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The Medical Building, the first building of the University of Maryland, was erected soon after its organization in 1807. In this building, General LaFayette had conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

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## INSTALLATION OF CHI CHAPTER AT UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

THE twenty-second chapter of Delta Sigma Pi, Chi Chapter, was installed at the University of Maryland School of Commerce, Baltimore, on Saturday, December 9th, 1922. The history of the University of Maryland dates back to 1807, when the College of Medicine of Maryland was established and graduated its first class in 1810. In 1812 the name was changed to the University of Maryland, and schools of medicine and law established. For almost a century the University of Maryland stood almost as organized in 1812, until an act of the Legislature in 1920 merged it with the Maryland State College under the name of University of Maryland. Maryland State College had been first chartered in 1856 as the Maryland Agricultural College, the second agricultural college in the Western Hemisphere. For three years the College was under private management.

In 1862 the Congress of the United States, recognizing the practical value and increasing need of such colleges, passed the Land Grant Act. This act granted each State and Territory that should claim its benefits a proportionate amount of unclaimed Western lands, in place of scrip, the proceeds from the sale of which would apply under certain conditions to the "endowment, support and maintenance of at least one college where the leading object shall be, without excluding other scientific and classical studies, and including military tactics, to teach such branches of learning as are related to agriculture and the mechanic arts, in such manner as the Legislatures of the States may respectively prescribe, in order to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions of life."

This grant was accepted by the General Assembly of Maryland. The Maryland Agricultural College was named as the beneficiary of the grant. Thus the College became, at least in part, a State institution. In the fall of 1914 its control was taken over entirely by the State. In 1916 the General Assembly granted a new charter to the College and made it the Maryland State College.

The School of Commerce was organized only three years ago, but it has grown rapidly and now has between four and five hundred students. Courses are offered in both day and evening divisions and are of high standard.

The petitioners of Delta Sigma Pi comprised twenty-one of the most active men in the School of Commerce and five faculty members. The installation ceremonies were held at the Hotel Emerson, the North and South Halls, in addition to the ball room having been secured for the event. The installation team comprised President H. G. Wright of Beta, Head Master Frank B. Morgan of Alpha, Senior Warden W. Harry Geist of Lambda, Scribe G. Stanley Shoup and John R. Tindall of Mu, assisted by over 30 members of Mu Chapter who journeyed to Baltimore for the occasion.

The ritual work went off in excellent shape and the following were initiated as charter members of Chi Chapter: Leslie Wayne Baker, Eugene



Bolstler, Roy von Briesen, Charles Gordon Buckey, Maynard Arthur Clemens, John Harry Garmer, Olin Englar Gilbert, Leon Fay Goodwin, Arthur William Gray, Earle Russell Hughes, Howell Atwater King, Lloyd Condon Knabe, William Harold Kramer, Frank Juckhoff, Cornelius Aloysius Lappe, George Easby Lindsay, William Herbert McClymen, Eugene Darden Milener, Jr., Allie Wilsch Richeson, John Oscar Robinson, Moody Ayres Robinson, Alonza James Sheats, Dennis Bradley Sullivan, Herbert Dewey Tharle, Tollef Bernard Thompson, Porter Thurman White; while the following were installed as the first roster of officers: Head Master, Arthur W. Gray; Master of Ceremonies, J. Harry Garmer; Master of Festivities, Cornelius A. Lappe; Senior Warden, C. Gordon Buckey; Junior Warden, Roy von Briesen; Treasurer, William H. Kramer; Chancellor, Howell A. King; Scribe, Porter T. White; Historian, Lloyd C. Knabe.

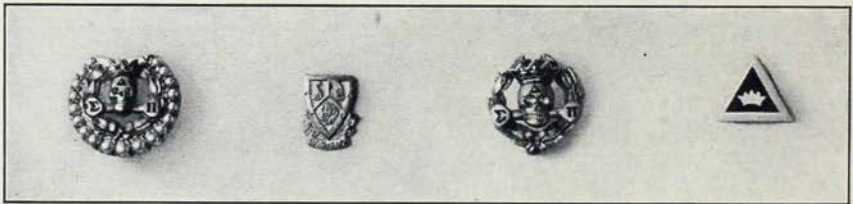
A most tempting banquet was served with some 70 brothers in attendance. A special orchestra provided the music.

Brother Clemens, Dean of the School of Commerce, presided as Toastmaster in a most able manner. The charge was delivered by President Wright and responded to by Head Master Gray of Chi, and addresses of welcome were delivered by the representatives of the chapters present.

Plans are already under way for the acquisition of a chapter house, and if the enthusiasm and organization displayed by the members of Chi at their installation is indicative of what is to come, Chi will immediately go to the front as one of our most active and influential chapters. Situated in the city of Baltimore, between New York and Washington, many of our members will have an opportunity of fraternal intercourse and we hope that before many days have passed the members of Chi will be well known throughout fraternity circles.

## Official DELTA SIGMA PI Jewelry

Effective January 1, 1923, all orders for Delta Sigma Pi jewelry must be sent with remittance to Charles Cobeen, Secretary-Treasurer, 129 Thirteenth St., Milwaukee, Wis.



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1. Jeweled Badge, whole pearls, crown set \$22.00. Diamond and pearls alternate \$60.00. Diamonds entire, platinum set \$125.00. Note: The jeweled badge is the official sister pin. It may also be worn by alumni but not by undergraduate members.

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3. Standard Plain Badge for active members \$4.00.

4. Standard Pledge Button, enameled \$1.00 each.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

**T**HE matters that have kept your officers and committees busy during the past few weeks can be best grouped as follows:

The Pocket Directory.

You have received the 1922-1923 Pocket Directory by this time, and I believe that you will all agree that it is a most admirable piece of work. Brother Brumm is to be congratulated for this handy volume, and several new ideas were inaugurated that should prove of great interest to the brothers. We hope that next year we will be able to have this directory off the press by October 1st at the latest.

The Fraternity Song.

Every chapter has now received its quota of Fraternity songs, and "Yours Fraternally in Delta Sigma Pi" has met with much favor and words of praise everywhere. All the credit is due Brother William F. Gregory of Theta Chapter, who wrote both the words and music. Copies can be secured through your chapter Scribe or direct from the Secretary-Treasurer. I hope that we will have several additional songs submitted, equally as good, before the year is up for there is no reason why we shouldn't be able within a very short time, to publish a book containing a dozen or more DELTASIG songs. If you are musically inclined, get busy and send a specimen of your work to Brother Gregory.

Extension Work:

Favorable action has been taken on petitions received from local fraternities at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis. and Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa., and by the time this is off the press, these groups will be installed as our PSI and OMEGA Chapters. We also have several other petitions pending, but there will be no other announcements to make on this score for another month or two, at least.

Committee Work:

The Committees on Alumni Clubs, Thursday Noon-Day Luncheons and Founders Day Ceremony are reporting progress and it is hoped that they will have reports to make soon.

HENRY GILBERT WRIGHT.

### The APRIL issue of THE DELTASIG

will go to press on March 15th. All chapter letters, write-ups, etc., should be mailed so that they will be received before that date. Let us have a report of initiations, social functions and chapter news. Mail all communications to

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## HENRY GILBERT WRIGHT



HENRY GILBERT WRIGHT  
*President*

**B**ROTHER "GIG" WRIGHT, who was elected to succeed himself as International President of Delta Sigma Pi has been an active worker in fraternity circles for a long time.

He was born December 22, 1893 at LaHarpe, Illinois, attended grammar school and graduated from high school at Kewanee, Illinois, in 1911, then came to Chicago and entered Northwestern University School of Commerce. He was a charter member of Beta Chapter when it was organized in 1912 and 1913. Business forced him to drop out of college for four years, but he returned in 1917 and graduated in 1919, being awarded the Delta Sigma Pi key which is given at Beta to that Senior, who upon graduation ranks highest in scholarship, leadership and promise of future usefulness.

He served as Treasurer and Head Master at Beta; inaugurated the *Beta News*; was the first Steward of the Beta Chapter House. At Northwestern he was very active in student activities, serving as President of the Junior Class, Vice President of the Senior Class, Editor of the Syllabus, the year book and was President of the Commerce Club, the largest student organization in the school. He was elected to Delta Mu Delta, honorary scholarship fraternity at Northwestern and is today Vice President of the chapter of that society at Northwestern.

His business career has been confined to the coal business, having had experience in both the operating and selling departments and he organized his own company in 1920, the H. G. Wright Coal Company, of which he is still the head.

He was elected President of Delta Sigma Pi in February, 1920, and his present term of office will expire September, 1924.

### THE INSTALLATIONS

of Psi Chapter at the University of Wisconsin and Omega Chapter at Temple University will be covered in detail in the next issue of THE DELTASIG.



## CHAPTER LETTERS

### ALPHA, New York University

**B**OOM! Boom! Boom! Alpha has a chapter house. This is the best news we have had for the DELTASIG for many days.

Our new home is located at 51 West 11th Street. The house is four stories high and can accommodate twenty-five men with sleeping quarters. At present there are about twenty men living at the house and about February 1 we expect to have all quarters occupied.

Our annual informal fall dance was held at the Hotel Commodore on October 13, 1922. About seventy-five brothers and their friends danced away the hours of the night until 2 A. M. Brother Jim Nilan furnished the music for the occasion.

Since the last issue of the DELTASIG the membership roll of Alpha has been inflated. Neophytes Dragon, Schenck, Gary, Garvey, Newall, Burkhardt, Spieldenner, McNulty, Slattery, Sauzade, McNamara and Professor Nielson were initiated into the mysteries of the Fraternity. After the exercises the usual banquet was held. Brother Nielson, one of the new borns, gave a short discourse on Fraternity Spirit.

Brothers Morgan, Degge, Schlant, McLaughlin, Leimbach, Molyneaux and Dudley have been elected to Delta Mu Delta, the honorary scholarship society of the School of Commerce.

Brother Hauser is President of the Sophomore Class and Brother N. E. McLaughlin is the chief executive of the Triad Club.

On January 15 we had the pleasure of the company of Alpha Chapter, Alpha Kappa Psi Fraternity at our new home. Brothers Nilan, Molyneaux, Mahnkin, Hallahan and Pledge Clune provided the entertainment for the evening.

Alpha Chapter will attend the installation of Omega Chapter at Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa., in a body.

Don't forget the Alpha Chapter house when you visit New York. Everybody welcome.

JOHN F. McMANUS, Scribe.

### BETA, Northwestern University

**T**HE past few months have been marked with considerable activity in school affairs as well as in the fraternity. We were unfortunate at the outset in losing through resignations for business reasons several Chapter officers, their places being filled as follows: Bro. Harold P. Merry, Head Master; Bro. L. F. Fairbanks, Senior Warden; Bro. W. G. Nelson, Master of Ceremonies; and Bro. H. E. Brown, Treasurer. The new officers have taken up their duties in the usual DSP manner and Beta anticipates another successful year to her credit.

Smokers have been held regularly every two weeks and have been well attended by both the Brothers and their guests. Some of the smokers were held for the purpose of getting acquainted with men in whom we were interested and others were held to enable the men to become acquainted with business men who have been successful in their particular professions and who desire to give others the results of their experience. Much valuable knowledge has thus been added to the stock on hand of those fortunate enough to attend the meetings.



The Commerce Club has had the usual number of events and all were put over in good style. The Fall Dance at the Drake Hotel under the able leadership of Bro. Cy Wood and the Holiday Dance at the Hotel La Salle under the well directed efforts of Bro. Dan Kelly both resulted in huge successes as anyone who attended will testify. Considerable interest was taken in the football team this year, the home games being well attended by the Downtown schools and the out of town games, particularly the Illinois game, by fewer but equally enthusiastic rooters. The interest thus aroused has now been extended to the regular program of winter athletics.

Several out of town visitors have registered at the Beta House, 72 Cedar St., but we would like to have more of the Brothers indicate their presence in town by a similar sign. Luncheons are held regularly every Thursday at the Men's Grill in Marshall Field's Store. Drop in there if in town on that day if you cannot get out to the House. Beta Brothers, active and Alumni, also take notice.

The first Ladies' Night was held November 18th at the Chapter House and a goodly throng attended. They were well rewarded for the party was a very enjoyable one. New Year's Eve the customary celebration of "off with the old year and on with the new" was held. Dancing was the chief entertainment with some novel ideas of the Entertainment Committee added to the program, all of which produced much merriment. The noise was spontaneous. But everyone had a royal good time.

With the idea of Helpfulness in mind, an employment bureau is being established under the direction of Bro. Bert Brumm and it should form an important part of our fraternity life for real charity lies not in helping a man, but in helping a man to help himself.

Pledging new men has progressed slowly and surely with the result that four nervous Neophytes were led through the mazes on January 13th. They stood the test as becomes a prospective DELTASIG and emerged as Brothers Harry M. Couch, Emil J. Whitman, William P. Wisheart and Walter F. Tyler. Other good men have been pledged and several are still on the Visitors' List so that Beta's rolls will be increased this year, as always, by men who will uphold the Honor of Delta Sigma Pi.

To all Brothers, Beta extends greetings and the information that for all wandering Brothers the latch string at 72 Cedar St. hangs on the outside.

MALCOLM G. McEACHREN, Scribe.

### GAMMA CHAPTER, Boston University

ON November 25th Gamma Chapter initiated six Neophytes, who are now full fledged members. They are as follows: John Donovan, Walter Gladback, David Howarth, Joseph McKenzie, Kenneth Stanley, Clement Redmond.

David Howarth of Fall River, Mass., was highly honored in being elected to the office of Keeper of the Parchment Roll.

Our first Terpsichorean affair was held at the House, December 8. "It" was attended by about twenty couples who thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The following week a smoker was held in order to get acquainted with some promising freshmen for the next initiation which we plan to hold February 15, 16, 17. Professor Smith, of the Accounting Department at the



College of Business Administration, gave a very interesting and instructive talk on "Fraternalities, Their Purposes and Their Accomplishments." Brother John Keenan gave a short talk on "Friendship." A goodly number of freshmen were present and the prospects are bright for a fine crop of Neophytes.

In class activities at the College of Business Administration Gamma men are taking a prominent part. Brothers Hartnett and Lawlor have been nominated for Senior Class Secretary. Nominations for the Senior class executive committee include Brothers Mannix, Lawlor, Murphy and Sullivan.

Just now the House resembles a class-room. The deadly mid-year examinations are "on" and the boys must prepare accordingly. As usual, some are trying to do a whole semester's work.

Any visiting brothers will be welcomed by our dignified graduate brothers who are no longer bothered by such trifling things as exams.

Why not visit us?

JOSEPH J. LAWLOR, Head Master.

### DELTA, Marquette University

THE semester examinations are over and the reports show that Delta men have stood high in all of their courses. We are proud to announce that five of our brothers have been chosen to Lambda Epsilon Sigma, the honorary fraternity of the Economics Department. Those so honored are: Brothers Watson, Knick, Maes, Pierce, and Kneiff. We have started the second semester with a determination to uphold our scholarship record, to stand behind every worthy school activity, and to maintain our record as a leading fraternity in the eyes of the faculty and the student body.

Marquette has cause to be proud of the record she has achieved in athletics this year. The football team went through the season undefeated, but three points were scored against the team, the result of a field goal. Brother Nellis deserves honorable mention here for the splendid manner in which he fulfilled the position of end, and for his pluck in helping make this glory possible. Our able coach did not sit back content with the honor of having tutored a victorious gridiron team, but set right out to make his cagers also one of the best basketball teams in the country. So far we have won ten out of eleven contests, having been defeated by DePauw in a return engagement.

Marquette is to have a stadium. Again a Delta man shows the way. The drive for stadium funds is well under way and much of the credit for inaugurating the drive goes to Brother McCarthy. It was "Mac's" untiring efforts in the face of much discouragement that started the "ball-a-rolling" for a giant "horse-shoe" for Marquette.

Brother Fuss, as President of the Commerce Club, has proven to the university his ability as a leader by the way in which he is conducting the meetings of that organization. The interesting and enlightening speakers, and the high class entertainments put on this year have made all the students of the Economics Department look forward to each meeting of the club with a great deal of enthusiasm. Some of the more distinguished of the many speakers who have addressed us are: Mr. John Puelicher, President of the American Banker's Association, who talked on "Character and Credit Building"; Mr. Phil Grau, Business Manager of the Milwaukee Association of Commerce, who discussed "The Place of the Young Man in the Business



World"; and Dr. W. A. Ganfield, President of Carroll College and former president of the famous "praying colonels" at Center College, who talked on "The Present Economic Problems." The Annual Dance of the Commerce Club, November 23, was a great success, thanks to the efforts of the chairman, Brother Kneifl and also to Brother Miller. Brother Popp is chairman of the board of directors of the club.

Since the last issue of the DELTASIG ten Neophytes were instructed as to our innermost secrets and are now brothers of Delta Sigma Pi. They are: Brothers Clarence Kreuz of Menominee, Mich.; Stanley Lowe, Appleton, Wisconsin; John Hudson, Ironwood, Michigan; George Bottkol, Green Bay, Wisconsin; Gordon Bishop, Racine, Wisconsin; Raymond Kneifl, New Castle, Nebraska; Joseph Gilson, Ivanhoe, Minnesota; Mathew Popp, Earl McGovern, and Emil Fink, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. They have all proven themselves of the highest calibre and entirely worthy of the trust we placed in them.

The installation of another commerce fraternity in the university has made competition for the best men in the department somewhat keener. Judging from the class of men the brothers have been bringing to our semi-monthly smokers, we have little to fear that this competition will cause us to take into our organization men that will in any way lower the standards and ideals for which we stand.

Tentative plans have been made for another initiation in March. So far we have three pledges and have passed on several more to be pledged for the coming initiation. The pledges to date are John Kelley, Rushville, Indiana; Leo Vickerman, Milton, Wisconsin; and Byron Anson, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

The Economics Department of Marquette University has embarked upon a coöperative plan of education, the object of which is to overcome the barrier that stands between the college man and his opportunities in the business world. Students are placed in positions in the fields which they intend to follow after finishing school. Two men are put on each job, alternating weekly between work and school. This combination of practical and theoretical work gives the student a clear insight into his future work and shortens the road to success in his chosen field. So far only four brothers have taken advantage of this opportunity but many have signified their intention of entering upon this plan. The four brothers are Schendt, O'Sullivan, Pierce and Knick. The success already attained in this coöperative plan is due to the initiative and energy of Brother Professor Singh who has obtained the coöperation of the business men of Milwaukee by proving to them the merit of this undertaking. His untiring efforts in the interest of the student body, coupled with his determination for the success of the plan, gives promise of big things from the coöperative system at Marquette.

Brother Handl received word from Washington that he successfully passed the Civil Service Examination for Internal Revenue Inspector and is now preparing to leave us to join the ranks with Brothers Dooley, Nelson, and Riley. Brother Donohue is with the National Cash Register Company in Dayton, Ohio, taking a course, given by that company, in preparation for the field of selling.

Our semi-monthly smokers have been continued this year with a great deal of success. "Good-fellowship" is the by-word at every gathering. We



are very fortunate in being able to attract many prominent speakers for these occasions. At the last smoker we had the pleasure of listening to one of the best speakers of the year. This man is Mr. Robert Wittig, Manager of the R. G. Dun and Company, who spoke on "A General Survey of Business Conditions and the Outlook for 1923."

Heretofore it had been the policy at Delta to hold the annual election of officers just before the close of the school year. Delta Chapter is making a change in that the officers will be elected at the first regular meeting in February and will take office the same day. This year we have inaugurated the nominating committee fashioned after that used by Beta. This committee consists of five members, three actives and two passives. The actives have the voting power in nominating men for office and the passives act in an advisory capacity. The committee nominates two men for each office but its decisions are not final. Additional men may be nominated for each office from the floor at the time of election.

The following newly elected officers have been installed: Head Master, Edmund McKune; Master of Ceremonies, Carl Hallgren; Senior Warden, Robert Pierce; Treasurer, Ruben Anderson; Scribe, Alfred Watson; Master of Festivities; Francis Carr; Junior Warden, Raymond Cobeen; Historian, Stanley Lowe.

EDMUND MCKUNE, Head Master.

### EPSILON, University of Iowa

YOU have all heard from Iowa through her football team, that tied for the Big Ten Championship, and through her present basketball team that has won six straight Conference victories. But so far the Chapters of Delta Sigma Pi have not heard from Epsilon Chapter. However do not let that lead you to believe that the "Delta Sigs" here at Epsilon have been asleep on the job.

The new school year found fourteen brothers back with the "Iowa Fights" spirit. We were a little slow in getting the organization functioning properly, but we have made up for that since.

Three rushing smokers during the past semester resulted in the following pledges, Ralph Plane, Fred Skinner, Louis Kramer, Howard Gordon, Don Guthrie, Roscoe Nash, George Grimm and Clarence Horthy.

Pledge Guthrie is a Junior and a live wire in Commerce activities. He was chairman of the "Mart," the annual Commerce Party, and as such he is to be complimented on the entertainment he furnished the two hundred couples that attended. Pledge Nash, a Senior, is President of the Y. M. C. A., a member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, and A. F. I. honorary men's organization. Pledge Skinner and pledge Kramer are both out for Varsity track, and both look like "comers." Pledge Gordon is our representative on the "Iowan" staff, as is also Brother Upton who is business manager. Gordon is a Junior and a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. Pledge Plane and Pledge Horthy are also Juniors and we expect much of them before they graduate. Pledge Grimm, a Junior was recently elected to Order of Artus, Honorary Economics Fraternity. We don't like to prophesy, but we have very good reason to believe that these men are going to be the leaders of tomorrow.

Brother Staley was appointed Editor-in-Chief of the "Journal of Business," the official publication of the Commerce Club. Brother Staley is also



a member of Order of Artus, Beta Gamma Sigma, and Chi Kappa Pi, Social Fraternity.

Delta Sig can also boast of three members of A. F. I. Senior men's honorary organization. These are Brothers Upton and Peterson and Pledge Nash.

Brother Noll was elected President of the Senior Class, Brother Cotton Vice President and Brother Dondore, Secretary. Brother Cotton was also placed on the Senior Hop Committee.

The Delta Sigs, as usual come in for their share of honors in athletics. Brothers Seiling and Cotton made the Championship football squad. Brother Noll and Pledges Skinner and Kramer are going to win their share of the laurels on the track this season.

At the last regular meeting the officers for the ensuing semester were elected. They are: Harry Bunker, Head Master; James Trenaman, Scribe; and Gerhard Noll, Treasurer.

The outlook for the remainder of the year could not be brighter, and we hope to have a group of men that will be a credit to Delta Sigma Pi by the time school closes in June.

### ZETA, Northwestern University, Evanston

THE Evanston campus of Northwestern University is witness every day to the great part the members of Zeta Chapter are playing in the writing of this year's history of the University. Brothers Davis, Paterson, Putman, Mikkelson and Mills all helped the Varsity football team to come through the best season it has had for years; and Pledge Ole Magnuson did a large part of the work in developing a wonderful bunch of Freshmen for next year.

By the way we've picked out the eight of the best men in school to be our pledges. Here they are: George Fry, Walter Stegman, Donald Harker, James Lyons, Lawrence Hass, Rowe Hinsey, Ole Magnuson, and Carl Johnson. Fry and Hensey are Business Manager and Editor-in-Chief, respectively of the 1924 Syllabus; Stegman, together with Brothers McKenzie and Paterson, forms the main part of the Purple basketball team which is going great guns this year; and Don Harker is one of Coach Hill's promising sprinters. Brother Rost is rubbing the mat with the rest of the Purple wrestling team, and Brother Mills is doing great work as the President of the Athletic Association this year.

We have been having regular luncheons every two weeks where all the fellows meet and some of the fellows, professors and alumni have given interesting and educational talks on present-day business problems. Each member has handed in to the Head Master the subject on which he will prepare a talk to be given at one of these luncheons in the near future. We get a great deal out of these meetings, both from the social atmosphere and from the education they afford us, and they certainly are worth while. When we get our pledges initiated, as soon as exams are over we are going to get them started and then have some more informal smokers at some of the fraternity houses.

Instead of the regular semester chapter dance we plan to give a theatre party. The officers for Zeta are: Head Master, Lester M. Branch; Senior Warden, Reding Putman; Treasurer, Dennison C. Paden; Scribe, David B. Rost.

DAVID B. ROST, Scribe



## ETA, University of Kentucky

THE initiation of Eta Chapter on December 12, 1922, was one of the greatest of its kind ever held by the Chapter. Ten new brothers were taken in. They will prove a great asset to Delta Sigma Pi and Eta Chapter. Four alumni were present at the initiation and aided in making it a success; they also aided in giving the Neophytes their share of the ordeal.

The new brothers are: Bro. A. L. Atchison, Bro. Dan Baugh, Bro. T. G. Bayless, Bro. Wayne Foust, Bro. Jesse Gillum, Bro. Lyman B. Hall, Bro. J. H. Johnson, Bro. Graham McCormick, Bro. K. H. Rohs, Bro. Lowell Truitt. In our new brothers we find two varsity football men, Brothers Bayless and Baugh. We also have two varsity basketball men, Brothers Foust and Rohs.

Look Out! The DELTASIG Key, for Brother A. L. Atchison, is in line. In Brother Atchison you will find a fine student of economics and a good all-round fellow. Brother Hall is the Business Manager of the "Kentucky Kernel." He is not only a business man but a fine journalist as well and has held places on news staffs around the campus. Brothers Johnson and Truitt and Baugh are R. O. T. C. officers in the army unit, established by the government at the university. Brothers Gillum and McCormick are in the dramatic plays presented by the university. Not only do they practice dramatics on the stage—they also use strategy among the many fair dames around the campus.

Besides the new brothers, we will have two brothers of last year back with us at the beginning of the Second Semester. They are Brothers Waits and McRee. They will also graduate in June provided Mars is good to them. Here comes two stars that shine: Brothers Mann and Dahringer play the leading parts in the Opera "Ermine," presented by the university. The public gives them credit for being the whole show. Thus you see the ability of DELTASIG men along other lines than business. The Macauley Theater of Louisville has booked "Ermine" for a one-night stand and it is predicted that our two brothers will be offered contracts by other opera companies. Here's to Brothers Mann and Dahringer, wishing them success! Our Head Master Jones is full of business. He has to tend to the Chapter and the Student Council affairs, of which he is also head.

We receive letters every few days from our alumni, and all of them report cheering news, such as promotion and bigger pay checks. They always give us a word or two of advice, and everyone knows that it is greatly appreciated. A letter from Oxford, England, the other day stated that our Brother Peal had earned a position on the rowing team that will clash with Cambridge. He reports other good news and invites all his brothers to stop in and pay him a visit if they are in England at any time.

Hurrah, for Brother Brumm for that Pocket Directory. It is greatly appreciated as a great piece of work. Not only the active but the Alumni have sent in words of praise concerning the Directory. It is very comprehensive in every field concerning our Alumni and Active Brothers. Every person that has had the privilege of looking over the Pocket Directory has certainly praised it. We are back of you, Brother Brumm! Let Eta Chapter aid you whenever it can. Keep the good work going. It is "a great step forward."



At the present time Eta Chapter hasn't much to report along social lines, but now that we are well organized and have a good bunch of fellows—Watch Us. We have booked several speakers and smokers for our new brothers. Also have set a date for our big Dance.

Let us all go forward for our dear old Delta Sigma Pi!

T. R. ANDERSON, Scribe.

### THETA, University of Detroit

**T**HETA CHAPTER has made wonderful progress during the past four months. On December 9th, 1922, the following brothers were added to our chapter roll:

Wm. J. Powers, Edward P. Riehl, Leartus Arthur Senecal, Chas. J. Pastor, E. Thistle, Edward F. Murphy, James F. Deane, A. C. Winger, Bertrand D. Marshall, Robert W. Settle.

On this day Xi Chapter, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan and Theta Chapter held their first Joint Initiation at the Twentieth Century Club, Detroit, Michigan. This ceremony surpassed all other noteworthy events and will long be remembered by the brothers of both Chapters who attended the rituals and banquet.

Our recent history also records a banquet, smoker and theater party. Brother Elmer Solsburg, Master of Festivities, has prepared a splendid program of social activities that will keep Theta in good humor for the balance of the year.

Brother C. H. Seehoffer is now a C. P. A. of Michigan. He passed the rigid Michigan examinations with our colors flying high, bringing fame and glory to Theta and Delta Sigma Pi.

We commence the last half of the school year with bright hopes. The characteristic spirit of leadership of our worthy Head Master William F. Gregory has shown itself very strikingly in the progress of this chapter. Imbued with this spirit, the Brothers of Theta Chapter rally together with invincible determination to do their bit for the continued success and onward march of Delta Sigma Pi.

ELMER W. HESS.

### KAPPA, Georgia School of Technology

**S**INCE the last publication of the DELTASIG, Kappa Chapter has been very busy—not only with fraternal work—but with school work as well. Just at present, mid-term examinations are on and that calls for extra work.

Our first term initiation took place last November. At that time the following Neophytes were ushered into the mysteries of Delta Sigma Pi: W. S. Withers, L. E. Sessions, F. G. Harris, J. E. Smith, E. G. Acree, L. C. Carter.

On December 12th, Kappa spread the largest banquet ever attempted. It was held at the Winecoff Hotel and was a "knockout" from beginning to end. Besides having all we could eat, the program committee presented several excellent speakers on this occasion. Chief among them were Drs. Brittain, President and Field Dean, from Tech.; Mr. Harrison Jones, Sales Manager of the Coco Cola Co. and our two loyal alumni—Brothers Brooks of Gamma and McVey of Lambda.



Kappa has been very fortunate in getting pledges this year, having pinned the triangle on six upper classmen. E. D. O'Brien, Carlton George, C. A. Schonsey, W. L. Johnson, C. D. Collins, A. A. Holder.

In place of bi-monthly luncheons, we have substituted Sunday night suppers, every other week at the Daffodil Tea Room.

Since the last issue, one of the good brothers, namely, D. I. "Red" Barron, has taken unto himself a wife. This notable event occurred last Thanksgiving day, immediately after winning his last football game. Captain Barron made the second composite All-American team, also Walter Camp's second All-American.

We wish to extend our greetings to the other chapters of the Fraternity and wish them all the pleasures and good fortune the last half of the school year.

WILLIAM B. CARR.

### IOTA, University of Kansas

**T**HE beginning of a new calendar year finds Iota Chapter in good condition, with a well established chapter house. There are now sixteen men living in the house, and two or three more will move in at the beginning of the second semester, January 29. There are also eighteen men eating at the house table.

Initiation was held December 14, and a lunch was served after the initiation. Orlis Cox, C. E. Johnson, Melvin Griffen, Fred Biewener, Harold Schafer, Glenn Davis, Joseph Bloomer, and Herman Harms were the men initiated.

Iota has had two smokers this year, one on September 17 and the second, October 4. Another is planned for soon after the beginning of the second semester. In addition to these, Iota held a joint smoker with the local chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi, about sixty men being present. Several of the members of the faculty of the Department of Economics were present, and three of them gave short informal talks. On Thursday evening, December 14, before initiation, our annual Christmas dinner was held at the chapter house. On the 19th of January, Cameron C. Beck, Personnel Director of the New York Stock Exchange, is to speak to the students of the Department of Economics under the auspices of Delta Sigma Pi, and in the evening Iota gives a dinner in his honor, with several of the members of the faculty as guests.

In activities, Iota has a number of men who have gained high honors. The two highest non-athletic honors in the University are held by



Iota Chapter House

Delta Sigs; Brother McDonald, who is President of the Men's Student Council, and Brother Bloomer, who is President of the Senior class. In addition to these, Brothers Rupp and Griffen are members of the Men's Student Council; Brother Norris has a leading part in the annual play of the Dramatic Club; Brother Walker is Manager of the University Stenographic Bureau; Brother Boyer is University Auditor of Student Affairs; Brothers Wunsch and Schafer are members of the University Debating team, and Brother Parrott is chairman of an important committee of the Senior class. In athletics, Brothers Griffen and McDonald were on the football team; Brothers Rupp and McDonald on the basketball team; Brother Griffen is a quarter-miler on the track team, and Brother Bloomer is a member of the baseball team.

PHILIP M. OSBORNE, Scribe.

### LAMBDA, University of Pittsburgh

THE first semester of the school year has been exceedingly successful for Lambda Chapter. All of the smokers and dances have been well attended. The value of association is firmly imbedded in the minds of the brothers and judging by the snap and pepper now being displayed, the second semester should be the greatest in the history of the chapter.

A number of good men have been pledged and an initiation will be held February 24, at the Fort Pitt Hotel.

The Thursday Inncheons have been regularly attended. The round table discussions after the meal always leave the brothers in a happy mood and when they go their ways it is always with a lighter step and a more confident and determined feeling. Youth and early manhood is not, to all, a continual round of happiness. There is more or less feeling of uncertainty, and sometimes of depression, but this quickly disappears when the fraternal spirit is present; that is, when men of the same mind get together and turn loose their thoughts.

The chapter is delighted with the responsibility imposed upon it in furnishing a member for the installation team that will shortly install a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi at Temple University, Philadelphia.

Several of the brothers are prominent in school affairs this year. Head Master Schewe is President of the Dramatic Club and Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Pitt Y. M. C. A. Brother Hemphill is on the Junior Prom Committee.

Lambda Chapter is justly proud of their own Professor MacQueen. "Mac," as he is affectionately called, is a dyed-in-the-wool DELTASIG. He is an effective speaker and is in demand by the professional men's organizations in and about the city. At any fraternity function he can always be depended upon to deliver that punch which carries weight.

Plans are under way for the annual dance to celebrate the chapter's birthday. It will be two years old on May 12. That date is of special significance to all of the brothers.

J. A. BROSE, Scribe.



## MU, Georgetown University

THE afternoon and evening of December 9, 1922, will ever be a memorable one in the history of Mu Chapter, for on that day thirty brothers journeyed to Baltimore to assist in the installation of Chi Chapter at the University of Maryland. The success of the affair can be gauged somewhat by the fact that it took several days for some of the brothers to return to Washington. Having made such an excellent start, it should not be long until the Chi brothers have climbed the ladder of fame, for if their future deeds and accomplishments are to be measured by the manner in which they helped to make their installation such a success, we predict a brilliant future for them as a chapter. It is hoped that the proximity of Washington to Baltimore will encourage the exchange of visits between Mu and Chi.

The registration in the School of Foreign Service is around the 450 mark, and the incoming freshman class contained a wealth of good material. Several smokers have been held, with the result that fourteen men have been pledged. On November 19, Mu Chapter took much pleasure in initiating pledges Gregg and Lee. Brother Gregg is Chief of the Transportation and Communications Division of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce and is actively participating in the affairs of the Chapter. We are sorry to say that Brother Lee has resigned his position as Chief of the Automotive Division of the same Bureau, but fortunately he is now in Chicago as Director of Foreign Sales for the Yellow Cab Manufacturing Company, and we know that Beta brothers will make life pleasant for him.

Because of the rush of daily toil, Mu Chapter has given only one dance since the opening of the school year. This dance was held at the Lafayette Hotel on November 18, some fifty couples receiving their share of the exhilaration which emanated from the various instruments of Terpander. A tea dance was held at the Chapter House on January 14, and its success will lead to more of them after the brothers have had their usual fun of convincing the school authorities that they have not been negligent during the semester.

The first closed smoker of the year was held on January 20, at which time the pledges were put through their paces, informed of their duties and obligations, and were instructed for the initiation which will be held on February 10.

The new Chapter House at 1843 Kalorama Road has excellently served its purpose, but we again find that we could use more space and are considering making a change in the near future. Numerous brothers from other chapters have paid us visits during the past few months, staying all the way from five minutes to five days. Mu Chapter always has plenty of room for



Mu Chapter House



visiting brothers, and we sincerely hope that all Deltasigs passing through Washington will make their headquarters with us.

Brother Schultz has been appointed Associate Editor of "Ye Doomsday Book," the yearly publication of the Junior Class, and Brothers Lyons and Murphy are also on the staff. Brother Miller was recently appointed Chief of the Foreign Service Division of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. Brother Chapman wrote a paper on the Silk Industry for the school, which has been accepted as an authoritative work by the leading trade associations and is appearing in a number of the leading Silk Journals of the country in their February numbers.

The Inter-Fraternity Council, which Brother Cremer organized before leaving for Rio de Janeiro, has been very active and has stirred up interest in inter-fraternity basketball games. The first game was played with the Phi Alpha Delts, resulting in a victory for them by the score of 8-4. We have the best hopes of winning over our remaining competitors.

LARRY H. SCHULTZ, News Editor.

### NU, Ohio State University

**D**UE to the inception of the four-quarter plan at Ohio State this fall, Nu Chapter was a little slow in getting under way, but once started it has moved along splendidly and is now pushing forward at an ever increasing speed.

Our first function of the year was an initiation at the Chittenden Hotel on December 3, 1922, at which time sixteen Neophytes were conducted into the mysteries of Delta Sigma Pi. After successfully coping with all the intricacies put before them by our Master of Ceremonies, Brother Maddux, all were able to find their way to the awaiting banquet table. The only thing that tended to mar the success of this pastime was the fact that our Worthy Keeper of the Parchment Roll, was forced to discontinue his studies in the university and consequently his activity in the chapter, and was unable to be with us at this gathering. After a heated argument in which many good points of consideration were brought out, one of the more prominent newly elected members, Brother Reyer, succeeded in defeating a much older man by a very close margin. He registered his appreciation for the support given him by his fellow members, by responding with a fitting speech. Grand President Wright was with us at this initiation, but was forced to leave early in order to make his train. Brother E. W. Skidmore of Alpha was also a guest.

A dance was our first social function, and all brothers attending claim it was a fine party, and all were in favor of holding another in the near future.

The chapter has been on the constant lookout for many more prospective men, for the greater per cent of the present personnel will leave school at the end of the current year.

At the recent election of Beta Gamma Sigma, Honorary Commercial Fraternity, the following brothers were rewarded for their studious efforts by receiving the coveted key: Brothers Hapner, Stoner, Reyer, Hatfield, Pryor, Gerlach.

Our Thursday Noonday Luncheons have proven a decided success and we can always expect a large turnout, for we have been having exceptionally fine talks from men in all walks of life.



We are planning another initiation before the close of this quarter, and our Master of Festivities has several social functions in store for us in the near future.

AL GROSJEAN, Head Master.

### XI, University of Michigan

**W**E might say that we have rather unconsciously adopted Dr. Coue's slogan of growing better and better day by day. This may be evident to us, but it is another task to make the faculty believe it as the time approaches for issuing the semester grades.

Since the joint initiation with Theta Chapter on December 9, we may now call Raymond Fitch Mahaffy and Harold Merton Stephen our brothers; and gladly we do, for already they are actively engaged in more deeply entrenching our position on the campus, as a live organization.

Several of the brothers have entered campus activities. Brother Wolfe is Circulation Manager of The Michigan Daily, while pledge Pryor holds a position on the editorial staff. Brothers Jones, Swartz, Slatery and Stephens are members of the University Glee Club which has already appeared in Ann Arbor, Detroit and surrounding cities. Brother Staubach was one of the attractive chorus girls in the Michigan Opera. Even our worthy Head Master Lain has found time to display his form and art on the stage, in the roles of well known Shakespearean characters.

While the fraternity basketball team, entered in the fraternity league, has not been as successful as we would desire, it no doubt will finish well up in the league barring further injuries, which have handicapped it considerably.

A failure to write a word about our pledges would be like speaking of the family without mentioning the children; both are necessary. We have the good fortune to claim six promising pledges, namely: George Lawrence, Robert Becker, Nicholas Mann, Stewart Werback, Harold Hathway and Millard Pryor. With these men we are stressing scholarship first, then campus activities, and we are expecting much from them in the future.

Recently we held the first of our social functions in the form of an informal dance at the Chapter House. Ably chaperoned by Brothers Campbell and Edmunds and their wives, together with the pledges, active members, and a few of the alumni brothers it was a huge success.

We still continue to invite prominent members of the faculty, local business men and those of Detroit to appear before us in the guise of after-dinner speakers, and there is no doubt that we glean many valuable points from their talks.

WILLARD F. GRUSCHOW, Historian.

### OMICRON, Vanderbilt University

**T**HE biggest events of the year are yet to come for Omicron Chapter. Shortly after this issue of the DELTASIG goes to press, Omicron Chapter will practically double its membership. More than anything else, this shows the popularity and increasing strength of Delta Sigma Pi in Vanderbilt University. Verily, applying Coueism to Omicron Chapter, "Every day in every way we are growing larger and larger," and this is not the magic key to something wished for, but is an actual fact, and therefore means something.

Several good meetings have been held thus far this year, but the next meeting will be a departure from the regular order in that it will be held in the Kissam Hall Cafeteria, and not in one of the fraternity houses, as has been the custom in the past. If this proves popular, it is planned to make all future regular meetings in the nature of a luncheon.

Since the last letter to the DELTASIG, Omicron Chapter has elected new officers, who are as follows:

S. C. Harlin.....	Head Master
Charles Warterfield .....	Senior Warden
Alfred Sharp .....	Junior Warden
Thurman Sensing .....	Scribe
W. E. Powell.....	Treasurer
Alvin Bell.....	News Editor
W. C. Morton.....	Historian
Oliver W. Kuhn.....	Master of Ceremonies
Lee H. Hunt.....	Master of Festivities

The vim with which our new officers have entered into their work augurs well for the increased growth of the chapter.

We wish to compliment Brother Brumm on the 1922-1923 Pocket Directory. It is a very serviceable little book and well gotten up.

Of the alumni from Omicron Chapter, Brother Dantzer is taking advanced work in Commerce at Dartmouth University, Brother Auten has taken up the practice of law in Little Rock, Ark., Brother Houston is with the American National Bank, Nashville, Tenn., and Brother Lawrence is taking advanced work at Chicago. We regret that one of our faculty members, Brother H. C. Coil is not back with us this year; he has entered the insurance business at Huntingdon, W. Va. We also regret the loss of Brother Mixon, who has gone to Leland Stanford to finish his education.

Omicron Chapter is well represented in Vanderbilt athletics, having three members, Brothers Kuhn, Sharp, and Bell on the undefeated Varsity football team, Brother Kuhn being elected captain for next year; two members on the Varsity basketball team, Brothers Kuhn and Bell, of which Brother Kuhn is captain. Brother Kuhn has also been elected President of the Senior Class and President of the Student Council, which directs the student government system of Vanderbilt University. Brother Harlin is manager of the Varsity baseball team for the coming season.

The report of Omicron's delegate to the annual convention, Brother Templeton, was received with interest, as was also the report given in the last issue of the DELTASIG. We heartily support Brother Wright in the plans he outlines for Delta Sigma Pi. The plan to make the DELTASIG a larger and better magazine in the future should be a great factor in the development of the fraternity, and we congratulate Brothers Kerber and Brumm on being placed in charge of this feature of the fraternity organization.

While we have no house for Delta Sigma Pi at Vanderbilt, individual addresses of the members can be found in the Directory, and we will be more than pleased to have any brother, who may come to Nashville, call on us.

THURMAN SENSING, Scribe.



**O**MICRON Chapter is proud, and rightly, of Brother Oliver W. Kuhn, Ex-Headmaster and active member of the local chapter of Delta Sigma Pi at Vanderbilt University. To record the honors that the popular "Doc" has won would give the impression that he has cornered the market in this particular field of activity, but no one will say that he has won more than he deserved.

In the first place, as first Head Master of Omicron Chapter, Brother Kuhn is responsible to a large degree for the gratifying progress of Delta Sigma Pi since its installation in Vanderbilt.

Brother Kuhn is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, and was Secretary of the Nemo Club 1920-21, Vice-President of the Owl Club 1921-22, and is this year member of the Commodore Club, the three honor clubs of the fraternity organizations for the sophomore, Junior and Senior years respectively.

It is in athletics, however, that "Doc scintillates," as the sport writers say of him after the games. As quarterback on the Varsity football team for the past three years, "Doc" has made a great record.

Then, too, Brother Kuhn has been a member of the Varsity basketball and baseball teams for the last three years, playing guard and shortstop, respectively. He is this year captain of the basketball team.

Brother Kuhn's leadership is also evident in the student life of the University. He is President of the Student Council and president of the Senior Class.



OLIVER W. KUHN

### PI, University of Georgia

**P**I CHAPTER is out for a great year and prospects for the new year are bright.

The chapter returned fifteen men, as follows: M. R. Bell, E. M. Gurr, G. M. Broadhurst, P. K. Anderson, L. S. Winn, Lloyd Fickland, Cyrus Shearer, Pat Powers, Clifford Pantone, George Fesperman, Charlie Weirs, Sheldon Fitts, Julian Strickland, and Brother H. M. Heckman, Honorary.

We lost eight men, all of whom are in the business world, and their loss has been keenly felt by the fraternity.

Pi Chapter will hold its first initiation of the year in the near future; several men who have acquired distinction in the School of Commerce will be taken into Delta Sigma Pi.

We have five big men in athletics at Georgia—Brothers Anderson and Boney of the football team, Gurr of the basketball team, and Pantone and Powers of the baseball team.

Brother Strickland has recently been awarded Beta Gamma Sigma.

One of the biggest years in the history of Pi Chapter is expected during



the remainder of this school year. Many social events are already on the program and the brothers are showing lots of pep and enthusiasm over our prospects.

We promise the fraternity a most successful year at Georgia.

THOS. H. RIVERS, Scribe.

### SIGMA, University of Utah

**T**HE results of that which was started Easter Sunday, 1922, are beginning to make themselves apparent. On that day Sigma was installed and the Brothers received the inoculation of pep and vigor, the impetus to work for the higher standards and ideals of Delta Sigma Pi. With the closing of the first ten months we are pleased to note that the Brothers are showing an added amount of enthusiasm and spirit, and it is our aim to continue.

Our regular business meetings are held the second and fourth Thursdays of each month with Thursday noon luncheons alternating. This gives us an opportunity to discuss all matters each week as they come up and keep our organization in close touch with each member. We are aiming to put the luncheon program on a result-bringing basis and plans are being made to have some good speakers and other interesting programs for each. This time will also be utilized to get acquainted with prospective members.

January 28, we held an initiation for the following men: W. Blaine Murdock, C. H. Linford, E. H. Thomas, Geo. L. Snow, Prof. E. H. Smith, Oliver L. Richards, Vaughn B. Driggs, Dan L. Wells and Wallace W. Dansie, after which our enormous appetites were satisfied with a banquet at the Hotel Utah. We are planning another initiation about the middle of April, which will be the last for the school year.

Sigma Chapter has a good representation among the school activities, the following men taking active part: Brother E. C. Stratford, President of the Friars Club and Commerce Club, also a member of the Varsity Debating team. Brother C. H. Linford, President of the Spanish Club and a member of the debating team. Brother Robert K. Wilkinson, Secretary and Treasurer of the Spanish Club and Brother W. H. Reese, Treasurer of the Accountants Club.

We are laying plans for the organization of an Alumni Club in Utah in the very near future. There are several men graduating this year who will combine with those already alumni, making a live Alumni Club.

M. L. NELSON, Editor, Sigma Seagull.

### TAU, McGill University

**S**INCE writing the last chapter letter, there have been many and varied happenings at the Canadian chapter.

We started the session with eight active members, but after February 3rd, we will have twenty-one. On December 2nd, last, we held our first initiation, when eight Neophytes trod the path of fire: Brothers Brittain, Horwood, Laidlaw, Galley, Humphrey, Milne, Murphy, and Mott.

As regards new officers, Brother Buzzell was elected to the position of Senior Warden left vacant by the withdrawal of Brother Connor from the University; Brother Horwood is the new Treasurer, as Brother Taylor left



College at Christmas; Brother Humphrey was elected Junior Warden; and Brother Brittain, Master of Festivities.

Our next initiation will be held on February 3rd, when we will initiate three honorary members, Dr. Villard, M.A., D.D., M.D., etc., Professor of French; Mr. B. K. Sandwell, B.A., Professor of Economics, etc.; and Mr. P. B. Wilson; also six active members, Mr. R. S. O'Meara, Lecturer in Trade and Commerce, K. Clare, H. Hayes, D. Loonan, C. Ryan, and L. Webster. We are sending out invitations to all alumni members to attend this initiation and expect it to be a real get-together.

A social evening is being set aside once a week, when all the brothers go on a "spree" together, either to a hockey game, theater, or other form of amusement.

We hope to be able to publish a News Letter in the near future; Brother Morris, as News Editor, is looking after this.

Montreal is holding a Winter Carnival during the months of January and February, so if any of you brothers are coming up to see it, don't forget that your first port-of-call will be 119 Metcalfe St., opposite the new Mount Royal Hotel.

CLIFFORD P. WILSON, Scribe.

### UPSILON, University of Illinois

UPSILON CHAPTER has been continually "on the go" since the beginning of the school year, and we can look back upon the past semester with pride and satisfaction. Every day our existence on the campus is becoming better known. At the present time the final exams are upon us, and we are laying in our supply of "midnight oil."

The first big gathering of the past term was a smoker, held at the Chi Psi Lodge on October 26. At this time we had as our guests the men from the College of Commerce who were thought to be the most likely candidates for admission into Delta Sigma Pi. Smokes, of course, were plentiful, and with the short speeches delivered by several of the brothers, made up the program for the evening.

Fourteen men, seven Seniors and seven Juniors, were formally initiated into the mysteries of Delta Sigma Pi on November 26. The formal rites were administered before the Neophytes at the Wesleyan Foundation and the banquet was held at the Illinois Union Building. Brother C. C. Hermann officiated as toastmaster and served capably, in fact, just as though he were at a meeting of railroad directors. The men whom we can now proudly call "Brothers" are:

Roy E. Roos  
Sterling C. Burke  
John C. Westall  
Reginald J. Gulmeyer  
Arlyn A. Herche  
Louis O. Foster  
Vernon R. Alberstett

John W. Waterfall  
Dan A. Gallagher  
James W. Cole  
Cecil H. Cleworth  
Louis M. Wildman  
Kenneth H. Dreman  
Eugene S. Campbell

One of the new men, Brother Louis Foster, has already distinguished himself by being elected to Beta Gamma Sigma, honorary commerce fraternity.

More honors will be gained by the remainder of the brothers before they leave these portals. We are sure of that.

Our luncheons, held every other Thursday, have been a great success. At each of these get-togethers we have endeavored to have, as a speaker, some prominent faculty member or a business man of repute. At the last luncheon held on January 17, Mr. Arthur H. Carver, Director of the Training Division of Swift and Company, was our guest. He gave us a very frank talk on the possibilities of employment of college graduates in large corporations. We got all the "inside dope" and we'll know how to secure and hold a position.

The managership of the Post-Exam Jubilee was won by one of our own little circle. Brother George Walbert secured the honor. From present reports and from what we know about "Heinie," it's going to be a good one. That will just come in time to drive away the Post-Exam Blues.

We would like to hear more from the brothers in the alumni. A few personal letters have been received, and we have enjoyed hearing from those brothers. But there are a great many of you who have not been heard from at all. How about a few lines?

The end of this semester will see the departure of two of the brothers, their work at this institution being completed. We are rather fortunate that we do not lose any more. These men are Brothers John W. Corrington and Ronald E. Kinney, both of whom have been with the organization since its establishment at Illinois. Brother Corrington has served us admirably as Head Master during the past year and it is due to his efforts that we possess our present strength. As manager of the exchequer, Brother Kinney was a regular financier. We are sorry to see them leave, but it is up to us to maintain the prestige won for us by these two worthy members of Delta Sigma Pi. We wish them all sorts of success, and we know that they will make good wherever they go.

Because of the graduation of the two brothers mentioned above, it was necessary to hold an election of new officers for these vacancies. Brother J. Lindley Williamson was chosen to direct our destinies during the coming term, and Brother Vernon Alberstett was made Treasurer. As Brother Williamson was the present holder of the position of Senior Warden, another office had to be filled. Brother Arlyn Herche was the unanimous choice for the position vacated by the new pilot. Now we are all set to carry on, and carry on *we will*.

We want to congratulate Brother Brumm of Beta on the splendid piece of work that he accomplished in the compilation of the Pocket Directory just received. All of the brothers here have commented on it.

Upsilon, along with Mu Chapter, has a member who is aiding the Persian government in regard to their finances. Brother Ernest L. Bogart, Professor of Economics and the head of that department here, was chosen to serve as a financial advisor to the Persian government. We hope that they have met and are well acquainted by now. Let's hope that they do not fall for any of the Sultan's deserted wives. We know that Brother Bogart will not as he is a married man; but how about Brother Flanagan of Mu?



As a body, the brothers of Upsilon wish to extend their greetings and best wishes to the new chapter recently installed at the University of Maryland.

Now let's get going under full speed and make the year 1923 the biggest year in the history of Delta Sigma Pi. J. F. ENGBERG, News Editor.

### PHI, University of Southern California

**A**CTIVITIES during the first semester of this school year have been very successful.

Shortly after the opening of the semester we, in conjunction with Alpha Kappa Psi, put on a smoker for all Commerce men at the Gamma Epsilon House. This smoker went over in big style, thanks to the efforts of Brother Beock and A. K. Psi's representative. The first part of the evening was spent in getting acquainted with the new men. Before this got to be a bore we were treated to a few professional bouts between a couple of Beock's friends which he imported from "Little Mexico." It was a bloody battle, due to the fact that they were picked from rival factions of the district. In conclusion, speeches were made by Professor Stonier and Brother Carus, outlining the importance of the Commerce College to the new men.

Our first semester initiation ceremonies were conducted in the afternoon and evening of December 16, 1922, at the Clark Hotel. The new initiates were given the ritual in the afternoon, after which, at 6:30, followed a banquet in the Blue Room. After the dinner the main speeches of the evening were made by Brothers Hayes, Parker, Olson and Hoffman of Beta Chapter. The following men were taken into the fraternity: Everett Cattaneo, Rolland S. Parker, Donald Haskell, Chester Minier, Frank L. Hadlock, Irving Campbell, Kenneth Campbell, Emery E. Olson, Cedric Tarr, Everett Richardson, Dudley Hayes.

We are proud of the record of some of our brothers: Beock, President of the Commerce Club; Kibby, Vice President of the Foreign Trade Division; Brown, Commerce Representative on All University Executive Committees; Didrickson, Athletic Manager of Associated Student Body; Olson, Assistant Dean, College of Commerce; Hayes, President of the Associated Student Body; K. Campbell, on Staff of Commerce Journal; I. Campbell, on Staff of Commerce Journal.

At the last regular meeting of the first semester, the following brothers were elected to their new offices: Head Master, Roy N. Edwards; Senior Warden, Chester Minier; Scribe, Rolland Parker; Treasurer, Reynold Rodenburg.

ROY N. EDWARDS, Scribe.

### CHI, University of Maryland

**T**HE activity of Chi did not cease upon its inception into the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi. Since its installation on December 9, 1922, it has been busily engaged with the appointing of various committees to perpetuate Chi and make it a strong link in the chain of chapters of Delta Sigma Pi. As the strength of any chain is determined by its weakest link, we are now working to become stronger and not weaker.

The installation of Chi included twenty-one active members and five honorary members and our worthy President, H. G. Wright, can very well testify as to the rousing time we had.

Our House Committee is earnestly at work looking for a suitable Chapter House and we hope ere many issues of the DELTASIG go to press we will be able to report our permanent location.

Also, within the next fortnight we are to issue our paper called "Chi's Crier," with "Fatty" Sullivan as Editor-in-Chief. We also hope to introduce the Thursday luncheons after the semester examinations.

Our first initiation class is scheduled for February 4 at which time we plan "to burn" the preamble into sixteen Neophytes.

Chi gave a dance in the Blue Room of the Emerson Hotel, January 20, which was largely attended by the brothers and friends.

Head Master A. W. Gray has been elected as delegate to represent Chi at the installation of Omega Chapter.

We anticipate a prosperous year and feel that by the beginning of next we will be able to offer some inducement to distant brothers to come and give us the "once over."

PORTER T. WHITE, Scribe.

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