executive Council will be held on April 4, and May 9, at the Union League Club, New York City.

In the June issue of THE DIAMOND arrangements have been made to print several pictures of Bowdoin College where the Convention will be held on June 21, 22, 23.

Word has just been received of the death of Brother Boyd McDowell, Pi '81.

The vacancy on the Executive Council caused by the resignation of Brother Henry Hill Pierce, Kappa '96, will be filled by the Executive Council on March 7.

All members of the Fraternity are urgently requested to send in news items concerning Psi U's. Only in this way will THE DIAMOND be worthy of the best traditions of Psi Upsilon. The Editor welcomes suggestions as to the improvement of THE DIAMOND.

John T. Cahill, Lambda '24, newly appointed United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, is Special Assistant Attorney General in the investigation which on March 2, resulted in the indictment of Judge Martin T. Martin, formerly senior judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Second Circuit.

Thomas D. Thacher, Beta '04, former Solicitor General of the United States, has been appointed official referee by the Appellate Division of New York to investigate the charges and evidence brought against Magistrate Hulon Capshaw during the famous recent trial of James J. Hines and to recommend to the court what action it should take. The hearings will be secret.

Bids are being obtained as to the cost of reprinting the Constitution of Psi Upsilon with the amendments thereto.

Senator Robert A. Taft, Beta '10, protested on March 3 that the Treasury's \$2,000,000,000 stabilization fund could be used to finance a European war and said that he would seek to curb the secret operations of this fund.

CHAPTER ROLL OF PSI UPSILON

THETA—Θ—UNION COLLEGE—1833	<i>College Campus, Schenectady, N.Y.</i>
DELTA—Δ—NEW YORK UNIVERSITY—1837	<i>115 West 183d St., New York City</i>
BETA—B—(YALE UNIVERSITY) Inactive—1839	
SIGMA—Σ—BROWN UNIVERSITY—1840	<i>4 Manning St., Providence, R.I.</i>
GAMMA—Γ—AMHERST COLLEGE—1841	<i>South Pleasant St., Amherst, Mass.</i>
ZETA—Ζ—DARTMOUTH COLLEGE—1842	<i>Hanover, N.H.</i>
LAMBDA—Λ—COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY—1842	<i>627 West 115th St., New York City</i>
KAPPA—Κ—BOWDOIN COLLEGE—1843	<i>250 Maine St., Brunswick, Me.</i>
PSI—Ψ—HAMILTON COLLEGE—1843	<i>College St., Clinton, N.Y.</i>
XI—Ξ—WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY—1843	<i>High and College Sts., Middletown, Conn.</i>
UPSILON—Υ—UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER—1858	<i>Rochester, N.Y.</i>
IOTA—Ι—KENYON COLLEGE—1860	<i>Gambier, Ohio</i>
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RHO—Ρ—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN—1896	<i>222 Lake Lawn Place, Madison, Wis.</i>
EPSILON—Ε—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA—1902	<i>1815 Highland Place, Berkeley, Calif.</i>
OMICRON—Ο—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS—1910	<i>313 Armory Ave., Champaign, Ill.</i>
DELTA DELTA—Δ Δ—WILLIAMS COLLEGE—1913	<i>Williamstown, Mass.</i>
THETA THETA—Θ Θ—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON—1915	<i>1818 E. 47th St., Seattle, Wash.</i>
NU—Ν—UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO—1920	<i>65 St. George St., Toronto, Canada</i>
EPSILON PHI—Ε Φ—MCGILL UNIVERSITY—1928	<i>3429 Peel St., Montreal, Canada</i>
ZETA ZETA—Ζ Ζ—UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA—1935	<i>1988 Western Pkwy., Vancouver, Canada</i>

The Greek symbols and the dates of the foundation of the Chapters are included in the Chapter Roll.

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