

THE SHIELD

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Albert	By Himself

SONGS

Act I.

"The Dear Old Gay Touraine".....	Estelle
Hymn	Salvation Army
"I'm Going to Live Anyhow Until I Die".....	Webspinner
"I Was Born in Honolulu".....	Spender
"Everybody Goes to Glory".....	Army and Converts

Act II.

"We Love Our Teacher.....	Converts
Finale	All

Lights and Properties.....	Junk-shop Mattison 06
Assistant Slave.....	Goodwin 08
Prompter	David Belasco
Dances by.....	Little Egypt
Jokes by.....	Methuselah
Make-ups by.....	Charmion & Bernhardt
Wigs from.....	Hairy Rothe, Jr.
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Hot Air by.....	Rammy

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3. Anyone discovering a singer must affiliate at once with—.
4. Anyone discovering a girl on the stage can have her.
5. Anyone discovering a joke must eat it.

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For while the eternal stars night's purple robe
Begem; while swings in space the pendent globe
Friendship must live! Ah may its impulse high
Still guide and guard the Theta Delta Chi.

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THETA DEUTERON RE-ESTABLISHED.

The Embassy appointed by the Grand Lodge of Theta Delta Chi for the establishment of the Theta Deuteron Charge of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, William Hollis Godfrey, Kappa '95, Fred Louis Carter, Iota '03, Frederick W. Fosdick, Mu Deuteron, '98, request the honor of the presence of a delegation of graduates and undergraduates from the

CHARGE OF THETA DELTA CHI

at 262 Newbury Street, Boston, Massachusetts, Saturday, June second, nineteen hundred and six. The Initiation will begin at half after three o'clock. The Initiation Spread will take place at seven o'clock.

Please reply to
William Hollis Godfrey
at 262 Newbury Street
on or before
May thirty-first.

The preceding invitation marked the close of the three-year struggle of the Theta Deuteron Charge for re-establishment, or to put it otherwise, it marked the ending of the effort

made by the men of Alpha Epsilon of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to become members of Theta Delta Chi. Before turning to the actual story of the installation and the re-establishment of the new charge it may be well to say a word about the past.

Alpha Epsilon started in the fall of 1903 at which time a few men in the Institute felt the need of fraternity organization. They were men who had the opportunity of entering other fraternities but who preferred to seek the possible future rather than the immediate present. From the very inception of the fraternity of Alpha Epsilon the unwritten determination was to become a part of Theta Delta Chi. The members of Alpha Epsilon first secured rooms in Roxbury, living there until the fall of the following year, 1904. An apartment was then obtained upon St. Botolph Street in Boston proper and the society began to take a prominent part as a local fraternity in the affairs of the Institute. In November a local committee of Theta Delts composed of Brother William Hollis Godfrey of Kappa and Brother Fred Louis Carter, Jr., of Iota, took a share in making the plans for the future. Alpha Epsilon during the year 1903 and 1904, rapidly grew in numbers, in power, and in influence in the Institute. The case of Alpha Epsilon had been presented orally to the convention held in the spring of 1904. The first petition, however, was not sent out until the spring of 1905.

Shortly after that came the time of unsettled conditions at the Institute brought about by the question of merging with Harvard University. As a result of this and other factors it seemed wisest for the fraternity not to admit the petitioners at that time. Without losing hope for a moment the local fraternity postponed any further discussion of the matter until conditions should become settled.

In the fall of 1905 it was determined that the Institute should remain by itself to go on and to work out its own future as an individual body. In consequence preparations were made to ac-

quaint the fraternity more thoroughly with the conditions existing at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and more especially with the fraternity life there with regard to a possible new charge of Theta Delta Chi. As a result letters were sent to the various charges. That same fall Alpha Epsilon determined to go into a house of its own, and so it took and furnished a house near the Institute in the Back Bay district of Boston, 53 Gloucester Street.

When the convention of glorious memory held in Boston in the latter part of February of the present year took place, a smoker was held at the Gloucester Street house at which a number of delegates were present. The conditions existing at the Institute were thoroughly discussed at the convention while the delegates all had an opportunity to meet the petitioners. A new petition was soon sent out and after receiving the affirmative votes of all the charges, credentials were issued to the embassy composed of the three men whose names are given above.

A month before the initiation it seemed wise to leave Gloucester street and take a much larger and better house at 262 Newbury Street, and there on June second in its own home a new star of the fraternity blazed forth in bright and sudden splendor. In the big smoking room of the house gathered delegates from all New England charges, with alumni representatives of the faculties of the colleges around as well as representative alumni in the professions and in business. The four neighboring charges, Iota, Kappa, Zeta, Lambda, all lent their heartiest assistance and large delegations of them were present. The initiation was conducted by the embassy with the assistance of Brother Ernest Parsons of Iota, Brother Ransom Pingree of Iota, Brother Dole of Kappa, Brother Squire of Zeta and Brother Gould of Lambda. Brother Spencer, president of the Grand Lodge, started the new charge upon its way with words which might stand as a constant inspiration to the whole fraternity. Twenty-two men were initiated into Theta Delta Chi. Their names, classes and addresses are:

MEN INITIATED INTO THETA DEUTERON JUNE SECOND.

Edward Earle Allen, Ex-1908, Lowenville, Mass.
 Henry Franklin Miller, 2nd, 1909, Wakefield, Mass.
 George Mitchell Henderson, 1906, North Roxbury, Mass.
 Guy Hall Ruggles, 1906, Reading, Mass.
 Shirley Andrew Mace, 1909, Lynn, Mass.
 John Theodore Tobin, 1908, Boston, Mass.
 Robert Howe, 1906, Marlborough, Mass.
 Stewart Clark Coey, 1906, Newark, New Jersey.
 John Mather, 1907, Lowell, Mass.
 Joseph Henry Brown, 1906, Charlestown, Mass.
 Charles Rollin Prichard, 1906, Lynn, Mass.
 Karl Willis Richards, 1907, West Newton, Mass.
 Burr Arthur Robinson, 1909, Buffalo, New York.
 Alfred Griffin Place, 1908, Woburn, Mass.
 Harry Lawrence Moody, 1907, Newburyport, Mass.
 Herbert Lawrence Williams, 1906, Newton, Mass.
 Llewellyn Dona Davenport, Ex-1907, Hanover, Mass.
 James Edwin Griffin, 1906, Newton, Mass.
 Oscar Henry Starkweather, 1907, Needham, Mass.
 Walter Dodge Davol, 1907, Charlestown, Mass.
 Clarence Ronald Lamont, Ex-1907, Malden, Mass.
 Francis Edward Drake, 1906, Columbus, Ohio.

At the close of the initiation a business meeting was held at which officers were chosen. A rousing supper, smoker and general good time followed. Speeches were made by the president of the Grand Lodge, by President Hamilton of Tufts College, by many alumni and undergraduates, and by members of the embassy. The quiet of the peaceful Back Bay district was invaded by such volumes of sound, of cheering and Theta Delta songs as to make everyone in the neighborhood aware that Theta Delta Chi had come in with all the enthusiasm which is one of its finest characteristics. A splendid set of fellows was initiated, men who will be an honor to the fraternity.

This autumn the fraternity has started in well, eighteen men are now in the charge distributed between the various classes. Best of all Theta Deuteron has started off free from debt. A

large proportion of the men are living in the house; all the men are eating in the house. They have plenty of college honors: the manager of the cross country team, the treasurer of the inter-collegiate cross country association, one man on the basket ball team, the manager of the track team, the captain of the track team, two men on the advisory council of athletics, seven men on the various teams, secretary of the freshman relay team, and several members of the best professional societies of the Institute.

Brother Nathan R. George of Iota is a member of the faculty of the Institute. An Alumni Association has been formed. A large though unofficial advisory council of Theta Deltas interested in the welfare of Theta Deuteron is found in the resident alumni.

The house at No. 262 Newbury Street is always open and every Theta Delt coming to Boston should make it a necessary part of his visit to come and see the new charge in its home.

H. H. C.

TABLET FOR BROTHER A. J. ABBE.

In Goddard Chapel, Tufts College, there recently took place the unveiling of the tablet to the memory of Brother Arthur James Abbe, Kappa, 06, who was so unfortunately drowned in the harbor at Marion, Massachusetts. It will be remembered that while at a house party at the summer home of Brother Edward A. Knowlton, Kappa 06, for over February 22, 1904, Brother Abbe set out for the Marion post office late in the day and was never seen alive after. After months of anxious search and after all hope of finding the body had been given up, it rose to the surface of the harbor.

The tablet was placed in the chapel by friends of Brother Abbe. It is simple but effective in design and bears the following inscription:

THE SHIELD

Arthur James Abbe,
Unfortunately Drowned
In Marion Harbor
February 22, 1904.
Class of 1906.

Brother Thomas Whittemore, Kappa 94, made the address at the unveiling and spoke as follows:

"It is a fine custom for linking the generations of our College family to write now and then a name upon the Chapel walls.

"You came here where your brothers came,
To the old school years ago,
You may not fancy yourself alone,
You who are memory's heir,
When even the names in the graven stone
Will greet you with, "Who goes there—you?—
Pass, friend, all's well.'"

"We have come into the Chapel this noon to set up on the wall yonder this little brass to the pleasant memory of Arthur Abbe. We do it now, while those who knew him best and saw him start out on his holiday are still here. What happened on that day no one knows. Those who returned, like the messenger in Oedipus, were unable to speak, and shaded their eyes from a sight so terrible.

"Abbe was one of the gayest, most companionable, and most serviceable of boys. What his mother and father said of him seemed to express the thought of all who knew him: 'Our dear boy's death is the only sorrow that he ever gave us.' The last time I saw him for a long talk was on a night early in February. It was snowing heavily. I was alone in my room reading Jack London's 'Call of the Wild,' and when he came in I read aloud that magnificent chapter on the dog and the master. It seemed to be a call to him, and as I think now of what he said, it was life he was asking for, and in a boy's way he wished for a long life and always to be young. God has given him a long life, even forever and ever, and for us he remains as he departed, ever young. With such

memories these walls become instinct with the life of youth—your youth passing here daily in an endless file. 'Grant them,' I find myself repeating as I see you pass out of Chapel morning by morning, 'grant them with feet so light to pass through life.' But who knows how? Who but these very fellows, Goodrich, and Dunham, and Abbe, and the rest who have gone the nearest way?"

THE RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF THE IOTA CHARGE IN 1892

I had planned to begin this sketch of the re-establishment of the Iota Charge by presenting a copy of the petition to the Grand Lodge, which has never been published and which finally lead to the re-entry of the fraternity at Harvard University. This petition was signed by the following men whose names are given here in the same order in which they appear on the charter granted June 8th, 1892: William Harrison Wiggin, Jr., 92; Perley Leonard Horne, 92; Bartlett Robbins Atwood, 94; George Purcell Costigan, Jr., 92; Edward Muzzey Moore, 92; Robert Etheridge Gregg, 93; William Cotton Damon, 92; Joseph William Carr, 93; Charles Harris Beckwith, 94. (See Shield Vol. 8, September, 1892, pages 357-361).

As this petition and also all the early records of Iota have been lost, the main purpose of this narrative is to record some of the events of the formative period prior to the granting of the charter before the happenings of that time pass from the memory of the graduates now living who were participants.

In the college year 1891-92 Keeler and Atwood were rooming together in room No. 5 in a small frame building known as Divinity House which stood in the rear of Divinity Hall. (See Shield Vol. 19, September 1903, page 315, obituary notice of Aaron Benedict Keeler). It was in their room that Carr, who was also living in Divinity House, broached the subject of establishing at Harvard a chapter of one of the college fraternities.

The credit for the original suggestion that finally lead to the re-establishment of Iota belongs, therefore, to Carr. Just why the name of Keeler, who figured thus early in the project, does not appear as one of the nine petitioners, I do not recall but he was one of the sixteen initiated June 8th at Young's hotel. Carr, Keeler and Atwood took the project to Horne and requested that he approach his friend Wiggin whom the other boys did not know well.

Carr, Keeler and Atwood had paid strict attention to college work and stood high in scholarship. Keeler was known as a ready and forceful debater in the Harvard Union of which he was Secretary and Treasurer. Horne and Wiggin were in the senior class, both had been given honorary executive positions by their class as Class Day Officers and both had been identified with various college activities. Beckwith was interested through his friend Atwood. Horne enlisted his roommate, Damon, and his friend. Moore, who already belonged to Pi Eta, a prominent local club. Costigan was boarding at a club table at Memorial Hall with Damon and Wiggin and was interested through them. He was an officer of the Harvard Union and one of the Debaters against Yale in the first joint debates. About this time Gregg became interested. He proved an important factor in the final result as his father, the Reverend David Gregg, Pi 69, was a man of conspicuous influence in the fraternity, and his allegiance had much weight with Seth P. Smith who had been an officer in his church when Dr. Gregg was pastor of the Park Street church, Boston.

It is interesting to note that the friendship of some of the original members was furthered by association at an eating club, known as the Foxcroft Club, which stood on the corner of Oxford and Kirkland streets where they had established a prescriptive right to a particularly pleasant table located in a bay window. Here all shop talk was prohibited but the boys no sooner reached the sidewalk than the subject of the fraternity was brought up. The site of this house is now occupied by a lecture hall.

A meeting was held in Wiggin's room, 14 Stoughton Hall, to make up a list of the college fraternities we would care to consider. Meetings continued to be held in the rooms of the different prospective members. Alpha Delta Phi, Delta Phi, Zeta Psi, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and Delta Upsilon were already represented in Harvard at least in name. With the exception of Delta Upsilon, none of these maintained a close relation to the fraternity of which they were a part. At the time of this writing, all, with the exception of Delta Upsilon, have severed their connection with the parent body although they all with the exception of Delta Kappa Epsilon still bear their fraternity names.

After considerable discussion of the relative merits of the fraternities not already represented, the matter was brought down to a choice, so far as we were concerned, between Theta Delta Chi and Psi Upsilon. Psi Upsilon had once had a chapter in Harvard but it had been extinct for many years. We learned that the officers of this fraternity regarded Harvard as the "Graveyard of fraternities" and were not disposed to consider favorably the matter of re-entry. We found a similar sentiment among the officers of Theta Delta Chi but as this charter had been surrendered only a few years previously we found in that fact a source of encouragement. As to the relative merits of these organizations we were not altogether in a position to pass judgment, but the fact that Theta Delta Chi had so recently had a Charge at Harvard, that several of our members had friends who were Theta Delts at other colleges, that this fraternity, while having as good a standing as any other, was also distinguished by the closeness of the tie which united its members—these were some of the considerations which influenced our decision. We resolved to petition the Theta Delta Chi fraternity and subsequent events proved that we decided more wisely than we knew.

One of our first moves was to call on the late Seth P. Smith, then President of The New England Association, to get posted more thoroughly on the situation and to secure his support. Smith was inclined to regard the proposition with disfavor at first; he did not believe a body of men could be gotten together

who would be acceptable, for, as he expressed it, he was afraid they would be too "sporty." He finally promised, however, that when certain conditions were fulfilled, to support and co-operate with us and from this time on he acted as a sort of godfather to the charge. Without his influence and active support it may be doubted if Iota would be in existence today and up to the time of his death he never lost his interest.

On the recommendation of Seth P. Smith we proceeded to form an organization, to elect officers, to secure club rooms and to exist as a local club. I do not remember the name given to this club but it had a name and my impression is that the officers elected were as follows: Wiggin, President; Horne, Vice-President; Atwood, Treasurer, and A. W. Carr, Secretary.

Our next move was to visit some of the active charges and to put the project before them with the purpose of securing their assistance. Wiggin and Gregg visited the charges of Zeta, Epsilon Deuteron, Pi Deuteron and Rho Deuteron; Horne visited the charges of Iota Deuteron, Mu Deuteron, Omicron Deuteron and Eta. Carr and Atwood and several others called upon Kappa and Lambda. I remember that we entertained the entire Kappa charge one evening in Gregg's room in Walter Hastings Hall. In all the charges visited not only pledges of support were secured but promises of active and enthusiastic co-operation.

While in New York Gregg and Wiggin stopped at Gregg's home in Brooklyn and were thus the means of bringing Dr. Gregg into close touch with the movement. They also called on prominent Theta Deltas residing in New York including Wm. L. Stone, Franklin Burge and Willis S. Paine.

Very material assistance was rendered us by several graduate Theta Deltas of other colleges who were connected in some way with Harvard. Among these should be mentioned H. D. Foster, Omicron Deuteron, who was in the graduate school, and W. R. Bigelow, Lambda, who was in the law school.

On the return of our delegates from their visits to the charges we rented the first floor of the middle house in the block of three houses on the corner of Massachusetts Avenue and Everett

Streets which is now numbered 1601 Massachusetts Avenue, but was then known as 38 North Avenue. This was the only available place we could find within striking distance of the college and it had to serve our purpose for the time being. We had formulated and forwarded our petition to the Grand Lodge and were now making ready to receive a visit from that body or its representatives.

After sending in our petition we continued to elect members to our local club up to the time of the granting of the charter and the initiation. In this manner we elected the following men whose names were not signed to the petition sent to the Grand Lodge and are not on that account mentioned in the charter: Arthur Morgan Day, 92; Samuel Starret Dearborn, 94; Aaron Benedict Keeler, 94; Ralph Hamilton Shepard, 92; Arthur Parker Stone, 93; Arthur Balcom Webber, 92, and Benjamin Arthur Whittemore, 92. These men were initiated with the others and, although not charter members in the strict acceptance of the term, may be considered, with the charter members, as founders.

The account of the initiation was given in *The Shield*, vol. 8. The entire matter of the re-establishment was in the hands of Seth P. Smith and the credit of effective co-operation with the petitioners belongs largely to him. Something of the spirit of the men initiated may be gathered from the fact that although nine of the sixteen men taken in were seniors leaving but seven active men to begin the year 1892-93 yet before the end of that year the charge had grown to a membership of thirty-five.

As the record of these petitioners and the others initiated with them was carefully scrutinized by the Grand Lodge, we might mention some of the activities with which they had been identified while in college.

CHARTER MEMBERS.

William Harrison Wiggin, Jr., 92; Class Day Officer, Chairman of the photographic committee, president of the Harvard Philosophical Club, founder and editor for three years of *The*

Harvard Portfolio (now known as The Harvard Senior Album) and now published by the senior class); founder and editor of The Harvard Club Book; editor two years of The Harvard Index (now known as The Harvard University Register); member of The Weld Boat Club; Harvard Religious Union; Y. M. C. A.

Perley Leonard Horne, 92; Class Day Officer, second member of the photographic committee; editor of The Harvard Portfolio; editor of The Harvard Index; president of the Y. M. C. A.; president Foxcroft Club (first president from the student body); vice-president of The Harvard International Law Club; member Harvard Philosophical Club, Harvard Religious Union, class football, lacrosse team.

Edward Muzzey Moore, 92; member Pi Eta, a prominent local club, Harvard Track Team, Member Harvard Union and Y. M. C. A.

Bartlett Robbins Atwood, 94; rowed on class crew and second Varsity crew; member Harvard Union, Harvard Total Abstinence League and Y. M. C. A.

George Purcell Costigan, Jr., 92; Secretary Harvard Union, member Harvard International Law Club, Harvard Philosophical Club, Western Club; Harvard Total Abstinence League, and Y. M. C. A., one of the debaters against Yale and one of the founders of the joint debates.

Robert Etheridge Gregg, 94; president two years of The Harvard Philosophical Club (the first time a president had been elected to succeed himself since the founding of the club in 1872); member Y. M. C. A.

William Cotton Damon; 92; president of The Harvard Total Abstinence League; member Harvard Union; recording secretary Y. M. C. A.

Joseph William Carr, 93; member Deutscher Verein, Harvard Religious Union, Y. M. C. A., secretary Harvard Total Abstinence League.

Charles Harris Beckwith, 94; editor Harvard Index; member Harvard International Law Club and Y. M. C. A.

Arthur Morgan Day, 92; member Harvard Philosophical Club, Harvard Union and Harvard International Law Club; president Harvard Connecticut Club.

Samuel Starret Dearborn, 94; claims to have been a member of no clubs and identified with no activities. The writer knows he is too modest.

Aaron Benedict Keeler, 94: Vice-president and treasurer of the Harvard Union; treasurer Y. M. C. A.; secretary and treasurer Harvard Connecticut Club; member Phi Beta Kappa, Harvard Philosophical Club, and Harvard Total Abstinence League.

Ralph Hamilton Shepard, 92: Member La Conference Francaise, Harvard Union, Harvard Religious Union, and Y. M. C. A. (At graduation one of the commencement speakers).

Arthur Parker Stone, 93: President and manager Harvard University Baseball Club; twice elected to class office and declined in both cases; twice elected to represent Harvard in joint debates against Yale; vice-president Civil Service Reform Club; member Hasty Pudding Club, Harvard Union.

Arthur Balcom Webber, 92: Member Harvard Natural History Society, Harvard Electrical Club, Harvard Union, Harvard Total Abstinence League and Y. M. C. A.

Benjamin Arthur Whittemore, 92: Member Harvard Philosophical Club, Y. M. C. A., Detur scholar.

Fortunately Horne kept a diary of some of the principal events of his college course and we are indebted to this diary for the following chronology:

Feb. 18, 1892—Meeting in Horne's room, 11 Stoughton Hall, about Theta Delta Chi. Feb. 23—Meeting in No. 11 Stroughton. March 5th—Meeting in No. 46 Hastings Hall with Gregg. March 14—Horne went to Williamstown; Williams boys held special meeting and all seemed favorable to the new Iota. (It was at about this time that Wiggin and Gregg started on their New York trip to interview the charges already referred to). March 15—Horne visited the Polytechnic Institute at Troy; boys were very favorable to the plan. March 16—A late meeting in Horne's room. March 17—We entertained Kappa in Gregg's

room, 46 Hastings Hall and had a spread followed by a meeting. March 18—Special committee on Theta Delta Chi met with Horne in the afternoon in Stoughton, No. 11. March 19—Meeting in Stoughton, No. 11, in the evening. March 21—Meeting in Gregg's room, No. 46 Hastings Hall. March 22—Meeting in Stoughton, No. 11, at 8 A. M., when several new members were voted in. March 23—We were at work on the petition. April 4—Meeting in Wiggin's room, No. 14 Stoughton. April 15—At this time we had moved into our Massachusetts Avenue home and Horne and Wiggin and some of the other boys spent the afternoon entertaining the president of the Grand Lodge and Kimball of Kappa who accompanied him. April 20—Meeting at our Massachusetts Avenue rooms. May 23—Horne and several of the boys met at the Massachusetts Avenue rooms; Wiggin went home sick on this day and from this time on was more or less out of the game. May 27—Meeting at the Massachusetts Avenue house; Seth Smith was present and gave us a good talk. June 4—Petition had been granted and we therefore elected officers for the next year. Wiggin was made the first Honorary President. June 8—We met at Young's Hotel at 3 P. M. where the initiation took place followed by the banquet in the evening at which seventy were present. June 14—Wiggin returned to Cambridge and was initiated at the Massachusetts Avenue house.

MODEL BY-LAWS FOR THETA DELTA CHI ASSOCIATION.

Subject to such modifications as the laws of the several states provide, the following By-Laws of the Theta Delta Chi Association of Williams College adopted this year will be found suggestive at least for the other charges.

ARTICLE I.—NAME.—The name of this corporation shall be Theta Delta Chi Association of Williams College.

ARTICLE II.—MEMBERSHIP.—Any graduate or undergraduate member of the Iota Deuteron Charge of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity, any person who has been regularly initiated into

said Charge or affiliated therewith under the rules of said fraternity, but who has left college before graduation, and any person who shall hereafter become a member of said Charge by initiation or affiliation according to the rules of said fraternity, shall, so long as he remains a member of said Charge in good and regular standing, be entitled to become and remain a member of this corporation, upon notifying the secretary or treasurer of the corporation of his desire to become a member thereof, and shall thereupon be enrolled as a member of this corporation.

Membership in this corporation shall continue until death or voluntary withdrawal unless sooner terminated by formal expulsion from said Charge under the rules of said fraternity. Such withdrawal shall be effected by notice in writing to the secretary or treasurer, and membership shall terminate upon receipt of such notice by such officer.

ARTICLE III.—DUES.—The annual dues payable by members of this corporation shall be two dollars, payable on or before the first day of March in each year. The payment of dues by members of said corporation who are in residence at any college or university as undergraduate students shall be optional with such members. In no case shall failure to pay dues terminate membership in this corporation or affect a member's right to vote.

ARTICLE IV.—OFFICERS.—The officers of this corporation shall consist of a president, a secretary and a treasurer, and a board of five trustees, who shall have the powers of directors. The president shall be a member of said board. All officers shall be members of this corporation and shall be graduates of said Charge or persons who have been initiated more than three years and are not resident undergraduates at any college or university.

ARTICLE V.—ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The incorporators at the first meeting of this corporation shall elect by ballot a board of five trustees, of whom one shall be elected to serve until the next annual meeting of said corporation; one shall be elected to serve until such first annual meeting and for the term of one year thereafter; one shall be elected to serve until such annual meeting and for the term of two years thereafter; one shall be

electd to serve until such annual meeting and for the term of three years thereafter; and one shall be electd to serve until such annual meeting and for the term of four years thereafter. The incorporators shall elect by ballot one of said board of trustees to be president of the corporation; and they shall also elect by ballot a secretary and treasurer, who may or may not be members of said board of trustees.

At the annual meeting of the corporation there shall be electd by ballot one trustee to serve for the term of five years in place of the trustee whose term shall have then expired; and in case of any vacancy in said board of trustees there shall be electd by ballot a new trustee to fill such vacancy for the period of the unexpired term. At the annual meeting a member of said board shall be electd by ballot to be president of the corporation; and a secretary and a treasurer, who may or may not be members of said board of trustees, shall be electd by ballot at such meeting.

Every officer of the corporation shall hold office until his successor is electd.

ARTICLE VI.—REMOVAL OF OFFICERS.—Any officer of said corporation may be removed by vote of the corporation at any meeting, provided that notice of such proposed action shall have been included in the notice of said meeting.

ARTICLE VII.—VACANCIES.—In case of a vacancy in any of the offices created by these by-laws, by death, resignation, removal or otherwise, the board of trustees may by majority vote appoint a person to fill such vacancy, who shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the corporation.

ARTICLE VIII.—BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—The trustees shall be electd from the members of this corporation. They shall have all the powers of directors of corporations organized under Chapter 125 of the Revised Laws of 1902 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, including the power to manage and dispose of all or any part of the personal property of the corporation; to lease, mortgage or bond any real estate which it may own, or to take leases of any real estate for the purpose of the corporation for a period not exceeding ten years; to purchase such furniture,

furnishings and other personal property as they may think advisable for the purposes of the corporation; to employ and remove agents for any purpose incidental to said purposes; to make all contracts and agreements in behalf of the corporation as they may think necessary or convenient for said purposes or for the welfare of said Charge or said fraternity; and, generally, to do all lawful acts and adopt all lawful measures, not inconsistent with these by-laws, which they shall consider best calculated to promote the interests of said Charge. They shall have control of the funds of the corporation, with full power to manage, invest and re-invest such funds, to collect the income thereof, and to expend the income or principal thereof, except as hereinafter provided, for any purpose consistent with the objects set forth in the agreement of association of the corporation. The trustees shall, however, be subject to such instructions or limitations, except as to the management or investment of corporate funds otherwise than in a chapter-house or site therefor, as the corporation may prescribe by vote at any regular or special meeting. Nothing herein contained shall affect in any way the management and control of the undergraduate activities of said Charge in its relations to the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity at large as an intercollegiate fraternity.

ARTICLE IX.—PRESIDENT.—The president shall be chairman of the board of trustees. He shall when present preside at all meetings of the board of trustees and of said corporation. At any meeting of the corporation, in the absence of the president, a temporary chairman shall be chosen by vote of the members present. At any meeting of the board of trustees at which the chairman shall be absent, a member of said board from the earliest college class represented at said meeting shall preside as chairman.

The president shall, with the treasurer, sign all contracts in writing involving the payment of money, except coupons on bonds or notes, and all deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds or promissory notes executed by the corporation, except when the trustees shall by majority vote designate some other member of the board of trustees for such purpose.

ARTICLE X.—SECRETARY AND CLERK.—The secretary may or may not be a member of the board of trustees. He shall keep a record of the members of said corporation and shall revise such record at least once in every year. He shall keep a record-book in which he shall record the votes and proceedings of the corporation. He shall notify the members of the corporation of all annual and special meetings of the corporation. If a member of the board of trustees he shall, and, if not, one of the members of said board who shall be chosen by said board as clerk, shall notify the trustees of all meetings of the trustees, as provided by these by-laws, and shall keep a record-book in which he shall record the proceedings of the board of trustees at each meeting of said board. The secretary shall send each person who shall be or become a member of said Charge, within three months after his initiation or affiliation, a printed copy of the certificate of incorporation and by-laws of this corporation; and shall perform such other duties as the trustees shall from time to time prescribe.

ARTICLE XI.—TREASURER.—The treasurer may or may not be a member of the board of trustees. He shall give a bond in such sum, not less than one thousand dollars, and with such sureties, as the trustees may require. He shall keep books of account in form satisfactory to the trustees, showing all receipts and disbursements. He shall have the custody of all moneys, stocks, bonds, obligations or other evidences of indebtedness, contracts, deeds of conveyance, mortgages, leases and other documents and papers belonging to the corporation, and of its corporate seal, and shall safely keep the same. He shall collect all dues, subscriptions and other moneys receivable by the corporation, and disburse the same pursuant to its contracts and obligations, or upon the order, as evidenced by vote, of the board of trustees or of the corporation. Together with the president or other officer designated for that purpose by the board of trustees, he shall sign all contracts in writing of the corporation involving the payment of money, and all deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds or promissory notes. He shall be the proper officer of the corporation to receive and accept any deed, mortgage, lease or any other

instrument of conveyance in behalf of the corporation, such acceptance having been previously authorized by vote of the corporation or of the trustees, and shall see that such deed or other instrument is duly and regularly recorded in the proper registry of deeds, if it is an instrument required by law to be so recorded. He shall have power to receive and hold any certificate of stock, bond, promissory note or other security or evidence of indebtedness in which the funds of the corporation may be invested, and may take such certificate or other instrument in the following form: "Theta Delta Chi Association of Williams College, by A. B., Treasurer." He shall have power to indorse, transfer and deliver any such instrument whenever the sale or other disposition thereof is properly authorized. He shall have power to open accounts with national or savings banks or trust companies, and to make deposits in the name of the corporation in the form above set forth. He shall execute and deliver in behalf of the corporation, under its corporate seal, such instruments not hereinbefore mentioned as shall be ordered by vote of the corporation or of the board of trustees; and shall perform such other duties as the trustees may from time to time require. His books shall at all reasonable times be open to the inspection of any member of the corporation. He shall make a report to the annual meeting of the corporation, which the board of trustees may order to be printed and distributed among the members.

The trustees shall annually appoint from the members of the corporation an auditor, who shall at the close of the fiscal year examine the books and accounts of the treasurer and make a report of such examination to the annual meeting of the corporation.

ARTICLE XII.—FISCAL YEAR.—The fiscal year of the corporation shall end on June 1 of each year.

ARTICLE XIII.—MEETINGS OF THE CORPORATION.—The annual meeting of said corporation shall be held in Williams-town, Massachusetts, at the chapter-house of said Charge, or at such other place as the secretary may appoint by order of the board of trustees, in June of each year, on the Monday evening

preceding the day fixed for the commencement exercises of Williams College. Such meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

Special meetings of the corporation may be called by the president or by a majority of the board of trustees, and shall be called by the secretary upon written application by ten graduate members, or other members of said corporation who have been initiated more than three years and are not resident undergraduates at any college or university.

ARTICLE XIV.—NOTICE OF MEETINGS.—Notice of all annual or special meetings, stating the time, place and purpose of the meeting, shall be given to each member of the corporation by mailing such notice, postpaid, addressed to him at his last known residence or place of business, by leaving such notice at his residence or place of business, or by personally delivering it to him, ten days at least before the time of such meeting. Notice of any meeting may be dispensed with as to any member by his written waiver of notice of such meeting. Such waiver shall be sent or delivered to the secretary, and noted by him upon the records of the meeting.

ARTICLE XV.—VOTING BY PROXY.—At any regular or special meeting of the corporation any member not an undergraduate student at any college or university may vote by proxy in writing appointing another such member with power to vote in his name, and executed by him within thirty days prior to such meeting. Such proxy may be general or restricted as to the voting powers conferred. The holder of a general proxy may vote for officers of the corporation in behalf of the person by whom it was given. At meetings of the board of trustees no voting by proxy shall be permitted.

ARTICLE XVI.—PROCEEDINGS OF THE CORPORATION BY RESOLUTION.—The corporation shall have the power to act by resolutions or questions submitted to the members and adopted or answered by them as hereinafter provided, and any such resolution or vote shall have the same force and effect as a vote of

the corporation passed by a majority of the members present at any annual or special meeting.

Upon vote of the trustees at any time the secretary shall submit to the members of the corporation any resolution or question upon which it appears desirable that a vote of the corporation be taken, by delivering in hand, or mailing postpaid, to each member at his last known residence or business address a statement of the measure or issue involved, and of the resolution or question upon which it is desired that a vote shall be taken, in such form, if practicable, that the resolution or question may be voted upon or answered by a reply of Yes or No. Such statement shall be accompanied by a request for a vote or answer in writing, to be sent to the secretary in time to be received by him on or before a certain date, which shall be not less than thirty days after the date of mailing such statement and request. If a majority of the replies received within the time specified be favorable, the resolution shall be considered to have been adopted, or the question determined, upon the last day named for receiving replies, otherwise it shall be considered rejected; provided that no resolution so submitted shall be considered adopted unless at least one-fourth of the members of said corporation shall have expressed in writing their assent thereto. The result of each vote so taken shall be entered by the secretary upon the records of the corporation, with the names of all members voting upon the matter submitted, and a statement of the way each voted.

ARTICLE XVII.—MEETINGS OF TRUSTEES.—Meetings of the board of trustees may be held at any time or place. They may be called by the president, the secretary or the clerk, and shall be so called on application to such officer by any member of said board.

ARTICLE XVIII.—NOTICE OF MEETINGS OF TRUSTEES.—The secretary or clerk shall give notice of each meeting of the board of trustees, by mailing written notice, stating the time and place of such meeting, to each of the trustees seven days at least before the time fixed therefor. Notice of any meeting of the trustees may be dispensed with as to any member of said board

by his written waiver. Such waiver shall be sent to the secretary or clerk and noted by him upon the records of the meeting.

ARTICLE XIX.—TRUSTEES' PROCEEDINGS BY RESOLUTION.—The board of trustees shall have power to act by resolutions submitted to the members of said board and adopted by them in the manner hereinafter provided, and such resolution shall have the same force and effect as a vote of the trustees passed by a majority of the members at any meeting.

Upon request of any two or more trustees or of the president, at any time, the secretary or clerk shall present to the members of the board of trustees successively a resolution, and if such resolution is signed by a majority of said board it shall be considered to have been adopted as of the date when the last trustee signing the same shall have affixed his signature thereto, and such resolution shall be entered by the secretary or clerk upon the minutes of said board of trustees, with the date of adoption thereof, and the names of all trustees signing the same and of all trustees disapproving or refusing to sign said resolution. But no resolution so submitted shall be considered adopted unless the secretary or clerk shall have served such proposed resolution or a copy thereof upon each trustee by personally presenting to him the same, or by mailing a copy thereof to him by registered mail and receiving an addressee's registry receipt therefor. The manner of giving such notice shall be noted by the secretary or clerk upon the records of the trustees.

ARTICLE XX.—QUORUM.—At any meeting of the members of the corporation, twelve members present in person, of whom at least seven shall be graduate members or other members who have been initiated more than three years and are not resident undergraduates at any college or university, shall constitute a quorum. At any meeting of the board of trustees, three trustees shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE XXI.—ADJOURNMENTS.—All meetings of the corporation of the board of trustees may be adjourned to any

other time or place, as may be decided by the members present, whether or not such members constitute a quorum, and it shall not be necessary to notify any members of such adjournment. Any business which might have been legally transacted at any meeting may be transacted without new notification at any adjourned session of such meeting.

ARTICLE XXII.—INVESTMENTS.—The funds of the corporation, upon vote of a majority of the board of trustees, shall from time to time be invested in such interest-bearing securities as may seem to them advisable. Such investments may from time to time be changed by the trustees in their discretion, as evidenced by a majority vote of said board. Any part or the whole of the funds of the corporation may be deposited with a savings bank, national bank or trust company in Massachusetts or elsewhere; but no part of the funds of the corporation in excess of five hundred dollars shall remain for a longer period than six months on deposit in any bank or trust company not paying interest upon the same at a rate greater than two per cent. unless expressly authorized by a unanimous vote of the board of trustees.

ARTICLE XXIII.—PURCHASE AND SALE OF REAL ESTATE. —No land or dwelling-house shall be purchased, or leased for a period of more than ten years, for present or future use as a chapter-house or site therefor, of said Iota Deuteron Charge, nor shall any real estate acquired for such purpose be sold, or leased for a period of more than ten years, except (1) upon vote of two-thirds of the members present at a regular or special meeting of the corporation, in the notice of which meeting the purchase, sale or leasing of such real estate, described in general terms, shall have been stated as a subject to be considered at such meeting; or (2) upon resolution approved by at least one-half of the members of the corporation, adopted in the method provided in Article XVI. This article shall not, however, limit the powers of the trustees to mortgage or bond the real estate of the corporation.

ARTICLE XXIV.—PUBLICATION OF CHARTER AND BY-LAWS.—A printed copy of the certificate of incorporation and of these by-laws shall be sent by the secretary by mail, postage prepaid, within three months after the date of incorporation, to each graduate member of said Charge at his last known residence or business address, and thereafter to every person initiated into or affiliated with said Charge, as provided in Article X.

ARTICLE XXV.—LIABILITY OF OFFICERS.—No trustee or other officer of the corporation shall be liable for the negligence or misconduct of any other of its officers, but only for his own personal wilful default or negligence.

ARTICLE XXVI.—SEAL.—A circular seal of the following description is hereby adopted as the corporate seal of the corporation: A circular metal die with a shield bearing the Greek letters Theta Delta Chi, and around the margin of the seal the words "Theta Delta Chi Association of Williams College."

ARTICLE XXVII.—AMENDMENTS.—These by-laws may be amended or repealed by vote of a majority of the members of the corporation present in person or by proxy at any annual or special meeting, provided that the nature of such proposed changes shall have been stated in general terms in the notice of such meeting; or they may be amended or repealed by resolution as provided in Article XVI.

PHI'S NEW HOME.

On June 18th, Phi opened her new house on College Hill at Easton. The event was celebrated by a reunion of Phi Alumni.

In the afternoon a reception was given and from four till six o'clock a continuous stream of guests poured through the hospitable doors of the new home of Phi, exchanging congratulations with the younger and older men and felicitating them on the progressive step.

Many members of the faculty including President Warfield were present and the leading ladies of the faculty and of Easton graced the occasion with their presence. All the other fraternities were also represented.

Of the Alumni, the "Old Guard" was on hand. Bro. Frank Stewart, just recovering from his recent illness, Bro. Clay W. Holmes, full of enthusiastic loyalty, Bro. Fullerton, ready to recall the past with all its delightful associations, and many others—their names are high on the roll of Theta Delta Chi.

The new Phi House is Colonial in style, and is constructed of red pressed brick. It is a credit to the Charge and a monument to the loyal generosity of the Phi Alumni.

President Warfield remarked that his only objection to the building was that it was so beautiful he feared other fraternities might feel discouraged in their attempts to build and not build at all.

In the early evening when the brothers were together occurred a love feast, full of "heart to heart" talks to the younger men by the "Fathers in Israel."

At ten o'clock seventy-five Theta Deltas sat down to a splendid repast, after which came speeches that will long last in the memory of the Phi.

Bro. Fullerton was toastmaster, and at his right sat the President of the Grand Lodge, Bro. George H. Spencer of Lambda. At his left, Brother Pardee, Markell and Holmes. Among others were the well known and beloved Brothers Chamberlain, Keigwin, Honness, Jones, Albertson, Seymour, Weisley, Griggs, Evans, Hay—and all the others whom the fraternity recalls when Phi is mentioned. The Treasurer of the Grand Lodge, Bro. Charles A. Stewart of Rho-Deuteron, was also present.

Brother Holmes presented the charge with an historic book closely connected with the older men. Bro. Keigwin made the rooms ring and the hearts thrill with his fraternal appeal. Bros. Pardee and Markell could not be induced to stand and deliver, but they were heard from at the round-table talks, in spite of their modesty. Brother Stewart was unable to attend the banquet. If he had been there he would have blushed to hear what was said in tribute to his heart of gold. The President of the Grand Lodge gave an uplifting address well suited to the occasion and full of the manhood of the man.

It was long after midnight when the reunion proper came to an end; it was long after two when the singing of fraternity songs, with Bro. Chamberlain as pianist, ceased to ring out in the still air; it was sunrise when the last brother said good night, and gave a final toast to Theta Delta Chi.

DANIEL NEWTON LOCKWOOD.

A distinguished citizen, a true American and a loyal Theta Delt passed away in the death of Brother Daniel N. Lockwood at Buffalo, June 1, 1906.

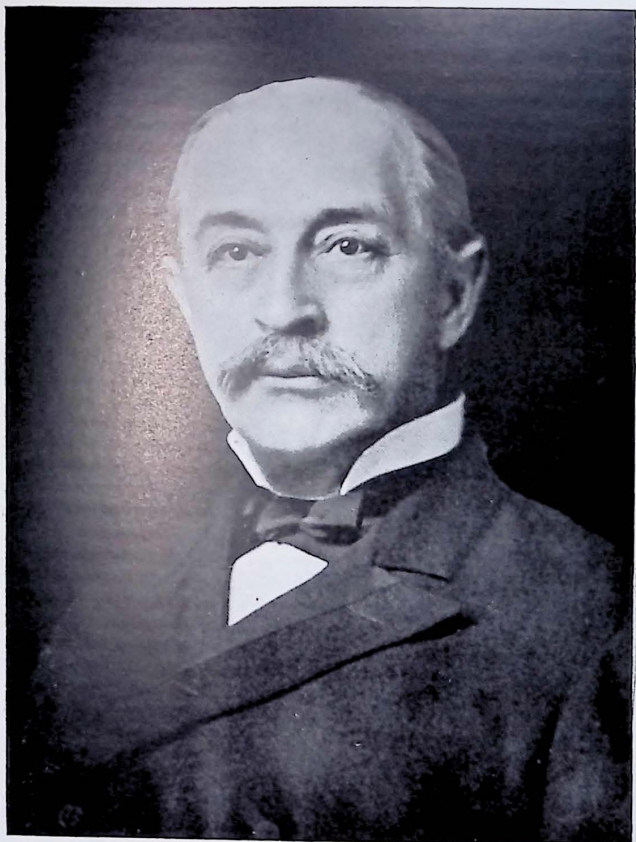
Attendants at old time conventions and recent banquets will remember his splendid physique, rugged face and the geniality of his temper. The news of his death will be most unwelcome to the fraternity brothers scattered far and near.

He was an enthusiastic Theta Delt and never failed to give every brother, as the editor of the SHIELD can testify, a hearty fraternal grip whenever business or love of a good story drew them to Brother Lockwood's office. Associated with him in close relationship for many years and the sole survivor of the celebrated firm of Humphrey, Lockwood and Hoyt was Brother William B. Hoyt, Beta 80, and the two made a splendid team as lawyers and good fellows.

Brother Lockwood was forced to bed in the spring as the result of a trouble with a toe which later developed a gangrenous condition. To stay the affection his left foot was amputated, but the gangrene advanced and in April his leg was taken off at the knee. Then his fight for life began, but it was a struggle against great odds, and slowly, but surely, he lost ground, his powerful constitution gradually giving way, until his vitality exhausted, his stubborn contest ended just as the summer began with June.

He was born in the town of Hamburg, Erie county, on June 1, 1844. He was just 62 years old at his death. He had a national reputation as a lawyer, legislator, public official, political leader and orator. As a politician, he was of a high order. As a lawyer, he was of great acumen and deep learning. As a legislator, he was of broad perception and comprehension. Moreover, he was a shrewd man of affairs. He long held an honorable and prominent position at the bar of the eighth judicial district and among the public men of the state and nation.

As a boy in a country town, young Lockwood had none of the advantages of wealth or opportunities for his education such as are at hand today. He lost his father at an early age, but his ambition and determination were such that he obtained a common-school education under many difficulties and finally went to Union College at Schenectady, where he became a member of the Alpha charge of Theta Delta Chi. He bore the reputation of being a good student in college and with his class was graduated in 1865.



HON. DANIEL NEWTON LOCKWOOD
Alpha 1865. Omega 1906

The Editor of the SHIELD, several years ago was engaged in digging among the Alpha archives and recalls discovering one fact of interest in connection with Brother Lockwood. As he recalls, it was Brother Lockwood, then an undergraduate of Alpha who led the movement for a closer union of the various charges and who induced Alpha to adopt a system of inter-Charge correspondence, which later was so systematically developed. The Fraternity owes much to Brother Lockwood for this, as for many other good things which his loyalty suggested.

Very early in life the law had an attraction for him. With the college through with, he turned to the bar as his life's work.

In the many years that he practiced his profession, he won many notable suits, the importance of some of the victories gained by him in court being noticed nationally. His full measure of success in his profession amply shows what a conscientious counselor and what an able and convincing advocate he was.

He had a remarkable public career. The mere recital of some of the offices that he filled with credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituency is imposing. He was District Attorney of Erie County in 1874-5; a member of Congress in 1877-8-9, 1891-2-3-4-5; delegate to the Democratic national conventions of 1880 and 1884; nominated Grover Cleveland for Mayor of the city of Buffalo, Governor of the state of New York and President of the United States.

He was appointed by President Cleveland in 1886 as the United States District Attorney for the northern district of New York, but resigned after serving three years. In 1903, he was appointed a member of the state lunacy commission and was reappointed as its president only last year.

Brother Lockwood had many points of attraction in his character and none of them was brought out more clearly than when he was active in politics and particularly when a candidate before the people for election to office. He liked the people. His inclination was to be social, to be friendly, and he was interested by his temperament and nature in other people. That made it comparatively easy for him to make a great campaign, when to his native disposition was added large experience of men and a good knowledge of human nature.

When Brother Lockwood would go down into the country during a Congressional campaign if he saw a man passing the little village in which he might be at the moment, who was new to him, he immediately inquired about him, got his name and his business, if he were of the neighborhood, and got him placed so that when he

afterwards met him it was on the basis of an acquaintance, practically, and he was able at once to enter into the interest of such person.

When a farmer came to town and met Brother Lockwood he had just as cordial a greeting and just as much attention as if Lockwood himself had met the farmer down in the country, and was in search of his vote. This was not based upon self-interest so much as on a liking for people and an interest in their affairs. He was by nature hospitable and he liked to show his constituents such little attentions as bind men to one another in campaigns.

This faculty of being a first-class mixer without loss of dignity, without resort to buffoonery of any kind, but as a simple expression of a bluff, hearty man and one who was also of such character and talents as to be at home with the best and smartest of society people made him one of the strongest of men in a political contest.

Brother Lockwood's strength in politics lay, first, in his unassailable honesty, then in his solidly grounded convictions and finally in his sheer mental strength. He had the courage of a man of intellect to whom political place is a field for serving his country, rather than a method of getting a living. He was a Democrat by conviction. It was dyed in the wool with him. He idealized his party, as Jefferson did, and it was the sum of political excellence to him in its theories as he held them and in its principles as he insisted that they were in their essence.

Brother Lockwood was a speaker who so quickly warmed up to his theme and handled it with so much vigor that no audience could ever get away from him. He said things, and said them at express speed when he got in motion. One of the last of his shorter speeches was delivered at a meeting of the Lawyers' Club in the Hotel Genesee on the occasion of the eulogy then delivered on the late Speaker Reed by a gentleman from Maine. When the address of the evening had been delivered Attorney Lockwood spoke for 20 minutes, and it must be admitted that he gave a more characteristic and animated idea of Tom Reed in those minutes than the other speaker gave in his long and studied effort. It was remarked then that Brother Lockwood had seldom spoken with more of his natural fire and humor and eloquence than in that jewel of an impromptu talk.

A close friend recently said of him, and it will sum up what he was, and what our memory shall continue to consider him:

"In all of the relations of life, as a citizen, as a member of Congress, as a public official, as a practicing lawyer and as a friend, Dan Lockwood was a strong, able and splendid character."



E D I T O R I A L S

DUNCAN C. LEE - - - - - EDITOR

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John Hay still lives. Every week one's attention is called to the fact that the influence of this great Theta Delt abides. His principles still obtain in diplomacy; his work for humanity finds new justification as it monthly receives new recognition; every gathering of Theta Deltas is warmed by new tales of his fraternal thought and masterful spirit; while in hundreds of thousands of American homes the long winter nights will be richly spent in reading the new editions of his works. During the summer months we have noted the following sequels to his life story:

THE JOHN HAY MEMORIAL LIBRARY.

The alumni of Brown University have raised \$150,000 to supplement a like sum given by Andrew Carnegie for the purpose of erecting on the Brown Campus the "John Hay Memorial Library." It is fitting that the large part of the funds necessary for this purpose should be given by a citizen of the great empire with which John Hay's efforts made America a sympathetic ally. No one knew better than Andrew Carnegie what John Hay had done for the Anglo-Saxon peoples, and with customary whole-hearted spirit he made his gifts perpetuate the name of his friend rather than bear the name of the donor. The John Hay Memorial Library will stand as a lasting monument to one of America's greatest statesmen, but the Brother whom we as Theta Deltas knew

and loved will need no such monument to perpetuate his memory. He is enshrined in our hearts. We will pass down to succeeding generations the story of his greatness and his brotherliness.

JOHN HAY, THE PEACEMAKER.

Before the students of the University of St. Andrew's, Scotland, Andrew Carnegie, as Rector, gave an address last year on international peace, which has recently been printed under the title "A League of Peace" and is being widely distributed. The interesting fact about this tract, aside from its value in connection with the international movement for peace, is that Mr. Carnegie places Bro. John Hay in a foremost place among those who have brought peace between the nations and so naturally advanced civilization. In the long introduction which precedes the argument he quotes from the Greek authors and from Sallust, Cicero, Seneca and Plutarch. Among the moderns Bro. John Hay's name, influence and writings are ranked equal in authority with those of Gibbon and Hume, and Clarendon, and surpassing those of any other American.

It is a source of pride to all Theta Deltas that once John Hay knelt at the altar of Theta Delta Chi and followed the leading of the "Divinity" silently yet faithfully through all his life. We cannot but feel that what he was, Theta Delta Chi helped him to become.

THE JOHN HAY ENDOWMENT FUND.

From Cleveland comes another announcement telling the same tale of the permeating influence of this great man. At the commencement exercises of Western Reserve University it was announced that Mr. Samuel Mather of Cleveland, a brother-in-law of the late Secretary of State, had given \$100,000 to Adelbert College, of the University, as an endowment fund, to bear the name of the "John Hay Endowment." No further announcement regarding the uses of the endowment has reached us.

"ADDRESSES OF JOHN HAY.

The Century Company has in press "The Addresses of John Hay" which will be issued before Christmas. This collection will be complete, including the political and literary addresses

of one whose English style will be studied as standard for generations to come. The "Addresses" will be handsomely bound.

MARK TWAIN'S DEBT TO BROTHER HAY.

In the September *Harper's Magazine* Mark Twain concludes his interesting story, "A Horse's Tale," in which he makes acknowledgment of his debt to Bro. John Hay's "Castilian Days." He confesses to have borrowed his account of the bull fight in the "Horse's Tale" from Bro. Hay's work.

ANOTHER TRIBUTE TO BROTHER HAY.

The Brown Alumni Association of Maryland and the District of Columbia has placed the following resolution on its minutes:

"The Brown Alumni Association of Maryland and the District of Columbia was greatly honored in having John Hay as its president for four years. At this, their first meeting since his death, the members of the association desire to give formal expression to their profound sense of grief at his loss, their enduring pride in him as a fellow alumnus and their high appreciation of his services to his country and to the world. They rejoice in the knowledge that a new library building, bearing his name, is to be erected at Brown, since they believe that no more fitting memorial could be raised to him. He was first and always a man of letters, a lover and reader of books, with a rarely equalled knowledge of all that is best in the world's literature. He was preeminently the intellectual man, the embodiment of the things of the spirit. No son of Brown has brought higher honor to his Alma Mater or won greater credit for her academic scholarship. His name over the doorway of her library will be an inspiration to ambitious youth in the university for all time to come.

"No less inspiring is the record of his public services, which made for the peace of nations and the welfare of mankind. In him development as a man of letters went hand in hand with development as a statesman. He was from early manhood till death literally a "scholar in politics," and his achievements in

the field of international affairs placed him in the first rank of the diplomats of the world. Brown University places his name on the list of her graduates side by side with that of Henry Wheaton and is proud and grateful that she can claim the credit of two such worthy sons.

"In private and in public life the character of John Hay was unassailed and unassailable. The tongue of calumny was dumb in his presence. Accomplished scholar, brilliant author, sagacious statesman, great diplomat, Christian gentleman—history will write his name high on the roll of men whom he designated, in his beautiful tribute to McKinley, as those "through whose efforts and struggles the world is helped onward and humanity moves to a higher level and a brighter day."

(Signed)

JOSEPH BUCKLIN BISHOP,

J. C. MONAGHAN,

WILLIAM ADAMS SLADE,

For the Association.

JOHN HAY MEMORIAL WINDOW.

In recognition of Brother Hay's services in behalf of the unfortunate Jews at Kishineff, Russia, and in recognition of his efforts to prevent Jews from being discriminated against in any way, the Jews of Philadelphia are about to honor his memory in an unusual and noteworthy way. On December 2nd, the Keneseth Israel Congregation will dedicate in its synagogue a window to the memory of John Hay. This is the first instance, we are informed, where a non-Jew has been honored by the installation of any sort of memorial in a Jewish house of worship.

BROTHER HAY MARSHAL FIELD'S CHOICE FOR PRESIDENT.

In the *National Magazine* for September Joe Mitchell Chappie tells of an interview with Brother Hay which again reveals to us the beautiful spirit of the man, inspired to service but free of all inordinate ambition.

"Once in talking with Marshall Field," says Chappie, "the great merchant of Chicago, he told me that his preference and choice for President was none other than John Hay. I asked

him if it might be my privilege to convey that information to Mr. Hay. He said that I was at liberty to do so.

"I wish that I could picture the modest way in which the Secretary received this great compliment from the celebrated merchant, for the little incident speaks of the sterling qualities of John Hay's character. There was none of that affected modesty which is sometimes seen in the political maneuverer. He replied in that mellifluous voice so resonant with earnest candor: 'We never are too old to be sensible of the kindly appreciation of our fellow men. As for Presidential ambitions, I never possessed them even in the slightest degree, for I knew beyond all doubt that I could not hold that position. But to have the consideration and appreciation of my fellow citizens, even in such a remote connection, is indeed gratifying.'"

The effort of representatives of some Western Universities to organize a new Greek Letter fraternity to be composed of those who have acquitted themselves creditably in oratory and debate at intercollegiate contests, is not likely to amount to much. Too many old line fraternity men are now active in public speaking work to expect that a new frat could offer them much attraction. The bond of union is too narrow for a new fraternity to thrive on. It could not be more than an honorary society at best.

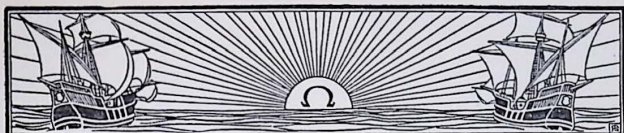
There is need perhaps of an organization of national standing to stimulate oratory and debate, yet of this there may be much question; but of a fraternity of debaters and orators only,—heavens! who feels any need? If one could drop in upon any good fraternity of a Sunday evening and could hear the discussions going on there weekly on topics from philosophy to politics, from statecraft to sex, one would think such a frat was already in existence, and all its members were prize-winners.

The first fraternity club building to be erected and owned by any fraternity club, in America, it is said, is the new Alpha

Delta Phi House at 136-138 West Forty-fourth street, New York, which is now nearly completed. The club building will cost about \$265,000, and will be eight stories high. Two of the floors will be used for club purposes and the remaining six for rooms and apartments for members, of which there will be fifty-seven. Every member of the Theta Delt Graduate Club who reads this will at once begin to dream dreams.

The Delta Upsilon Fraternity has one plan of organization which will commend itself, we are certain, to other fraternities as soon as they know of it. It is nothing more or less than District Conferences of nearby chapters for the purpose of promoting better fellowship, and, particularly, to discuss calmly and fully the needs of the various chapters of that locality. This is quite impossible at the National Convention. The first experiment by Delta Upsilon seems to have been successful and it is being carried out in different sections. As we understand the plan of the Delta U's, they send delegates from the chapters instead of securing volunteers. Their expenses are paid. The results are—better and more accurate information, more serious study of methods and new zeal for the frat. This strikes us as being just what Theta Delta Chi needs to supplement the graduate association dinners. We could have one conference in New England, another in New York, another in the middle west and a fourth on the Pacific coast. Only by trying could we tell whether Theta Delta Chi would gain much by such a system.

"I will be glad to send you something for every issue." That is the sort of letters the editor likes to get. It tells of an abiding interest, of a feeling of responsibility, of a willingness to share what must become a burden to one unless many lift together. Just as soon as you read this number sit down and send the editor suggestions and personals, all you can think of. Write on one side of the paper and follow the style now in vogue.



I N M E M O R I A M

CHARLES H. BALDWIN.

Phi, 1870

Omega, July 17, 1906

On Tuesday morning July 17, Brother Charles H. Baldwin of the Old Phi entered the portals of Omega. For a number of years he was one of the managers of the Elmira Advertiser and closely associated with Brother Clay W. Holmes in that enterprise. It was truly said of him that he held a place in the affections of all by reason of his uniform kindness and courtesy. "He was never too tired, nor too worried to stop and help an associate over a rough place. He was a man—true blue. No higher tribute could be paid to any man than this—'He was faithful.'"

Brother Baldwin had been in ill health for the past few months, but had been confined to his home only for about three weeks.

The "Advertiser" publishes this tribute of praise and worth:

"Charles Baldwin was a man among men. He was loved by all who knew him, and was valued as a man of sterling worth and honesty. Cheerful under adversity, modest in success, he was one who made and kept friends wherever he went. During the past months when in ill health, not a word of complaint has escaped his lips, and he has appeared as cheerful as it is possible for any man to be. A host of friends unite in extending their sympathy to his stricken family."

HENRY C. BROCKMEYER.

Zeta, 1855

Omega, July 26, 1906

Brother H. C. Brockmeyer of the old Zeta, former Lieutenant-Governor of Missouri and at one time acting Governor, died at St. Luke's hospital in St. Louis on the morning of July 26. He underwent an operation the week previous and did not rally, having been ill so long that his vitality had become practically exhausted.

Mr. Brockmeyer was a nephew of the "Iron Chancellor," Prince Otto Eduard Leopold von Bismarck, on his mother's side. He was

born August 12, 1826, near Minden, Prussia. He came to this country at the age of 18, his first occupation being that of a bootblack in New York city. His education was received in the college at Georgetown, Ky., and at Brown University, Providence, R. I. In 1875 he was Democratic Lieutenant-Governor. From 1876 to 1877, during the illness of Governor John S. Fox, he was acting Governor. In the latter capacity he attracted considerable attention by pardoning "Dick" Little, a convicted member of the Jesse James robber band. He was an ardent debater with Carl Schurz during the "Crisis of '73" and was an elector at large on the Cleveland ticket of 1884. He was a loyal member of the fraternity.

FRANCIS H. SAYLOR.

Delta, 1867

Omega, 1906

RALPH H. BRANDRETH.

Xi, 1882

Omega, 1906

Gen. Ralph Brandreth, the organizer, and for many years commodore, of the Ossining Yacht Club, is dead at his home in Bellport, L. I., after an illness of several weeks. He was 46 years old and was born in Ossining, where he was prominent in public affairs and an active worker in Democratic politics. He was commissioned a Brigadier-General on the staff of David B. Hill when the latter was Governor of the State. At the time of his death, Gen. Brandreth was vice-president and general manager of the Allcock Manufacturing Company.

JOHN H. WEISS.

Pi, 1863

Omega, Nov. 22, 1905

WILLIAM BERKELEY LAWRENCE.

Epsilon, 1904

Omega, 1906

WHEREAS, It has pleased our most merciful Heavenly Father in his infinite wisdom, to take from us our esteemed and beloved brother, William Berkeley Lawrence, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, his brothers in Theta Delta Chi, while bowing in humble submission to the All-wise will of God, do deeply lament the death of one whom we knew as a pure and upright man, a faithful student, a true and loyal Theta Delt.

RESOLVED, secondly, That in his death we, of Epsilon Charge, recognize that we have lost a friend of sterling worth, Theta Delta Chi has lost a faithful member, one who bade fair to be an honor and an ornament to the Fraternity, and whose name was symbolic of honor and purity.

RESOLVED, thirdly, That we, of Epsilon, desire to extend to his bereaved family and friends our most heartfelt sympathy, and to assure them that their loss is our loss, and their grief our grief.

RESOLVED, further, That copies of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased; to the SHIELD of Theta Delta Chi for publication and that they be spread upon the minutes of the Charge.

For Epsilon,

HENRY H. MARSDEN, '08,

EMMET B. FAISON, '07,

SELDEN R. WARNER, '08.

RANDOLPH BLODGETT SEYMOUR.

Psi, 1884

Omega, June 8, 1906

Randolph Blodgett Seymour, class of '84, died at the Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, N. Y., on Friday afternoon, June 8th. Bro. Seymour was born in Cortland, N. Y., March 24, 1862. After graduating from college he taught for several years, finally engaging in the management of business colleges at Detroit, Mich., Kansas City, Mo., Birmingham, Ala., and Springfield, Ill.

While at Birmingham, ten years ago, he contracted typhoid fever, which affected his spine and left him a great sufferer. Tuberculosis of the intestines set in as an after effect, and this finally caused his death. At his funeral which was held on Saturday afternoon, Bro. Dr. W. W. Dawley, Psi, of Central Baptist Church, officiated, and read the beautiful ritual of his beloved Fraternity, amidst a dozen local Theta Deltas and a delegation from Psi. The remains were taken to Cortland, N. Y., on Sunday and interred in the family lot at that place.

*THE SHIELD***ROBERT BLAINE PURCELL.**

Chi Deuteron, 1908
 Omega, June 24, 1906

Chi Deuteron charge suffered a severe loss in the death of Brother Robert Blaine Purcell, June 24. He was drowned in the Potomac river, the body not being recovered for several days.

The funeral took place at Lovettsville, Loudoun County, Virginia, his former home, to which place a delegation of eight of the Chi Deuteron brothers went and conducted the regular services.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in his infinite wisdom, to call unto Himself our dearly beloved brother, Robert B. Purcell, 1908, and

WHEREAS, in his death, Chi Deuteron has lost one of her most loyal and devoted members, a brother beloved and honored for his integrity of character and unswerving faithfulness; and as we desire to pay our tribute of respect and love to his memory, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of Chi Deuteron Charge, who, with all who knew him, suffer a keen sense of bereavement at our irreparable loss, record our deep grief and make known our deep sorrow at his untimely death, and be it further

RESOLVED, That in token of our heartfelt sympathy, copies of these resolutions be sent to his family, to the SHIELD for publication, and that they be spread upon the minutes of the Charge.

For the Chi Deuteron Charge,

GELTNER SCHOENFELD,
 Secretary.

WALTER M. GILBERT,
 President.

JAMES P. DICKSON.

Phi, 1871
 Omega, 1906

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, in his infinite love and wisdom to call unto himself our dearly beloved brother, James P. Dickson, of the class of 1871, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Phi Charge of Theta Delta Chi, extend to the many who suffer affliction in his death, our sincerest sympathy, and be it further

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be sent to his family, to the SHIELD for publication and that they be entered upon the records of the Charge.

For the Phi Charge,

WALTER F. EVANS.
 E. RAYMOND DOWD.



CHARGE LETTERS

SPECIAL LETTERS.

KAPPA—Tufts College.

To all her sister charges Kappa sends the greetings of the season and the hope that they may meet with unbounded success during the coming year.

The Commencement season at Tufts was one of the most enjoyable that has yet fallen to the lot of this young college. It was the first at which our new president, Brother Frederick W. Hamilton '80 has presided.

Class day, June 15, dawned bright and clear, an ideal day for the exercises of the class of 1906. The Hill was in gala array, and early in the day the throngs of visitors began to arrive from town. The exercises proper began at 9 o'clock in the morning when the Seniors attended their last chapel. Doctor Edward Cortland Bolles, college chaplain and head of the department of history, presided, and his words were full of the deepest meaning for the Seniors.

At 11 o'clock there took place the regular chapel exercises of the day. Brother E. A. Knowlton, president of the Senior class, welcomed the visitors and introduced the speakers in their turn. George Stewart Miller of Andover delivered the oration. His subject was "The Abuse of the Right of Petition."

Dinner was served in the Goddard gymnasium at 1 o'clock.

At 2 o'clock the Tree Exercises were held in the amphitheatre, which had been used for the production of "Old Fortunatus," and not under the old tree in front of the chapel, as has been the custom in more recent years. Brother Knowlton again had charge of the exercises. Fred Ross Mackenzie delivered the oration, and his subject was "Principle." The history was read by Henry Blake Hanscom, and after the singing of several Tufts songs, the Senior Marshal, Norval Edmund Lamb, made the presentations to the various classes. After cheers by the classes and the singing of

"Dear Alma Mater," the Seniors and Sophomores cheered the buildings.

Kappa held her annual spread at the fraternity house on Packard avenue. About 200 persons attended. The affair was a decided success, and the decorations of the house were the most pleasing ever seen on the Hill.

At 6:30 o'clock Brother Charles Anthony 02 gave a private spread at his home on Professors' row to the members of Kappa charge.

The Glee Club concert on the steps of the Barnum Museum was probably the most enjoyable concert ever given on Class Day, and the dance in the Gymnasium which followed it was all that could be desired.

On Sunday, June 17, President Hamilton preached the baccalaureate sermon in the chapel. He chose as his text, "Can ye not discern the signs of the times?" and for general excellence he excelled in every particular.

On Monday came the Phi Beta Kappa initiation, and on Tuesday Dr. Hamilton was inaugurated the fourth President of Tufts College. His inaugural address, besides ably setting forth the policy of the new administration, was a literary product worthy of careful study.

Wednesday was commencement day, and the fine weather which prevailed made it possible for an unusually large number to attend the exercises. The Chapel was packed to the doors, and at the entrance of the academic procession it was found difficult to open a passageway. The exercises opened with prayer by the Rev. Dr. Bolles, and Clarence Edwin Cousins then delivered an oration on "Montaigne as a Modern Man." Other orations followed. After the Commencement parts had been delivered, President Hamilton conferred degrees upon 266 candidates. There were no honorary degrees.

The dinner which followed was notable because of speeches by President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard, Thomas Wentworth Higginson and others. President Hamilton presided, and announced gifts to the amount of \$150,000.

The reception to the newly inaugurated President took place in Metcalf hall at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and that concluded the Fifty-first Annual Commencement of Tufts College.

MU DEUTERON—Amherst College.

Nineteen hundred and six Commencement at Amherst was met with the usual success which this long-looked-for event brings about, and good-fellowship reigned supreme, June 26 and Commencement day terminating with the Senior Prom on the day following. Classes holding reunions this year were 56, 61, 66, 71, 76, 81, 86, 91, 96, 00 and 03.

The Alumni brothers commenced to roll in Saturday night and Sunday, and a goodly number there were considering the large number back last year at the twelfth anniversary of the founding of the charge. Tuesday noon a luncheon was served at the house, and in the evening the annual banquet, a most enjoyable event. Brother Kane 06 acted as toastmaster. Brother Bryant 02 responded for the Alumni, Brother Philips 86 spoke on "The New House," Brother Atwood 06 on "Our Future," and Brother Hale 05, "Just Out of College." Brothers Withermore 96, Bullock 99, Pratt 00 and Porter 96 were also called on for remarks. Among the other Alumni brothers present were Avery 91, Juny 96, Young 86, Hopkins 85, Kidder 97, Russell 96, Jewett 96, Adams 96, Wright 99, Clapp 00, Neill 05 and Whitney 05, besides the brothers of the class of 1906.

The charge house at Amherst will be "open house" again to each and every brother after September 20th or a week earlier. Mu Deuteron extends best wishes for a most prosperous rushing season to all her sister charges.

GILBERT W. BENEDICT.

NU DEUTERON—Lehigh University.

The commencement exercises of the class of 1906 were voted by all who saw them among the best ever seen at Lehigh. Nature was particularly considerate and favored the gala season with the best of weather.

A large and enthusiastic alumni delegation was back for Commencement, and of particular interest were the reunions of the classes of 76, 86 and 96. The class of 96 especially was back in force, and not a few of the "grads" with their wives and families.

Commencement Week opened with "Calculus Cremation" Saturday night, June 9, while the functions of Baccalaureate Sunday, Class Day, Alumni Day, and finally University Day, followed in order, including the June hop, President's reception and Alumni reception. At this time we had the pleasure of visits from Brothers Dufour 96, Homer 99, Heim 02 and Parsons 02.

When college opens in September Nu Deuteron expects to have ten brothers back ready to take up the work of the coming year. With these brothers at hand, the "rushing" season should prove exceptionally successful. The privilege of pledging and initiating freshmen, which for the past few years was forbidden by the faculty until January, will be allowed from the opening of college this year. A large freshman class is expected to enter this fall, and the number of men in college will undoubtedly overreach the 700 mark.

Brother Schlaimpf 09 is making a tour of Europe this summer. We don't expect to have him with us until a few weeks after the term begins.

Our pet bull dog, "Trouble"—and he has well earned his name among the canine element—is spending a quiet summer in Titusville, Pa., where Brother "Mandy" Mandall is preparing him for the strenuous life of the coming term. "Trouble" was presented to us by Brother Andy Farabaugh '04.

Nu Deuteron extends her heartiest wishes to all the sister charges for a prosperous year. W. ALBERT DRAPER.

PI DEUTERON.

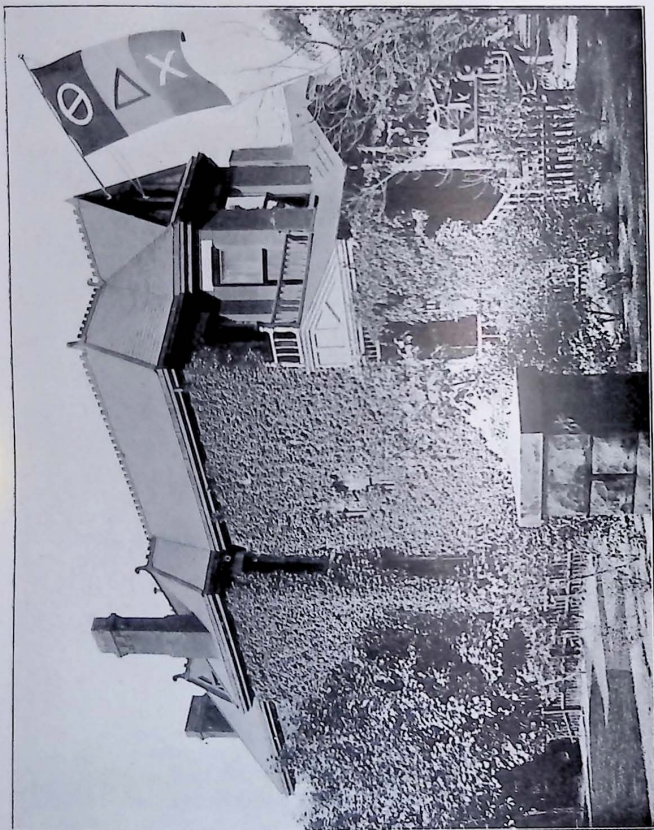
Old Pi Deuteron entered upon her twenty-fifth year at C. C. N. Y. with the prospect before her of plenty of hard work and the wind blowing dead ahead. However, the writer is getting good support from the loyal alumni of the charge. Our only pledging thus far is Walter A. Schmid, who will be the fourth of that family in Pi Deuteron, and who is doing good work for us among his fellow sub-Freshmen.

Things are a bit upset here at the present time. The sub-freshmen classes are in the new uptown buildings, but the collegiate classes have not yet entered the new halls. The conditions under which the charge expects to regain its former amplitude, have not yet been realized. However, the next academic year will surely witness their attainment, and, inasmuch as there is good material among the sub-freshmen, with which we are "getting busy," the outlook is not so dark as it would seem.

The Upsilon chapter of Phi Gamma Delta was withdrawn during the summer, after a continuous existence here of just fifty years.

Pi Deuteron's twenty-fifth birthday is to be celebrated by a banquet at the New York Athletic Club on the evening of November the twenty-fourth. The outlook for a big attendance is bright and it is very gratifying to report that the members of other charges resident in New York will form a large percentage of the celebrants at this anniversary.

G. GALE DIXON.



THE CHI CHARGE HOUSE
Now owned by the Charge

SIGMA DEUTERON—University of Wisconsin.

Sigma Deuteron's 06 delegation consisted of but three members, of whom one at least is to return in the fall to take up post-graduate work. But, although few in numbers, our seniors acquitted themselves nobly at Commencement. Brother George F. Hannan was chairman of the arrangement committee and also delivered the Farewell address to the Faculty. This was by all odds the hit of the day, and stirred up considerable commotion among the ranks of dignified professors, in consequence of its being a criticism of their attitude toward the student body. As for our house manager and ex-president, Victor Kadish (Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Lambda Upsilon, et al.), he had been working day and night to make the Senior Play a success, and was treading air as a result of the hearty reception it had been accorded. The play given was Sheridan's "School for Scandal," and the players were coached by Walton Pyre, an old Wisconsin graduate who has gone on the stage. Brother Kadish was business manager and also took the role of Sir Benjamin Backbite. Brother Ernest Springer was assistant property man. Every seat was taken (this is literal, for the writer knows from experience), and the performance was probably the best ever offered by a senior class in the history of the University.

A short time before the commencement week we received brief visits from Brother Andy Lees 95 and Guy Ford 94. We greatly enjoy these visits from the Alumni of our own and other charges, and wish they occurred more frequently.

CHI—University of Rochester.

Vacation has been thoroughly enjoyed by the Brothers of Chi, and by the time college opens, with the exception of Brother Whitehouse 08, all will be back prepared to renew college and fraternity activities.

During the summer an important event has happened to the Charge. The House at 96 Park Ave., which has been the home of the Charge for the last nine years has been purchased by the Graduate Association. It is a substantial brick house of ten rooms having all modern improvements and, considering that it was built for a private residence is very well adapted for a club house. Though it is the purpose of the Graduate Association to build a larger and more commodious house, the present one makes a very suitable and comfortable home for the Charge.

During the summer we have enjoyed visits from Brothers Brookins, Halsey, Van Tuyl, and Marsdon.

As Chi will enter upon this college year under very favorable circumstances, we will endeavor to make it a year of remarkable success. Chi wishes all the Charges the greatest success and prosperity possible and reminds them that "Our House" is at "96."

ARTHUR T. PAMMENTER.

CHI DEUTERON—George Washington University.

With the assurance of the return of fourteen Brothers, with one fine man pledged, with indications that there will be much good material from which to select, and with the determination to get the best there is, we view with great hopefulness the outlook for the coming year.

As stated in the last Charge letter, inasmuch as the location of our former House was very inconvenient to reach, being some distance from the University, we have concluded to better ourselves in this respect. Acting upon this conclusion, a house in a very desirable location has been selected, only three squares from the present University and the same distance from the site where it expects to be located at some time in the near future. This, when regular approval is had by the Charge, we intend to lease, then furnish and move into by the opening of the fall term. Henceforth, 1831 G. street, Northwest, is the place for men of Theta Delta Chi to gather as of their own right, and we will recognize their claims. Our House Fund, which was originated this year, we regret has not yet become of sufficient bulk to entice us into that most desired enterprise of purchasing a home. Our faith is strong in the efficacy of the plan, and before many years we may expect to reap our reward.

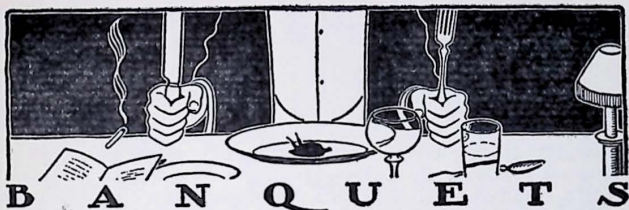
Among the Brothers who have secured honors in and out of the University are: Brother Turkenton, who has been elected assistant manager of the athletic association; Brother Sterrett, who still maintains the championship of five States for pole-vaulting; and Brother Magruder, who was signally honored in securing a place on the Sea Girt rifle team.

Chi Deuteron wishes all her sister Charges even greater success than she herself anticipates in the coming year.

Brother Shepard Strong secured his L. L. B. from the Georgetown College Law School in June. He intends to engage in the real estate business.

Brother Freeland C. (Jumbo) Lyman is with the Geodetic Survey in Ohio.

JAMES T. SHERIER.



ROCHESTER GRADUATE ASSOCIATION.

The annual dinner of the Rochester Graduate Association was held June 18th. There was a good attendance of Chi'brothers and much interest and enthusiasm were manifested.

Toasts were given as follows, under the direction of Bro. Wm. F. Love as toastmaster:

"The Fraternity".....Rev. Lewis Halsey
 Let us swear an eternal friendship.

"The House".....E. C. Roeser
 Be it ever so humble,
 There's no place like home

"The Graduates".....M. Tiernan
 'Tis hard to part when friends are dear;
 Perhaps 't will cost a sigh, a tear;
 Say not "Good night," but in some brighter clime,
 Bid me "Good morning."

"The Charge".....Ray Lewis
 "The Graduate Association".....A. S. Whitbeck

The Rochester Graduate Association is intended to reach every Theta Delt in Rochester and vicinity in its active membership. A great many charges are represented on its rolls and its list of officers also contains the names of men of other charges. Brother Art Whitbeck of Beta is at present the president of the R. G. A. We do not join the charge in a banquet but give our own annual spread each Commencement week, the charge dinner coming in the fall at

initiation time. Beta, Kappa, Iota Deut, Psi, Xi, Sigma Deut, Iota are all within the fold with at least one man, Beta having three.

The association purchased a house in March and it is being rented to the active charge. The entire furnishings of the house belong to the Association.

ETA HOUSE PARTY.

The annual reception and house party of Eta Charge was held Friday, March 30, at the fraternity house on Maine Street. The reception took place from 3:30 to 5:30 in the afternoon and proved itself a most delightful society function, there being about 175 guests present. The greater part were from Brunswick, Lewiston, Portland, Westbrook, Bath and Augusta. The patronesses were Mrs. William DeWitt Hyde, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff, Mrs. Frank W. Shorey, all of Brunswick and Mrs. F. J. C. Little of Augusta.

In the evening dancing was enjoyed by about 25 couples, the same ladies acting as patronesses in the evening.

Music for both afternoon and evening was furnished by an orchestra led by Francis J. Welsh, 03, of Portland.

The house was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns, smilax, potted plants and cut flowers, and these with the beautiful costumes of the ladies made the occasion a brilliant one.

The delegates from the other fraternities were Harry Leslie Childs, 06, from Alpha Delta Phi; Walter Bradon Clark, 06, of Houlton from Psi Upsilon; Arthur Otis Putnam, 06, of Houlton from Delta Kappa Epsilon; Asa Osgood Pike, 07, of Fryeburg from Zeta Psi; Harold Everett Wilson, 07, of Newburyport, Mass., from Delta Upsilon, and Ralph Grant Webber, 06, of Augusta, from Beta Theta Pi.

The committee of arrangements consisted of Brothers Harold G. Tobey, 06, Robert T. Woodruff, 06, Harry L. Brown, 07, Joseph A. Davis, 09, and Harrison Atwood, 09.

"OLD FATES" POEMS.

If any brother is willing to spare a copy of "Poetry and Prose," by Bro. N. L. F. Bachman, for the Astor Library, it will be gratefully received. Bro. E. Van Winkle, Flatiron Building, New York, will gladly receive it and see that it is properly filed with the Librarian.



BETA.

Bro. Frederick E. Wadhams of Albany was elected Treasurer of the American Bar Association at its recent meeting at St. Paul, Minn.

The engagement of Bro. C. C. Atwood, 01, to Miss Gertrude Eddy is announced.

The engagement of Bro. Archie Morrison, 01, to Miss Sadie Marie Rockhill of Cleveland, Ohio, is announced.

BETA.

Brother J. W. Cook, 02, from New York City to care of National Surety Co., 44 Court street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Brother E. A. De Lima, 86, president of the Battery Park National Bank of New York, is one of the men nominated by the policyholders' committee for the board of directors of the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Brother John Newhall, 06, is in the wholesale fruit business with his father in Chicago.

Brother Craig Adair, 06, has changed his address to 522 Linden street, Camden, New Jersey.

Brother C. C. Atwood, 01, is assistant superintendent of the 44th street station of the Consolidated Gas company of New York city. He resides at 200 Berkeley place, Brooklyn.

Brother F. A. Briggs, 98, is in the head office of the Eastern Townships bank at Sherbrooke, Quebec. His mail address is P. O. box 117, Sherbrooke, Quebec, Canada.

Brother A. B. Morrison, jr., 01, is with the Joplin Supply company of Toledo, Ohio.

Brother George E. D. Brady, 03, has left the Pittsburg office of the Library bureau, and is now in business at Goldfield, Nevada.

Brother Lee H. Parker, 89, is now in the Boston office of Stone & Webster, engineers. His mail address is 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

Brother Frank S. Fielder, 89, is a practicing physician in New York city. His address is The Beresford, 1 West 81st street.

Brother A. H. Sayce, 05, is engaged in business in New York City, and his address is 11 Montague terrace, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Brother Charles B. Dix, 88, is a partner in the Dix Foundry and Machine company, manufacturers of pulp and paper mill machinery at Glens Falls, N. Y.

Brother F. G. Grimshaw, 00, from Philadelphia, Pa., to Hotel Inverness, Youngwood, Pa.

GAMMA DEUTERON.

Norman Hackett, Gamma 98, sailed for Europe June 2, to spend his vacation. He will visit Ireland, London and Paris and while in the latter city will go to Montmorency, France, and dedicate the Rhea Memorial Monument which has been organized by him as a tribute to the celebrated French actress by her friends and the Dramatic profession in America. Bro. Hackett will next season continue as featured leading man with Louis James, and another Theta Delt, Bro. George W. Ward of Tau Deuteron, will also be in the same company.

When Brother Hackett was in San Francisco in early spring, the Examiner gave him this gratuity: "Norman Hackett, whom in the advertisement, Mr. James is described as being "supported by," plays his Bassanio as blithely and joyously as though he was the heart of a musical comedy. The incidental music rather marred the chipperness of his acquittal of the casket scene, the band playing for some strange unreason, "Adieu, 'tis love's last greeting," but otherwise Mr. Hackett was all that he has ever been. His every glance and movement betokened a deep and not unrequited passion for himself."

Herman C. Stevens, Gamma Deuteron, 01, is assistant professor of Psychology at the University of Washington, Seattle.

Stephen C. Mason, 02, is on the staff of Gouverneur Hospital in New York City.

Jas. E. Nicholson, 05, who has been in Mexico City the past two years returned to his home in Steubenville, Ohio, last May and is again associated in business there with his father.

Forrest Lancashire, 03, who has been located at Monmouth, Ill., for the past two years in engineering work left in July for

Monterey, Mexico, to accept a promising position. He will construct the new street car lines through Monterey. Bro. Lancashire is accompanied by his wife. Their address is Callijan de San Francisco, No. 14, Monterey, Mexico.

Brother A. J. Kinnucan, 02, is general manager of the Atlas Brass & Manufacturing Co., of Detroit, Mich.

Brother H. G. Field, 93, is connected with the Buick Automobile Co., of Jackson, Mich.

Brother John A. Kreis, Jr., 96, is superintendent of the suburban lines of the St. Louis Street Railway Co. His address is 908 Aubert Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Brother Arthur Henry Vesey has published through the Appletons "The Castle of Lies," which is well spoken of as a literary work.

Bro. Charles H. Gray, 95, Ph. D. (Chicago), Assistant Professor of English in the University of Kansas has published through the Chicago Press the works of Lodowick Carliell, a courtier dramatist of the reigns of Charles I. and Charles II. The volume is a contribution to the history of the English drama, dealing principally with the period just preceding the closing of the theaters by the Puritans.

DELTA DEUTERON.

Shirley C. Walker, 00, who lost heavily in the Frisco disaster, has established a temporary office for his successful advertising agency at 822 Octavio street, San Francisco, pending the reconstruction of the Crocker Building, where he was formerly located.

Walter de Leon, 06, has been playing small parts with the Idora Park Opera Co., at Oakland, California, through the summer and scoring emphatic hits. The senior class play of which he was the author, was unfortunately never presented on account of the earthquake disaster.

Bro. M. C. Stewart has been appointed Austin teaching fellow in German at Harvard University.

ZETA.

Colonel William L. Stone has been appointed by Governor Higgins as a member of the Fulton-Hudson celebration commission. The appointment came entirely unsolicited and was a surprise to Colonel Stone.

Bro. Stone is one of the best known historians and authorities on early New York traditions, and is especially noted for his history

of New York city, a volume of some 800 pages. His appointment to this commission is believed to be in recognition of his work.

He was appointed by Mayor Strong of New York, to compile and translate the old Dutch records of the big city, and his work won many encomiums. This new honor from Governor Higgons will be generally commended by the Brothers of Theta Delta Chi for whom he has done so much.

Brother Stone loses nothing for his zeal for historical research, and those who knew the Historian of Theta Delta Chi lose nothing of their admiration for the grand old Theta Delta, as the years pass.

The Schuylerville Standard recognizes his worth in the following tribute in connection with the dedication of the Saratoga Battle field monument:

"Col. William L. Stone who was, for many years, secretary of the Saratoga Monument Association, was not born in "Old Saratoga," but, perhaps we owe more to him for his years of labor in making the erection of the monument at Victory Mills possible, than to any other man.

"The Colonel is the historian of the Saratoga County Society. His historical events and very pleasing after dinner talks have added much to the success of the society. It will be of interest to the younger people of "Old Saratoga" to know that the Colonel is the author of "The Life and Times of Sir William Johnson Bart," "Revolutionary Letters," "Pansch Journal," "Burgoyne's Campaign and St. Ledger's Expedition," "Life and Military Journals of Major General Reidesel," "Letters and Journals of Mrs. Gen. Reidesel," "History of New York City," "Life and Writing of Col. William L. Stone," "Reminiscences of Saratoga and Ballston," "The Saratoga Battle Ground," "Ballads of the Burgoyne Campaign," "Sir John Johnson's Orderly Book," "Historical Guide Book to Saratoga Springs and Vicinity," "History of the Centennial Celebration of Burgoyne's Surrender," "Third Supplement of Dowling's History of Romanism," History of Washington County, N. Y. The classic ground of America including "William and Mary's War," "Queen Ann's War," "The Old French and the French Wars," "The Revolutionary War, and War of 1812," "The Starin Genealogy," "The Stone Genealogy," "Introduction of Marshall's History of the Early West," "Grant's Memorial," "History of New York City," etc. In preparation, "The Life of Gov. George Clinton," also author of some ninety articles in Appleton's General Encyclopedia and Appleton's Biographical Cyclopedia.

The life of Col. William L. Stone has been devoted to his country's good. He has the distinction of being a member of more so-

cities, (mostly historical) than any man in the United States. The citizens of Saratoga County honor Col. Stone, for what he has done for them and the rising generation of this town and county will in years to come revere this grand man, for whose labor they have so much to be thankful for."

Raymond M. Hood, 02, of Pawtucket has been awarded a prize of \$500 in a competition arranged by an architectural magazine for plans for an office building. Upwards of 300 architects submitted plans.

ETA.

Howell C. Brown, 04, is with a railroad engineering expedition at El Agua, Mexico. He writes that it is near the tropics and the climate very unhealthy. He is also having experiences worthy of Captain Kidd, fighting the natives and wild animals.

Bro. Webster Woodbury, 64, has retired from active parish duties and is now living at South Framingham, Mass.

Bro. Henry C. Hill 88, has taken a professorship of law in the Stetson University of DeLand, Florida. Bro. Hill practiced law for several years in Detroit and later was agent for the Scribner Brothers.

Bro. Allan Edlington Rogers, 76, Professor of Civics at the University of Maine, will occupy a position at the University of Illinois in the coming academic year. His house in Orono will be occupied by Brother Joseph William Carr, Iota 1893, who has been appointed Professor of Germanic languages at the University of Maine.

THETA.

Bro. Wm. R. McKim, 94, is the very active rector of St. John's parish, Oneida, N. Y. Bro. McKim recently planned and carried out with good results a supper to the men of the parish. About 120 men were present. The menu consisted of many palatable edibles, and is was served by a number of the young men of the church in a remarkable short space of time, smoking hot. The supper was much enjoyed by the men, who appreciated the efforts of their beloved rector in entertaining them. After supper short talks were made by the rector, City Judge Joseph Beal, Charles R. Coville, Esq., S. Allen Clark, Dr. E. R. Boden and others, all full of mirth and praise for the pastor.

A picture of Bro. H. L. Williams, 06, appeared in the June number of "The Tech."

*THE SHIELD***THETA DEUTERON.**

Geo. Henderson, 06, Herbert Williams, 06, and Edward Griffin, 06, are mining in Arizona.

S. C. Covey, 06, is with J. C. White & Co., 43 Exchange Place, New York City.

IOTA.

W. H. Wiggin, Jr., 92, has been writing a sketch for the Shield of the re-establishment of the Iota charge in 1892. Brother Wiggin was President of the club which was the forerunner of Iota and was very active in getting the charter for Iota.

Sidney R. Wrightington, 97, will attend the meeting of the American Bar Association in St. Paul in August. Brother Wrightington in addition to his practice in Boston is editor of "The Green Bag," a legal publication.

Randolph Edgar, 98, expects to return to Cambridge next year. He is a contributor to the new weekly publication, *The Bellman*, published at Minneapolis.

M. B. Wales, 05, has accepted the position of cashier of the First National Bank of Nogales, Ariz., and H. C. Brown is on his way to join a surveying party at Cullacan, Sinaloa, Mexico.

Bro. James T. Harrington, who received the degree of M. D. from the College of Physicians & Surgeons last June, has received an appointment to the Roosevelt Hospital, New York City, on the basis of a successful competitive examination.

F. H. Haskell, 05, and C. R. Wait, 03, are with C. H. Blackall, architect, Boston.

H. L. Carter, Iota 98, was married in June to Miss Adams of Newton, Mass, and they are taking a wedding trip in Europe.

KAPPA—Tufts College.

Brother Thomas Whittemore, 94, of Tufts College spent June, July and August in Europe. During this time, accompanied by three soldiers and a guide, he penetrated the interior of Morocco, where brigandage still survives, and death is the portion of most Europeans who tempt safety and risk their lives in the exploration of the country. Prof. Whittemore was warned by his friends against making the trip into the interior, for it is held as about the most reckless undertaking possible, but he escaped unharmed. He is the

first white man to make the trip in over twenty-five years. On his return from Italy, where he spent most of the summer, he brought to America many rare and valuable specimens of Renaissance art.

LAMBDA.

Brother L. H. Maxson, 06, is attending the University of Pennsylvania Medical School. He has already made his letters on the "Medic" crew.

Brother C. B. Hill, 06, is teaching mathematics and physics at Vermont Academy, Saxtons River, Vt.

Brother K. G. Baker, 06, has entered the Harvard Medical School.

Brother J. L. Trudbury, 06, is taking a two years' course in Electrical Engineering at the Harvard Graduate School.

Brother H. W. Wilder, 02, has been appointed instructor in history at Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass.

OMICRON DEUTERON.

Bro. Tenney, 00, American ex-Principal of Tien-Tsin University, has been appointed by Sheh-Kai, the Viceroy of Yunan, to be supervisor of instruction of Chinese Government students in America and England. He is now in the United States under a five years' agreement with forty picked students, whom he will place in various colleges. Half the expenses of these students are being defrayed by the government. Each year a new batch will be sent, half to the United States and half to England. Dr. Tenney will have control of all government students, with power to repatriate any who neglect their opportunities. He is also intrusted with the appointment of technical and other advisers required by the Viceroy. Such is the desire to go abroad under this scheme that, it is reported, permission has been refused to three times as many students as are now going, although they are willing to pay their own expenses.

PI.

Bro. David Gregg, 65.—The Rev. Dr. David Gregg, president of the Western Theological seminary, Pittsburgh, has presented his resignation to the board of directors. Dr. Gregg sent his resignation from Lakewood, N. J. He gave the state of his health as the reason for the action. The board deliberated for a long time on the request and finally declined to accept the resignation, but voted

Dr. Gregg a leave of absence for one year, without salary, during which time he is to be freed absolutely from the responsibilities of the seminary. The leave of absence will begin at once. The hope was expressed that Dr. Gregg should recover his health and take charge again, in which hope the brethren of Theta Delta Chi heartily join.

J. R. Mellon, 65, president Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburg, and president of the City Deposit Bank, in company with Senator William Flinn, has purchased a four-acre tract of land for a new hospital to be erected at once in the eighteenth ward, Pittsburg.

Brother H. C. McCook, D. D., LL. D., Sc. D., had an article in the June Harper's on "Honey Ants of the Garden of the Gods" and one in the July issue on "A Guild of Carpenter Ants."

PI DEUTERON.

Bro. Nelson P. Mead, 99, is a member of the editorial staff of the Quarterly of the College of the City of New York. Bro. Mead has also been appointed by the American Historical Association, of which he is a member, to examine and report upon the status, extent and value of the historical collections of the State of Connecticut—a work already completed in some of the other states.

Bro. Wilson G. Wood, 99, was one of six who, out of forty-two competitors, received a New York Hospital appointment.

Bro. Edward F. Schaefer, 00, has published in the March number of Compressed Air an article entitled "Derivation of Formulae for Single and Stage Compression; also, Proof of Conditions Governing Best Proportioning and Highest Economy in Stage Compression." The article is illustrated with nine valuable diagrams.

Bro. Gonzalo de Quesada, 82, Cuban minister to the United States, delivered an eloquent address on March 19 at the banquet of the Springfield Board of Trade. This address, which deals largely with the commercial relations of the two countries, is reported at length in the Springfield Weekly Republican of March 22.

Bro. Nelson P. Mead, took Ph. D. at Columbia this spring. His dissertation was on "Connecticut as a corporate colony in the eighteenth century."

Bro. Henry E. Crampton, of the Department of Zoology, has been appointed Hewitt Lecturer of Columbia University for 1907. The Hewitt lectures are delivered each year under the auspices of Columbia University in cooperation with Cooper Union. Professor Crampton will lecture in January and February 1907 on the "Evidences of Evolution."

Bro. Frederick L. Luqueer, has been elected President and Rudolf Tombo, jr., Secretary of the Association of Doctors of Philosophy of Columbia University recently organized by the latter.

Rudolf Tombo, Jr. 95, recently took a long trip through the West, going as far as Colorado Springs and Denver, for Columbia University. He reports running across a number of Theta Deltas on the journey. At Pittsburgh he stayed with Brother Tom Melton, Iota, and met Brothers Tim, Lobingier, and Rush of Phi, Brother Hawley of Delta, Brother Flint of Omicron Deuteron, and Brother Tiemann of Rho Deuteron, the secretary of the newly organized Columbia Alumni Association of Pittsburgh. At Indianapolis he met Brothers Norman Hackett, Ralph Burbank, Kappa, Fletcher Durbin, George Torrey and Davenport, Iota Deuteron, Hosmer, Beta, Belford, Gamma Deuteron, Carl Tombo, Rho Deuteron, and several other brothers, and assisted in the organization of the Theta Delta Chi Alumni Association of Indianapolis. At Omaha he met Brother Guyot of Xi, and at Chicago Brothers McNab of Sigma Deuteron, Tobey and Wilder of Beta, Lewis of Iota, and a number of others. Unfortunately a train delay caused him to miss most of the brothers who had gathered at the Saratoga for the weekly luncheon of the Central Graduate Association. At Milwaukee he met Brother Salisbury of Sigma Deuteron, and at Madison he attended a meeting of the Sigma Deuteron charge. At Cleveland Brother Handerson of Xi, the president of the Columbia Alumni Association of Ohio, presided at the Columbia dinner, and he also met Brothers Lawrence and Reynolds of Theta. Brother Ruggles of Psi attended the Rochester dinner, and at Washington he met at the Columbia dinner Brothers Quesada, Pi Deuteron, St. Clair, Rho Deuteron, and Gilbert, Chi Deuteron.

Carl Tombo, 97, is one of the vice-presidents of the recently organized Columbia Alumni Association of Louisville, Ky. He returned to New York early in May and expects to remain there and await further developmtns of the engineering undertaking in which he is interested.

The March issue should have contained the announcement of the arrival of a new member in a Pi Deuteron family—one Chas. R. Neidlinger, Jr. By this time he has shed his swaddling clothes and—so his father (Charles R. Neidlinger, Pi Deuteron 97) says—now gets in a little practice every day in the back yard in his football togs.

RHO DEUTERON.

George Ehret, Jr., 99, gave a stag dinner at the Hotel Astor just previous to his marriage to Miss Louise M. Hoffman. Among the guests were Brothers Rudolf Tombo, Jr., Rho Deuteron, L. Lindenmeyer, Rho Deuteron, Louis J. Ehret, Psi, William Ottman, Rho Deuteron, George W. Kosmak, Rho Deuteron, Fred Cunningham, Psi and Alexander Brown, Jr., Rho Deuteron.

Bro. Wm. C. Uhlig, 96, received the Roosevelt Cup at the Decennial of the class on June 13, having four boys to his credit. Bro. Uhlig was a member of the Decennial Committee of his class.

Brother W. Slichter, 96, came on from Schenectady to attend the Decennial Reunion of the class of 1896.

Bro. Charles Stewart, the popular Treasurer of the Grand Lodge, featured in the prophecy of his class read at the recent commencement. This is what the prophet said of him: "Speaking of subscriptions reminds me that it is customary for each class to give to the world at least one philanthropist. Now when it came to deciding whom I should name for that important place on the ticket, I must confess that I almost gave up in despair. I went around to all the managers and treasurers of the different branches of student activity to see if there was anyone who was ever known to pay up his subscriptions or contributions without putting up a fight that would make a Texas steer look like a domestic animal or a household pet, but I could learn of no such person, so at last I went to the Muse and said, "Now see here, old girl, this idea of presenting a philanthropist to the world is absolutely absurd and impossible. Why just look around for yourself," I said, 'do you see anyone who in appearance, looks innocent or easy?' The Muse regarded me for a moment with just a tinge of reproach at my failure to see a very obvious candidate, and then replied, 'Yes, there is such an one, even he who, in the words of the 1906 Columbian, wears "a hopeless look of blooming infancy."' So Charlie Stewart is going to be a philanthropist, and we cherish the hope that his first act of charity will be to make the Quadrangle look presentable by giving a million dollars to complete University Hall."

Bros. Rudolph Tombo, Jr., and Gonzalo de Quesada, gave addresses at the annual meeting and dinner of the District of Columbia Alumni Association of Columbia University. Professor Tombo also addressed the Kentucky Alumni Association of Columbia earlier in the year.

Bro. W. H. Fenton, 04 Arch., won a \$3,000 fellowship, The Cresson traveling scholarship in architecture, given by the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. Will go abroad three years, sail in

August, and hopes to enter the Ecole des Beauc Arts, Paris, France.

"Science," for August 10, 1906, contains an article by Brother Rudolf Tombo, Jr., 98, on "The Geographical Distribution of the Student Body at a Number of Eastern and Western Universities and Eastern Colleges." The same issue contains some "Astronomical Notes" by Brother Solon Bailey, Lambda, 81.

John Herbert Winans, 89, has withdrawn from the active practice of law to devote himself to the affairs of the Sound Shore Realty & Title Company, of which he is President, with offices at 32 Broadway, New York City. He is living at the sumptuous Breton Hall, Broadway and Eighty-sixth street.

Thomas Matthew St. John, 90, is a publisher at 848 Ninth avenue, New York City.

Halbert P. Gillette, 92, is managing editor of "Engineering-Contracting," with offices in the Park Row Building, New York.

Bro. Ignacio E. Agramonte, 93, is Chief Engineer of the Cuba Co. and Consulting Engineer of the Puerto Principe Y Nueritas Railroad, Independencia No. 41, Camaguey, Cuba.

Bro. Stewart H. Crampton, 97, is superintending engineer of the New York Telephone Co. His address is No. 50 Orange street, Brooklyn.

Bro. John Campbell Maben, Jr., 97, is secretary and treasurer of the Dam's Creek Coal & Coke Co., with address 2241 Sycamore street, Birmingham, Ala.

A. Roy Camp, 04, is President of the Camp Bros. Auto-Touring Co., of New York City.

J. Boyce Smith, Jr., 01, who since graduation from the Columbia School of Law in 1904 has been in the law office of Hatch & Clute, will enter upon independent practice the beginning of this year with offices at 60 Wall street in partnership with a classmate.

Percy M. Cushing, 09, has recently received a responsible position in the editorial department of Frank A. Munsey Co., New York City.

Charles A. Stewart, 1906, treasurer of the Grand Lodge, boy orator, Junior Class president, captain of the Gym. team, manager of the lacrosse team, Ivy orator, Columbian editor, and a few other things, was voted by his class the best all-around man, received third place as the most popular, and second place as the most innocent. On Classday he received a basin and towel; said the presentation orator: "You'll need them after Commencement, for surely your fingers will be sticky when you pull them out of all those pies you've had them in." Charlie is coming back in the fall for graduate work in geology.

SIGMA.

Thomas E. Rogers, 66, Superintendent of the National Bank Redemption Agency in the office of the Treasurer of the United States, has contributed an article on the "Redemption of National Bank Notes" for the souvenir volume of the Washington meeting of the American Bankers' Association, October 10-13, 1905.

John M. Curtis, Sigma, 65, has given up the practice of medicine and entered mercantile business at Colorado Springs, Col., where he has resided for the past five years. Bro. Curtis is interested in large coal mines and enjoying well earned prosperity and happiness—having been married for the second time about three years ago. While he has been somewhat out of active touch with fraternity affairs the past few years, his loyalty and interest in the fraternity is none the less sincere and was happily recalled recently by his meeting Bro. Norman Hackett and the declaration firmly made. Brother Curtis is one of a rare coterie of Theta Deltas too rapidly disappearing, who helped to make some of our early and most cherished traditions. He was present at Gettysburg when Abraham Lincoln made his famous speech there. John Hay stood beside Lincoln and secured a place near the stand for Bro. Curtis and afterward presenting him to Lincoln. To all Theta Deltas visiting Colorado Springs, Bro. Curtis will give a hearty welcome and they will find him and his fraternity reminiscences well worth while.

SIGMA DEUTERON.

Bro. Guy Stanton Ford, 95, instructor in history at Yale University for several years, has accepted a professorship in modern European history at the University of Illinois.

Bro. "Tug" Wilson, 96, has added another bouncing boy to Sigma Deuteron's fast growing list of nephews.

Bro. Hal Porter, 07, is working for the North Shore Electric Co., at Highland Park, Ill.

Bro. Harold A. Whittaker, 04, has been appointed Assistant State Bacteriologist at Columbus, Ohio.

Brother Mike Johnson, 03, is married!

TAU DEUTERON.

Bro. Irsfield, the prominent athlete, brought a libel suit against Collier's Weekly because of an article written by Edward S. Jordan, 05, has been awarded the decision of the court. By the terms of

the settlement, the offending publication agrees to pay all court expenses and attorney fees and to publish a complete retraction and vindication signed by Jordan. This clears the name of a Brother against whom his friends knew that not a true word of criticism in the line of athletic honor could be said. We congratulate Brother Irsfield.

Bro. R. M. Pike, 02, has gone abroad for three years of study in architecture and designing. He is at present in London where he expects to spend the winter. Bro. Pike crossed quite by chance on the same steamer with Bro. Norman Hackett and from postal card reports they did London together and did it up well.

Geo. W. Ward, 92, who spent last year at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts has secured an engagement with Louis James and will make his professional debut this season as "Nym" in the "Merry Wives of Windsor." Brother Ward is to be congratulated upon making his theatrical start under such favorable auspices.

PHI.

Bro. P. C. Kaufman, 79, Second Vice-President of the Fidelity Trust Co., of Tacoma, Wash., recently read an exhaustive paper on "Bills of Lading as Collateral for Loans" before the Oregon State Bankers' Convention, held at Portland, Oregon.

CHI.

Eugene C. Roeser, 01, has accepted a position as agent for a desk furnishing company. He will be located at Portland, Oregon.

Arthur S. Whitbeck, 02, spent his vacation in a trip through Yellowstone Park and the west.

Ray H. Hart, 02, has received a permanent appointment as instructor in English in the Newark, N. J., High School.

Charles W. Watkeys, 01, has resigned his position as instructor of mathematics at the University of Rochester and will enter Harvard in the fall for post graduate work in mathematics.

Ellis E. Lawton, 02, who has been taking graduate work in Physics at Yale, received the degree of Ph. D. last June.

James S. Vail, 02, is now connected with the City Treasurer's office of the city of Rochester, N. Y.

Joseph P. Hogan, 04, was admitted to the New York State Bar last June. Bro. Hogan expects to practice in Rochester, N. Y.

Clayton I. Ward, Ex 07, is now located in St. Louis, Mo., where he has a position with the Southern Railway Co.

Bro. James A. Gosnell, 02, has begun the practice of law in New York City. His home address is 315 West Ninety-fourth street.

James S. Vail is now located in the office of the City Treasurer.

Bro. William E. Drake, 03, made a flying trip to Rochester this June, from Thoreau, N. M., where he is connected with a large lumbering concern.

Bro. William J. Richter, 04, is secretary to His Honor, Mayor Jas. G. Cutler.

Bro. John R. Dunn, 05, is now connected with the experimental department of the American Automatic Telephone Company, at Rochester.

The enthusiasm of Brother Paine for the fraternity of his choice never wavers. After rejoicing in the culmination of the efforts of the brothers of Chi to own their own house, he waived aside business cares for a time and is spending the year abroad. Post cards and letters as he progresses show that never is Theta Delta Chi far from his thoughts.

PSI.

Bro. John B. Huber, 87, has published through J. B. Lippincott Company a valuable work on the "Great White Plague." The title of Bro. Huber's work, which has attracted wide attention is "Consumption. Its Relation to Man and His Civilization; Its Prevention and Cure." Bro. Huber is a Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine.

Bro. Calvin H. Kendall, 78, Superintendent of the Indianapolis, Indiana, schools, has been picked for the vacant position of Superintendent at Cleveland, Ohio.

Bro. C. J. France, 98, is a member of the law firm of Drake & France of Baltimore, Md.

Bro. M. H. Nellis, 06, will spend the next two years at the Albany Law School. "Nell" went to Europe this summer with twenty-five dollars and returned with five still in his pocket.

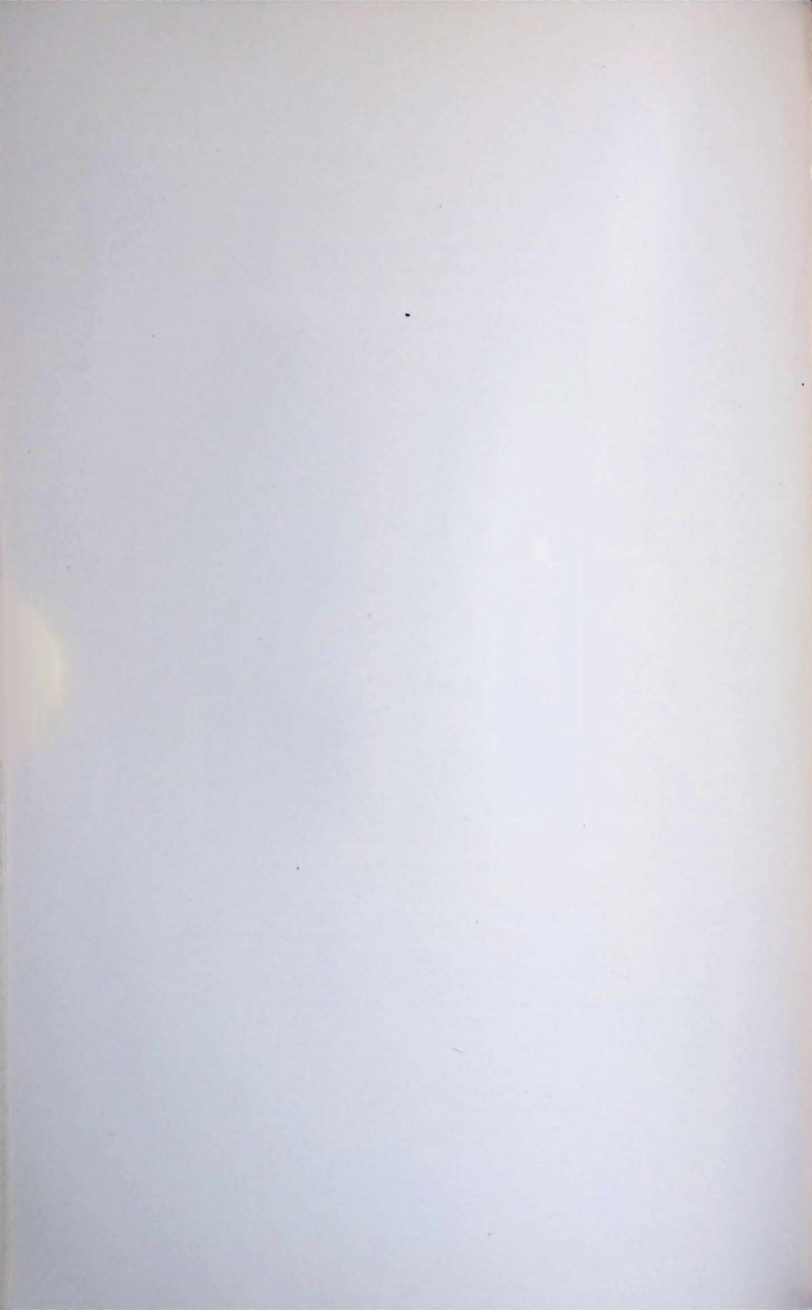
Bro. W. D. Rogers, 05, who is with the Cananea Mining Co. in Mexico, was an active participant in the bloody fighting between the Mexicans and Americans there last spring.

Bro. J. Herbert Pardee, 89, is general manager of the Rochester & Eastern Railway with headquarters at Canandaigua, N. Y.



THE CHI CHARGE IN 1868

BRO. WILLIS S. PAINE, seated in center
BRO. PRESCOTT MCKINNEY, reclining, in light clothes
BRO. FREEMAN GREENE, [Omega], seated in front, right
BRO. FRANK BOTTOM, [Omega], seated in middle, right
BRO. MARSENUS BRIGGS, standing, right
BRO. THOMAS BLOSSOM, standing left
BRO. BISSELL EVERSON, seated, left, with cane
BRO. DEWITT GIBBONS, between Everson and Paine



Bro. W. W. Dawley, Psi '75, has been called from Central Baptist Church, Syracuse, to the pastorate of the Belden Avenue Baptist Church of Chicago, Ill., which is said to have a membership of between 600 and 700 persons and is also strong financially.

Dr. Dawley went to the Syracuse Central Baptist Church, as a successor to Rev. William H. Main and during his pastorate has obtained pledges for \$21,000, the amount of money needed to clear the church debt. Should he accept, he will be greatly missed in the Central New York Graduate Association, but the boys of Chicago will take him in with a warm heart.

MARRIAGES.

Bro. Harold Dickerson, Rho Deuteron, was married January 6th to Miss Florence Hommedieu, daughter of Mrs. James Harvey Hommedieu of Great Neck, Long Island.

Bro. William Warren Winslow, Iota 85, was married to Miss Vernetta Laverty, at New York, March 14, 1906.

Bro. Joseph W. Cook, Beta 01, was married March 15th to Miss Blanche Josephine Lufkin, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Bambridge H. Evans of St. Paul, Minnesota.

Bro. Joseph Russell Lynes, of the Phi, was married April 1st. to Miss Adelaide Hall Sparkman, daughter of Mrs. James Truslow Sparkman of New York City. They are at home at The Washington, 2047 Seventh avenue.

Bro. George Purdy Ferguson, Phi Deuteron, was married April 25th to Miss Mary Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blundell Halsall of Milrose Park, Pennsylvania.

Bro. W. W. Hubbard, Beta, was married April 2'th to Miss Rachel Evaretta Hollengsworth, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Singleton Taylor of 6356 Stewart avenue, Chicago.

Waldo Henry Fish, Zeta 03, was married June sixth to Miss Florence Estelle Mongeon of Lonsdale, R. I.

Rev. Clarence L. Eaton, Kappa 95, pastor of the First Universalist Church, Medford, Mass., and Miss Elizabeth Pearl Tucker, were married in the First Universalist Church, Medford, Rev. Warren Woodbridge of Tufts College officiating.

John Otis Burrage, Kappa 00, was married in San Francisco, Tuesday, June 19th to Miss Harriet Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Allen of San Francisco.

Bro. J. Byington Covert, Xi 98, was married at New Boston, Pennsylvania, June 27th, to Miss Magdalene Schumacher. They will be at home at No. 415 Main street, Geneva, N. Y.

Bro. Paul Brodbeck, Lambda 03, was married to Miss Francis W. Sanders, B. U. 05, of Wolloston, Mass., on June 4. Mrs. Brodbeck is the sister of Harold L. Landers, Lambda 08.

Brother B. J. Branton, Tau Deuteron 05, was married in June to Miss Alice Brown of Minneapolis.

Brother Homer D. Wells, Tau Deuteron 04, was married June 12, 1906, to Miss Henrietta Brown of Minneapolis, Minn.



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Begem; while swings in space the pendent globe
Friendship must live! Ah may its impulse high
Still guide and guard the Theta Delta Chi.

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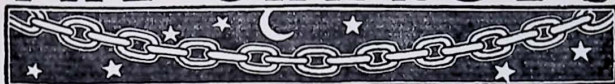
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THE JOHN HAY MEMORIAL WINDOW.

Possibly the most noteworthy tribute ever given a member of Theta Delta Chi was given Brother John Hay at the Temple of the Reform Congregation of Keneseth Israel in Philadelphia. Sunday, December the second, when a magnificent memorial window was unveiled and consecrated to his memory. For the first time, a body of Jews, as religionists, did honor in a religious manner to a Christian. The occasion was unusual, also, in the fact that "such prominent Christians as Secretary of State Elihu Root and ex-Ambassador Andrew D. White should join with the most prominent Jew in America, Oscar S. Straus, in praising from the platform of a Jewish synagogue, a statesman who, though a Christian, was always the champion of the oppressed race."

The movement for this memorial began with Rabbi Joseph Krauskopf, D. D., whose first impulse found voice in a sermon preached September 30, 1905, after the Jews of Russia had been in such unhappy plight.

"Unfortunately the man most needed at this hour," said Rabbi Krauskopf, "the man who could have contributed most towards a final realization of the world's long-cherished hope, has been taken from us. The one sad note in our festive rejoicing today is the memory of the death of John Hay, the greatest loss the American nation has sustained since the death of Lincoln. His wise and just statesmanship it was that preserved the unity of China, that secured our reciprocity with Cuba, saved Venezuela from coercion by the great Powers, negotiated the treaty for the construction of the Panama Canal, settled the long-standing

Alaskan boundary dispute between England and our country, raised the United States to one of the most respected and the most influential in the family of the nations.

"But, more than all, we mourn in his death the loss of one of the greatest friends the Jewish people ever possessed. We recall his note of three years ago, in which he told the signatory Powers of the Berlin treaty, how Roumania persistently violated her treaty that guaranteed equal rights to the Jew. It told how the Jew is denied the right of citizenship, is excluded from public service, and from nearly every opportunity of earning a livelihood; how, by reason of these cruel restrictions, he is condemned either to starvation or emigration. We recall how, continuing in his recital of wrongs to the Jew, he gave utterance to these memorable words: 'The teachings of history and the experience of our own nation show that the Jew possesses in a high degree the mental and moral qualifications of conscientious citizenship, and that no class of immigrant is more welcome to our shores than the Jew, when coming equipped in mind and body for entrance upon the struggles for bread.' We recall his eloquent and pathetic appeal to Russia after the Kishineff massacre, entreating that nation to vouchsafe unto her people of the Jewish faith that humane treatment which their citizenship demands, and which feelings of humanity dictate. And while both these appeals did not meet with the reward which they richly deserved, they nevertheless made it clear to the nations of the earth that in the United States the Jew possesses a friend who will have to be reckoned with in the future should religious bigotry and race hatred continue in its outrages against our people. * * *

"What nobler beginning of the New Year than returning thanks for the great salvation God has wrought through the hand of our late Secretary of State. What better mode of immortalizing that gratitude than dedicating in every American synagogue a memorial tablet in honor of the distinguished life of John Hay, or a memorial window that shall suitably emblemize the crowning achievements of his illustrious statesmanship!"

The suggestion was taken up heartily; funds were raised by voluntary contributions and a window ordered.

The window is beautifully emblematic: A prophetic figure—a man tall and commanding, with stern, flashing eyes, stands upon a mountain path. With upraised hand he holds back a swarming mob who menace with brandished swords a man and woman kneeling at his feet—the mob, the persecutors of Israel in Russia and Roumania; the kneeling figures, the man with hopeless closed eyes and the mother with her babe, beseeching aid—the Jews who were oppressed and mistreated in the foreign land.

The SHIELD considers the event of so great import to the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity that the speeches are here reproduced in spite of the space they necessarily occupy.

ADDRESS OF HON. OSCAR S. STRAUS.

On "Fame's Eternal Camping Ground" his memory is guarded, and no memorial we can consecrate, and no words we may utter can add to his greatness, or to the glory of his achievements. His services to our country, and to the nations, are recorded in imperishable records upon the pages of our national history.

Our country has been peculiarly fortunate in the leaders of its policies during its critical periods. Jefferson, John Quincy Adams, Seward and Hay, mark notable epochs in our foreign relations. Each in his time extended the horizon of our nation's power and influence, and each interpreted her "Manifest Destiny," so as to throw additional safeguards around our institutions, and at the same time vitalized the spirit of freedom throughout the widening spheres of our influence among the people of the earth.

In studying the lives of some of our best and greatest men it is often impossible to understand them, unless we recognize superior power that guided their genius for the accomplishment of their transcendent tasks. Certainly Lincoln belonged to this class. The Young Secretary whom he took with him from Springfield, Ill., was cast in a more refined and delicate mould than his rugged chief, yet the same spirit which glowed in the great heart

of the one animated with its light and warmth the sympathetic soul of the other. Even that kindly wit like the sunny ripples that play over the deepest waters, which flash from the lips of the one scintillated from the mind of the other, when their thoughts were most intent, and their hearts most touched by the gravity of the issues that presented themselves for solution.

For many years, as the alert and tactful Secretary of Legation in the leading capitols of the old world, John Hay acquired a knowledge of the intricacies of diplomacy and the susceptibilities of European chancellories, which proved of inestimable value during the seven important and trying years he held the portfolio of State.

I will not speak of his great distinction as poet, historian and litterateur; I will only touch in brief words upon one phase of his remarkable diplomatic achievements. The cardinal principles of his foreign policy were the "Monroe Doctrine" and the "Golden Rule." In the carrying forward of that policy under the sympathetic guidance of his great chiefs, McKinley and Roosevelt, he discarded the diplomatic methods of European courts; sincerity and directness characterized all of his negotiations, and the Premiers of the nations soon learned to respect the genuineness of his motives, and to rely with justified confidence upon his earnest representations and equitable demands.

Because of this, he alone among the Chancellors of Empires, without even the instrument of a formal treaty, could have secured the "Open Door" and the "Administrative Entity" of that far Eastern Empire, the partition of which, had it been permitted to progress, contained within itself the elements of world-wide and world-involving desolating war.

The Venezuela controversy, the Alaska Boundary contention, and the Clayton-Bulwer Treaty, that lay across the path of the Isthmian Canal, he led to solution and to peaceful arbitration, and at the same time he confounded the pessimists and scoffers by injecting life and action into the inanimate body of the newly-created world's court, the international tribunal at The Hague.

He was at the helm of the nation's diplomacy as our country moved through rocks and shoals from comparative obscurity to her position of primacy among the powers of the world, which today is the pride of every true American. The prestige this recently acquired power had given he used as it should always be used, for no hostile purposes, and no narrow ends, but to draw to the attention of nations the duties which their closer inter-relations not only justified but necessitated.

He emphasized that certain national wrongs are of international concern, and that the suffering from oppression in one country often casts its pitiable wreckage upon the hospitable shores of other lands, however far removed.

His Russian and Roumanian notes will remain as classics in the "Diplomacy of Humanity," diplomacy which received its greatest impetus from his magic pen and his human soul.

"It is the prerogative of an injured State," are his words, "to point out the evil and to make remonstrance; for with nations as with individuals, the social law holds good, that the right of each is bounded by the right of the neighbor. This Government cannot be a tacit party to such an international wrong. It is constrained to protest against the treatment to which the Jews of Roumania are subjected, not alone because it has unimpeachable ground to remonstrate against resultant injury to itself, but in the name of humanity."

It may be asked why have we assembled here in the Temple of our ancient people whose history and sacred law run back to the dawn of time and enshrine the memories of Moses and the prophets; a people whose records are crimsoned with national tragedies running through two thousand years, from Titus to Nicholas II.? It is because Israel recognizes in the life and public services of John Hay a personality whose gentle and far seeing eyes windowed the soul of a prophet, whose lips worded the majestic imagery of the psalmists, and whose patriotic heart throbbd with the divine spirit of the "Golden Rule."

In conclusion, let me quote that final strophe from one of his beautiful psalms:

"Whenever man oppresses men
Beneath the liberal sun,
O Lord, be there; Thine arm made bare;
Thy righteous will be done."

UNVEILING ADDRESS BY HON. ELIHU ROOT.

Sometimes during John Hay's later years, among the familiar White House scenes of his youth, some incident would evoke a memory of his earlier days, which he would give to his friends, clad in the felicitous and charming expression of which he was a master.

I remember that once as we stood by the door of the old Cabinet room, he spoke of that dark and dreadful time when Lincoln was bearing the burden and the sorrows of the Civil War, and feeling his way among innumerable obstacles to his great conclusion of Emancipation for the slave. He told how the great President often in the dead of night gained relief from sleepless restlessness by rising and seeking the little chamber of the young Assistant Private Secretary, Mr. Hay, and sitting on the edge of the boy's bed reading to him aloud from some favorite book. As this story was told by Mr. Hay, we could see the tall gaunt form in white passing down the long corridor in which we stood and the rugged care-worn face seeking sympathy in the thoughts that might lift up his soul above the turmoil of the day's doubts and distress.

Doubtless the cold words on the printed page lacked power to beat back the invading throng of troubling thoughts, and life was given them by the finely sensitive appreciation and responsive sympathy in the noble and ingenious youth.

The instinct of Lincoln's genius divined a kindred spirit in his young Secretary, and there in the silent watches of the night and in daily companionship was moulded and inspired the character of our friend.

He has lived a noble life, he has fought the good fight, as Lincoln would have wished, and through the long series of the passing years the spirit of the Great Emancipator, the strong, the just, the compassionate, has wrought mightily in the work of

his great disciple for justice and mercy, for freedom and peace, for the oppressed and forsaken of the earth.

So in this Temple of our God, "who hath made all men in His image," we unveil a memorial set up by grateful hands to the honor of one who also gave his life for his country and humanity.

(At the conclusion of Mr. Root's address the John Hay Window was unveiled. A reverent hush prevailed over the assemblage of 2,000 persons when a large flag was slowly withdrawn from a window in the southern part of the temple, and the golden morning sun shone through a wonderful scene on the colored panes.)

ADDRESS BY HON. ANDREW D. WHITE.

The distinguished gentlemen who have preceded me have paid noble tributes to John Hay, each from his own high vantage ground. Music and painting have also made offerings beautiful and inspiring. It simply remains for me to say a few words in relation to the man whom we today commemorate, and from my own point of view, namely, that of one who served under him officially at two different periods, and, in all, for nearly eight years.

The United States has been fortunate indeed in the long line of its Secretaries of State. Some of them have been noted for the enunciation of great and pregnant principles; others, for grappling with great difficulties at home and abroad; others still, for forcefully dealing with current questions in our own and foreign lands. Jefferson, Monroe, Adams, Marcy, Seward, Fish, and Bayard may be named among the representatives of these various classes, who have now passed away.

Mr. Hay seemed, at first sight, strikingly unlike either of these. It was probably with much doubt and some fear that the American people received the news of his appointment in that high succession. We all knew him as a man of letters; as one who had added to the treasures of American literature; and some few knew him as one who, at various foreign posts, at Madrid, at Paris, at London, had served his country wisely and well;

and some few of us remembered, also, that he had served as Assistant Secretary of State under Mr. Evarts. But it seemed to many, probably to the great majority of us, that he was hardly likely to grapple with the problems then before the American people as the masterly men among his predecessors had done. There was something so beautiful in his literary activity, so remote from official style in the witty, humorous, crisp, pungent, playful and pathetic expressions of his thought, as journalist or novelist or poet, that it was difficult to believe that in the great questions which were then pressing upon us, he could discern and assert the will of the nation.

Then came a great surprise. It is not too much to say that every question which came before him was handled in a way which more and more satisfied the country, and, indeed, convinced the world that Mr. McKinley, in selecting him, had made no mistake.

Whether he dealt with Spain concerning the questions which arose at the conclusion of the recent war, or with Great Britain regarding the Isthmian Canal, or with Germany regarding the Pacific Islands, or with all nations regarding China and the Open Door, he was equal to every emergency, and was soon recognized as one of the foremost in the whole line of Secretaries of State.

What was it which gave a man who, at first sight, seemed so singularly ill-adapted to such difficult and trying official duties his skill and power in dealing with them? What was it which insured this great success? There is but one answer. There was one thing which he had in a degree probably greater than had any one of his predecessors. It may have been in part derived from his early surroundings; it may have come, in large measure doubtless it did come, from his long and close relations with the man whom it was his privilege to know so well and so long—Abraham Lincoln. But it was his own. What gave him a power more effective was his heart. One of the greatest of modern German religious thinkers has said: "It is the heart that makes the theologian." "*Pectus est quod theologum facit.*") It may well be said of John Hay that, after all, with all his other

splendid qualities, it was the heart that made him a statesman. To his peculiar qualities his eminent associate, Mr. Taft, once applied the words, "Sweetness and Light." Perhaps a better statement would be that he put his heart into his work; not in any merely sentimental sense, but as acknowledging the highest demands of morality and religion, in the deepest and broadest sense of those words, recognized alike by Jew and Gentile. He himself once said in a speech that the cardinal principles of the foreign policy of the United States were "the Monroe Doctrine and the Golden Rule." This was thought only a coruscation of his wit and humor; it was really far more than that, it was an exposition of the grounds of his whole political thinking.

Glance at two or three of the questions with which he dealt. Early in his career as Secretary, came up the matter which had long plagued various administrations, a matter mainly forgotten now, but then known, unpleasantly, as the Samoan question. Though apparently petty, it had become so virulent that various people who love noise and rejoice in hubbub, seemed to think there was no solution except a great war in which two nations, and possibly three, would be involved. Ships and soldiers were called out, blood was shed, but he threw his heart into an effort for peace; he settled the question easily, naturally, straightforwardly, bringing within the territory of the United States one of the best harbors in the Pacific, giving to Germany an island which she especially desired, making proper indemnity to Great Britain elsewhere, and restoring hearty and kindly feelings between parties who had, until that time, been eyeing each other angrily.

Take another important era in his history, his course when we all waited with bated breath to know what the fate of those then representing the various foreign nations in China was to be; when it was supposed that the whole world, including ourselves, must rise in arms against China. Then it was that by a simple master-stroke of plain good sense, the lucid reasoning, the cogent assertion of right and duty, he took his country out from the category of the enemies of China, spoke to that nation as a friend,

and virtually saved the lives of those who represented all the powers at Peking. I remember well that one of the shrewdest and most far-sighted representatives of a European power then said to me, in the midst of that great emergency, "Your State Department has carried off the honors of this whole contest. Your nation alone has taken the really logical and effective position." It was a happy thing, indeed, that Mr. McKinley, with his noble and kindly characteristics, had, at that time, as his closest adviser, a man permeated and penetrated with a love of justice, of mercy, of right reason, of humanity, as was John Hay.

Another period showing in him the same qualities was that of The Hague Conference. The instructions issued to the American delegation showed the same clearness, cogency, straightforwardness and wisdom which are seen in his State papers during various crises of the McKinley Administration. But there was more than that; for there came out in him the higher inspiration of the poet, the broader view of the man of the world, the human sympathy of the man who, in his heart of hearts, was what your and our psalmists and prophets hold up as the man whom God loves and humanity honors—the righteous man.

All the instructions issued from the State Department at that time breathe an intense desire for the promotion of peace and good will to all mankind. And this was not nearly theoretical or sentimental; it was, to the last degree, practical. I remember as one crisis, when it was feared that one of the proposals made by our delegation would weaken the cause of arbitration, there came from him a very earnest cable dispatch, a warning. And I also remember, how, when the matter was shown to be really in the main line which, under his instructions, we had pursued, he heartily co-operated with us. Very practical and striking was his appreciation of the necessities of the American delegation at a time like that. Our country has suffered much abroad, both as regards its interests and its position, from a lack of understanding as to what should be done for its representatives. John Hay had no such misunderstanding. At The Hague Conference he used to the full extent the power conferred upon him, in the light

of his own experience in the diplomatic service. Instead of doling out a pitiful sum, with warnings as to the expenditure of it, he sent a special agent of the Treasury, a trusted man, with instructions that the representatives of the United States of America should be so thoroughly and honorably provided for as those of any other nation, that they should not be harassed by petty restrictions, and that the simple dignity of our country should be maintained in all their doings and surroundings. Ample and admirable provision was made for their exercise of hospitality and for the return of courtesies from other nations. Various incidents showed that his heart was in the matter, but I will allude to only one. A dispatch was sent him from the delegation, suggesting that the United States, as the youngest of the great powers of the world, for the first time in Congress with the foremost powers of Europe and Asia, might well, as the then approaching celebration of our national anniversary, lay a wreath of silver and gold on the tomb of Grotius, at Delft, and thus pay a tribute to the first great modern apostle of arbitration. It was also represented to the Secretary that this occurrence should be made the occasion of a celebration at which the entire Conference, and the representatives of the great institutions of the Netherlands, especially, of its administration, its courts, and its universities, should receive, on that anniversary of the national independence, in large and dignified manner, our national hospitality. It was asked that his decision in the matter be conveyed by cable, by a simple "aye" or no." His message came speedily, but not by a bare "aye" or "no." The proposal appealed, evidently, to his heart. His reply was a thorough-going endorsement of the whole plan, dwelling upon it with satisfaction, and showing that he really, in his heart of hearts, believed in those things which practically make for peace and good will between men. There have been some Secretaries of State, there have been some administrations, there have been some Congresses which would have objected to the expense of all this. John Hay felt that the occasion rose above all such considerations. He grasped instantly the points involved, and his sanction was given in such a manner

that it inspired the whole delegation to make the celebration what it really became, notable in the annals not merely of the Netherlands, not merely of our own country, but of all nations, of humanity.

I am aware that it was, at one time, said in his disparagement that in one of the first things he did,—in making the great treaty to which his name was finally attached,—he had failed. Nothing could be more unjust. In the history of the Hay-Pauncetote Treaty are seen those same characteristics which we find in the other phases of his statesmanship. Many men, possessing, as he did, fortune and resources of every sort,—the love of literature, the love of travel, which was so strong in him, would, after the rejection of the first treaty by the Senate, have flung the whole matter into the faces of their opponents and escaped into more congenial fields. Not so with John Hay. He set at work again to carefully embody in the treaty what he found to be, on the whole, the will of the nation, and he thus established firmer bonds than any ever known before between the United States and the mother country since the old French War, more than one hundred and fifty years before.

All this was the result of his deep sense of duty to his country, to humanity, and to the Almighty, the outcome of that righteousness, that rightness, which lies at the foundation of all religions and binds us all together, no matter what our petty distinctions or creed may be.

If anything were needed to show how strong these feelings were in him, how his heart rebelled against injustice and wrong, it would be the series of events which you have this day so beautifully commemorated. When the terrible crisis came in Russia, I confess I looked with anxiety to see how he would deal with it. It had been my fortune, at two different times in my life, to study the question involved in the heart of the Russian Empire. But there was now no disappointment. In all the work now done by Mr. Hay appeared not only the far-sighted view of the statesman, the knowledge of the scholar, and the thought of the political philosopher, but the heart of a noble and true man. Whether

dealing with the vexatious questions which arose in Turkey or with the Alaskan Boundary question, he had shown not merely fertility of resource, but what is sometimes far more important than that, a wise patience, and he had his reward in the consciousness of duty well done. But in his dealings with the persecution in Russia, he revealed the depths of his heart.

And how inspiringly was this shown at a later period,—the time when, under the dome of the Capitol, he paid his great tribute to his friend there lying dead, Mr. McKinley. Of all funeral orations ever made in our country, that was the most perfect;—in its beauty, unapproachable; in its depth, beyond the sounding of any save the noblest hearts. It came as an inspiration at home and abroad, and here, too, the heart of the orator was what infused strength and beauty into the oration of the scholar, the man of letters, the statesman. My friends of the congregation Keneseth Israel, you have indeed done a noble thing in commemorating so beautifully the services rendered by this friend, not merely of Israelites or of Christians, but of the whole human race. So long as this beautiful memorial exists, nay, so long as our republic exists, men will look back to the career of John Hay as proving the vast and far-reaching truth uttered by the great prophets of Israel, whom we all alike revere, "Righteousness exalteth a nation."

CONSECRATION OF WINDOW, RABBI JOS. KRAUSKOPF, D.D.

Text: "Who shall dwell in thy tabernacle?" "He that walketh uprightly; who speaketh the truth in his heart; in whose eyes the wicked is despised." Psalm XV.

In churches old and new, in countries far and near, artists hands immortalize the story of ancient seers or mediaeval saints, the story of those who founded the church or suffered martyrdom in the spread of it, or of those who in cave or desert or mountain solitude, far removed from their fellow-kind, spent their days in prayer, penance and mortification. In this House of God, we consecrate this morning the life and deeds of one whose name is not told in our Scriptures of old, nor in our martyrology of the Dark- and Middle-Ages, who spent his days

in the midst of his fellowmen, and followed pursuits that are little akin to those of the church, whose people were not of our people, nor was his faith our faith.

It is a new type of saintship that we consecrate today, a type that knows no national or racial or credal lines, a type that is as broad as humanity, a type that is open to all men and all women who live the godly life, and do the godly deed, be their creed what it may be theirs even no set creed at all. Creed it regards as but mere form; deed alone is its test of the godly faith, and where it finds a mind free from narrowness, a heart rich in affection, a spirit resolute in the defense of the wronged, a tongue fearless to speak the truth, even where truth-speaking is dangerous, a hand ready to strike a blow for justice and right, even though mighty tyrants and yet mightier armaments oppose,—there it finds the godly man.

Such a man was John Hay, in whose memory we consecrate yon window today. In the language of art it tells better than tongue can tell or pen can write the story that has won for him an everlasting place in the hearts and homes of Israel. The stern, yet dignified pose of the central figure of yon group, the attitude of noble defiance, the fire of the prophet's soul gleaming from the eyes, the face burning with righteous indignation, the right hand keeping back the weaponed horde in eager pursuit of a downtrodden people, the other hand holding the charter of his right of protest, and extending in protection over refugees seeking our shores of freedom—these tell the story of a prophet of our day, of an emancipator and redeemer of the twentieth century, the story of John Hay, late Secretar yof State.

“Who shall dwell in thy tabernacle?” asks Holy Writ, and answering, it says: “He that walketh uprightly; who speaketh the truth in his heart; in whose eyes the wicked is despised.” Such being the requisites for commemoration in the House of God, who has better deserved of that distinction than John Hay? What man walked more uprightly than he? Who, in a world of diplomatic deceit and cunning, loved the truth better than he? In whose eyes was the wicked more despised than in his?

He it was who, backed by his no less honest and courageous chief, our beloved President, Theodore Roosevelt, infused a new conception of statesmanship into the councils of the nations. Men before him had, time and again, introduced statecraft into religion; he introduced the teaching of religion into statecraft. When occasion required, he, the statesman, turned preacher, and thundered into the ears of emperors and kings: "Thou shalt not murder! Thou shalt not steal! Thou shalt not bear false witness! Thou shalt not covet! Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself!"—texts and truths that had become quite obsolete in the council-chambers of the rulers of the earth.

And his highest distinction lay in speaking when he needed not to speak, in defending those whom not to defend, whom even to outrage and abuse, had become the order of the day. What if Roumania violated her sacred Treaty pledge that guaranteed equal rights to the Jew? What if Russia massacred thousands of Jews, and lashed tens of thousands of others from their home and country, and denied to millions of others the barest human rights? Why needed he speak seeing that heads of mighty nations and of yet mightier denominations looked upon the outrage, and never lifted a finger in aid of the cruelly wronged, nor spoke a word in their defense. He spoke because others, whose duty it was to speak, refused to speak. He acted, because others in craven cowardice, or in base self-interest, or in callous indifference forgot their humanity. He recognized a higher law governing the nations of the earth than mere self-interest. He was brave because he was honest, and he was honest because he had a heart and soul within him, because he was possessed by a sense of duty such as possessed our Colonial Fathers, such as inspired the immortal deeds of Washington, of Jefferson, of Lincoln.

Together with yon window, we consecrate that higher type of statesmanship of which John Hay shall ever serve as pattern and expounder. His humanitarian statesmanship has taken root, and, here and there, has already borne blessed fruit. And the air is full of prophecy of larger development of the noble seed he planted among the nations of the earth. Other men will rise, and,

building upon his foundations, will mount to yet higher plains, verifying Emerson's teaching:

"Heartily know
When half-gods go,
The gods arrive."

But, wherever else John Hay be forgot, within this Sanctuary "the gods" to be shall never eclipse the "half-god" that was. Years will pass and seasons will change, decades will come and decades will go, but the memory of his noble life and illustrious deeds will here continue alive.

Here his voice will be heard from generation to generation. From this hour, until this house, in the ages distant, shall crumble into ruins, yon window will be to all worshipping here in truth as one of the sacred objects of this Sanctuary. Parents will bring their children hither to consecrate their lives to blessed usefulness and to deeds of noble daring, by the story told on yonder window. The wronged and oppressed, worshipping here, will, by looking upon yonder window, breathe in new hope for the ultimate reign of righteousness. The arrogant, the heartless, the avaricious, chancing hither, and learning the story it commemorates, will be taught anew that it is not by power or wealth that men conquer the distant ages, that they who would live in the future, must, like John Hay, consecrate the present to doing justice, to loving mercy, to walking humbly before God. And from far and near, sons and daughters of Israel will gather here, and, by gazing on yonder eagle, the symbol of the United States, intertwined with the double triangle, the ancient symbol of Israel, they will realize more fully than ever their debt of gratitude to this blessed land of freedom, and will pledge anew their unswerving fealty to our country and our flag.

JOHN HAY.

The mon's na' dead we ca' John Hay,
Joost laid aside's a wee bit clay—
In the broad stature o' his good
Rests a' the warld, his neighborhood.

The tingle o' our Nation's pride
Rins o'er the warld frae side to side;
It does na' pause at John Hay's bier,
He stands oot frae it bold an' clear.

Sae lang as honor, justice, right,
Are held to mark a Nation's might,
Sae lang will be point oot the way;
The mon's na' dead we ca' John Hay.

Charles McIlvaine.

Contributed for the Consecration of the Hay Memorial Window.

On the Dedication of the Memorial Window in Keneseth Israel
Temple.

Defender of this earth's oppressed, John Hay,
This is your glory, more than all the praise
Men vaunt your books and acts, when through the sway
Of States you held dominion. Lo, they raise
You shafts, illumine your soul in golden glows.
Enthroned as high as earth's great kings,
You urged release to ease and comfort those
Fell tyrants crushed, as if discarded things
Men throw away. Nor creed or tribe or race
You chose. You strove to set the bondman free,
Who knew the Liberator face to face.
Ah, kings and warriors turn to dust; but he
Who lifts the fallen, helps the weak and lame,
He dies, but man's love guards his deathless name.

Joseph Leiser.

Kingston, N. Y., November, 1906.

THE KAPPA SEMI-CENTENNIAL.

The Commemoration on the first three days of last November, of the Fifteenth Anniversary of the Kappa Charge, was an event of marked interest to the Fraternity, not only because it was the first time this milestone had been reached in the Theta Delta Chi without any interruption, and because the story of this Charge is an interesting illustration of what part a secure foundation and high ideals play in creating success.

There is no space here for presenting even the bare outlines of Kappa's long history:—In a later number, this may be found—but to one who could watch even for a brief period the men who gathered to celebrate the anniversary of "The Old Woman," it was easy to read the secret of her prosperous longevity.

The observances were under the general supervision of the Semi-Centennial Committee with its representative composition as follows:

President, Arthur W. Peirce, 82; Vice-Presidents, Augustus E. Scott, 58; Winsor B. French, 59; Elmer H. Capen, 60, Omega, 1905; John W. Hammond, 61; Stephen M. Babcock, 66; Le Grand Powers, 72; Henderson H. Eddy, 76; Francis B. Harrington, 77; Frederick W. Hamilton, 80; Winthrop L. Marvin, 84; Merritt B. Coolidge, 61; Charles S. Fobes, 61; John C. Graves, 62; William E. Savery, 65, Omega 1906; James M. Schumacher, 66; Byron Groce, 67; Charles E. Fay, 68; Stephen M. Pitman, 69; William F. Southard, 69; William B. French, 70; William M. Lawrence, 73; Myron F. Michael, 75; Arthur P. French, 76; William L. Hopper, 77; Harry R. Virgin, 79; Edwin E. Davis, 80; George M. Lovejoy, 82; Oscar H. Perry, 83; Edwin A. Start, 84; Samuel W. Mendum, 85; George H. Braley, 86; Ralph F. Joslin, 86; James F. Albion, 87; Charles H. Patterson, 87; Sumner Robinson, 88; Thomas O. Marvin, 89; Charles L. Reed, 89; Frederick W. Perkins, 91; F. Murray Hollister, 92; Melvin M. Johnson, 92; Fred E. Kimball, 92; Stillman Shaw, 93; Thomas Whittemore, 94; C. Neal Barney, 95; Harry C. Folsom, 95; Guy

C. Pierce, 96; Horace A. Davis, 97; Samuel P. Capen, 98; Fred-eric E. Town, 98; F. W. Knowlton, 99; Ernest G. Marble, 99; John O. Burrage, 00; John P. Clark, 00; Josiah Butler, 01; Harry C. Turner, 01; Richard B. Coolidge, 02; R. B. Manbert, 02; Arthur W. Coolidge, 03; Charles F. Berry, Jr., 04; Harry M. Green, 04; Arthur W. Lovejoy, 05; Secretary, Ira K. Kent, 99.

This committee had had its plans under way for two years past, particularly in regard to the assembling of the Semi-Centennial Fund. The fifteenth anniversary of the meeting at which the first Tufts' men were initiated into the fraternity was August 29, 1906, but owing to the changes in the college year it was not feasible to observe this date. On a more convenient date, therefore, but still in the anniversary year, namely, on Thursday, November 1, the Kappa men began to gather for their jubilee; many coming long distances to be present. The vanguard appeared at the Charge house in time for dinner at six and the dinning-room rang constantly with the greetings to new arrivals. By eight o'clock when the initiations got under way upstairs, the house was crowded, chiefly with men since 1880. The more aged waited until next day before making their appearance. The boys attended the initiation in relays, since there was no room for all at once, and those who stayed downstairs let no minutes go to waste for lack of enjoying them. The only shadow upon the gathering was the illness of Brother Compton Bray, 04, at his father's home, only a short distance away.

The last squads of graduates got a night car for Boston some time before one o'clock and were with difficulty detached at their hotels—these late-stayers were as a rule, the men who had come long distances for the event and weren't letting any of it get by!

COMMEMORATION DAY.

Friday, "Commemoration Day" was inclement, but that did not keep the men from appearing at the Hill in good numbers for luncheon. After luncheon a company set out to inspect the new things about the college, especially the new library. The crew of oldsters nearly broke up a lecture in zoology by chant-

ing the Barnum Song in the Museum, but otherwise no untoward incident marred the triumphal progress.

Everybody was back at the Charge House by three o'clock when the commemoration meeting was opened by Thomas Whittemore, 94, Chairman of the Sub-committee in charge. The Historical address by Edwin A. Start, 84, was of most admirable quality and was most admirably delivered. Its historical data will be embodied in the history which the Kappa is bringing forth under Brother Start's editorship. The roll of the dead was given by Brother Whittemore.

At seven o'clock that evening the Commemoration Dinner was held at Young's Hotel, Boston. F. W. Perkins, 91, was Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

The dining hall was draped with the Stars and Stripes, the College Brown and Blue and the fraternity banners. The tables were handsomely decorated with carnations and small silk fraternity flags. At each place were a streamer marked with the occasion, the dinner card designed by R. B. Manbert, 02, of Chicago and the Semi-Centennial Song—music by H. A. Davis, 97, and words by I. R. Kent, 99. Over eighty Kappa men and their guests sat at the tables.

H. A. Davis, 97, was at the piano and there was a roar of songs and cheers in the cracks between the speeches.

When the cigars were alight and he was able to sieze upon a lull in the singing the Chairman, Brother Perkins introduced the post-prandial speaking, in part, as follows:

CHAIRMAN F. W. PERKINS.

Brothers in old Kappa, it is my good fortune to have the privilege of again extending to you the welcome of the old Charge at this service. It will be you good fortune that I shall observe the admonition of Mark Twain, who, when he was asked what a presiding officer ought to say before he introduced the other speakers, said that he ought to say nothing as speedily and in as few words as possible. And, as we have many speakers, and as the ground of Kappa's history and Kappa's hopes is to be so splendidly covered, I hall not make any attempt to cover the ground for them. I am going to make most of my speech tonight by proxy.



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THE KAPPA SEMI-CENTENNIAL MENU

I have here upon my breast a Theta Delta Chi pin, which may be of some little interest to the members of the Charge here tonight. One of the charter members was Benjamin K. Russ. It seems that this pin came into the possession of a niece of his, who chance to be one of my parishioners, and, learning that the pin was in her possession, I asked her permission to wear it. Thinking some of the men who were contemporaries would like to see how one of the original Charge member looked, she also sent along this photograph of Brother Russ, which I am going to have passed about the table, and you may look at it and see the splendid features of this man who was one of the finest and rarest men that Kappa Charge ever turned out.

There are three living members of the original Charge. Two of them we have the great pleasure to have here tonight. The third wanted to come, but could not, and has been sending the committee letters of regret. Tonight there came his further regrets in the form of a telegram. In one of his letters he said, with what perhaps might be called pardonable pride, that as he could not be here he wanted to send something to show us what a good-looking fellow he was when he was feeling well. So he sent this photograph, which, as it has no other designation, I shall take the liberty of presenting to the Charge, to be treasured as a souvenir of this occasion, a photograph of Brother Windsor B. French.

Before I introduce the Master of the Feast, I will read to you the words Brother French sent, with the request that it be read if it should not prove too long! The lack of space renders it necessary to omit Brother French's letter. He said that he was in the position of a clergyman, about whom there was made complaint concerning the length of his sermons, who replied that he had not time to make them any shorter.

The chairman read the letter just exactly as it stood, and at the conclusion it was voted unanimously that a telegram of greetings be sent to Brother French from the meeting.

The Chairman then handed over amid cheers and applause the further conduct of the festivities to the Master of the Feast:

CHARLES NEAL BARNEY, CLASS OF 1895.

Mr. Chairman, and Brothers in Kappa, when we were in College the fellow who held the position that I now hold here, used to be called "toastmaster," and I am not entirely sure in my own mind what the distinction is. I notice I am put down here as the Master of the Feast. I wish to say, if the title means what its words nat-

urally import,—that I have already mastered the feast, I can say with Daniel Webster that the past at least is secure. (Laughter.)

The Chairman of your Committee has told you that the duty of the presiding officer is to say nothing and in as few words as possible, and I shall do that very thing.

The other night I was making a political speech, and the next morning I received in my mail a clipping which somebody cut from a paper with "Don't for Political Speakers." I am going to read two of these now, because they may be of use to the other speakers.

The first is: Don't say it gives you great pleasure to address the people. Don't tell how dearly you love this grand old Commonwealth. We are all wise.

Don't insist that the office is seeking the man. The age of miracles is past.

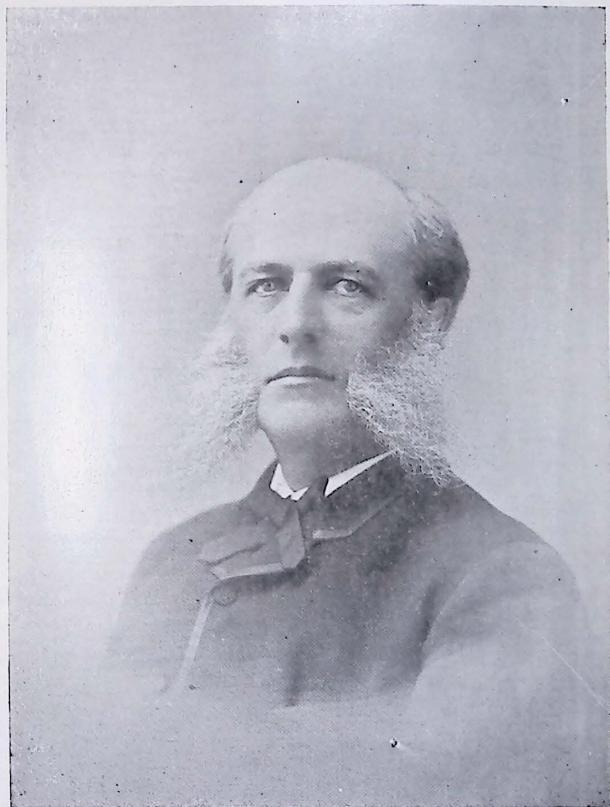
Don't say, I stand before you tonight, gentlemen. You are not talking to a blind asylum.

Don't get excited and shout, "What am I here for?" The chances are someone will answer, "God only knows."

We are glad to have with us tonight, two of the originators, the founders of Kappa Charge. The names of those men who met the first time, the charter members of the Charge, are familiar, I think, to all of you,—Capen, Gibbs, Porter, Sawyer, Scott, Russ, MacIntyre and French. As the presiding officer has said, three of these men are living. You have already heard the letter from Brother French, and it now gives me pleasure to introduce to you one of the survivors of that immortal body which founded Kappa Charge fifty years ago, the George Washington of our Charge, the Hon. A. E. Scott. (College cheer and applause).

BROTHER SCOTT'S REMINISCENCES.

Mr. Master of Ceremonies and Brothers of the Theta Delta Chi: I am almost taken off my feet by this reception. I think you can hardly realize what it means to ask a fellow to take himself back fifty years in memory, and I assume that nearly all of you have retained enough of your mathematics to add fifty years to the average age of a boy in college fifty years ago, and if you can do that, you will probably very soon come to the conclusion that I am almost the oldest, if not the oldest fellow here. If I were at all sensitive on that point, I might find some consolation, perhaps, in that I have lived during a half-century so fraught with achievement; and if I were looking for oratory, what a field part of that achievement would have afforded me! But I suppose I am here rather to recall to mind and tell you what I can remember about the early days



BROTHER AUGUSTUS F. SCOTT
Zeta 1858
One of the Founders of Kappa

of our Alma Mater and the foundation of the Kappa Charge of Theta Delta Chi Fraternity.

When I was ready for college, Tufts College had not been dedicated. It was given out that there would be an opportunity for those who cared to come and put up with the inconveniences to pursue a course of study during that first year, 1854, but I had grown up under the shadow of Brown University. I knew none of the men who were thinking of coming to Tufts College, and I persuaded my parents to allow me to enter Brown. Perhaps there was a kind of fate in my going to Brown University, for, had I not entered there, it is quite possible that the Kappa Charge of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity would not be in existence.

DEAR OLD ZETA.

It was my good fortune to be very soon invited to join the Zeta Chapter of the fraternity, and I was thrown into contact with a class of men like Simonds, a prominent lawyer, afterwards an assistant attorney-general of the United States, with Carroll, with Stone and Franklin Burdge, two men who did more for the early welfare of the Society than any others that I recall, and in my own class there was Manchester and Carr and Douglas, and last but not least, John Hay, even then of considerable renown in a literary way. But my parents were among the early come-outers from Calvinism to Universalism. They seemed to think Tufts College was the Mecca which all earnest students should attend, and I was persuaded to go there.

The new dormitory was finally completed and we were removed to our new quarters. The rooms were fairly comfortable, but the seating arrangements were not altogether satisfactory. They were under the charge of one Mr. Tower, whose experience in that kind of business was only that which was learned from the pulpit. The lower part of the basement was used for a kitchen and for a dining-room. I think that he did pretty well, as well as the average men could do with that class of boys, but I suppose we did make his life somewhat miserable.

A TOUGH EXPERIENCE.

I remember well one morning at breakfast we had all been served, quite generously served, I think, with what was called beef-steak. After all were helped, Redmond, who was rather a little more impulsive, perhaps, than the rest of us, sent his plate back the whole length of the table with the meat untouched asking for another piece. Talbot spoke up and said, "Mr. Redmond, what is the matter with the piece on your plate?" "Oh, nothing, Mr. Talbot.

I only wanted another one just like it for a pair of taps for my boots!"

The small room near the front of the building in the basement on the easterly side was used as a pantry, and the window of this room was protected by iron bars put across three or four inches apart. It did not take long to find a way to get beyond those obstructions. A long flat shovel was procured which could be easily slipped between the bars under a pie or a cake and drawn back outside. Talbot kept hens and the nests were in the barn which was directly behind this building, and we felt somehow or another that we had a part ownership in those eggs.

ORDER OF THE COFFEE POT.

It was these cakes and these pies and these eggs with coffee which we could readily make ourselves, that formed many a glorious supper late at night after the students who were inclined to more studious things had gone to bed, and that gave rise to the association which Brother French has alluded to in his letter, the formation of the Order of the Coffee Pot. He has stated to you that we aspired to some very fine china, and our sugar bowls and cream pitchers were decorated in the most artistic manner. Knowing that there were few of those things in existence, and feeling that they might be a novelty to you, I hunted for my old cup and brought it here to show you tonight. (Producing cup.) The cup is, as you see, decorated with an old-fashioned coffee pot, above which is the name, "The Order of the Coffee Pot, Tufts, 1858." We adopted a medal which we wanted to be very artistic, and we wanted a classical motto, as French has stated, and we wanted that motto to be exactly correct, because we knew we should be subject to a great deal of criticism. We got along very well with the first part of the motto which we had adopted, "Since it pleases us," but "whose business is it" was a staggerer. I volunteered to interview Dr. Snyder, and after talking about all sorts of things to get him interested, I somehow asked him how he would put that in idiomatic construction. He suggested two or three different things, and finally he said, "I have it now! I have it now! Cujus refert." It has always been more of a staggerer to me ever since. (Laughter.) Brother French asks what has become of this order. Well, I do not think it lived very long after the perpetrators of it graduated.

A CLOSER ASSOCIATION.

But amid all these things which I have suggested, and in this life on the hill, there was all the time a sort of lingering feeling that I wanted a closer association with something different. The Zeta Psi Fraternity had succeeded in establishing a chapter during

the year 1855, composed of good men, nearly all of them my friends, but somehow or other I was rather glad that I was not one of them. I had felt all along that at the proper time I should be very glad to be instrumental in establishing a charge of the Fraternity to which I belonged. I worked during that first year, 1855, and I don't know how I did it, but Gibbs and French became interested, and at the beginning of the following year, 1856, there came from Vermont and Maine and New York and Massachusetts, quite a large class of men, among whom was one young fellow, tall and slim, rather awkward in manner, but with a cheery smile and a clear eye that would always look you in the face.

We very soon interested him also, and as you all well know, he became interested in the fraternity, was interested all through his life, always ready to come to our assistance in time of need, and we know him as one who was elected to fill the highest place which was in the power of the College to grant, and who occupied it so many years, with so much fidelity and with so much distinction. Together with him we succeeded in interesting four other men.

KAPPA CHARGE BORN.

The charter had been procured. Brother Carr of Providence, a tall, dignified fellow, more than six feet tall, came up to assist me. Brother Brown, who was made a member of the Fraternity, at Harvard, came over and assisted, and we three initiated these men I have referred to, with all the dignity and with all the power of which we were capable.

It was somewhat difficult to find a place in which to perform this ceremony, but finally I succeeded in securing the old engine house which stood at that time on the side of the street just off from Main Street, this side of Medford Square. We were assured that we would not be disturbed, but it required considerable tact to keep out of the building several of the curious who were directed by the lights which they saw in the upper windows.

Later on we opened quarters in a block in Medford, which was then owned by the Rev. James M. Usher, a Universalist minister. Those quarters were, I think, in the main satisfactory and served our purpose, at least so long as I was in the College. The following year, in 1861, we took in, I think, four or five men, among them Brothers Coolidge, Dennison and Fobes, three men who have had an honorable career in business, Pope, a prominent lawyer of great promise, but who was cut off in his early days; Powers, a brilliant divine, and Hammond, Judge of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts. I think I have some reason to be proud of the part which I took in selecting men of this character. It was the founda-

tion on which was built our Fraternity, the foundation which gives to it its character.

I congratulate myself that I have been able to enjoy this good time tonight, and I wish to express the hope that our Fraternity will continue to prosper at Tufts College and that many of the men who are now present will be celebrating the hundredth anniversary of the foundation of our chapter fifty years from tonight.

The reminiscences of Brother Scott were greeted with enthusiasm and were followed by a round of hearty applause.

BROTHER FRANCIS H. BROWN WELCOMED.

Before presenting the second one of the founders of the Charge who was present, the Chairman stated that they had with them, as Brother Scott had suggested in his address, Dr. Brown of Iota 1857. He was one of the men assigned to initiate the Charge, and could be assured of a warm welcome among Kappa men.

For the second speaker of the evening he would introduce the other member of the original body, who would tell about the day of small things. In these days when the Mayor of Boston and other people are trying to make Boston bigger, busier and better, it is sometimes refreshing to go back and hear about small things. They would hear again about small things from a large man,—Brother William E. Gibbs, Class of 1859. (College cheer and applause.) A part of Brother Gibbs's address follows.

BROTHER GIBBS.

The calmness, Brothers, with which Brother Scott has brought forward his falsifications, is indicative of his character (Laughter). There never was a day of small things for Tufts College. Years before these present college buildings were occupied, Dr. Ballou had besought a general convention of Universalists in America to raise \$100,000, as a sufficient guarantee of an income necessary to maintain a college. Years rolled by, and every year the Doctor brought forward his plea, until at last it was resolved that an attempt should be made to raise a hundred thousand dollars for the endowment of the college, the purpose of that college being the gathering together of young men who were willing to consecrate themselves to the christian ministry. The day the class of 1859 entered the college was the day upon which the keys were delivered over to the faculty, and it was thought then marvelous that 22 young men entered in that class. I am satisfied that there never was a time when our college did not fulfil its purpose and bring forward those who could lift up the banner and help the world to become a better world.

A WORTHY RECORD.

Our Charge grew, as it has been said here, and without much of the folly which appertains, oftentimes, to secret societies. They have been a loyal, devoted section of the college, upholding its ministry and making it of greater value to the community in itself. And, as we think it over, we can see in our mind's eye the ways by which life has been enriched, the College has been enlarged, and those who have attended its courses of instruction have received their benefit therefrom.

WHAT FRIENDSHIP MEANS.

I think we may rejoice at the results which the college education has brought about, and I believe that we of the Theta Delta Chi ought to remember that it is in our power to make the college even greater than it is. Our hopes are strong, the opportunities are frequent, our power is sufficient. Let us use it like men and make our manhood more real because of our communion with those of our Brothers who have gone to the other side. We look on, not with tears, but with gladness. Many a one whose life has been surrendered back to His who gave it, can say from their lives and the influence which they have exerted the world comes to a closer realization of the ideal life. Let us reverently recall to ourselves the meaning of the mystic words, "Theta Delta Chi," and as we recall them feel, warming up the whole system within us, a love for the Brothers which makes us glad to live in charity with all. (Applause.)

The chairman then said that the men of Theta Delta Chi and the men of Kappa Charge have been called to all sorts of positions of honor and trust, and have occupied every kind of post of honor that has been within the gift of the people. It is with particular pleasure that he introduced to them one of the brothers of the early Kappa who occupies a position of honor in the community of which we are a part, second to no man, a justice of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, their Brother, John W. Hammond, of the class of 61, who would speak upon the very broad theme, "Then, and Now." (College cheer and applause.)

JUDGE HAMMOND'S SPEECH IN PART.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen: I have been greatly pleased with the remarks of Brother Scott, which, especially with reference to the escapades, judging from the familiarity of detail which he showed in that business, seemed to me to be largely autobiographical. I have, however, drawn that inference simply as a lawyer,

and I do not know what verdict the jury would come to upon that question.

Nothing has been said about what Theta Delta Chi people did. What did we do? We had a society. We had literary exercises, although there were these pranks which we have had statements about tonight. As a rule, we were sober, serious men, and even in that society, as I remember it, the exercises were largely literary, and in that respect I do not know what you will do now, but I have the idea that the chief thing now is to have a place where you can put your baseball bats and football and things of that kind, and once in a while have men come there and stay all night.

AN AMBIGUOUS ANNOUNCEMENT.

By the way, speaking of that reminds me of some ideas that I got on reading the paper which lies beside my plate. I had always supposed that things were going all right up here in the Charge, but I was a little suspicious when I read this sentence:

"On Thursday, November 1st, after the initiation, the logs in the big fire-place will be set ablaze and the hour of pipes, songs and memories will be inaugurated. Perhaps there will be a trip to Medford, if the weather is good."

A LAWYER'S INFERENCE.

Now, "Medford" is an ambiguous word, and when a judge or a lawyer, in the interpretation of a statute, comes across an ambiguous word, he always looks to the context to see if that throws any light on the real meaning of the word. The context is in the next sentence:

"A number of the men can be furnished with sleeping places on the hill that night, if desired."
(Laughter.)

No man is a fit man to be a judge or a lawyer who cannot, from that context, determine the meaning of the word "Medford." But however that may be, whether the trip was then taken or was ever taken, and whether I am correct in my interpretation of the word "Medford" as indicated by the context or not, one thing is certain, and that is, that these secret societies are of use, and great use, to those who belong to them. I speak of the secret society conducted as this society always has been.

INFLUENCES FOR GOOD.

Anybody who has been to college knows—and the more he goes along in life the clearer he knows it, and the more he mingles

with outside life the keener he feels it—that one of the best, one of the great influences for good in college life is the association with other members, each student with his fellows. The student who studies alone, the student who is in college and rooms at home, is at a great disadvantage. He wants to be with the boys, to sleep with them, to have fun with them, to share in their pranks, to see them as they are, and the associations are one of the chief benefits of college life. That is always well supplemented by club life, and he who does not see that, the student who does not see that loses a great deal of college life.

But, gentlemen, in college life there is a place for companionship, there is a place for hilarity, there is a place for letting down to a certain extent, never losing your natural dignity, and these societies aid greatly in contributing to the companionship, which ever afterwards is looked back to with pleasure. (Applause.)

Mr. Chairman said that mention had been made by several of the speakers of the fraternity rooms in Medford. I think it is exceedingly unfortunate for the younger members of Kappa Charge that they do not remember that old room in the Usher Block, with its ante-room filled with all sorts of bric-a-brac, gathered from many sources.

BROTHER ARTHUR PEIRCE.

Another thing about those old Charge rooms, the Chairman said, was connected with the speaker he was about to present. There used to hang on the walls of the old rooms in Medford a beautiful picture of a beautiful woman, Cleopatra. Tradition had it, in his day, that it was presented to the Charge by a gay member of the Class of 1882, and he afterwards heard that it was presented by Brother Arthur W. Peirce, because he had no more use for it.

The Master of the Feast then presented Bro. Peirce, who was announced to speak on "Why We Celebrate." (College cheer and applause.) Brother Peirce rose and prefaced his address with the announcement that the Fund Committee had obtained pledges for \$2,800. (This was increased during the evening to \$3,000, and later to \$3,200.)

WHY WE CELEBRATE.

We reach this month the golden milestone in the history of the Kappa Charge of Theta Delta Chi Fraternity. Planted fifty years ago in a small and comparatively obscure college with only a few men as leaders, this charge has kept its way—an unbroken path—through five decades. Though the mother charge of this Fraternity, the Alpha at Union College, was founded eight years before and there were several charges that antedated ours, we have the honor of being the oldest charge in point of continuous existence. Not for a day has the light of our candle at the altar of friendship gone out. Today we gather, the young, the middle aged, and the old, to keep a feast that has a meaning to each of us, differing it may be, but real and vital to us all.

Perhaps I can speak for those of 1856 and those of 1906 and of all the years between, when I say that we celebrate this festival: First, because it is a festival of youth. We love to dwell on our youth even when we are old. In our older days we value and prize those elements in our lives that take us back to that mountain of vision, our youth, where we looked forward into the promised land all aglow with the light of our imagination.

To my mind no influence does so much to crystallize the best impulses of youthful enthusiasm, to make them more real and vital, than the influences that are founded upon the fraternity life, if entered into with the enthusiasm and spirit that characterizes almost every young man that enters our Theta Delta Chi. It is a grand thing to be young. It is a grander thing to be young and to have in that youth the comradeship of fraternal life, the esprit de corps and mutual devotion to high ideals, that are the beneficent rewards of the fraternity association. President Capen, who would have enjoyed this hour more than any other man I know, said: "If you would ask the men who have reached distinction and who are recognized forces in the world around us, who as young men were members of this Fraternity, what are the influences which have helped to shape them for their work, they would not hesitate to accord a considerable share, and many of them a large portion, to the influence of Theta Delta Chi."

A SPLENDID INSPIRATION.

I am always glad to bear my humble testimony to the part the Fraternity bore in the development of my own youth. I count it almost first among the forces that drew me out of myself, gave me inspirations, and ideals, and friendships that have had a large share in my life experience. It gave a shy, uninterested and uninteresting boy something to think of, some ideals to work for, and a vast deal of inspiration for his work in life. I have always been glad when a

boy whom I had known, cast his lot in my own Fraternity, for I believed, that if he had the right stuff in him, Theta Delta Chi would bring it out. And this is not my experience alone. I remember that one of our most prominent Theta Delts, Ex-Governor and Ex-United States Attorney-General John W. Griggs, of New Jersey, said in his mature years, "If I have achieved anything of success, if I have had anything of prosperity, I believe it has been due to the fact that I have tried to exemplify in my life the principles of truth, honor, brotherhood and good fellowship, instilled in Theta Delta Chi."

There recently died in this state an aged lawyer, at his death the oldest member of the bar, who, in leaving a small bequest to his fraternity at Williams, said in his will: "I became a member of this society on entering college, and now after a period of nearly sixty-four years my relations with it and its associations and memories are very dear. This bequest by no means adequately measures my fondness for it."

Not only do we celebrate because this is a festival of youth, but because it is a festival of remembrance, a calling up anew of those past experiences

"Whose echoes lie in memory yet
Though envious years would say 'Forget'."

How many throng to the minds of each one of us as we dwell in those rare days of our youth,—the days when we were rushed as freshmen; the man whom we came so well to know because of his great interest in us on those first days on College Hill, to whom we gave our pledge, wondering whether our voices betrayed the eagerness we thought it prudent to conceal.

The brilliant debates of the present President of the College and of his formidable antagonist, Brother Wilder of his own class, seem as vivid as yesterday's events.

SILVA AND CAPEN.

Nor shall I soon forget the wreck of the ill-fated steamer "Vera Cruz" that bore our friend Silva 80, his rescue, and the great dinner that we gave him at the Revere House on his return to Boston, after that wreck. We can forget the inspiration of President Capen's great speech on that occasion, nor yet, that scene in the South Station, where in his deep feeling on his final leaving us, for his home, Silva fell back unconsciously on the customs of his country, and fell on our necks and kissed us each on either cheek, to the great wonder and amazement of the bystanders and to the distress of the victims!

Every man here tonight fills in the frame of those remembrances with pictures of his own, but they are pleasant to look upon, and pleasant to think about. In our quiet hours, memory takes us

back to those days and, if your experiences are as mine, you find no brighter, fairer pictures in memory's gallery than those that embody the scenes of the days of our youth in Theta Delta Chi.

And then we celebrate this festival because it is a festival of friendship, a friendship not for business enterprises or material gain, but a friendship founded on community of aims, of ideals, of spirit and of fellowship, a friendship of educated men of harmonious natures. Other friendships come and go but the friendships of our college days and especially the friendships of our fraternity life seem to belong to a different class.

UNSELFISH FRIENDSHIP.

The Theta Delt is educated in a school of unselfish friendships and out of years past and gone we look back and note with wonder that, through all the vicissitudes of time, changes of place and changes of vocation, we still find so many ties in common with those we learned to call friends so many years ago. It is to some extent the inheritance of the college man, as a college man; but as a fraternity man, something high and fine is added. I am constantly surprised to find how many of the continuing friendships of my life are due to the membership in this fraternity. It is, I doubt not, true of you all. Certainly I have always found that even the oldest of our men speak in the most tender way of these friends and brothers whom they have known in Theta Delta Chi. "Friendships of unapproachable sweetness and tenderness and of life-lasting influence and power."—President Capen calls them.

If only for the things personal to ourselves, there would be abundant reason for celebration, but above and beyond this, is the fact that the Kappa Charge as an organized body of young men, has wrought a good work through fifty years, of which every one of us may be proud because we had some small part in it. The sum total of individual effort and power is multiplied when banded together, and for fifty years this organization has been doing something to give the highest ideals of manhood to a succession of young men coming into its portals, becoming a part of its organized life, and going out into the world to achieve more than an ordinary share of distinction in the walks of life.

DUTY TO FUTURE.

To you, young men at the foot of these tables, to whom there is the possibility of that centennial anniversary, gleaming there far in the distance, in 1956,—impossible to many of us here seated,—we transmit the record of fifty years, the traditions, the ideals of Kappa Charge, that you may keep them untarnished, that the stars may still shine in their brightness, the arrows still fly to the mark, and the

book of the constitution still remain open upon the altar, as year shall succeed year, until that 100th anniversary comes round. Strive for the best in fraternity life. Take good men and be bound to make them better. Inspire them with the highest ideals of fraternity life and we shall have no need to fear that there shall be any break in the organized life of this Charge for another half century; but we shall look forward with high hopes to the better day that is to come, feeling sure that, proud as we are of the fifty years gone by, under your efforts and by God's blessing, "the best is yet to be."

"The walls so blank,
My shadow I thank
For sometimes falling there."

In presenting the next speaker of the evening, the Chairman said he was going to make a slight shift in the program because of the fact that trains run out of Boston at an earlier time to some cities than to others. He therefore called on Bro. Daniel R. Brown of the class of 77, who was to tell about "In the 70's."

Brother Brown said that at Tufts they knew nothing of the opposition to the secret fraternities, that President Bellevue never found the interests of the college in conflict with his interests in the Fraternity. Of the little third-story back room, where their meetings were held, he said, there was nothing in the history of destitution between Charles Dickens and Jacob Riis approaching it:

With the housing of the fraternities, because of it, there has been a revolution, a new birth. Former things have passed away, and all things have become new. He was surprised to see recently an authoritative statement of the extent to which this housing has been provided. The fraternities in American colleges own 290 houses. They rent 368 houses, and some are very fine buildings. In the Kappa there has been an influence which I think ought to be made permanent in all the chapter houses, and that is, the residence of a graduate member of the charge, preferably an officer of the college. (Applause.)

It was natural at the conclusion of these addresses that interest should center in the large-minded and large-hearted Theta Delt who has recently been elevated to the presidency of Tufts. In introducing President Hamilton, the Chairman said that the

next speaker was a member of Kappa Charge who had gone back to the college to take his post-graduate course, and in doing so went back with the good feeling and the good spirit of Kappa Charge behind him, that again they pledged the loyalty of members of Theta Delta Chi to their new Theta Delta Chi President, Brother Hamilton of the class of 1880. (College cheer and applause.)

PRESIDENT HAMILTON.

I stand before you as a miserable specimen of broken faith. When I left my house, I solemnly promised Madam, the Presidentess, that I would come out on the 11:25 train. I am not going to do anything of the sort, because the Kappa Charge never will have another fiftieth anniversary, and I propose to make my speech if it takes all summer. If any of us had any doubt that college boys were and are much the same in all generations, I think that doubt must have been dispelled as these old boys have been telling us with thinly veiled allusions of things that were done in those college days. These things simply indicate that we all were boys once, if we are not now, and they all indicate, I think, that we are all made of much the same stuff.

The special thing which I was asked to talk about to you was the Charge and the College, and it opens a line of thought which has been spoken of a little, but which it has been left for me to develop. We can all, I suppose, give our testimony to the value of the Charge to ourselves. I have said a great many times, and I am glad to say it again, now, that I think I got more out of the Theta Delta Chi when I was at college, more of the things which have remained with me, more that had to do with the making of whatever I have managed to accomplish in the way of manhood and character, than any other influence that came into my college life, and I think every one of us who has graduated from the Charge has felt during all the remaining years of his life the weight of his indebtedness to the associations which were there made, to the friendships and influences with which he was surrounded, to the opportunities which were given him for the development of that which was best in him, and for all the things which went to make up the joy and the fullness of those joyful and full years of our lives. But we sometimes forget the value of the Charge to the institution itself, and as the head of the institution I have come to say what my lamented predecessor—and I wish that he might have lived to see this day—would have said if he had been permitted to stand here and speak, as he

would have been so glad to speak, on this same subject; and one thing that Brother Brown has spoken of already, that I want you to remember, is, that thirty years ago Elmer H. Capen was the only New England college president who had the vision of insight and foresight to see the value of the fraternity to the college. Brother Brown has said that the fraternities were barely tolerated in those days. They were not tolerated in many of the colleges. They were not permitted in Harvard University, they were frowned upon in many of the colleges and it was only a bare tolerance which they received in a few of the colleges. Elmer H. Capen felt that the institution of the fraternity was of value to the college, and in the days when it seemed as if the officers of the association of colleges in New England were likely to join in an effort to destroy the fraternities, he, single-handed and alone, fought the battle of the fraternities and succeeded in saving them from that which would have meant their destruction (applause). The time has come when it has been permitted you to sit in that same council and hear as the comment ran around the room, man after man, the heads of those very institutions which formerly placed the fraternities under the ban, acknowledge his dependence upon them for the higher life of the college which he represented. And that has come because in these years the men of the fraternities have proved their value to the college in many ways, and the college president of today, instead of regarding the fraternity with distrust and aversion, instead of regarding it as the hatching place of plots innumerable, and the destruction of his peace of mind, and of the stability and success of the institution, regards the fraternity system as one of the strong props, not of his authority but of his influence, one of the most important means by which he gets in touch with the life of the student, one of the most important means by which the business welfare of the student is secured, one of the most important means by which men can be held to their own work and held to standpoints of manhood and of character.

NOT IDLE WORDS.

You and I know it is not mere idle words that we speak of those ties which bind together the members of this fraternity, and sometime it will come to you, as it has come to me, and as it has come through the years to the other members of the faculty who have been in the college, to feel that here is this group of men with whom things may be talked over, with whom men may be talked over, with whom measures may be concerted for the benefit of all concerned.

I think I should hesitate to assume charge of any institution of learning in which there were no fraternities, and it is one of the

things that gives me courage in taking up the tasks which I have so recently undertaken to feel that I have this element in the college, and that I have, particularly, this element in my brothers of Theta Delta Chi. It is a source of strength to the institution and a source of power, and I am just as sure as I am that I stand here today, that Brother Start underset rather than overset the truth in his paper this afternoon, when he paid his tribute to the influence which Kappa Charge has borne in the development of Tufts College in the last fifty years, in taking that little institution with its one building and its dozen or fifteen students, and making it an institution which stands today so high in the list, numerically, and in every other way, of American Colleges. Tufts College does not mean to me simply a hill-top with a place to sleep and a place to eat, a place where I learn certain things, which, for the most part, I straightway proceed to forget. That is not Tufts College, and if that were all that the words meant to me, I find it difficult to imagine how I could have any particular loyalty or love for it. The things that come back to me are the personal things, and Tufts College does not mean simply so many buildings and so much Latin and so much Greek and so much mathematics. It means a group of teachers: it means Prexy Capen and Billy Ship and Jack Marshall, and dear old Corky Dearborn and the rest, all that have honored memories, men whom I love and some of whom I regret, as the call has come to their larger service. It means the men with whom I lived for four years, it means Frank Harrington and Dan Brown, Ned Davis and Frank Wilder and the other men who were in my class and the classes before and the classes behind.

INSPIRATION OF THETA DELTA CHI.

And the thing that Tufts College signifies to me is this personal thing, these men with whom I lived and from whom I learned, and the loyalty which I felt for the institution finds its root in the friendships which I made there, in the men who guided me and the men who helped me and the men who befriended me when I was young and green and silly, as most freshmen are when they go to college, and the men who lived with me and ate with me and slept with me and walked with me and played tricks with me and did all the things that college men do together. It is that which makes a bright spot in my life, and it is that which is the center of my loyalty to the institution, and it is that which is the center of every graduate's loyalty to the institution; and, undergraduate brother, that is what Tufts College is going to mean to you when the hair grows back from your forehead and what little there is of it gets gray as the years go, when you shall be looked at by the younger men as the

relic of a bygone generation, and surely nothing can be of more value to an institution than these centers, these incentives to loyalty and to love.

Everyone of us here today has his word, if he is a graduate. of gratitude to the Charge for what it has done to him, and I come tonight with this brief word, to say to you what I think the institution owes to you and what I think the institution owes to the Kappa Charge.

THE FIFTY YEARS TO COME.

We have said much of the fifty years that are to come, and they are going to be fifty years in which the service of the Charge to the College is going to be infinitely greater than it has been in the past. I want you to feel how great the service to the institution this Charge has rendered and has to render. I do not believe in self-glorification, I do not believe in anything that smacks of vanity or boasting or exultation, but I do believe that the healthiest thing that can come into a man's life is a realization of his own value. I do not mean a realization of his intrinsic value as compared with his fellows, but a realization of the importance of his work, a realization of the value of his service to the institution of which he is a member, the cause which he is pledged to support, the necessity that his life should be lived as a man's life should be lived and his day's work done as men's days' work should be done, in order that this cause which he holds dear can go on from glory to glory as years pass by. That is our job for the years to come, and I am glad that I can come here today to say to this group of young men and active members of the Charge, "This is for you and me to work out together," and that is what we are going to do for the next generation. (Applause).

RESPONSE OF THE CHAIRMAN.

I am sure you all agree with me, brothers, that if our celebration of our fiftieth anniversary had produced nothing else except this address of Dr. Hamilton's, we should be well repaid for coming here tonight (applause). It must make us all a little prouder of Kappa Charge of Theta Delta Chi and of the new President of the College.

I take great pleasure in presenting the next speaker, known to all the undergraduates and most of the graduates, Brother Thomas Whittemore of the class of 94. (College cheer and applause).

THOMAS WHITTEMORE.

I know there are some who say that fraternities belong to youth and are to be put away with childish things. None of us think so, my brothers, or we should not be here tonight. And we are right. The life of youth is not one life, and the life of manhood another. Youth is the prophetic foundation of manhood, a boy's resolve is a man's reward. Surely a youth at college sees something of his after life.

TO ENRICH WITH GIFTS.

Theta Delta Chi is not an organization in powerful operation, put down on the ground for men to gather round it, and be affected by it and go away and be different men. Here men must bring something, here they must communicate something to each other, here they must be in the practice of something. It seizes isolated lives and obliges them to abandon lower views and habits and resets them in a true feeling which takes men out of themselves, which separates success from self and merges it in the welfare of others, friend to friend, brother to brother showing and imparting to all the life each live by. A united society of many different temperaments and characters and opinions, glorying in a common generosity and admiration, in warm-heartedness, in freedom from jealousy and meanness and treachery and unfaithfulness. *Et teneo, et teneor.* I both hold and am held. Like Heracles approaching the shrine at Delphi, we come not to desecrate it by plunder but to enrich it with new gifts.

But what after all is it that is central and vital here? And what is it that gives Theta Delta Chi its mighty power over our lives? In many ways the answer eludes our nimblest enquiry.

Yet no one can state it better than in the old Bible's rich expression:

"Your young men shall see visions."

YOUTH'S VISION.

Vision is the law of the better mind, the sum of a youth's higher consciousness, the need for him of a world of men. Theta Delta Chi found something for the imagination of the thoughts of the heart to fasten on. It is a walk in the way of the heart. It is one of the religions of youth.

One day while walking down Harrow Hill the head master, then Dr. Butler, asked the late Lord Shaftsbury, in total ignorance of the circumstances of the case, if he remembered any past incident or

occasion which induced him to dedicate his life to the cause of the poor. "It is an extraordinary circumstance," his lordship replied, "that you should ask me that question here, for it was within ten yards of the spot where we are now walking that I determined to do this."

How fully that illustrates the aspiration of youth and the interpretation of age. Hope and recollections encircle life. The dreams of your old men are the visions of their youth. Theta Delta Chi in manhood is the memory of the vision, like the light of a city that we have left behind us still reflected on the clouds.

MANHOOD'S MEMORY.

Amid sad and serious faults with which the virtues do not equally flourish, amid all the changes and chances, wearinesses and sicknesses, struggling and succeeding is the memory of the spirit of justice and mercy and truth and love, the spirit in which a man works for others and not for himself. Although in manhood it all may be inverted and our vision fade into the light of common day, yet something in the memory still remains of that lofty capacity for the outlook of ideals. So that even as we stand on our broken and fragmentary lives which once we saw complete and altogether lovely the vividness of the vision again returns to cool our brows with the dew that fell upon the mountains where we walked, a memory in which the poet sang:

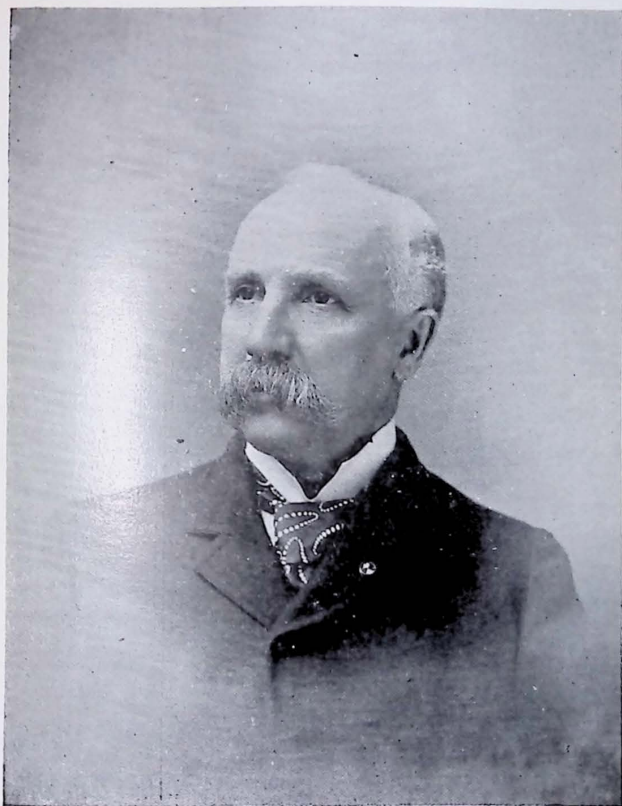
"I despair of that wide and glorious sea
That was promised unto me;
Yet I sometimes think,
And thinking makes my heart so sore
Just a few steps more
And there might have been for me
Blue and infinite the sea."

Oh the sharp outlines of that immortal nameless vision. Happy are you who will not lightly part with it and who by it are kept fresh unto the end.

Harlan B. Turner, 07, spoke for the under-graduate charges. His remarks are to appear in the Charge History, but must be omitted here for lack of space.

The silent toast to the Omega Charge was drunk.

Although the hour was well past midnight, the company dispersed reluctantly and the Semi-Centennial Song stirred the Boston echoes for some time afterward.



BROTHER WINSOR BROWN FRENCH
Kappa 1859
One of the Famous of the Charge

and Manager Turner of the victorious eleven are members of the Charge. The first Tufts touchdown was made by Brother Green—next year's Captain, by the way—after a 103-yard run and Brothers Hooper, 09, and Wallace, 10, distinguished themselves by good work in the back field. The coaches of the eleven were Whelan, Omicron Deuteron 1900, and Knowlton, Kappa 06. So on the whole the Theta's felt very much in it, though they also felt like congratulating the Eta men who came down, on the good showing of their team.

The game ended the program of the Committee, but Saturday evening was filled with numerous private celebrations. The men of each period who lived in the vicinity, gathered in their chums faor) good many small dinner and theater parties. Sunday saw most of the men scattered for their homes—but carrying a vivid and lasting memory of a royal good time.

Among those present at the celebration, in addition to the twenty-four undergraduates, were these alumni:

Hon. A. E. Scott 58, Wm. E. Gibbs 59, Merritt B. Coolidge 61, J. W. Hammond 61, Byron Groce 67, C. E. Fay 68, Stephen M. Pitman 69, Daniel R. Brown 77, Francis B. Harrington 77, W. L. Hooper 77, Edwin E. Davis 80, Richard H. Eddy 80, Frederick W. Hamilton, Arthur W. Peirce 82, Edwin A. Sart 84, Samuel Warren Mendum 85, Ralph E. Joslin 86, Frank E. Bateman 87, Sumner Robinson 88, Harry C. Bascom 89, Charles Reed 89, Wm. L. Ricketts 90, Thomas O. Marvin 89, Fred W. Perkins 91, Frank A. North 92, Fred D. Lyon 92, Henry J. Perry 92, Joseph B. Groce 93, Thomas Whittimore 94, Charles N. Barney 95, Clarence L. Eaton 95, Charles Lucius Ricketts 95, Wm. H. Godfrey 95, Daniel B. Hayward 96, Reignold K. Marvin 96, Horace A. Davis 97, S. P. Capen 98, Colman Tousey 98, Roland Hammond 98, Frederic E. Town 98, Edward D. Johnson 98, Ira R. Kent 99, Frank W. Knowlton 99, W. G. Humes 01, J. F. Berry 01, Josiah Butler 01, Charles P. Anthony 02, Richard B. Coolidge 02, Charles E. Moors 02, Clarence P. Bearce 03, Arthur W. Coolidge 03, Thomas S. Knight 03, Robert E. Nason 03, Harry M. Greene 04, Louis O. Maas 05, Ernest C. Witham

04, Mellen G. Calderwood 05, Wm. M. Wise 05, Harry P. Wilson 05, Alvah L. Burrage 06, C. H. Temple 05, Charles M. Chapin 06, Harry H. Dole 06, Lester B. Hunter ex-08, C. W. Ruth ex-08, Edward H. Knowlton 06, R. W. Bliss ex-09, Otho M. Graves 06, Charles G. Puffer ex-09, Francis H. Brown, Iota 57, Robert W. Fernald, Iota 07, Philip A. Goold, Lambda 07, A. G. Benedict, Psi 72, O. H. Starkweather, Theta Deuteron 07, Henry P. Chapman, Eta 06, William P. Newman, Eta 10, H. G. Tobey, Eta 10.

The Committees in charge were as follows:

Commemoration Meeting—Thomas Whittemore 94, Chairman; Edwin A. Start 84, Samuel P. Capen 98, Arthur W. Coolidge 03.

Commemoration Dinner—Frederick W. Perkins 91, Chairman; Charles N. Barney 95, John P. Clark 00 (Omega), Harry M. Greene 04.

Commemoration Book—Edwin A. Start 84, Chairman; Charles L. Reed 89, Richard B. Coolidge 02.

Expenses—Thomas O. Marvin 89.

Semi-Centennial Fund—Sumner Robinson 88, Chairman; Arthur W. Peirce 82, Samuel W. Mendum 85, James F. Albion 87, J. Murray Hollister 92, Thomas Whittemore 94, Harry C. Folsom 95, Reginold K. Marvin 96, Horace A. Davis 97, Samuel P. Capen 98, Frederic E. Town 98, Ira R. Kent 99, Ernest G. Marble 99, Josiah Butler 01, Arthur W. Coolidge 03, Harry M. Greene 04.



THE CONVENTION OF ALL CONVENTIONS.

February 20th. to February 24th. are the dates, and New York is the place, selected by the Grand Lodge for the Fifty-ninth Annual Convention of Theta Delta Chi. The Convention headquarters, business sessions and banquet will be at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, 35th Street and Fifth Avenue.

Representing the Grand Lodge, Brother Rudolf Tombo, Jr., announces the following program, which may be slightly modified later, but is, so far as general features are concerned, practically complete:

THE PROGRAM.

Wednesday, February 20, 9 p. m.—Convention dance, Hotel Astor.

Thursday, February 21, 10 a. m.—Rho Deuteron. Open house.

Thursday, February 21, 1:30 p. m.—First Business session.

Thursday, February 21, 8:30 p. m.—Theatre Party.

Friday, February 22, 10:30 a. m.—Open Session.

Friday, February 22, 12:30 p. m.—Charge Luncheons.

Friday, February 22, 2:30 p. m.—Second Business Session.

Friday, February 22, 8-11 p. m.—New York Graduate Club's Smoker.

Saturday, February 23, 9:30 a. m.—Third Business Session.

Saturday, February 23, 12:30 p. m.—Convention Photograph.

Saturday, February 23, 6:30 p. m.—Convention Banquet.

Sunday, February 24, 3:30 p. m.—Memorial Services.

DETAILS.

The banquet tickets will be five dollars, and the dance tickets six dollars (for two). All dance tickets should be ordered immediately from the various charge treasurers or from Bro. H. Price, 619 West 113th Street, New York. The dance comes Wednesday night and is to be a feature of this New York Convention.

Washington's Birthday should be a notable one for Theta Delta Chi. The plans for the open session give promise of something worth the while of every member of the fraternity wherever he may be, while the luncheons of the various charges are being planned so as to make each a college-fraternal reunion with lot of enthusiasm and a good dinner.

RAILROAD RATES.

A reduced rate of one and one-third fare has been granted by the Trunk Line Association, the New England Passenger. The territory within which this reduction is available embraces eastern Canada, all of New England, and in general the Middle Atlantic States as far south as Charlottesville, Va. The reduction is contingent on the attendance of at least 100 members holding certificates obtained from agents at starting points, showing payment of full first-class fare of not less than 75 cents on going journey.

Buy your ticket for going journey, not earlier than February 16, and not later than February 22. Obtain a *certificate* from the agent. *Do not make the mistake of asking for a receipt.*

Brothers from Epsilon must get their certificates in Washington.

Members coming from territory west of that in which the reduction is granted, should obtain certificates at Pittsburg or Buffalo, and thereby save at least something.



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In glancing over the pages of this number of the SHIELD the most loyal frater will not fail to derive interest from the account of the jubilee celebration of our oldest charge. Kappa is not only our eldest sister but what an inspiration have been the achievements of this body at Tufts. The college records of the charge have always been high, the literary activities prompted by the charge have not been perfunctory, while the brothers of Kappa through one generation of college men after another have dignified the fraternity before the public and permitted Theta Delta Chi to share their honors. It has meant much to the charges east and west that President Capen believed in Theta Delta Chi and the reading of President Hamilton's stirring speech in this number will tell all that the traditions of old Kappa, as well as the innermost sentiments and highest ideals of Theta Delta Chi will be perpetuated to future generations.

Those who follow through the Kappa semi-centennial speeches will be well repaid. Not the least worthy of these talks to old and young is the intense message of Brother Thomas Whittemore, now a professor at Tufts college. The editor has never ceased to regret that the great concourse of brothers present in New York at the semi-centennial of Theta Delta Chi a few years ago did not have opportunity to hear much more than the introduction of Brother Whittemore's brilliant speech, owing to the unyielding time-rule the toastmaster tried to enforce, but all

rejoice that this did not dull his spirit or dampen his enthusiasm. We shall be glad to print in full every speech Brother Whittemore makes if they continue of the type of the fateful speech at the Windsor Hotel, of that to the students of Tufts on Brother A. J. Abbe, or of this latest utterance at the Kappa jubilee. Theta Delta Chi means much to Brother Whittemore because he has given much to it.



Our Fraternity becomes real to us as we look into each other's eyes, grasp each other's hands, and feel the common impulse of friendship. It fades away and is all but dead unless revived and renewed by contact with others of the order. Alone we cannot be good Theta Delts. The inherent principle of Theta Delta Chi demands association and fellowship. Conventions, therefore, form a natural part of a fraternity system and have a just claim upon every member. If you have not for a whole year, or two years, put yourself in position to have your love revived and made real to you, plan to get to New York the 22nd. of February. It will pay you, calling back the joys of former days and suggesting strongly that life has been worth while after all. Better than this, however, is the good you can do somebody else by coming and adding what you can.

It is up to you to make the old Fraternity well worth while to those who are coming on. If you can give your presence only, give that. "I am only one, but I am one." If you can add to the fund of pleasure, profit or inspiration plan to speak and say the word that some younger man will feel grateful for. If you can't come, send on a contribution to the printing fund. That the committee will need it, we take for granted. Let us make this convention the "best yet."



The burning of the Chi Psi lodge at Cornell early in December was an interfraternity loss. No fraternity house in the world was half so imposing and none had a moiety of the historic and romantic interest that clustered about the famous "McGraw-Fiske mansion." We of Theta Delta Chi share the

deep regret the Chi Psi's have experienced, and extend to them a sincere fraternal sympathy, which goes out to those bereft of brother's lives even more than those who lose a splendid home. The mansion was perhaps too large for the highest welfare of any local charge or chapter. Its possession had not resulted in snobbery or extravagance, only its care was an unnecessary burden, which perhaps no body of undergraduates should be called upon to bear. The fact of its existence and ownership, however, exalted the entire fraternity system, and the knowledge of its destruction awakens a common sympathy. Yet after all, the record of the heroism of American college men in the hour of need, and the impulses to new heroism which the repeating of this story will awaken, is perhaps worth more to America than the value of any lodge, even the "McGraw-Fiske mansion."



A splendid and notable tribute to our late Brother John Hay, was the dedication of the memorial window by the Jews of Philadelphia on December 2nd. Never before, we are informed, has any Jewish house of worship had placed upon its walls a memorial of any sort to one of non-Jewish blood. Leading men of the nation participated in the exercises. Their testimony to his personal worth, to his far-sighted statesmanship, to the world-wide beneficence of his thought form a memorial galaxy that especially appeals to us as Theta Deltas. He knelt as a young man at our altar. He spoke the words that made him one with us in devotion at friendship's shrine. He gave us the friendly grasp. And who shall say that the vows of brotherhood he took in Theta Delta Chi were not the direct inspiration of his efforts to make the nations brothers to each other. Let us cherish the ideal with renewed zeal as we recall how beautifully he embodied it.



With a debt still hanging over one department, it may be thought inapropos by some to suggest a new line of fraternity expenditure; but the development of Theta Delta Chi should not be halted by such thoughts. The needs are urgent and provision

should be made for them in advance and at once. We may not see either a new song book or a new catalogue very soon, but it is now time to collect money and material for both. Five hundred advance subscriptions would mean that the prime movers could go ahead with their work without having to foot the bills at the same time. The agony of suspense and disappointment in such cases takes away whatever satisfaction the compilers find in the work. Let us face in the right direction hopefully and try to get a friend to begin the good work. Amen!



The space taken up in the September issue to model charge by-laws should not be begrudged. Every charge should be incorporated. Not as some wag has intimated as the chief reason, merely that it may be sued, but because it means a policy of progress. No institution will run without organization. The failure and death of many of our charges in the past have been due directly to lack of organization. This is a weakness that can be supplied. It costs little, but it insures having a track to run on. With even a little steam and enthusiasm on such a track, a small group can make a charge successful. The Nu Deuteron by-laws have been carefully thought out and merit study.



We were somewhat surprised that the work of Kappa in reviving the SHIELD was not mentioned at the semi-centennial of the charge. It is hard enough to get up a magazine half-way worthy of the fraternity today, but twenty-eight years ago it must have been a harder task. The historian of Kappa will not forget the work of Brother Start and his associates in 1879.



ZETA DEUTERON.

Publication of the following poem is requested by the members of Zeta Deuteron. Brother Penny wrote it for the annual banquet and initiation, October 11, 1906.

Again the year's revolving flight
Has brought our charge to its foundation night;
And once again we celebrate,
In revelry, the joyful date.

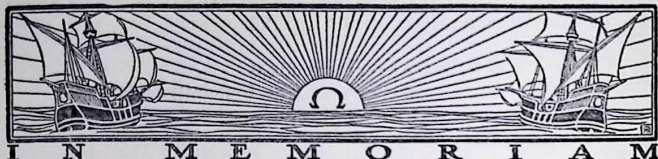
Hark! how around the strains resound,
As on our walls the echo falls,
Of our fraternal hymn!
And now is heard that wondrous word

Which none may read,—our faith, our creed
Received in ages dim—
But strangers wait without our gate!
Friendship they seek; my brothers speak:
Will ye receive them now?—
"Aye let them share the name we bear—
With rev'rent fear, let them appear
And take our solemn vow!"
The words are said the vow is made,
And now they stand within the band
Of Theta Delta Chi.

All then repair to dinner where,
With speech and song, all ev'ning long,
Good humor reigns supreme,
But 'ere we leave fond mem'ries weave
A spell that binds and turns our minds
To raise a loftier theme.
For in the midst of mirth the thought
Must come to all, as come it ought,
Of Omega, our charge on high
The dead of Theta Delta Chi.

And so with joy, yet rev'rently, we spend
Our ev'ning till its too swift end
Has marked the passing and the flight
Of Zeta Deuteron's foundation night.

ARTHUR G. PENNY, Z Δ , 03.



EDWARD H. NEWBEGIN.

Eta, 1891

Omega, 1906

Rev. Dr. Edward Harry Newbegin, rector of St. John's Episcopal church at Bangor, Me., died on October 1st, at the Maine general hospital, of fever. He was born at Defiance, O., in 1869, graduated from Bowdoin college in 1891 and in 1893 was admitted to the bar of Ohio, but soon turned his attention to the church, and in 1896 graduated from the Episcopal theological school at Cambridge.

He was rector of a church at Ayer, Mass., and in 1899 went to Bangor. He was a man of ability and during the last campaign delivered a notable sermon in opposition to the system of prohibition.

He received the degree of doctor of divinity in 1896 and of A.M. from Bowdoin. He was a member of the standing committee of the Episcopal diocese of Maine and was twice a representative to the Episcopal general convention.

He was married in 1901. He is survived by a wife and four children.





CHARGE LETTERS

BETA—Cornell University.

1909.

George Alfred Tilden.
James Armstrong Harris.
Robert Hull Tift.
George Meinhard Keller.

1910.

Thomas Rice Rollo.
George Ervin Kent.
Thomas Minton Heermans.
Nemo Melville Fischer.
Joseph Crocker Sibley, Jr.
Kenneth Goadby Haxtun.

Brothers Tilden and Harris were initiated in the spring of last year. After a successful, but at the same time strenuous rushing season, the Beta Charge has settled down to the year's work. The number of men in the charge is considerable smaller than it was last year. About sixteen men did not return to college, most of them through graduation. However, with a very promising freshman class, the outlook for a good year is very good. The initiation and banquet was held in the latter part of October, Brother Huffcut acting as toastmaster. Several of the alumni were present. We had the pleasure of having Brothers Goll and Tobey with us again this year. Their visit to us is always looked forward to with pleasure, and it is the hope of the charge that more of the alumni will see their way clear to visit us during the year. Brother Keller was on the varsity football squad this year, and Brothers Hale and Stull played on their class teams. Replies to letters addressed to the Beta alumni indicate that it is their wish that the charge continue to hold its annual house party and dance Senior week, which was

given up last year, in order to turn the house over to alumni coming back for their class reunions. At that time of the year, there is always plenty of room and it is the earnest wish of the charge that the alumni plan to return to Ithaca for the reunion week.

WM. S. ROWLAND.

GAMMA DEUTERON—Michigan University.

Initiates.

1910.

Mellen Chamberlain Martin, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Bradford S. Krels, Cincinnati, Ohio.

James Joy Miller, Detroit, Mich.

Percy Franklin Dumphey, Quincy, Mich.

Affiliates.

Fred E. Gooding, Psi 1910, Lima, Ohio.

More than anything else Gamma Deuteron would like to compose such a charge letter, as should make all Theta Deltas, no matter where they happen to be, realize that the old brown house on 910 Cornwall Place, is always open to visitors and that Theta Delt guests are more than welcome. She has plenty of room and promises hospitality of no uncertain nature. Ann Arbor is a bit out of the way, it is true, but the Michigan Central Railroad occasionally sends an antiquated coach out this way and the town is really a charming place, once you have located it. But however or whenever you can reach here, we want you then and want you just as long as your circumstances will permit.

Like every other charge in the fraternity, Gamma Deuteron is taking an active and prominent part in college interests and feels that her personnel includes men who are representative fellows in every sense of the word. Of the freshmen, we shall say nothing, because they are freshmen, and because we desire that they shall first prove their worth, during the coming months.

Among the sophomores, Brother Boucher has won a place on the Glee and Mandolin Clubs, and Brother Crumpacker made good on Michigan's reserves, playing in the back field during the entire season. The juniors are proud of Brother Bowman, who is at the head of his class honorary society, of Brother Parks, who was one of his class football stars and of Brother Boone, who was recently elected to the chairmanship of the Junior hop reception committee. And now we come to the seniors, who, older in years, have also been honored with those college trusts which are the most highly

treasured, and we find Brother Clement, as member of the Michiganensian Board of Control, student representative on the Athletic Board of Control, member of the two big senior honorary societies, Tau Beta Phi and Nuleans, and wearer of the most coveted insigma here, a football M; then, Brother Potter has won honor as one of the foremost leaders in preparing the great annual Michigan Union banquet, as member of the Mandolin club, of his class honorary society and as president of the Michigan Musical clubs; we also have Brother Kuhn, who has made the Vulcans, is chairman of the reception committee for graduation exercises and is recognized as one of the strongest politicians in his class.

And so, with these as signal honors and with nearly every man in each class the possessor of his class numerals and with every man in his class actively interested in university affairs, Gamma Deuteron has no fear of falling behind this year. Again,—Remember that we want every Theta Delt to come and meet us.

DAVID STEVENSON, Charge Editor.

DELTA DEUTERON—University of California.

Initiates.

Freeman Wate Bowley, San Francisco, Cal.
Ralph Donald Robinson, Eugene, Oregon.
Leon Marion Gove, Oakland, Cal.

Delta Deuteron has entered on this new year of activity full of hope and confidence. The opening of college was attended by confusion owing to the unceremonious way in which the last semester came to a close, and rushing was more strenuous than ever because of the unusual eagerness of all the fraternities to secure new men to make up for those who could not return to the University. Four of our last year initiates were unable to return to college and five of our senior brothers were graduated, so it will be seen that we suffered with the rest.

The brothers showed fine spirit in rushing men, and seven men were soon pledged. After a very successful dance had been given at the charge house the graduates were warned of a good time coming, and on Sept. 22 the three men who were ready to enter were initiated. The initiation was a great success. The new men are proud of their fraternity, and we are proud of them. So many old graduates and visitors from other charges were present at the

initiation that we were hard put to it to find room for all of them.

The football season has opened well. Bro. Julian Whitman, who was on the varsity last year won the game for the seniors in a recent interclass contest between the seniors and the sophomores.

Brother Claude Wayne is continuing his society successes and is floor manager at the senior assemblies. Brother Augustin Keane is president of the English club, Brother Frank Buck is president of the "Daily Californian" Publishing Co., Brother Norman Shaw is on the art staff of the "Blue and Gold," and it must be added that Brother Paul Williamson is still trying to get his motor-car into condition to give the other brothers a ride.

Later in the term there will be another initiation at which from three to five more new men will enter the charge. Brother Worth Ryder has cheered us by re-entering college as a student-at-large, and one or two other brothers will re-enter in January, so we shall not suffer much from lack of numbers. Delta Deuteron is beginning to feel the moral strength and encouragement which only come to a charge when it has a strong, growing body of its own graduates to back it up.

Initiates.

Alexander Campbell Stoddard of San Francisco.
Raymond William Parsons of Oakland.

Delta Deuteron has nothing of startling interest to report since the last charge letter of almost two months ago. Perhaps to us the most important event has been the initiation of our two new men.

We have gained in them two fine fellows. Bro. George Stoddard, although not at present active, is one of our most valued members and we are glad to have more of the same kind.

Bro. Julian Whitman made the varsity and played in the intercollegiate football game with Stanford. The game was well fought and, although California was defeated by the score of 6-3, most of the spectators agreed that it was a case of "honors easy" as far as good play was concerned.

We have recently been cheered by visits from Bro. O. W. Bryant, and Bro. Dan Montgomery. Bro. Havener of Stanford is staying at the charge house.

The financial affairs of the charge have undergone a thorough revision, and a new five-year lease has been obtained from the owner of our charge house, with the option of buying at a reasonable price within a year. No small part of the credit for this work is due to Bro. Frank Buch who last Tuesday took the Pacific Mail

liner Korea en route for Japan. Most of the active members went over to see him off, and waved their hats and shouted goodbyes as the big liner swung out into the stream. Bro. Buck has taken out a leave of absence and will return to college about the first of February.

Delta Deuteron sends greeting to the other charges.

SAMUEL CHASE HAIGHT.

EPSILON CHARGE—College of William and Mary.

Initiates.

Charles A. Taylor, Jr., Urbanna, Va., 09.

G. W. Land, Norfolk, Va., 09.

R. V. Schumandine, Norfolk, Va., 09.

Duncan McRae, Minor, Va., 09.

S. W. Rawls, Holland, Va., 10.

J. L. Lawless, Franklin, Va., 10.

The two hundred thirteenth session of our college opened September 20th, with unusually bright prospects for a very successful year, and as the college has now become a state institution we are pleased to observe the many improvements which have been made during our absence. It is also gratifying to state that through the generosity of Mr. Andrew Carnegie and several other gentlemen we are now prepared for the erection of our new library building.

The opening of the session found six of the old men of Epsilon back and with the six newly initiated brothers we are now nicely situated in our new home, and every evidence points to a banner year for our charge.

Shortly after the opening of our house we had the pleasure of entertaining a number of our alumnae at a smoker and such fraternal spirit as was displayed on this occasion, both on the part of the alumnae and the undergraduates, was but another evidence of that devotion known only to Theta Deltas.

Brother Marsden by his tact and ability as assistant manager of the football team has won for us many friends and Bro. Taylor as star tackle has also added to the laurels of our charge. Brothers Small, Marsden and Smith who played on the varsity basketball team last year winning the championship of the state are all with us again this year, and they too, promise to carry off fresh honors.

Thus we are well represented in every phase of college life, so that old Epsilon bids fair to uphold that high standard attained

by our brothers who have preceded us, and in conclusion once again we extend to all Theta Delts who may chance to wander into the vicinity of Williamsburg, a most cordial welcome.

R. BARNARD SMALL.

Williamsburg, Va., Nov. 24, 1906.

Charge Editor.

ZETA—Brown University.

Initiates.

1910.

- O. S. Chadwell, Lynn, Mass.
- L. F. Clark, Herkimer, N. Y.
- J. R. Fales, Barrington, R. I.
- M. S. Field, Tauntson, Mass.
- Maxwell Krause, Lebanon, Pa.
- W. H. Lynn, Providence, R. I.
- E. J. Schaeffer, Ballston Spa, N. Y.
- H. B. Thacher, Brockton, Mass.

Affiliated.

1907.

John Henry McLean (Lambda), Boston Mass.

When we returned to Brown this fall, we were determined to further the prosperity of Zeta and make this year more successful than any that Zeta has ever known. It was with this view in mind that we carried on a very strenuous rushing season, in which we competed successfully with the best fraternities in college, and succeeded in pledging the eight men mentioned above, all of whom are fine fellows and who are fast becoming loyal Theta Delts.

We began the college year with sixteen men back, having lost six since last year. Of the old men in college now, Brother Curtis, 07, is a member of the Cammarian Club, the senior honorary society, a member of the Class Day Committee and Senior Liber editor. We are represented on the Musical Clubs by Brothers White and McLean, 07; Gogle, 09; Fales and Field 10, and on the "Sock and Buskin" by Brothers Stricker 09, and Lynn 10. Brothers Curtis, 07 and Dennie, 09, both won their "B's" in football and a very successful season was brought to a close by our 23-0 victory over Dartmouth at Springfield, Mass. Brother Perry, 08, is Junior Liber editor and Brother Jones, 08, is a member of the Junior Week Committee. Brother White, 07, is a member of the Brown Daily Herald board, while Brother Krause, 10, is out for that board. Brother Fales, 10, played on the freshmen football team. Thus we feel that we are pretty well represented in the main branches of college activities.

We have had visits from brothers of other charges and are always glad to welcome them at college or at the fraternity meetings, and wish that any brothers who happen to be in Providence might take time to climb the hill and see us. Among the recent visitors are Brothers Tobin and Starkweather, Theta Deuteron, 07; Brother Wickenden, Eta Deuteron 03; Brother Fernald, Iota 07; Brother Neidlinger, Pi Deuteron 99, and Brother Swift, Iota 09.

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association this year took the form of a smoker and vaudeville show and proved a great success, the cordiality between the brothers, old and young, being very noticeable.

Nearly the whole charge went to Springfield, Mass., to the Brown-Dartmouth game, in which Brother Curtis played his last game, after four years of good faithful work. Some of us were fortunate enough to meet brothers from Dartmouth, Amherst and other charges.

Although convention is some time distant, we are already thinking about that great event and making plans to send a large delegation to New York city in February.

Zeta sends her best wishes to the sister charges for a prosperous year and hopes to see many of their members at the coming convention.

R. W. D. JONES.

ZETA DEUTERON—McGill University.

Initiates.

1910.

Maurice Black, Windsor, Nova Scotia.
 Calvin Stowe Maclean, St. John, New Brunswick.
 Alfred Wiley Mather, New York, N. Y.
 George Albert Sihler, Jr., Letchfield, Ill.
 Ives Armstrong, Montreal, Quebec.
 Philip Skelton, Montreal, Quebec.

Affiliated.

Ernest H. Falconer, late of Sigma Deuteron.

We are glad to be able to report that Zeta Deuteron has fairly started on what promises to be the banner year of her existence; we came back in September some twenty strong and at once proceeded about our rushing with more than ordinary determination and vigor, being urged on and inspired by Brother Falconer whom we are proud to welcome from our sister charge of Wisconsin, and

who has been in every way a tower of strength in all our undertakings.

Our sixth annual banquet and initiation took place on the 11th of October, the former being held at the Corona Hotel, where we sat down to a table charmingly decorated with our fraternity flower. We were pleased to have with us Brother Cleaves of Eta and were sorry to miss Brother Gibson also of Eta, who with Brother Duncan was unable to attend. We were also glad to welcome Brothers Forbin, Atkinson, Cowen and Burke amongst us once more. Brother Parkins presided in his usual masterly fashion and by the time everyone had made some kind of an address we were able to go home feeling that we had not lived in vain. Our most eloquent speakers were Brothers Frazer, Forbin, Stitt, Falconer and Cotton, while Brother Stockwell covered himself with special glory by haranguing us in French. The charge poet also relieved himself of a few rhymes that were indulgently received by the now merry audience. The social life of the charge has also been enlarged by a couple of smokers and by various dances, college and otherwise. Brother Stitt, Science, 08, upheld the honor of McGill and Zeta Deuteron on the varsity football team which has just won the intercollegiate championship of Canada for the second time, the last occasion being the year in which our own Brother Nagle captained the team. We regret to say that the team lost the championship of all Canada to the Tigers of Hamilton, Ontario, but are proud of the showing that they made.

Brothers Scott and Skelton intend to turn out with the hockey squad and we are sure that they will make good.

We are also holding our own in other college activities: Brother Parkins is president of the Alma Mater society, the highest position that a student can obtain; Brother Stockwell served on the Junior Dance Committee, while Brother Falconer is on the Committee of the Medical Banquet. Brother Penny is business manager of the "McGill Outlook" and several other brothers are holding down class appointments. In conclusion I would reiterate our invitation to all brothers who would like to see a Canadian winter to come and pay us a visit. We have had enjoyable visits from several brothers from Omicron Deuteron but this has only increased our desire for further visitations. Just ring the bell at 222 Sherbrook street, W. and we'll try to show you a good time.

In my last letter I surveyed the past session in retrospect, and I believe that I can do nothing better at the present time than venture on a forecaste of the session that has just com-

menced. Our losses by graduation are not numerous, but are, nevertheless, serious. We can ill afford to lose such tried friends and wise councillors as Brother Higgins, science 06; Brother Cowen, science 06; Brother Burke, medicine 06, and Brother Peterson, arts 06. It is pleasant to think, however, that we reassemble some twenty strong ready to put up a strong fight for the best members of the incoming year, and I hope at an early date to be able in these pages to introduce to our sister charges half a dozen new brothers, at the least. Brother Fraser is President of the medical society, Brother Penny is Treasurer of the Arts undergraduate society, and is also a candidate for the position of business manager of the McGill Outlook. Brother Still is on the business board of the 08 Annual, and will in all likelihood catch a place on the 'varsity football team. So that everything looks good to us as things stand. Brother Cowen has been spending the summer in Cobalt, but it is difficult to ascertain whether he has made or lost his fortune. Brother Peterson is traveling in Europe before entering Oxford, having won a scholarship at Trinity College. Brother Peterson has also been sent as the representative of McGill to the quarter centenary of Aberdeen University. In him Zeta Deuteron has lost one of the best scholars she has ever had. Brother Burke is practising his profession in his native town of Ogdensburg. His sunny ways will be much missed in the house. In Brother Higgins we lose one of the last of our charter members, one whose influence has been a power for good during a period of struggle and difficulty, and he has been rewarded by seeing the fruition of his endeavors. It is safe to say that no other brother has graduated from our ranks who has been so beloved and respected, and whose loss has caused such genuine and widespread regret. His memory will long serve as a pattern for our emulation.

ARTHUR G. PENNY.

ETA—Bowdoin College.

Initiates

Harold Wheeler Daire, 10, Hyde Park, Mass.
 James Battles Draper, 10, Canton, Mass.
 Sumner Edwards, 10, Cambridge, Mass.
 James Forbush Hamburger, 10, Hyde Park, Mass.
 Harlan Frank Hanson, 10, Portland, Maine.
 Henry Quinby Hawes, 10, Westbrook, Maine.
 Leon Lippincott, 10, Augusta, Maine.

William Proctor Newman, 10, Bar Harbor, Maine.

Henry Lowell Russell, 10, Salem, Mass.

Harold Wilson Slocum, 10, Albany, N. Y.

Leon Hartly Smith, 10, Woodfords, Maine.

Raymond Anderson Tuttle, 10, Freeport, Maine.

Eta takes great pleasure in introducing to the fraternity twelve new brothers from the class of 1910. All the new brothers have the earmarks of loyal Theta Deltas and we are congratulating ourselves on the results of our "fishing" season. Initiation took place October 17 and a large delegation of alumni were present.

Nearly everybody is doing something toward the betterment of the college and fraternity. Brother Shorey, 07, is captain of the track team, while Brother Loothees, 07, is assistant in History. Brother Craigie, 07, is manager of the Bowdoin Orient. None of the juniors are distinguishing themselves except by their good steady work. Brother Atwood, 09, is president of his class and captained his class track team, landing 20 points for his class in the soph-fresh meet. Brother Dresser, 09, is manager of the sophomore football team.

The freshmen have made the rest of the fraternity proud of them for the admirable work they have done this fall. Brother Newman, 10, played every football game of the season at left guard while Brother Draper, 10, played fullback and did some telling work by his fine kicking until the faculty considered him mentally unable to play football at a critical time in the season. Brother Draper is also president of his class while Brother Newman leads the 1910 football team. Edwards, 10, Davie 10, and Hanson, 10, were on their class track team and Brother Hawes, 10, played the whole season on the second football team.

We have been fortunate in having Brother Chapman, 06, with us the last three weeks while he was coaching the football team.

Wishing everybody the happiest sort of a winter and hoping to see everybody at convention in February, Eta lays down her pen.

James M. Chandler, ex-08, who is now located in Fresno, California, has announced his engagement.

KENNETH H. DRESSER.

ETA DEUTERON—Leland Stanford Junior University.

Initiates.

1910.

Charles Lauran Hudson, San Jose, Cal.

William Webb Wheeler, Jr., Saint Joseph, Mo.

Merwin Bishop Carson, Palo Alto, Cal.

Eta Deuteron Charge extends greetings to the other charges for the first time since reassembling. Doubtless after all the lectures and "Only True Editions of the California Horr" etc., etc., most people thought that our University had been swallowed up along with the rest of the contiguous landscape.

However, Registration Day this semester found the largest number of matriculated students returned in the history of the University, and the next day showed the third largest entering class in our history. Of Eta Deuteron there were thirteen men back. The results of the labor of these men is seen in our initiates whom we introduce to the brothers at large as most promising material for the making of good Theta Deltas. With our sixteen men we are just finishing an exceedingly prosperous term.

Here there is nothing but confidence and good fellowship in the air all through the University. Never before in the history of the institution has there been such an era of good feeling and mutual understanding between Trustees, Faculty and Student Body and within each of these divisions. At the beginning of the semester the President of the University appointed a President's Conference consisting of representatives from the various fraternities, clubs, men's dormitory and other organizations. This move probably had a great influence in promoting harmony.

Stanford and California were unique this year in that they alone among American Universities played the English game of Rugby. It seemed an impossible task at first to engraft this game upon our well developed football enthusiasm, and the early fumbles made by the players did not help the popularity of the new sport. But as time went on and the players picked up the finer points, sentiment changed, and at the end of the season there was a strong active feeling in favor of the new game, and it is likely to be played again next year. Brother Carson was on the Freshman Rugby squad.

Our plans for building have progressed and expanded till now we are practically certain of building a house on the best site on the campus during the next semester.

Brother C. A. Ferguson, 07, was elected Manager of the Mandolin Club for this year. Brother Hart, 09, is also a member of the Mandolin Club.

We were very glad to receive a visit from Brother Norman Hackett and Brother Ward who are traveling together these days. Their coming was the signal for a very jolly automobile party.

The Senior class this year gave a circus instead of the customary farce. It was a great success, and the custom will doubt-

less be handed down to later classes. With its opportunities for the display of talents otherwise latent it filled a great want. A grand circus parade preceded the performance. All the animals were the productions of the fraternities. Our representative was a Fillilloo Bird (a very rare species, now found only on the Faralones), which was captured and partly tamed for the occasion by Brothers Wheeler and Carson. It made a big hit.

At the time of our initiation we were glad to have with us for a few days Brother Gundrum, 03, who dropped in on us on his way back to Johns Hopkins. Other brothers were down also from Delta Deuteron.

Don't be bashful about dropping in on us whenever you are out this way. We have just gotten a brand new register which is just itching for the contents of your Waterman's Ideals. And finally we wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

W. W. EDWARDS.

THETA DEUTERON—Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Theta Deuteron started on its career at the Institute this September with ten of the men who were initiated June second. Eight new men—one junior, two sophomores, and five freshmen—have been taken in thus far, and we think that we have in our freshmen, especially, the best men of that class.

There is probably no other fraternity in Tech so largely represented in the activities of Institute life.

Brother Starkweather, as manager of the Cross Country team, and as a member of the team, has gained more than his share of fame. In the cross country race between Tech and Harvard on November sixteenth, Tech simply ran away with the race and won by the score of eighteen points against thirty-five for Harvard. The team is entered in the race to be held at Princeton Thanksgiving day, and we are expecting the team and Brother Starkweather to put up a great fight for first honors. At a recent meeting of the New England Intercollegiate Cross Country Association, Brother Starkweather was chosen Secretary and Treasurer of that organization.

Brother Richards, the fastest sprinter in the 'Stute, is captain of the track team, by far the most important branch of our athletics. Brother Richards was also elected President of the M. I. T. Athletic Association, the governing body of all Tech athletics.

Brother John Tobin is manager of the track team of which Brother Richards is captain. Brother Tobin is also Secretary and

Treasurer of the Junior class. The fraternity men and the non-fraternity men are agreed that he is the ablest and most popular man who has ever been honored with the office of manager of the track team. By his unflagging work, the annual Fall Handicap meet was made the most successful and profitable ever held, and he has made our Field Day, the annual contest between the Sophomores and Freshmen for supremacy, the best of its kind we have ever known. Incidentally, on Field Day, we easily made the best showing of any of the fraternities represented here. Brother Joe Tobin and Brother Critchett played on the sophomore football team, and Brother Leavens made the freshmen team. Brother Mace pulled on the tug-of-war team. Brother Reynolds was elected by his class, manager of the freshmen relay team, and Brother Fernstrom was chosen for the captaincy. With these two men we confidently expect to control Institute athletics in the future as completely as we are in control this year. Brother Fernstrom is the only man here who can run Brother Richards to a standstill. Brother Glasier is very popular in the class of 1910, and at the recent elections was chosen Secretary of his class. Every man who has come with us this year is a through and through Theta Delt, and each man is doing all in his power to place Theta Delta Chi in the very front of the best fraternities in an institution where fraternities abound.

Hallowe'en eve the fellows entertained their girl friends with an old fashioned Hallowe'en party, and a dance afterward. The vigorous course of study at the Institute does not permit of a great deal of "fussing," so that when we do get the chance we all make up for lost time. Everyone enjoyed the evening thoroughly, and some of the fellows have been making up lost time ever since then.

Immediately following the Hallowe'en party Brother Moody disappeared very suddenly. For almost a week the mystery of his disappearance remained unsolved. One evening as we were all gathered about a cheery fire, in walked Brother Moody, flushed and greatly excited, and in a voice full of emotion, announced his engagement to Miss Mildred Titcomb Quinby, of Amesbury, Mass.

Theta Deuteron greatly appreciates the visits which have been made us by Brothers from other charges. A most cordial invitation to visit us and to make themselves perfectly at home is extended to all members of our beloved Theta Delta Chi.

Fraternally yours,

NEWMAN B. GREGORY.

262 Newbury Street, Boston, Mass.

THE SHIELD

IOTA.

Affiliates.

Bro. Richard W. Hunt, 09, Omicron Deuteron.

Bro. H. L. Tucker, Sp., Iota Deuteron.

Initiates.

Warren F. Scribner, 10, Lowell, Mass.

Philip W. Carter, 10, Newton, Mass.

Richard G. Harwood, 09, Littleton, Mass.

Robert R. Clark, 09, Hillsboro, Ohio.

Two brothers have affiliated with us this fall. Brothers Richard Hunt, Omicron Deuteron and Brother H. L. Tucker, Iota Deuteron. We also take pleasure in introducing our new members, Brothers Scribner, Carter, Harwood and Clark.

Everyone came back this fall ready for work and we are well represented in the various college activities. We are at present looking forward with great interest to our annual football game with Yale. Iota had one man, Brother Burnham, on the football team at left end until he was unfortunately injured in the West Point game which necessitated his dropping the game for the remainder of the season. Brother Burnham is also captain of the basket ball team and expects that several of our members will make good on the team.

Brother Bailey is captain of the Weld Boat Club and several other members took part in the fall rowing contests.

Brother Fletcher who last year made the hit of the season with his song "Soldiers' Field" has just had his new song, "The Gridiron King" accepted. It is one of the three new songs that will be sung at the Yale game.

Brother Fernald is President and Brother Dane is Manager of the Swimming Association, while Brother Welsh is also Captain of the Water Polo team.

Brothers C. Woodman and Thompson were members of the winning senior football team which gives them their class numerals.

Brother P. Goodman made the Fall Cross Country team. Brother Leland is Treasurer of the Senior class, on the Lampom and Manager of the Musical Clubs.

Brother P. Woodman is Assistant Manager of the Association Football team.

Brother Dana is Secretary of the Intercollegiate Swimming Association.

We have five brothers on the Glee Club, two on the Banjo and one on the Mandolin Club.

Brothers Rand, 09, and Stone, 09, of last year's track team are back as well as Thompson and Becker, who made H. A. A.'s last year.

Brother Rinnius is Circulation Manager of the "Harvard Advocate."

Brother Fernald is on the "Crimson" and Brother Fletcher is Vice-President of the Andover Club.

Brothers Leland and Osborne are on the "Lampoon" of which Leland is Treasurer.

Many other brothers are candidates for papers either for the literary or business side.

As in former years we have had many visiting brothers and hope that many more will find their way to Iota.

Two important events have broken the regularity of our season and furnished enjoyment for all. The first was the "Theta Deuteron Smoker," the second "The Iota Graduate Night," the night before the Dartmouth football game which truly gave spirit to the approaching contest.

Let every Theta Delt who comes our way drop in and see us. We assure he will receive a hearty welcome.

EDWIN L. BURNHAM.

IOTA DEUTERON—Williams College.

Initiates.

1910.

Richard Orcutt Bailey, Oneida, N. Y.

Richard Henry, Watertown, Mass.

Elliot Weber Johnson, Brookline, Mass.

Frederick Willard Warner, Wethersfield, Conn.

Charles Douglass Woodhouse, Burlington, Vt.

Iota Deuteron assembled sixteen strong prepared for rushing. Brothers Davenport, 05, Everett, 05, Bridgewater, 04, Mitchell, 04, Chace, 04, Bassett, 06, and Mears, 06, were back to assist in procuring freshmen. We have added five new men to our number and recommend them as five of the best freshmen who ever rode the Iota Deuteron goat.

The commencement of a new college year found us well represented in college activities. Brother Hill, 07, is Business Manager of the "Cap and Bells" Dramatic Club. Brother Pevear is leader of the Glee Club and the College choir, and is also a cheer leader. Brother Morrill is Business Manager of the Literary Monthly. Brother Redick, 07, was a member of the Senior Celebration Com-

mittee. Brother Leech, 08, is a member of the board of editors of the Literary Monthly. Brother Hite, 08, is a member of the "Cap and Bells" Club. Brother Harter, 09, was at his old position as guard on the varsity football team, and did great work. Brother George, 09, is on the Glee Club. Brother Johnson, 10, was on the football squad and played in his class game. Brother Henry, 10, is on the Glee Club and the College Quartet.

Iota Deuteron started the year in her own house. Last spring the Smith property on Park street was purchased, and extensive remodeling carried on through the summer. Work didn't progress as rapidly as had been hoped, consequently rushing was carried on under somewhat disadvantageous conditions. The inside of the house is practically completed, and with exterior additions finished, Iota Deuteron will have a house of which to be proud. Details of its present improved condition would be boresome, therefore a most cordial invitation is extended not only to our own alumni, but to any and every Theta Delt, to come and visit us.

We took great pleasure in recently entertaining Brothers Davenport, 01, Davis, 89, of Amicron Deuteron, Hibbard, 92, Huntington, 94, Huntington, 00, Bishop, 92, Partridge, 94, A. M. Parker, 02 and wife, Bacon, 04, and Gibbs, 00. We are always glad to entertain our alumni and any visiting Theta Delt, and wish they would come many and often. Iota Deuteron extends to her sister charges best wishes for a prosperous year.

CARLETON HODGKINSON,

Charge Editor.

JOHN W. REDICK,

Corresponding Secretary.

KAPPA.

Initiates.

1907.

Francisco B. de Alvarenga, Sao Paolo, Brazil.

1910.

John Alden Adams, Hartford, Conn.

Edward P. Brehm, Hartford, Conn.

William H. B. Crossley, Middleboro, Mass.

Benjamin L. Dolbear, Tufts College, Mass.

Edward E. Fessenden, Kingston, N. Y.

R. Herrera P., San Jose, Costa Rica.

Guy Hamilton, Tufts College, Mass.

Robert M. Knight, Tufts College, Mass.
Raymond G. Lincoln, Hartford, Conn.
Henry L. Tower, Newton, Mass.
Earl S. Wallace, Clinton, Mass.
Clarence H. Dittrick, Cleveland, O.

The beginning of the fiftieth year of Theta Delta Chi at Tufts College saw every Kappa man back early and in fine fighting trim. Never in the history of the college was the outlook so promising for good fraternity material. An entering class of unequaled size and almost a plethora of promising freshmen gave us just the opportunity we were looking for. Every man of the fourteen survivors of commencement and the reckless hand of the faculty threw himself into the rushing season with a zest and determination which resulted in the pledging of twelve of the best men of 1910.

The football season, under the management of Brother Harlan B. Turver, 07, has been shown by comparisons to be the best in the history of the sport at the Hill. Six games won out of eight games played, and a total score of Tufts 116 to opponents 35 tell the story. The team was captained by Brother Frank L. S. Reynolds, Medical 07, who played a remarkably steady game at his old position at center. Brother Green, 08, who has since been elected captain for next season, filled the quarterback's shoes in a nearly perfect manner. His playing was reliable at all times, and his quickness and versatility in running the team made him easily the star of the season. Brother Hooper, 08, at halfback and end was a tower of strength for Tufts. Brother Wallace, 10, another all-around athlete, won his T, while Brother Crossley, 10, and Tower, 10, were awarded T seconds.

Many of the brothers, while away with the team, availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the houses at Nu Deuteron and Chi, and report a corking crowd of Theta Delts at both Amherst and Rochester.

The semi-centenary of Kappa, held on November 1, 2 and 3, was a great occasion. From the standpoint of the undergraduate it was perhaps the most notable event of the college year. A full account of it will be found in another part of the December SHIELD.

As far as college honors are concerned, we are perhaps doing a little more than holding our own. Besides the captaincy and managership of the football team, held by Brothers Reynolds, 07, and Turner, 07, Brothers Turner, Buchanan, and Savage are members of Tower Cross, the honorary senior society, Brother Buchanan holding the position of marshal of that body and of the senior class.

Brother Dillingham is a member of the class day committee, and Brother Alvarenga, 07, is on the college fencing team. Brother Savage, who is assisting in the English department, holds the office of Tree Orator for 1907, and also has a commencement part. He is an editor of the Tuftsman, the literary monthly. Brother Alpaugh, 07, is on the basketball squad.

Brother Vogt was recently re-elected president of 1908 for a third term, and Brother Herbert, 08, is assistant manager of the musical clubs. Brother Green, 08, and Brother Vogt, 08, represent Kappa in Ivy, the Junior society, and Brothers Tross, 09, and Hooper, 09, are members of the Sword and Shield, Sophomore society.

Brothers Case, 08, Dillingham, 07, Boss, 09, Herbert, 08, and Knowlton, Medical, 09, are out for the musical clubs and will undoubtedly make good. Brother Knowlton is leader of the mandolin club, and he was also one of the coaches of the football team.

Brother Adams, 10, managed the Freshman football team. and Brothers Crossley, Fessenden, Knight, Tower, Herrera and Dittrick helped to defeat the Sophomores in the annual football game between the two lower classes. Brother Herrera, 10, and Lincoln, 10, will soon be out for track work.

An informal supper and dancing party after the game with Wesleyan and several house dances have helped the year to pass pleasantly.

Several brothers from neighboring charges have visited us this fall, and we are hoping that if any Theta Delt is at any time in the vicinity of Boston, he will make us a call. The Hill is only a few miles from the city, and all are welcome at the house, 123 Packard avenue, Somerville.

HOWARD J. SAVAGE.

LAMBDA—Boston University.

Initiates.

Francis I. Bursley, 10, of Hyannis, Mass.

Carl P. Lothrop, 10, of Bramtree, Mass.

George W. Cahoon, 10, of Taunton, Mass.

Eugene Sanders, 10, of Wollaston, Mass.

Lucuis W. Robinson, 10, of Westfield, Mass.

Samuel E. Bentley, 10, of New Bedford, Mass.

Lambda takes pleasure in introducing to the charges six recently initiated brothers, each of whom, we think, possesses those qualities desirable in loyal Theta Delts.

The Lambda Initiation Banquet was held at the Westminster, Nov. 21, and seldom has more enthusiasm been displayed among the boys. Beside the nineteen active members there were twenty-two "grads" present, and it is an open question as to who had the biggest time.

Ten of the active brothers are now rooming at the charge house as are also three of the alumni. The presence of the latter is greatly appreciated by the "undergrads."

Brother Harry McLean, ex-07, is continuing his college course at Brown University. We miss him, but shall not worry for we know he is in good hands down at Zeta.

Last commencement took several excellent men from our active body. The fidelity of these brothers was made manifest in many ways and we are glad to here express our appreciation of their good work.

As usual the boys are holding their own in college activities. Of the three college proctors two are Theta Deltas: Brothers Look, 08, and Bulfinch, 07.

At the recent Junior election Brother Look, 08, was elected chairman of the Junior Week Finance Committee and Brother Greenan, 08, Chairman of the Junior Prom. Committee.

Brother Goold, 08, is President of the College Y. M. C. A. and sings on the Glee Club. Other warblers on the same organization are Brother Marriett, 08, and Brothers Bartlett and Merritt of the Law School. Brother Marriett is manager of the club.

Brothers Greenan, 08, Goold, 08, and Hicks, 07, are on the editorial board of the "Beacon."

Three of the Freshmen brothers got into the 09-10 football game last month but were ignominiously defeated by their elders among whom were Brothers Hicks and Sharp, 08.

In closing we emphasize our former invitations for all brothers who travel this way to visit us. Yours with best wishes for the holidays.

GEORGE G. BULFINCH, JR.

MU DEUTERON.

Initiates.

Thomas Allen Benedict, Fulton, N. Y.
Courtney Campbell, Washington, D. C.
Pierre Dunsen, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Randall Marcy Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.

THE SHIELD

Donald Maurice Gildersleeve, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 John Park Henry, Amherst, Mass.
 Ralph Waldo Rice, Chicago, Ill.
 Eustace Joseph Seligman, New York City, N. Y.
 George Frisbie Whicher, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Ralph Sampson Wood, Chicago, Ill.
 Harold Edward Woodward, Worcester, Mass.

The opening of college in September found eighteen of the brothers back and ready to take up the rushing with a vim that resulted in pledging the men whose names appear above. We now take pleasure in introducing them to the fraternity as brothers, who give promise of making loyal Theta Deltas. Mu Deuteron's annual initiation and banquet which was held on November second was well attended and enjoyed by all. We were very glad to welcome brothers from Columbia, Harvard and Boston Universities besides an unusual number of alumni. Bro. Tombo also favored us with his presence. He and several of the Rho Deuteron brothers stayed over for the football game Saturday.

Mu Deuteron has, as usual, his share of college honors. Bro. Hall, 07, is manager of the Athletic Association. Bro. Gildersleeve is playing an excellent game at center on the 'varsity, while Bro. Smith, 01, is treasurer of his class and a member of the Junior Press Committee. Bro. Lewis, 01, has a part in the Dramatic Club and three of the brothers are on the Musical Clubs.

The home of Mu Deuteron was somewhat remodeled during the summer vacation and is now more than ever ready to welcome any of the brothers who may chance this way.

SIGMA DEUTERON—University of Wisconsin.

Initiates.

1909.

Edward Farley, Madison, Wis.
 Morton Macartney, Des Moines, Ia.

1910.

James Johnson, Milwaukee, Wis.
 Paul Buchanan, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Karl Kayser, Milwaukee, Wis.

Affiliate—1909.

Randolph Marshall, Des Moines, Ia.

Many were the pleasant surprises in store for the brothers of

Sigma Deuteron upon their return to college this fall. Brother Kelly was back after a year in the forests of the Adirondacks, Brother Bayne had returned from the gold-fields of Alaska, and Brother Marshall of Eta Deuteron, affrighted by the San Francisco earthquake had decided that Madison was a safer place than Leland Stanford. With fortune thus smiling upon us from the first we have entered upon what promises to be a banner year. We regard our Freshman delegation as at least the equal of that of any fraternity in town. The new men have already shown themselves active in obtaining college honors.

Brother Paul Buchanan has made the Mandolin Club; Brother Karl Kayser is working hard to make the Freshman crew; Brother Ed. Farley is on the Cardinal staff; and Brother Morton Macartney is a member of the Glee Club. Besides the Freshmen already initiated we have one pledged man whom we expect to run through in the near future.

Wisconsin's football hero this year is Brother Ernie Springer, 09, who when put in as quarter in the second half of the Iowa game, with the score 4-0 in favor of the enemy, turned defeat into victory to the tune of 18-0, and, needless to say, played as regular quarterback during the rest of the season.

We have had the good fortune to have two of our 1908 delegates make the Junior societies this Fall. Brother Robertson is a member of the "Monastics," and Brother Will Hannan has made "Yellow Helmet." Brother Ernie Springer, 09, has been initiated into the Sophomore society, "Inner Gate." A few of the alumni have visited us this fall,—among them: Brothers Will Ferris, Senator Tommy Brazeau, Ernst Stavrum, Bert Concklin, Charlie Seiler, Pete Pease, Tug Wilson, Dud Dyer, Rev. Burnley, Psi 73, and Brother Winter, Eta 86.

These visits were gratly appreciated by the charge and we wish very Theta Delt who gets within striking distance of Madison to remember that a warm reception always await him at 703 State street.

ELMER EYMAN.

TAU DEUTERON—University of Minnesota.

Initiates.

1909.

Robert W. Black, St. Paul, Minn.

Lynn A. Porter, Le Roy, Minn.

Lafayette French, Austin, Minn.

1910.

Chauncey C. Coon, Minneapolis, Minn.

George B. Partridge, Minneapolis, Minn.

Willis S. Salisbury, Minneapolis, Minn.

Fred B. Merrill, Stillwater, Minn.

Paul M. Rickert, Sisseton, South Dakota.

Tau Deuteron opened the college year with the brightest of prospects before her. Fifteen men were back and Brothr Kells, 05, and Brother Helow Leach, 05, entered the law school, bringing our numbers up to seventeen. After a very successful rushing season we take great pleasure in introducing to the fraternity eight fine fellows, of whom we are justly proud. At initiation Brother George Partridge was united in the bonds with his father T. M. Partridge XI 87, and Brother Willis Salisbury with his brother, Maurice Salisbury, 07.

In college activities, Brother Helon Leach is assistant manager of athletics and Brother Luce is on the varsity football squad. Brothers Huntley, Leuthold and Chamberlain are playing on the Mandolin club.

The Tau Deuteron brothers had both the pleasure and the profit of a week's visit with Brother Norman Hackett, Gamma Deuteron, 98, and Brother George Ward, Tau Deuteron, 04, during their engagement in the twin cities with the "Merry Wives of Windsor" company. The charge gave a theater party and Brother Greenby had a little supper in their honor. It goes without saying that we are longingly looking forward to their next visit.

Pleasant calls have been made us by Brother Burnley, Sigma Deuteron 04, Brother Foote, Gamma Deuteron 04, and our own Tau Deuteron brothers, H. S. Morris 91, Lane 02, Pratt 98, Hugh Leach 04, Dean 05, Chilson 05.

Visits of brothers from other charges are immensely appreciated and any Theta Delt brother who happens to be in the Twin Cities is heartily urged to look us up. Tau Deuteron sends her best wishes to all the charges for a successful year.

S. WILSON McEUAN.

100 Beacon Street, S. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

PHI CHARGE—Lafayette College.

Initiates.

Abram P. Hays, Pittsburg, Pa.

Clarence W. Horr, Pittsburg, Pa.

Frederick McCutcheon, Pittsburg, Pa.

Joseph O. Parker, Pittsburg, Pa.
W. Blake Hindman, Chillicothe, Ohio.
Arthur B. Schooley, Wyoming, Pa.
Samuel K. Day, Hazelton, Pa.
Thomas W. Gannon, New York, N. Y.

In the above list you see eight of the best Freshmen that entered Lafayette College this fall. Every man of them is a loyal Theta Delt even now, and taking his part in all College and Fraternity matters. When we returned to our beautiful house this fall, it was with the joy of a prodigal son returning home; there was that in the hearty grip and cheery voices of our fellows that made us thank the day that we became brethren. We lost but one man last June by graduation, so that Phi presented an almost unbroken front when the rushing season began. Thirteen of us were gathered on September 12, the day before College opened, and a full half dozen had been on the ground for a week previous. Our rushing was unusually successful, as I have before stated, and our "family" is all settled down now, and everything is running smoothly. Nineteen of us live in the house; this includes all of the three upper classes, and every man but two of the Freshmen, who room in the dormitories.

We all eat at the club we have run cooperatively for so many years, but by my next letter, we will be dining in our palatial dining room. Thru the munificence of some of our alumni, and our own efforts, we have purchased a full dining room and kitchen equipment, which will be here soon. The furniture is mission style, to harmonize with the fittings of the rest of the house, and adds much to the beauty of our downstairs.

In college activities Phi is playing a very prominent part. Brother Doud '07, is captain of the football team which has attained such a reputation this fall. For two years he has received All-American mention by the authorities, and bids fair to occupy a place this season. Brother Sherrer '07 is Editor-in-Chief of the "Lafayette," the college weekly newspaper, and Brother A. W. Sullivan '08, is Assistant Editor-in-Chief. Brothers F. W. Sullivan '08, and Manley '09, are both on the "Lafayette" board. Brother F. W. Sullivan '08, is Assistant Editor-in-Chief of the "Touchstone," Lafayette's literary monthly, and Brother A. W. Sullivan '08, is also on that board. Phi has three men in the Musical clubs, Brothers Sherrer '07, Ye Scribe '08, and Manley '09. Brother Gannon '10, is an expert on the mandolin, and is out for the clubs as well. The "Sock and Buskin," our dramatic association, is strengthened by the presence of three men, and many of us belong to the Literary

societies, and Honorary societies among the students. Altogether Phi is busy; and by being busy, prosperous, for when we have lots to do we work hard, but with little to occupy us, we do that little poorly; human nature is the same the world over. Three of the brothers are members of the Press Club, Ye Scribe being Secretary. His twin, and Brother Hindman '10, are the others. Under their pens, eight papers get sporting news from Lafayette, notably the Chicago "Tribune," the Philadelphia "Inquirer," "Ledger," "Bulletin" and "Telegraph," as well as the Easton "Express," and the "Lafayette."

Brother Shaeffer '08, is captain of the track team for next spring, and Brother F. W. Sullivan '08 is Assistant Manager. Brother William Darsie '09 won his "L" last spring. Brother Doud '07, also distinguished himself in the field by setting a new hammer throw mark for the college in the meet with Lehigh last June. Brother Anderson '07, played on the ball team in the outfield, and made a very commendable record.

Our Freshmen have started out well. Brother Hurdman is trying for the "Lafayette" board; Brothers Hays and Horr, won their numerals on the 1910 eleven, and Brother McCutcheon has played guard on the scrub eleven all season. The charge is well represented in class offices and many minor activities, that conspire to bring credit to Phi and her men.

We have inaugurated the social season by an informal dance on November 17, after the Syracuse game. It was our first attempt at anything of the kind, as the house was incomplete last year until June, when we gave a very successful reception at Commencement time. The dance proved a very marked success and we hope to repeat the experiment often. We have received visits this term from Brothers John and Alvin Markie, Torael Pardee, "Bandy" Morgan, Edward Twitmeyer, Jack Hess, Jack Gannon, and Brown '04, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Besides these the Lehigh brothers have gladdened us with their presence on several occasions, and Jim Stradling is over at the house every few nights, if for nothing more than to get licked at pool. We want every Thete passing thru Easton to lay off a night and stop over with us, particularly brothers of the far Western charges, whom we know by name and affection only—not by sight.

Brother Morgan presented us with an English Bull dog called "Buster." He is true to his name. ARTHUR W. SULLIVAN.

CHI—University of Rochester.

Initiates.

1909.

Joseph E. Harrington, Wakefield, Mass.

1910.

Arthur W. Morrison, Rochester, N. Y.
Raymond H. McKinney, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Francis E. Cassidy, Webster, Mass.
Thomas A. Connors, Rochester, N. Y.
William T. Skuse, Rochester, N. Y.
Edward J. Keiber, Rochester, N. Y.
Roswell M. Eldridge, Livonia, N. Y.
William H. Irvine, Rochester, N. Y.
Fred Moses, Rochester, N. Y.

The first term of another college year is over, a very exciting and successful one for Chi. For, besides our regular college work and activities, we initiated ten men, so that we now have as large a Charge as has represented Rochester in a number of years. The prosperous condition of the Charge is undoubtedly the result of the growing prosperity of our college. The new Eastman Building was opened in the fall and the money necessary for the Carnegie Building is nearly all subscribed so that Rochester will soon be able to offer a full Engineering Course.

We have been very fortunate in having men in all college affairs. In football Brothers Winters, 07; Keiber, 10, and Connors, 10, made their R, as did Brother Palmer, 07, who was manager. Brothers Cassidy, 10, and Keiber, 10, are on the basketball team which is one of the best that has represented Rochester in a number of years. Brother Lewis, 07, represented us on the Glee and Mandolin Club and Brothers Lewis, 07, and Palmer, 07, are characters in the college play which is to be given at the Lyceum theater, Feb. 12. Brother Barker, 08, is associate editor of the "Interpress," the annual year book of the college, put out by the Junior class, and Brother Pammenter, 08, was on the Junior Prom. committee which ran the most successful Prom. ever held at the University.

During the term we have enjoyed two social events, our Initiation Banquet and a Pedro party. At the former we were fortunate in having with us two of the founders of our Charge, Brothers McKinney, 69, and Morehouse, 69. Both gave very helpful and interesting talks on the early trials of the Charge and the true meaning of Fraternity. And, indeed, we were helped to appreciate and honor those ties of Brotherhood and Fellowship and realize the true value of Fraternity when we remembered that Brother McKinney had

come back to help initiate his son, Raymond McKinney, 10.

During the fall we have received visits from the following Brothers: Wm. Drake, Chi., 03; Chas. Jackman, Chi., 05; J. Duncan MacNair, Lambda, 05; E. S. Brandt, Chi., ex-07; Beecher, Xi, 09, and Tillston, Rho. Deuteron, 07, who was here in behalf of the Convention Ball Committee at which occasion we trust to meet all the Brothers in February.

ARTHUR T. PAMMENTER.

CHI DEUTERON—George Washington University.

Initiates.

Clyde D. Garrett, of Washington, District of Columbia.

William H. Barnum, of Utica, New York.

Chester C. Caywood, of Washington, District of Columbia.

Frank E. Warren, of Washington, District of Columbia.

Charles H. Nichols, of Washington, District of Columbia.

Julian W. Whiting, of Rockville, Maryland; and

Donald Wilhelm, of Defiance, Ohio.

Chi Deuteron Charge, for the first quarter of the present year, has to report great prosperity. In view of the many difficult problems which she had to encounter at and before its beginning, our ability to state this fact is all the more gratifying.

A month before the opening of college, the Charge was without a home, in a disabled financial condition, and with not a great many active members. Thus to all it was apparent that an effort determined and continued on the part of each one could alone insure us even a reasonable degree of success in the ensuing year. Realizing the emergency, every Brother, with a zeal and spirit becoming the most loyal Theta Delts, entered upon the work before him.

By the early part of September a house had been leased. Its location at 1831 G Street, Northwest, from every point of view, is excellent. It is a three-story, ten-room brick, only four blocks from the college and about the same distance from the offices of a number of the Brothers. Besides, the neighborhood in which we are located is a quiet, residential one, and contains a large number of the other fraternities.

The greatest proposition to master which confronted us was the furnishing of our new home. The men solved it right quickly by labor both of the head and the hand. We have some "home made" furniture which shows the handiwork of the master. This was made in the course of a few weeks by a number of the Brothers, to whose untiring efforts in this respect, as well as in many others, our present

state of unprecedented prosperity may largely be attributed. To other Brothers the credit may be given of so planning financial affairs that we have no obligations from the outside to meet.

When college began, things were in a condition more than fairly presentable for our "guests" who came often and in great numbers to visit us. However, of the many who were called, but few were chosen. Our rushing season was long and vigorous, and, at its conclusion, we had decided on seven men who seemed to bear the "proper stamp." Of this number six were initiated on the 29th day of October, and the other, on the 10th day of November. We are by this time convinced that our selections were wise, as all of the new Brothers have displayed their worthiness. They are named above in the order of their initiation and it is a pleasure to introduce them to the Charges.

In addition to this splendid increase of our number, we were exceedingly fortunate in having Brother George Bean, who has returned to college, resume his active membership in the Charge; and also in having Brother Richard Senior, of Nu Deuteron, affiliate with us. So that our present membership of twenty-three is the largest the Charge has ever known.

We have six Brothers living in the house, which is a greater number than ever before. Of these, five are active members and one a graduate, Brother Harry H. St. Clair, of Rho Deuteron. Luncheon is served each day to an average of ten of the Brothers. Some of our graduates in the Government Departments, and some others who have offices near-by, come often to see us at this time and their presence is much appreciated.

The Chi Deuteron Fund,—originated near the conclusion of our last fraternity year,—which has for its object the raising of a sum of money to be used, when eventually sufficient, in the building of a home of our own, is still growing and is assuming considerable proportions.

We have every reason to believe that this year, when completed, will stand out prominently as the most successful in our history. With a large and energetic membership, with a house convenient in every respect, and with but few obligations,—and those comparatively small,—we can see no reason why this should not be true.

Chi Deuteron heartily wishes all other Charges abundant success.

We cordially welcome Theta Deltas and their friends to our new home.

JAMES T. SHERIER.

THE SHIELD

PSI—Hamilton College.

Initiates.

Harper Swift.
 Howard Brasted.
 Ben Barber.
 Plyn Baxter Fisk.

The usual Theta Delt motto "quality before quantity" was observed this fall when we took in the above four members. Already they have shown themselves made of the right "stuff" and will make the best of Theta Deltas. With the addition of the four new brothers we have now fourteen men, having lost five last June by graduation.

Last summer we had our house thoroughly overhauled and repainted. It looks like new and in our estimation is now one of the best looking houses on the hill.

Football season with all its turmoil has come and gone. While we had no regular men on the Varsity we nevertheless were represented on the squad. Bro. Getman, 09, acted as sub quarter and Bro. Kellogg, 08, played half on the scrub. They both did excellent work. On the sidelines Bro. Rood, 07, was cheer leader.

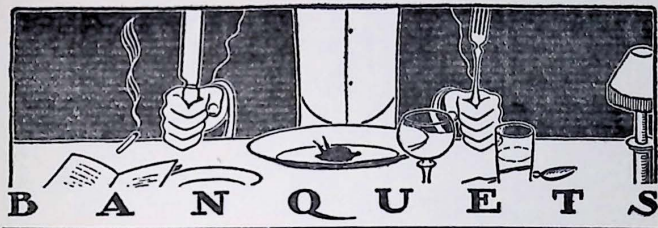
Bro. Rood during the recent gubernatorial election has become quite prominent in a political line. He first astonished the brothers and college by turning from a rabid Democrat to a rabid Republican and then by organizing a Hughes club to which nine-tenths of the college belonged. Under his guidance and amid much burning of red fire, Bro. Rood led this organization into Utica to hear Secretary Root and Mr. Hughes speak.

In the other college activities we have Bros. Getman, 09, Brasted, 10, and Barber, 10, on the musical clubs and Bros. Getman and Lisk, 09, out for basketball.

Psi wishes the members of the sister charges a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year.

I. C. BROWN.





GRADUATE CLUB OF THETA DELTA CHI.

An old-time reunion and smoker of the Graduate Club of Theta Delta Chi was held on Friday evening, Nov. 9, at the club rooms, 1424 Broadway, New York City. Besides the songs and speeches of the assembled brothers a legerdemain performance was arranged to entertain the members.

About forty brothers participated in the feast of fun and refreshment which the committee had provided.

Among those present were many brothers seldom before seen in the club—a most welcome feature of these reunions has always been the meeting of brothers “by surprise.”

The Graduate Club of Theta Delta Chi has completed ten years of uninterrupted existence, of which nearly nine years have been at the present club rooms at 1424 Broadway. It heartily welcomes all out of town brothers who visit New York City.

PI DEUTERON.

Forasmuch as ye

PI DEUTERON CHARGE

hath, egad! enjoyed five-and-twenty years of continuous existence, and, by ye same token, hath survived to hear ye gong sound for ye second lap of a half-century, and

Forasmuch as Pi Deuteron is neither ashamed of ye Past nor fearful of ye Future,

Now therefore hath ye said Pi Deuteron resolved to gather her

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faithful sons, and her faithful friends of all ye other Charges at ye New York Athletic Club, Central Park South on Saturday, ye twenty-fourth day of November, at seven by ye towne clock.

Ye purpose of ye said gathering is that all ye members of ye
THETA DELTA CHI

of whatever Charge, shall meet to talk, sing, and smoke joyously together; likewise hear Various Wise and Witty Brothers proclaim Great Truths and Old Jokes. Ye Scribe of ye Committee had almost forgotten to whisper that a Banquet will be eaten,—as good as \$3.00 will buy of rare things and tasty, which said \$3.00, in ye Coin of ye Realm, will pass thee and thine appetite, Good Brother, within the Portals where Friendship and Good Fellowship will reign.

All Ye Olde Boys have promised to attend; full One Hundred will crowd famished 'round the festive board, an thou fail not,—otherwise but ninety-and-nine, alack!

Ye Innkeeper is a queer bird; he doth demand to know of us even now, how many mouths that he must feed. And by his inquisitiveness are we constrained to pray that thou dally not, Good Brother, but wilt, by return of post if possible, and surely within two days or three, send ye Committee thine answer. Ye Committee hath even prepaid ye return postage. So thou, Brother, hast but deftly to dip goose-quill in ye ink-pot, write ye gladsome message, and drop it in ye nearest post-box. Procrastinate not!

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER YE TWENTY-FOURTH

at seven, at ye New York Athletic Club.

Peace be with thee till then Brother,—and ever after.

Ye Committee

 ZETA BANQUET.

The fifty-third annual anniversary banquet of the Zeta Charge was held in the rooms of the Falstaff Club, Providence, on December 6, 1906. Sixty alumni and nearly all the active charge, bringing the number up to eighty-five, were present and the enthusiasm and interest which marks these gatherings was up to the usual standard. The annual business meeting of the Rhode Island Alumni Association resulted in the re-election of last year's officers, and the question of the charge house was brought up, concerning which Brother Robert S. Emerson, 97, reported. A committee of ten was appointed to look into this matter of procuring a house and is expected to report in the near future. The charge house problem seemed to meet with general approval and we are all look-

ing forward to the time when we shall have a home, which we hope is not very far distant.

After a well served spread, the meeting took the form of a smoker and vaudeville show, in which some well known Providence artists gave a creditable performance. During the collation many of the old fraternity songs were sung and the singing of these well known songs was, in general opinion, the most enthusiastic ever. There were no speeches and after a silent toast to Omega the brothers disbanded. Those who were fortunate enough to be present, and some came from a considerable distance, voted that this innovation of a banquet, smoker and vaudeville, three in one, was one of the most successful as well as pleasing events that has been held in connection with the Zeta Charge in many years.

R. W. D. JONES, Zeta 08.



BETA.

Bro. Charles R. Murphy, 89, who is one of the successful manufacturers of Decatur, Ill., recently entertained at his home Bros. J Beveridge Lee, D. D., Psi 86, and James D. Rogers, Psi 89. Bro. Lee as Secretary for Colleges of the Presbyterian Church, was making an official visit to James Millikan University in which Professor Rogers holds the chair of Greek.

EPSILON.

Brother Joseph H. Chitwood, 02, is working at his profession with a law firm in Roanoke, Va.

Brother William T. Hodges, 02, has resigned his position as principal of the Goldsboro, N. C., schools and is now traveling for MacMillan & Co., in the south. After January 1st Brother Hodges' work will be confined to Virginia with headquarters in Richmond.

Brother H. Jackson Davis, 02, has been elected to the Phi Beta Kappa at William and Mary.

Brother A. R. W. Mackreth, 04, has received a like honor.

Brother Robert A. Holt, 04, is holding a responsible position with the Newport News Ship Building and Dry Dock Company.

Brother Arthur D. Wright, 04, is now principal of the Baker School, Richmond, Va., one of the largest colored schools in the state. His permanent address is P. O. Boss 15, Richmond, Va.

Brother Joel Cutchins Rawls, 06, is a second-year student at the Medical College of Virginia.

Brother John Willis Abbitt, 07, is a freshman at the same school, and both Brothers Abbitt and Rawls live at 906 E. Marshall street, Richmond, Va.

Brother Francis O'Keeffe, Jr., 07, is in an architects office in New York City.

Brother Charles H. Fowler, 08, is employed in the Boston Clothing Store, Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md.

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Henry L. Smith, 96, has left the General Electric Company of Schnectady and is at present located with the Stanley —G. I. Electric Mfg. Co. of Pittsfield, Mass.

A. N. Potter, 05, is sub-master in Brigham Academy, Bakersfield, Vt.

T. A. Welch, 05, is located with the Welch-Lanegran Shoe Mfg. Co., of Lynn, Mass.

Percy Shires, 06, is a reporter on the Providence Tribune.

G. F. Krause, 06, is located with the Geo. Krause Hardware Co., of Lebanon, Pa.

D. W. Robinson, 07, is located with the Wood-Robinson Co. of Auburn, Me.

A. C. Brackett, 07, is assistant sporting editor of the Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Brother George P. Upton, 54, The A. C. McClurg Company of Chicago, has brought out in the series of "Life Stories for Young People" Brother Upton's translation of von Horn's "Maria Theresa."

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Brother F. W. H. Bovey, rowed No. 6 in the Cambridge-Trinity Hall crew at the Henley races in July. They won the Grand Challenge Cup in splendid style.

ETA.

Henry H. Hastings, 90, was elected Senator from Oxford county and Llewellyn Barton, 84, was elected Clerk of Courts for Cumberland County, on September 10th.

Levi Turner, 86.—Governor Cobb of Maine appointed Levi Turner, 86, Judge of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, on September 13th.

Arthur H. Statson, 95, was elected Judge of Probate in Sagadahoc county, Maine, at the autumn election.

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Bro. Herbert S. Williams, 06, is now in Lead, South Dakota, working for the Globe Gold Mining Co.

Bro. George M. Henderson, 06, is in Rhyolite, Nevada, assistant to the manager of the Tramp Consolidated Mining Co.

Bro. Guy H. Ruggles, 06, is assayer for the Boston & Montana Co. of Great Falls, Montana.

Bro. Stewart C. Coey, 06, is in the employ of the J. G. White Electrical Co., installing apparatus, with office in New York.

Bro. Joseph H. Brown, Jr., 06, is traveling salesman for the Sullivan Machine Co., with headquarters in New York.

Bro. Charles R. Prichard is superintendent of the Beverly Gas & Light Co., of Beverly, Mass. Brother Prichard has also joined the ranks of the benedicts. His marriage with Miss Marion C. Mudge of Salem, Mass., having been solemnized on Oct. 22, 1906 in Salem.

Bro. Francis E. Drake, Jr., is assistant to the superintendent of the Lynn Gas & Electric Co., of Lynn, Mass.

Bro. Robert Howe, 07, is working with his father, not having returned to the Institute this fall.

Bro. L. D. Davenport, 07, and J. E. Griffin, 07, are also not back this year. Brother Davenport surveying for the Olive Mining Co. of Hibbing, Minn., and Brother Griffin has gone into business for himself as civil engineer with office in Hibbing, Minn.

Bro. Clarence R. Lamont, 07, was married last June and is in business in Bingham, Utah at present, but expects to return to the Institute next fall to resume his studies.

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Tom Bassett, 05, is with Paine Webber & Co., Boston.

R. F. James, 02, is with the American Telegraph & Telephone Company, New York City.

H. P. Brown, 03, is Secretary of the Merchants' Association of Fall River.

F. H. Lahey, 04, has announced his engagement.

George Metcalf, 98, has started to practice law by himself in St. Paul.

Nathaniel B. Wales, Iota, 05, is located at No-Gales, Mexico, for a year at least, doing mining engineering.

Perley Leonard Hoene, 92, President of the Kamehameha Schools, Honolulu, Hawaii, writes that there are seven Theta Deltas in Honolulu.

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The death of Mrs. E. I. Shepherd, wife of Brother Shepherd 00, occurred at Winona, Minn., on September 29, 1906.

The engagement of O. R. Hagan, 01, to Miss Leona Crandell of Troy, N. Y. is announced.

Brother Mears, 03, is studying at the Johns Hopkins University for a degree.

The engagement of Brother Harold E. Nesbitt, 05, to Miss Helen M. Bartlett of Malden, Mass., is announced.

Brother H. T. Watson, 05, is in the employ of the Central Union Telephone Co. of Indianapolis, Ind. Brother Watson was absent from business to coach the football team.

Brother L. L. Campbell, 06, is in the employ of the E. M. Campbell Co., at Indianapolis, Ind.

A. F. Buchanan is at the Business College in Indianapolis, Ind.

Brother L. A. Bassett, 06, is in the employ of the Great Northern Paper Co., at Millinocket, Maine.

Brother Mears, 06, is with the International Paper Co., at Palmer Falls, N. Y.

Brother McClellan, 07, is in the employ of the Lesh & Sons Leather Co., Boston, Mass.

Brother Russell, 07, is with Paine, Weber Co., Boston, Mass.

Brother Currier, 08, is in the employ of the H. M. Currier Co., shoe manufacturers, at Boston, Mass.

The engagement of Brother Garrett Schenck, Jr., 09, ex-09, to Miss Catherine Staats of Cohoes, N. Y., is announced.

Brother Thompson, ex-09, is studying at the University of Colorado.

Hiram Grant Person, 91, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Elliot Congregational Church of Newton, Mass., the date of the beginning of his services there being January 1st next. Rev. Mr. Person was graduated at Auburn Theological Seminary in 1894 and has spent the twelve years since that time in the active pastoral charges of the Presbyterian churches of Chittenango, N. Y., and Seneca Falls, N. Y., having been in the former pastorate three years and the latter nine years. That he should now be called to one of the strongest churches in New England in another denomination than that of his training and experience is a matter of much pleasure to him and his charge brothers.

KAPPA.

Brother Charles Neal Barney, 95, at present mayor of Lynn, Mass., has received a re-nomination at the hands of the Republican party. His portrait appeared in the Boston Herald of September 22, 1906, in conjunction with that of his grandfather, Hon. Peterell Neal. The latter, now ninety-four years old, was mayor of Lynn in war times, 1862-1865.

The engagement is announced of Brother Richard B. Coolidge, 02, of Boston and Miss Ruth D. Dame of West Medford. Brother Coolidge is practicing law in Boston.

Brother Dana C. Bailey, 02, is instructing at Westbrook Seminary, Portland, Me.

Brother Ernest Clair Witham, 04, is at the head of the department of chemistry at the Perkins Institute for the Blind, South Boston, Mass.

Brother Otho M. Graves, 06, is instructing in the engineering department of the University of Pennsylvania.

Brother Charles M. Chapin, 06, is on the editorial staff of the Boston Transcript.

Brother Charles Hosea Temple, 05, is pastor of the Hillside Universalist church at Medford Hillside, Mass.

Brother Henry Halle Dole, 06, is with the General Electric Company at Schenectady, N. Y. His address is 12 North Ferry street, Schenectady.

Brother Charles E. Fay, 68, head of the department of modern languages at Tufts College, served as one member of the committee of five appointed to superintend the placing of the memorial bridge in Franklin Park, Boston, on October 13, in honor of the late Charles Eliot, son of President Eliot of Harvard.

Brother Frederick W. Hamilton, 80, President of Tufts College, addressed the faculty and student body of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on November 8, on the crisis of the present day. Dr. Hamilton was one of a series of speakers, including Dr. Henry Van Dyke and President Tucker of Dartmouth, who are addressing the institute this fall. President Hamilton's speech was widely quoted throughout New England. According to the programme of the Somerville Woman's Club for the coming season, President Hamilton is to deliver a lecture before that organization on Saturday afternoon, February 16, on the subject: "The English Universities and Their History."

Brother Rev. Arthur W. Grose, 91, of Rochester, N. Y., delivered the annual Russell Lecture in Goddard Chapel, Tufts College on September 30. The lecture attracted a great deal of attention both because of its classic form and its subject. The topic assigned for this year's lecture was: "The Importance of Christian Faith and Belief in the Formation of the Character of the Good Citizen and the Good Man." An abstract of the lecture follows:

"To make good men and good citizens is, or should be, the object of all right education, as it is the purpose of all true religion. Indeed, that 'one far-off divine event toward which the whole creation moves' might properly be described as the perfecting of human character in the citizenship which is of the heavens. This is the distinctive work set before men both by their native capacities and their instinctive desires. To make progress in true living is man's first and greatest inalienable right. 'Not God's'—and not the beast's. God is; they are. Man partly is and wholly hopes to be.' The evident intention of the founder of this lectureship was to emphasize the fact that the Christian faith and belief have a very powerful influence in helping men to be what they are meant to be. Not that the Christian religion is the only factor in human progress, but that it does certainly provide a force that we can ill afford to neglect, it greatly accelerates the movement of humanity toward better things—other things being equal, the Christian has an immense advantage in his purpose to make the most of life. It is with this aspect of the great problem of life, which is nothing more nor less than to learn how to live, that I shall attempt to deal.

"What do we mean by a good man—whom do we rightly judge to be a good citizen? I understand this phrase, 'the good man and the good citizen,' to mean the individual who in his personal and in his social activities makes life worth the living for himself and for other men—the one who

" 'Moves upward, working out the beast,
And lets the ape and tiger die,'

and in so doing finds that more abundant life which we all want and which we all seek.

"Of the elements which enter into the making of a good man and a good citizen, first in order naturally comes the influence of heredity. It may be remarked in passing that if we are sincere Christians, succeeding generations will be much more likely to measure up to the demands certain to be made upon them than if we are not. More than one man has been influenced to become a disciple of Jesus because he felt that he owed it to his children.

"Logically associated with heredity is the influence of environment. There is little need in this day and generation, certainly there is little need in this place, to enlarge upon the importance of this element in the development of character. Our College is itself useful in making good men and good citizens mainly because it furnishes a favorable environment. To the young student it may sometimes seem that the acquisition of knowledge is the sole object of a college education. But a larger acquaintance with it and a better comprehension of its aims will deepen the conviction that the real purpose of a college training is not so much to make scholars as it is to make men.

"To arouse a desire for character and usefulness is the principal thing. To make a man want to be a good man—to awaken the passion for social service—the hunger and thirst after righteousness—this is the really difficult problem. The Christian faith will stand or fall, according to its ability or its failure to supply motive to mankind.

"The surest evidence that the Christian faith and belief are calculated to hasten the time when the perfect commonwealth shall come is found in our general acknowledgment, even today, that only those men are good citizens who meet the Christian tests of personal responsibility and personal service.

"To know Jesus is to love Him and to love, at the same time, the great principles of which his life is the highest expression yet given to men. It is to have the conviction so much needed today that the whole world is too small a price to accept for honor and self-respect, that righteousness is the only permanent security for any individual or for any nation, and that the spirit of service is the one absolutely essential qualification for true citizenship. Above all, it is to share the noble faith that good is ever stronger than evil, that truth will always conquer error, and love will always conquer hate, and that though heaven and earth may pass away, the character of the good man and the good citizen will endure forever."

Edward Knowlton, 06, who is studying medicine and saw active service at Emergency Hospital, Boston, during the summer months, is now Instructor at Volkman School.

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Gordon C. Smith, 04, is in Government survey work in Idaho. Bro. H. F. Tilton, 08, is making a conspicuous success in the advertising business. He is a manager of the advertising department of the "National Sportsman."

Sumner G. Rand, 06, is at the Harvard Law School.

S. T. McCall, 03, is now in the law office of Peckham, Packard, Ap Madoc and Walch, 1050 First National Bank Building, Chicago.

E. R. Kimball, 05, is engineering inspector for the Boston Elevated Railway.

R. S. Pringee, 06, is clerk for the joint Special Committee on Insurance of Massachusetts. He is also keeping up his work in the Harvard Law School.

A. D. Converse, 00, was recently elected to the Massachusetts Legislature.

R. D. Crane, 00, who has been in the Cambridge, Mass., common Council for some time is now running for alderman. He received the fifth largest vote of the non-partisans.

W. M. Boothby, 02, had a daughter born on October 28.

Robert Epentus Webster, 05, is with the Western Electric Company in New York. Roger Flint, 01, is associated with him.

Frank P. Powers, 02, is sales manager of the Whiskey department of the Fleischmann Company, New York.

NU DEUTERON.

W. B. Schober, 85, has been advanced to the professorship of chemistry at Lehigh University. He is a graduate of St. John's College, B. S. 86, and A. M. 90; of Johns Hopkins University, Ph. D. 92. For some time he was in research work at Lehigh where he became a member of Theta Delta Chi.

Archibald Johnston, 89, has been made president of the Bethlehem Steel Company, one of the concerns included in the United States Corporation. Bro. Johnston has been in the employ of this company since his graduation, occupying various responsible positions, and his rapid rise has been the result of earnest and conscientious work.

E. E. Johnston, 06, is with the Milliken Brothers, New York, filling a position of responsibility and from all indications, a lucrative one.

Eugene G. Grace, 99, is now general superintendent of the Bethlehem Steel Works, in whose employ he has been since graduation.

Roy R. Hornor, 99, who was formerly with the Mexican Copper Co., at Ramos, Mexico, is now in the service of the South Rose Deep Mining Co. as mining engineer and metallurgist, at Gumiston, Transvaal, South Africa.

Harlow F. Banfield, ex. 06, was married to Miss Mary Olive Moore on the evening of Wednesday, September 5, at Beaver, Pa. They are now residing at Avonmore, Pa.

On Wednesday evening, November 14, the wedding of Miss Leonora Courts to Mr. Albert R. Glancy, 03, took place at the home of the bride, 1837 KKalorama avenue, Washington, D. C.

Philip M. Palmer, Eta, 00, is professor of Modern Languages at Lehigh University. His advancement has been very rapid and under his direction, this part of the curriculum has been greatly strengthened.

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Geo. M. S. Schulz, 92, was elected assemblyman to the New York State Legislature by a large majority, at the recent election.

Carl Tombo, 97, is in charge of the construction of a power-tunnel to be used in connection with a turbine-driven electric plant at Shawinigan Falls, Canada.

Fred A. Onderdouts, 98, was recently elected captain of his company in the 22nd Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y.; he is the youngest captain in the regiment, and was raised from a second lieutenantcy over the head of his first lieutenant.

Nelson P. Mead, 98, got his Ph. D. at Columbia last June, and has recently been appointed Instructor in History, at the College of the City of New York.

Deane Stratton, 99, has returned to New York after an absence of several years, greatly improved in health; he is now residing at 2770 Morris avenue, Bedford Park, New York City.

Edward F. Schaeffer, 00, is in charge of extensive operations in the way of gold-dredging at the Poto Mining Company's fields in Peru.

Fred M. Steeves, 00, is the secretary of a corporation which is engaged in large real estate operations in properties along the Harlem river.

Harry A. Fisher, 02, is engaged in promoting Long Island real estate, and has been very successful.

Robert M. Schmid, 02, has begun his senior year in mechanical engineering at Cornell University.

Conrad Trubenbach, 02, is in engineering work on the New York Rapid Transit Commission.

RHO DEUTERON.

J. Boyce Smith, Jr., 01, has entered into equal partnership with Pliny W. Williamson, a member of the Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity for the general practice of the law in New York City, under the firm name of Williamson & Smith, with offices in the Mutual Life Building, No. 32 Liberty street. Brother Smith received his A. B. from Columbia College in 1901 and an A. M. in 1902. In 1904 he graduated with an LL. B. from the Columbia Law School, and in June of that year entered the office of Hatch, Keener & Clute, 100 Broadway, where he has been diligently cutting his wisdom teeth ever since. In 1905 he received the degree of LL. M. from Columbia. He edited Vols. XX. and XXI. of the Shield, and was on the Grand Lodge in his junior and senior years, with "Prexy Harstrom" and "Handsome Huffcut," and has the convention habit—not having failed to attend a convention since his initiation. He is confident of the ability of his firm to thread the mazes of the labyrinthine law of the metropolis, and secure justice for its clients.

Brother Gilman P. Tiffany, 05, who held the Herald Cup of the Powelton Golf Club, won the championship series again this year and now holds the cup as his personal property. He not only won the low score prize in the qualifying round, but also won the gross score cup in the medal play handicap. His score was 77.

L. Lindenmeyr, 00, is engaged in the practice of architecture at 34 West Twenty-sixth street, New York, as junior member of the firm of Kafka & Lindenmeyr. He reports the third addition to his family, a daughter, born November 27th.

SIGMA DEUTERON.

Brother Guy Ford, 95, recently of the Department of History at Yale University, has been made Professor of History at the University of Illinois.

Brother Earl Tillotson, 96, is again located at Marinette, Wis.

Brother Fred Barrows, 96, is an instructor in the department of commerce of a Denver, Colo., High School.

Brother Howard Chadwick, 06, is on the reportorial staff of the El Paso, Texas, "Gazette."

Brother George Blynd, 97, is practicing medicine at Berlin, Wis.

Brother Frank Compton, 98, has a "Comp. Jr." now.

Brother Ernie Falconer, 06, of Sigma Deuteron and Eta Deuteron, has now gone to McGill to study medicine. Let the other charges be on the lookout for him—he seems to be making the rounds.

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Brother C. R. Kayser, 06, is living in Milwaukee, Wis.

Brother Lee Post, 08, is laying out the new Illinois Steel Company town at Gary, Ind.

Brother Louis Francisco, 08, has been suffering from a long illness, and it is feared that he will entirely lose the use of his right hand.

Brother Andy Robertson, 07, is on a surveying gang on the Northwestern Railroad's Pierre extension in South Dakota. His camp is located at Bull Creek, near Rapid City.

Brother G. H. Dyer, 04, is on the construction department of a railroad at Jalapa, Mexico (near Vera Cruz).

Brother Myron Reed Johnson, 03, has taken up his abode in Los Angeles, Cal.

Brother Clarence DuFour, 02, is in the employ of the Northwestern Life Insurance Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

Brother Earl C. Howard, 02, is in the employ of the Cadillac Machine Co. at Detroit, Michigan.

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Brother Hugh E. Leach, 04, has entered the practice of law with his brother at Owatonna, Minn.

Bro. C. F. Lane, 02, is now located at Ogden, N. D.

Brother G. H. Tyler, 06, has a position with the United States Collection Agency in the Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

Brother H. J. Bartron has a twenty month's interne ship at the New York Polyclinic.

PHI.

Brother Morris R. Sherrerd, 86, has been one of the expert engineers who have testified before the Ithaca Water Commissioners during the summer as to the local plant. Brother Sherrerd's testimony was clear and seemed to be very effective. He has frequently been called upon to make estimates of the value of water systems and has had considerable experience in their construction. Brother Sherrerd has charge of the construction of the Cedar Grove reservoir tunnel and 60-inch pipe line, a work that consumed three years and \$2,000,000. He is a member of the New Jersey state flood commission, a former president of the American Water Works

association, a member of the board of directors of the American Society of Civil Engineers, president of the American Society of Municipal Improvements and an acknowledged authority on questions pertaining to water systems. Since 1895 he has held the position of chief engineer of the board of street and water commission of Newark, N. J.

CHI.

Brother Ellis E. Lawton, Chi 02, who for the past three years has been doing graduate work at Yale, received the degree of Ph. D. in June. Bro. Lawton's work has been in Physics. This year he is teaching at Yale. While at Rochester Bro. Lawton played football and his reputation as a loyal "Theta Delt" still remains with the Chi Charge. On October 24 Bro. Lawton was married in Syracuse, N. Y., to Miss Jessie Pearl Pease, a graduate of Syracuse University and a member of the Delta Delta Delta sorority. Their address is 44 Garden Street, New Haven, Conn.

Walter B. Clarke, 01, has removed to Los Angeles, Cal., having accepted the managership of the branch of the American Nursery Co. at that place.

Ellis E. Lawton, 02, was married on October 24, 1906, to Miss Jessie Pearl Pease of Syracuse, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Lawton are now residing at No. 44 Garden street, New Haven, Conn.

Fred S. Holbrook, 03, recently opened law offices at No. 38 Park Row, New York City.

Clayton I. Ward, ex-07, is now located in Chicago, being connected with the Geo. H. Fuller Advertising Co.

J. R. Webster, 94, and F. G. Erbe, 05, were married this fall.

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Brother McKenney is the happy father of young William H., who was born Sept. 8th, at Boise Barracks, Idaho, where Lieutenant McKenney is at present stationed.

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Brother W. W. Dawley, D. O., 75, is meeting with very marked success as pastor of the Central Baptist Church in Syracuse, N. Y. The church is located in the heart of the city, and has the reputa-

tion of being the most united and effective church in the city. Under Bro. Dawley's pastorate of the past three years the church has raised a long-standing debt of nearly \$30,000 and been active in extending its influence. A flattering call from the Belden Avenue Church of Chicago caused Bro. Dawley's church to rise up and insist that he must not leave them.

Bro. Dawley is President of The Central New York Graduate Association and his interest and enthusiasm for Theta Delta Chi is contagious. To him is due much of the credit of keeping closely together in the spirit of Theta Delta Chi the thirty-two brothers who live in and very near Syracuse.

Bro. James Beveridge Lee, D. D., 86, who has been for seven years pastor of the Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has been called to a new work by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church. Bro. Lee is now Secretary of the Assembly's Committee on Evangelistic work, in personal charge of the work among colleges and universities. Bro. Lee has just completed a tour of twelve institutions in the Southern States and will soon make visits to the State Universities of the Middle West. He will speak at Lafayette College on the Day of Prayer for colleges in January.

MARRIAGES.

Brother A. J. Munroe, Iota 03, was married to Miss Sara Webb Josselyn of Cambridge on October 31.

Brother R. A. Carter, Iota 05, was married to Miss Christine Wittig of New Brunswick, N. J., on October 17.

Brother C. I. Porter, Iota 02, was married to Miss Ethel Marie Janvier of Brookline on October 10.

Brother L. L. Wadsworth, Iota 03, was married to Miss Vera Stevens Young of St. Stephen, New Brunswick on Sept. 12.

Brother Fred L. Thompson, Mu Deuteron 04, was married Sept. 4th to Miss Ruth Richardson of Auburndale, Mass.

Brother Louis C. Powers, K 05, was married Sept. 5 to Miss Edith Brooks, of Washington, D. C. Bro. F. Le Grand Powers, K 72, performed the operation.

Roscoe Arnold Carter, Iota 03, was recently married to Miss Christine Wittig of Philadelphia, Pa. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. John A. Dewald, pastor of the German Lutheran church. Miss Emma Wittig, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Miss Viola Hart of Ossining, N. Y., and Miss Maude Hart of Philadelphia, were bridesmaids. Roy S. Litchfield was best man and

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the ushers were Fritz Wittig, of Somerville, Mass., and Prof. Gustave Wittig of the University of Maine, both brothers of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Carter, after an extended wedding trip will make their home at Boston, Mass.

Brother Lorin C. Powers, Kappa 05, was married on September 4 to Miss Edith Brooks of Washington, D. C. Brother Powers is with Haskins & Sells, accountants, New York City. His home is at 60 Stratford Road, Brooklyn.

Brother Chester Earle Pierce, Kappa, 04, and Miss Abble A. Hubbard of Nuthuen, Mass., were married at Nuthuen on October 10

Brother Alvah L. Burrage, Kappa, 06, and Miss Louise B. Eames of Reading, Mass., were married at Lowell, Mass., in August.

R. B. Carter, Iota 98, married Miss Waterhouse of Newton in June.

Bro. Lorin Charles Powers, of the Chi Deuteron, was married September 4th to Miss Edith Marguerite Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Brooks, of Washington, D. C. They will be at home at 60 Stratford street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Bro. Lewis S. Lauer, of the Beta, was married September 25th, to Miss Elsie Macomber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Macomber of Des Moines, Iowa.

Brother Oscar Harvey Hulberg, Sigma Deuteron 03, and Miss Rosella Miller of La Crosse, Wis., were married at the Lutheran Church in La Crosse on Tuesday evening, October 16th, 1906. Brothers G. H. Dyer, 03, and E. V. Eyman, 07, acted as ushers.

Brother Bert Morse Concklin, Sigma Deuteron 06, and Miss Ruth MacAlees, of Milwaukee, Wis., were married at the home of the bride on Sept. 21, 1906. Brother and Mrs. Concklin have made their home in Hibbing, Minn., where Bert is employed by the Oliver Iron Mining Company.

Brother John Augustus Hill, Psi 94, was married in October at the Hotel Wellington to Mrs. Alice Smith Harris, of Newark, N. J. Dr. Hill's offices are located at 359 West 118th street, New York.

Brother Arthur Bassett, Iota Deuteron, 02, was married September 26th to Miss Rose Kinsman of Springfield, Massachusetts.

Brother Franklin A. Coles, Beta 84, was married to Miss Carolyn S. Reed at Peekskill, N. Y., on September 6, 1906.

Brother Lewis S. Lower, Beta 94, was married to Miss Elsie Macomber at Des Moines, Iowa, on September 25, 1906.

Brother James Bennett Nolan, Beta 00, was married to Miss Emily May Smink at Reading, Pa., on October 24, 1906.

Brother Charles Cassels Atwood, Beta 07, was married to Miss Gertrude Eddy at Brooklyn on September 27, 1906.

Brother Walter G. Massey, Beta 01, was married to Miss Florence Georgia Lance at Watertown, N. Y., on October 18, 1906.

Brother Edward J. Blair, Beta 05, was married to Miss Mary Elizabeth Pardee at Chicago on October 10, 1906.

Brother Clement K. Corbin, Beta 02, was married to Miss Talcott, of Utica, on October 25, 1906.

Brother Robert Collier Hosmer, Beta 02, was married to Miss Elsie Wylie of Chicago on October 30, 1906.

Brother Sidney Eugene Osgood, Beta 04, was married to Miss Florence Vedder Cook of Buffalo, N. Y., on November 14, 1906.

Brother Robert Allison Chambers, Zeta Deuteron 03, was married to Miss Maude Evelina McNiece of Montreal on Wednesday, the sixth of June

Brother Harrison Ross Steeves, Rho Deuteron 03, was married to Miss Jessie Hurd of Syracuse, N. Y., on Saturday the sixteenth of June.

Brother Wentworth Lewis Harrington, Pi Deuteron 95, was married to Miss Lillian Gordon of Brooklyn, New York, on the twelfth of June.

Brother B. L. Jennings, Lambda 00, pastor of the Broadway M. E. Church, Somerville, was married to Miss Genevieve Gray, of Uxbridge on June 20.

Brother Millard L. Robinson, Lambda 05, was married to Miss Marion L. Bean, B. U. 05, of Concord, N. H., on Oct. 6, 1906. Brother Robinson and wife will reside at Manchester, N. H., where Brother Robinson is pastor of the First M. E. Church.

Brother Harold A. Edson, Lambda 04, was united in marriage to Miss Amanda I. Symonds of Salem, Mass., on Oct. 11.

Brother Henry E. Leech, Lambda ex-07, was married to Miss Alice M. Homan of Wakefield, Mass., on Oct. 10.

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THE SEMI-CENTENNIAL SONG.

Music by H. A. Davis, 92. Words by P. R. Kent, 99.

We come, the men of Kappa,
 Down half a hundred years;
 We know the joy of laughter
 And we know the pain of tears:
 The joy is always greater,
 Forever less the pain
 Because we stand together,
 Gripping our hands again!

(Interlude)

Then cheer and cheer for Theta Delta Chi!
 Then cheer and cheer for Theta Delta Chi!

(Chorus)

March beneath the flag of Brown and Blue;
 March with steady front and purpose true;
 March with spirit old yet ever new;
 And hold our banner high!
 March together on the sunlit way;
 March together when the skies are gray;
 Keep step together
 In ev'ry weather
 For Theta Delta Chi!

Before us stretch the decades
 That hold a mighty store
 Of deeds to do, of goals to win,
 Of life that means the more
 Because upon a hill-top
 We've stood when youth was high
 And pledged to Tufts and Kappa
 And Theta Delta Chi!

(Interlude and Chorus.)

On Saturday morning everybody slept late but a good number appeared at the Charge House for luncheon and others gathered at a restaurant in town for the meal together. Everybody came together at the Tuft's-Bowdoin game and shared the heart disease which that most exciting game produced. The fact that Tufts won 12-5 by a garrison finish in the second half lent only a little more zest to the Kappa celebration. Captain Reynolds