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PELLAGRA

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A study of pellagra (Lombardy Leprosy, Maidismus, Psychoneurosis medica, Alpine scurvy, mal de la rosa, and a variety of other names) is timely and not out of place for an intelligent understanding of a disease new to the United States and to which we are all liable. The present article does not purport to describe in detail this most interesting and terrible disease, nor to relate fully its history. It will merely present briefly the essential points of a disease now prominently before the public mind, and which is in many ways an unanswerable puzzle to the medical profession.

The first case of pellagra of which we have any record (the discovery of pellagra naturally being uncertain) was at Oviedo, Spain, and was reported to the French ambassador at Madrid, one hundred and seventy-four years ago. (Indian corn came to Spain first in 1700, and from Mexico. This date and the date of the report of the first case when considered together are significant. As the use of corn spread, so spread pellagra.) Gasper Casal of Oviedo a small town in the Austrias is, almost universally, given the credit for the first description of the disease. He regarded it as "a peculiar kind of disease consisting of a combination of scurvy and leprosy", which if pathologically incorrect, nevertheless was quite a characteristic description, and an easy fallacy for the times. It was then entitled mal de la rosa from its characteristic erythema.

Antonio Pujati, a celebrated Venetian physician, independently described a similar disease about 1755 in the district of Fetre in northern Italy, giving it the name of Alpine Scurvy. F. Froppoli, of Milan, in 1771 described a disease of identical symptoms to which he gave the now current name "Pelagra" (spelling it with one "l"), which name was already in common

usage by the people generally. Pellagra is derived from two Italian words: pelle, skin, and agra, rough.

Joseph the Second of Austria in 1784 founded the first pelagrosario, or hospital for pellagrins, at Legnanno, which was placed in charge of Gaepaus Strambio who compiled while there, many of his observations of the disease.

At the end of the eighteenth century the disease was quite common over northern Italy, and was severe in character and of a high mortality rate. It was not known in France until the 19th century. It was there given the name of *maladie de la Teste*, because of first being observed nearby *Teste-de-Buch*. It was first observed in Roumania in 1858, in Egypt in 1847 and later in various parts of Southern Europe and the Mediterranean litoral.

The first cases observed in the United States were sporadic and were reported in 1864. A case was reported in 1883, an Italian sailor, and also one in 1902 in Brooklyn, N. Y. A case was reported in New Orleans, another in Atlanta, and another in North Carolina in 1902. In 1906 an epidemic of the disease occurred at Mount Vernon, Alabama, at the State Negro Insane Asylum there. Due credit for careful study of these cases belongs to Drs. Searcy, McCafferty, Bondurant and Dwyer; the labors of the former two are especially deserving of a full meed of credit. This same year Dr. Babcock of the State Insane Asylum of South Carolina independently diagnosed the disease. Other cases shortly afterwards were reported by various observers in different sections. Drs. Watson and Babcock in 1908 independently identified the disease with Italian Pellagra.

How long pellagra has existed in United States is unknown. Whether or not the disease is but recently with us is truly conjectural. Very probably it has been always with us, but only just lately recognized (being diagnosed as a symptom-complex of some other disorder), and the reason it has not been noted here sooner is probably due to the fact, as seems also true as to appendicitis and uncinariasis, that it may hitherto have occurred only sporadically (else it is almost certain that the disease would have been recognized sooner), and also,

possibly, because corn is now largely handled differently than it formerly was.

"The recognition and development of pellagra in United States bears a marked similarity to the history of the recognition and development of the disease in northern Italy in the eighteenth century. In both countries pellagra seems to appear with almost startling suddenness, apparently spread with great rapidity and was characterized by a marked intensity and high mortality." (Lavinder).

The real geographic distribution of pellagra is not known. In Egypt probably, the greatest number of cases are to be found. It is a very common disease among the poor of Italy, where are to be found a score or more of hospitals for the disease. The disease at this time is most prevalent in northern and central Italy, in parts of Austria-Hungary, Roumania and the United States. It is of wide distribution, and is almost exclusively in the tropical and subtropical zones.

The true source of this disease is as yet unknown, notwithstanding many plausible hypotheses and statements to the contrary. Whether or not the menace is really from the maize, as seems to be the consensus of competent opinion, is open to serious conjecture and strong doubt, though this theory has much to logically warrant belief as to its correctness. While its etiology is unknown, yet the majority of observers almost unanimously agree that it is a food toxemia analagous to ergotism or beri beri. (A disease of similar symptoms has been produced experimentally in animals, notably in chickens by feeding them the products of of partially decomposed or mouldy Indian corn, known botanically as *Zea Mais*.) The belief of corn as the casual agent originated with Casal, who first described the disease, and has always occupied a dominant position as the presumed etiological factor of the disease. The fungus in the corn, said to be responsible for the disease is known as *Aspergillus Fumigatus*, however, there are three theories as to the agent in the corn producing the disease, one that it is due to fungi, another that it is due to some chemical principle, probably of the ptomaine order, and third that it is microbic. The disease has also been attributed to the eating of spoiled wheat and rice. Belief in corn as an

etiological factor rests mainly upon the following significant facts. It occurred first in Europe after the introduction of corn, and followed closely its cultivation and adoption as a food. It is rarely found in countries where maize is not a common food stuff. It is improved, diminished, or disappears in those from whose diet corn is eliminated, as it is more apt to appear in those in whom a maize diet becomes a prominent article of food, and the severity of the disease increases when a corn diet is allowed.

Sambon believes the disease to be distributed by Simulidae, and Alessandrini advances the idea that it is a parasitic disease due to a water bourne nematode worm, and Siler and Nichols attribute it to amebiasis. The ideas as to the etiological factors are thus widely at variance.

It is as before stated, a disease of warmer climates, occurs at all ages, but is most frequent between 20 and 40 years, in the United States more frequent among females, and in the South, among the female negroes; in Italy more frequent among the farm laborers, as it is with the rural population generally in the other countries of Europe, (not the rule in the United States where it is about equally distributed between the rural and urban population.) Alcoholism, previous illness, bad hygiene, pregnancy and lactation are predisposing factors. "It is no respecter of class, sex, age or race."

Its pathology is varied and inconstant. There seems "a strong analogy between pellagra and ergotism, both etiologically and pathologically". Very briefly: the pathology consists of irritations, exudations, hyperemias, atrophy, fatty degeneration, pigmentary degeneration, calcareous degeneration, variously situated. There may be precocious sensility with atheroma, amylaceous bodies in the spinal cord and ganglia, precocious baldness, sclerosis and pigmentation.

It has been defined "as an endemic, trophic disease, of toxic origin with vernal manifestations and characterized by gastro-intestinal and cutaneous lesions and mental exasperations".

It is a disease of many symptoms and varied types. We have a gastro-intestinal type, a nervous or mental type, a cutaneous type and a typhoid type (depending upon a pre-

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ponderance of symptoms), but these types are best regarded as complications, the best classification probably being *acute* and *chronic*.

Stomatitis, diarrhea, constipation, anemia, headache, neck-pain, gastralgia, indigestion, nausea, malaise, anorexia, apathy, neglect of duties, nervousness, neurasthenia, loss of memory, delirium, hallucination, insanity, melancholia, slow action, vertigo, stupor, slow and dragging gait, irritability, cutaneous eruptions (more or less severe) oedema of the feet, pus infection of face, ears and finger tips, bronchitis, pneumonia, tuberculosis, tetanic attacks, paralysis of of bladder, dysphagia, obstinate vomiting, refusal of food, high temperature (denoting infection and complication, otherwise a rare, and generally a late, manifestation), tremors and contractures are all complications to be noted in this disease.

It is a malady of slow onset. One feels at first merely run down. The prodromal period is considered about a year, though some cases are of quite sudden onset. Later the symptoms are those affecting the digestive organs, those affecting the skin, and those affecting the brain. The superficial layer of mucous membrane covering the tongue may be shed. The skin lesions at first resemble sunburn, later somewhat like those in leprosy. The nervous symptoms are the worst symptoms of the disease. It deteriorates the mental powers rather late and in such a degree as to be considered by some as a form of insanity (from four to ten per cent of pellagrins become insane.) It produces, as a rule, a kind of melancholia, but may induce mania. There are sometimes homicidal outbursts. Recently many of the inmates of a Georgia Insane Asylum have been found to have pellagra.

The disease is said to be non-contagious. It is more severe during February, March and April.

The stools of the pellagrin have a very characteristic odor.

Cases are of about five years continuance, although some lasting much longer have been reported. The death rate from pellagra is very high—25 to 65% are variously estimated, statistics being insufficient and unreliable. The death rate in the United States is probably diminishing. The treatment of pellagra is unsatisfactory and empirical. It is best treated

symptomatically. Arsenic (in various forms and in several ways), hexamethylenetetramine, blood transfusion, and various other measures and methods have been tried and lauded, but all of them seem of little, if any, value in the treatment of this disease. "—reports from institutions treating pellagra show 598 patients treated, and out of this number 226 have died* leaving 372 unaccounted for"—(J. G. Wilkinson).

Cold climate seems the best special treatment now known. Colorado and Monteagle, Tennessee are said to have produced favorable results, bringing about symptomatic relief.

The problem is a grave one. The disease is insidious and dreadful. Preventative and curative means are demanded. The health, happiness, prosperity and life of the Nation may at any time be threatened by this horrible malady of mystery, and, as things now are, thousands are suffering terribly, bodily and mentally, from this scourge. May the World at some early date soon see it thoroughly understood and conquered, and important only historically.

BOTANY AND PHARMACOGNOSY IN PHARMACY SCHOOLS

C. W. BALLARD, PH.G., PH.C., PHAR. D., A.M., GAMMA.

Botany and pharmacognosy are generally regarded by the pharmacy student as being highly impractical and to be disposed of as quickly and easily as possible. In fact many have informed me that they merely tried to acquire enough knowledge to pass college and board examinations. In their anxiety to attain this end they frequently underestimate the amount needed even for this purpose and then try to blame results upon the examination, overlooking the fact that they are themselves to blame. Speaking from personal experience, I will admit that these subjects are not always directly applied in the retail pharmacy, but for that matter, much of the subject matter of chemistry and even theoretical pharmacy itself is not of direct use in making money. However the subjects of the first year in a school of pharmacy are intended as a ground-work for the second year's work and are of need in

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teaching *materia medica* and even chemistry and pharmacy. The man overlooks the fact that these are foundation subjects. We are not teaching him botany and microscopy in the short time at our disposal with the idea of making a botanist or drug expert of him. The student, who is in most cases not qualified to judge, thinks that they are useless studies and should, therefore, be discontinued. We might as well say that pharmacology, theoretical anatomy and histology should be dropped from the medical school curriculum because the average physician makes comparatively little use of them.

The man reasons that he does not have to apply botany in selling the ordinary articles in a pharmacy. Does he apply chemical analysis, organic and inorganic chemistry in a similar case? The mystery is, why does he single out botany and pharmacognosy as examples of useless studies. I think the answer will be found in the antipathy with which a man attacks them. He starts with a prejudice against them and their difficulty is enhanced by this prejudice. From class experience I may say that their difficulty is in proportion to the amount of prejudice the student entertains.

Taking the students' argument that they are useless in the retail business, we might apply the same to many other studies of the pharmacy curriculum and if we confine such a course to the subjects which the student thinks he applies in every day business, we might better call the pharmacy school a mere trade school and be done with it. Then considering the comparative values of trade schools and the old apprentice system in any trade, the latter being undoubtedly the better, might say that the old apprentice system would be best in the drug business and so bring conditions to what they were ten years ago. Under the old system a few good pharmacists were made, depending upon the ability of their preceptors as teachers, for a man may be excellent in his trade or profession and still lack the ability to impart his knowledge to others. The old system would be good but for the above reason and the fact that the preceptor cannot take time to explain and teach the apprentice as in the old days.

Pharmacy is not a separate science, but is founded upon several sciences and we must understand enough of these

foundation sciences in order to understand pharmacy in its accepted definition. None object to the teaching of dead languages and higher mathematics to students in academic schools, both of these subjects being of less material benefit in after life than botany and pharmacognosy are to our graduates. Dead languages and mathematics are termed cultural studies and so we might term the two under consideration if they were not of use.

Look at the question from a material standpoint. Does the student realize that the more difficult it is to obtain a license to practice pharmacy, the better are the conditions for the successful men? It is a survival of the fittest and a weeding out of incompetents before they reach the state board. Ask any of the older pharmacists about hours and salaries paid before the board required graduation from a college. Compare their answers with conditions today, which many of our men think are bad. Various pharmaceutical associations are working for the betterment of pharmacists, but the most potent influence for the better lies in the increase of requirements as demanded by the board and colleges. Pharmacy is a combination of a trade and a profession. The trade part can best be taught by store experience. The professional part by college education. The colleges should not be trade schools but should prepare the student for the professional part of his work, which when united with his trade experience, makes a pharmacist capable in both sides.

The men recognize the value of the study of *materia medica* but do not realize that the later is founded upon botany, pharmacognosy, physiology and chemistry, which must be collateral or preliminary to success in mastering the more difficult study of *materia medica*. The definitions of vegetable drugs demand a knowledge of botany as those of chemical origin demand a knowledge of chemistry. The pharmacopœial descriptions are given in botanical terms. If a pharmacist has to refer to such a description, and he cannot tell when the occasion may rise, will he be able to understand such description without a knowledge of botanical nomenclature? This does not apply to the retailer who buys crude drugs in small packages and trusts to Providence and the wholesaler that the contents are straight.

Many graduates follow other lines of study, particularly medicine and chemistry and by their knowledge of foundation subjects have a great advantage over graduates of academic schools. They know how to use a microscope even though they have forgotten the characteristics of powdered drugs. Many pharmacists dependent solely upon their own effort have been enabled to enter other professions because of the long hours, holiday and Sunday work. The latter affording them the opportunity of supporting themselves by relief work while studying. No other trade, business or profession gives a like opportunity. The studies which a man regards as unimportant may be of utmost importance to him in after life, and he does not know what opportunities may be open to him or what changes he may make in his plans.

No professional college, however good its teaching staff or how perfect its appointments, can fully replace actual practice. The state boards recognizing this fact have combined store experience with the theory and practice of the college, demanding both as requisite for the granting of a license. There is no reason why pharmacy should not take rank with medicine as a profession, notwithstanding its commercial side, for the physician sells his skill, experience and sometimes even the medicine to his patient. Every profession has its commercial aspect which should be governed by professional ethics.

The above is not intended in any way as a defence of the pharmacy school curriculum, but is merely an answer to the student who seeks to hide his lack of ability by questioning the usefulness of the subject he does not grasp in as short a time as he does others.

REPORT ON ACTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE IN THE MATTER OF BROTHER HAYES'S RESIGNATION AS GRAND REGENT

(Copy of Brother Hayes's Resignation)

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., JANUARY 16, 1912.

DR. GEORGE L. HOLSTEIN,

Chairman Executive Committee of Kappa Psi Fraternity.

DEAR BROTHER HOLSTEIN: I herewith tender my resignation as Grand Regent of the Kappa Psi Fraternity. It is with regret that I feel compelled to take this step; but after mature consideration have decided that it is for the best interests of the fraternity for me to do so. My time is so completely occupied with professional duties that I cannot give the time and attention to the office of Grand Regent which it demands and therefore feel that the welfare and advancement of the Fraternity will be best served by my resignation. Please submit this to your committee and get its action as speedily as is convenient.

Fraternally yours,

R. B. HAYES, M. D.

After several weeks had elapsed in the endeavor to have the above Resignation withdrawn until a later date in order not to delay pending matters the following resolutions were submitted to the Executive Committee, and were signed and approved by this committee:

WHEREAS, Our Grand Regent, Brother R. B. Hayes, has found it necessary to relinquish his high office by his resignation tendered to the Executive Committee; Therefore be it resolved by this committee

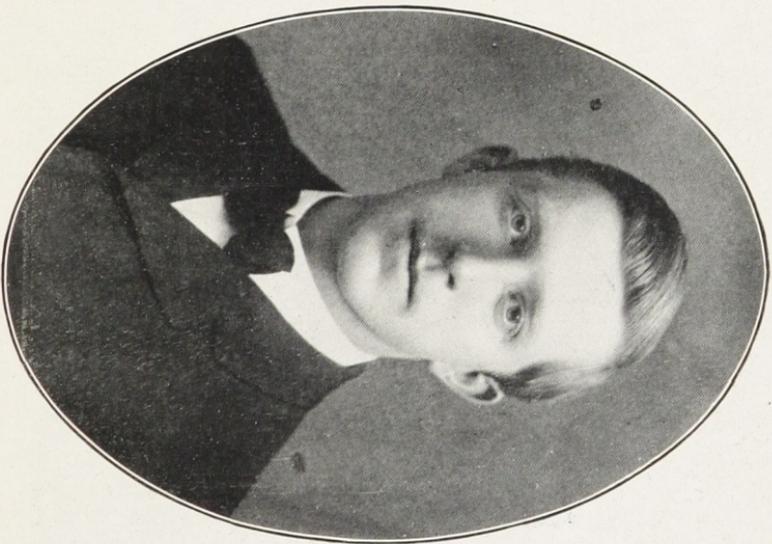
That we accept his resignation with the regret that he finds it no longer possible to fill this office to which he was unanimously elected at Birmingham, Ala., by the Grand Council in convention assembled.

That in accepting this resignation, we feel that it is done only from motives of love and a disinclination to hamper the work of the Grand Council.

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New Grand Regent.

That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Grand Secretary and Treasurer, be printed in THE MASK and be sent to Brother Hayes in appreciation for the work which he has done for the advancement of Kappa Psi Fraternity.

Be it further resolved,

That Brother Justin F. Grant, Grand Vice Regent, be and hereby is proclaimed Grand Regent of Kappa Psi Fraternity.

That the Grand Secretary and Treasurer be required to give formal notice to Brother Grant and the Active Chapters of this action of the Executive Committee of the Kappa Psi Fraternity.

Signed and approved this thirtieth day of March in the year 1912.

GEORGE L. HOLSTEIN, *P. G. R.*, *Chairman*,
ASA D. ADKINS, *Sigma*, '12.

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Members Executive Committee, Kappa Psi Fraternity.

BETA-ETA CHAPTER INSTALLED—JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE ADDED TO THE ROLL OF KAPPA PSI CHAPTERS

The latest addition to the Kappa Psi Family is Beta-Eta chapter, installed April 20th at the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., with thirteen enthusiastic members, ready and anxious to make the chapter a success and power for good in its new field.

The signed petition for this chapter was received by the Grand Secretary and Treasurer the latter part of March. The names of the petitioners were as follows:

Arthur A. Brindley, Xi.	J. G. Coles, Xi.
Roy Deck, Eta.	F. W. Knoll.
Elliot H. Strickler.	V. W. Graham.
Delmont D. Grimm.	Paul B. Bender.
Earl H. Rebhom.	A. Joseph Kennan, Jr.
Fred. B. Snyder, Beta-Beta.	R. W. Campbell.
J. W. Keath.	

Immediately upon receipt of this petition, the usual officials were notified and within two weeks the unanimous consent of all officials and Eta chapter for granting the petition had been received and the petitioners were so notified.

Grand Regent Grant requested Brother George L. Holstein, Chairman of the Executive Committee, to act as Installing Officer, but Brother Holstein was unable to comply with the Grand Regent's request, owing to family affairs. The Grand Regent then delegated Brother Press Eldridge, Jr., Grand Secretary and Treasurer, to make the installation.

Brother Eldridge arrived in Philadelphia at the time appointed and with the assistance of the officers and members of Eta Chapter, who exemplified the degree work, formally installed the new chapter and assigned to it the name of "Beta-Eta".

The first set of Chapter Officers were elected and at the conclusion of the ceremonies the meeting adjourned with the best wishes of all for a happy and prosperous career in the ranks of Kappa Psi.

After the meeting had adjourned the members of the new Beta-Eta chapter, together with the graduate members of the various chapters present, were entertained at a nearby restaurant by Eta chapter, who acted as hosts and a most enjoyable evening was experienced by all.

Beta-Eta is a welcomed addition to our long list of chapters, the college it represents is one of the greatest in the United States, and the men who represent Kappa Psi in the chapter are brothers of whom we may all be proud.

Its a long cry from Corvallis, Oregon to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, but the Kappa Psi Milk Bottle has been expressed by the members of Beta-Zeta chapter to the new 13 lb. infant at Philadelphia and placed in its safekeeping until another claimant shall make its appearance and demand the right to be called Kappa Psi's Baby Chapter.

P. W. ELDRIDGE, JR. *G. S. and T.*

BOSTON GRADUATE CHAPTER OF KAPPA PSI

BY DR. LEOPOLD BARTEL, ORGANIZER AND FIRST REGENT.

“Turn, turn my wheel! Turn round and round
Without a pause, without a sound:
So spins the flying world away!
This clay, well mixed with marl and sand,
Follows the motion of my hand;
For some must follow, and some command
Though all are made of clay!”

Longfellow's *Kéramos*.

For the past five or six year as the wheels of the world have spun around, and we passive Knights of Kappa Psi of Boston at regular intervals have received our over welcome copies of the MASK we have also noticed that Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Chicago and Birmingham have been listing graduate chapters, while we in Massachusetts, a state of born leaders, have looked on only hoping that some day our dreams would come true.

One day the spell was broken, I received a letter from Dr. A. R. Bliss, Editor-in-chief of the MASK, asking me to attempt to organize an Alumni chapter here in Boston. Then the wheels of progress began to move. First consulting my ever handy “Agora” I made a card list of every Kappa Psi graduate in Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, and with the help of a printer mailed the following to each one:—

KAPPA PSI FRATERNITY

Dr. A. R. Bliss, Editor-in-chief of THE MASK is very anxious to have an Alumni Chapter of Kappa Psi started in Boston, and has asked me to attempt to organize one.

I feel that we can do this, as the Alumni Chapter would be open to all passive members of Kappa Psi, no matter what chapter they are from.

The cost of the charter is \$25. If you are interested, and all loyal knights of Kappa Psi should be, write to the organizer at once.

Send what you can to help it, anyway. Do it now!

LEOPOLD BARTEL, *Pharm. D.*

223 Putnam Avenue, Cambridge, Mass.

The loyal Knights of Kappa Psi accepted my challenge and I had soon received replies from enough brothers to apply for the charter which was granted by the Grand Council.

Friday, May 17, 1912 was chosen for the day of installation and, being the last day of class week at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, it was the best possible ending of a prosperous year for $\mathbf{K \Psi}$ at that institution.

Brother Press Eldridge G. S. and T. was here and by virtue of power rested in him by Grand Regent Grant conferred the installation ceremonies on the Baby Graduate chapter at Boston. This was followed by the election of officers and a banquet of which our worthy historian is contributing to this issue of the MASK.

Since our installation I have already received applications for membership from three more Graduate Brothers of $\mathbf{K \Psi}$, and the Boston Graduate Chapter of $\mathbf{K \Psi}$ looks forward to a successful career, extends a receptive hand to all other chapters active and passive, and a helping hand to its undergraduate brothers in Mu.

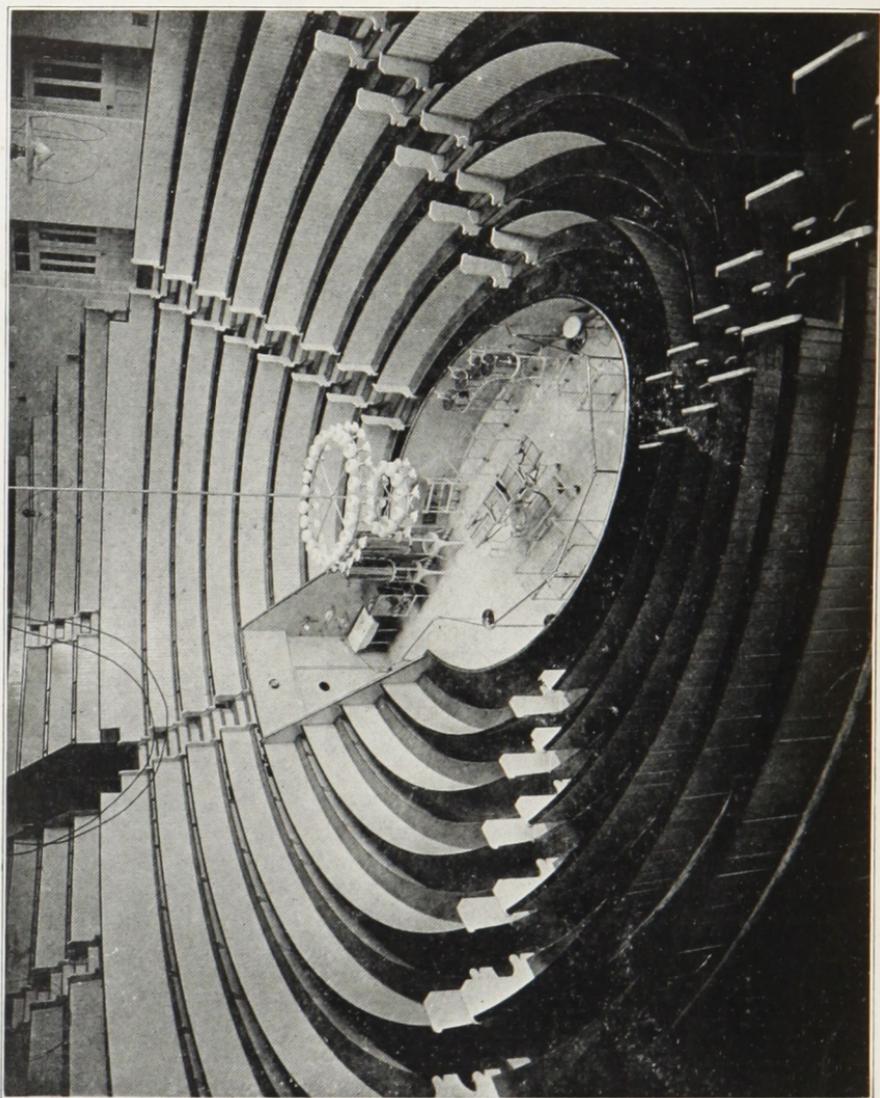
THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA

The Jefferson Medical College was organized in 1825 as the medical department of the Jefferson College at Canonsburg, Pa. The first class was graduated in 1826, and for each of the subsequent eighty-six years other classes have received the medical degree. In 1838 the Legislature of Pennsylvania conferred upon this institution a separate University charter, making it an independent corporation, "with the same powers and restrictions as the University of Pennsylvania."

The properties of the College and Hospital are held, and their financial and educational interests are administered by a perpetual Board of Trustees, who must take oath before the presiding judge of the Court of Common Pleas for the faithful fulfillment of their trusts. The medical faculty receives salaries fixed by the Board of Trustees, who appoint them to office.



THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE



AMPHITHEATRE
Jefferson Medical College.

Among the men of national reputation who have held its chairs may be named George McClellan, Daniel Drake, Nathan R. Smith, Robley Dunglison, Joseph Pancoast, J. K. Mitchell, Thomas D. Mütter, Charles D. Meigs, Franklin Bache, S. D. Gross, Samuel H. Dickson, Robert E. Rogers, the younger Gross, J. M. DaCosta and Roberts Bartholow.

BUILDINGS

The college buildings are situated on the corner of Walnut and Tenth Streets, and on Sansom Street, between Tenth and Eleventh. They consist of the Medical Hall, the Laboratory Building, Jefferson Medical College Hospital, Clinical Amphitheater, and the Nurses' Home. The Jefferson Maternity is situated on Washington Square, 224 South Seventh Street. The Daniel Baugh Institute of Anatomy is situated at Eleventh and Clinton Streets.

THE MEDICAL HALL

The Medical Hall is a modern, fire-proof building, providing three lecture rooms, two large amphitheatres, recitation rooms, laboratories, and other rooms devoted to special purposes, and is located at the corner of Walnut and Tenth Streets, with a front on Walnut of one hundred and eighteen feet. The side is joined to the new laboratory building, thus extending one hundred and eight feet on Tenth Street and one hundred and eighteen feet on Moravian Street. Between the two buildings is a large light well, which, with the three surrounding streets, affords adequate illumination. The basement is occupied by a lecture room for the use of epidiascope and micro-projection apparatus and also by rooms devoted to the recess hours of the student. The first floor contains a reception room for visitors, the clerk's room, the office of the College, Trustees' room, library, kitchen and pantry for receptions, recitation room, professors' private rooms, first story of the lower amphitheater, and a space for students' lockers. The second floor has a large museum. It stores the great collections of the late Professor Samuel D. Gross, of the late Professor Parvin, of the late Professor J. M. Da Costa, and many models, preparations and specimens. On the second floor also is a laboratory for the study of Morbid Anatomy and the second story of the

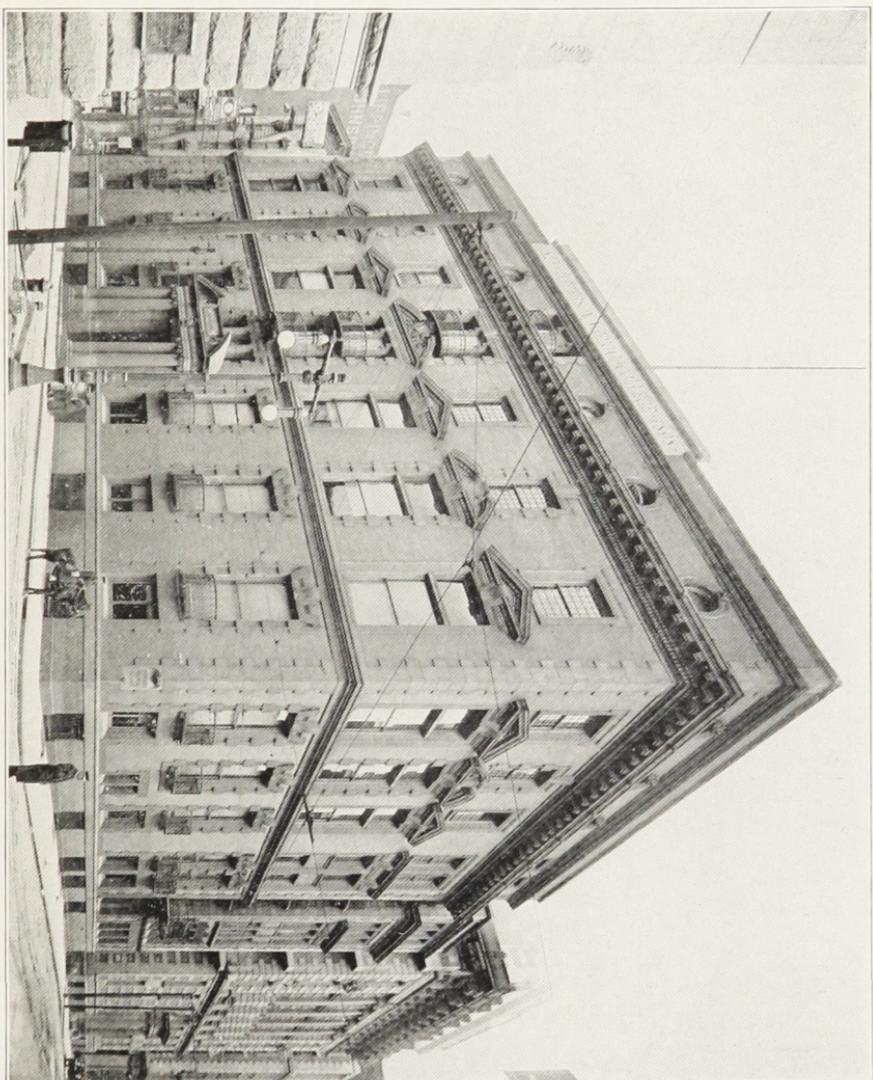
lower amphitheater. The third floor is occupied by a large lecture hall, brilliantly lighted, connecting with a chemical apparatus room; a smaller lecture hall, contiguous to the private room of the Professor of Physiology, the apparatus room and the laboratory of Physiology. The fourth floor completes the upper part of the two lecture halls and provides a laboratory for instruction in bandaging and obstetric manipulations and a storage room. The fifth floor is occupied by the first story of the upper amphitheater, four private rooms for professors and prosector, a locker room for students, and ample lavatory facilities. The sixth floor is occupied by the upper stories of the amphitheater.

THE LABORATORY BUILDING

The building contains ten large laboratories for students and seventeen smaller private rooms for individual research; it is immediately contiguous to the Medical Hall, with which it is connected on each floor. In the basement are the boilers, engines and two dynamos for heating and ventilation plant and for the two elevators. The first floor is occupied by a laboratory of pharmacy, and a room used for recitations and for the students' societies. The second floor contains a laboratory of medical chemistry and toxicology, a pharmacy storage room and two private rooms for research by professors. The third floor provides a laboratory for physiology, a chemical storage room and a chemical preparation and weighing room. The fourth floor contains a laboratory for morbid histology, a room for storage and two private rooms for pathological research. On the sixth floor are the laboratory of bacteriology, an operating room and private rooms for bacteriologic investigations.

THE DANIEL BAUGH INSTITUTE OF ANATOMY

Through a generous gift from Mr. Daniel Baugh, a trustee, the building at Eleventh and Clinton Streets has been altered to meet the needs of the department of General Anatomy, including Histology and Embryology. The building extends 115 feet along Clinton Street, 40 feet along Eleventh Street, while a wing, 100 feet deep, extends to Cypress Street with a frontage of 40 feet. The building is three stories high, with a smaller fourth story over the Cypress Street wing.



THE JEFFERSON HOSPITAL

BOSTON CHAPTER OFFICERS



DR. F. D. SALISBURY, (MU)
Historian.



DR. L. BARTEL, (MU)
Regent.



DR. A. W. SCOTT, (MU)
Treasurer

In the basement are situated the heating, refrigerating and incinerating plants. On the first floor are the administrative offices, reading room, locker room, museum, lavatory and the lower amphitheater, fitted with modern projections apparatus. The second floor is occupied by a large, well-lighted laboratory for histology and embryology, a research room, a fire-proof incubator room, storage room and laboratory. On the third floor a space measuring 115 feet along Clinton Street and 40 feet along Eleventh Street is divided by a corridor into two rows of rooms separated by substantial partitions. Eight dissecting rooms run along the Clinton Street side capable of comfortably holding three or four dissecting tables each, while on the other side of the corridor, four demonstration rooms afford ample space for section-teaching. In addition, a Study Collection Room is reserved for the more careful and leisure examination of prepared specimens and dissensions. Toward the Cypress Street side is situated the upper amphitheater, over which a commodious room is adequately suited for the work in operative surgery on the cadaver.

THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITAL

The Jefferson Medical College Hospital is administered by the same Board of Trustees as the College, and the Staff is composed of members of the Faculty and their Assistants. The new Hospital was opened June 6th, 1907, and patients were admitted June 24th, 1907. The building is fire-proof throughout, constructed of steel, brick, terra cotta and concrete; it extends one and one-half stories below the pavement level and eight and one-half stories above, and is surmounted by three spacious roof gardens, adapted to the open air treatment of appropriate cases. Every known requirement of sanitary science has been incorporated in its construction.

The ground floor is devoted exclusively to the Out-Patient service, which also occupies the larger portion of the first floor, in which there are, in addition, administrative offices, reception rooms, and the exchange. The second, third and fourth floors, and part of the eighth, are devoted to ward patients, and with the private wards afford accommodations for over 300 patients. The floors devoted to the ward service are so arranged that patients may, in special cases, be admitted to

single rooms or to wards of six, eight, twelve or twenty-bed capacity. The fifth and sixth floors are divided into rooms and suites reserved for private patients. The seventh floor contains the officers' quarters, dining rooms, kitchen, etc.

The Accident Department, occupying detached, fully equipped quarters, maintains two power ambulances, and affords every facility for the prompt reception and treatment of recent injuries. Through this department all accident cases are admitted; during the year ending May 31st, 1910, 9,160 emergency cases were cared for by this service.

The Out-Patient service of the Jefferson Hospital is one of the largest in the world. The Surgical Division, including Surgery, Gynecology, Ophthalmology, Laryngology, Otology, Proctology, Orthopedic Surgery, Genito-Urinary Surgery, Oral Surgery, and the department of Skiagraphy, received 84,277 visits. The Medical Division, including three Medical Clinics, Clinic for the Dispensary Treatment of Tuberculosis, and the departments of Neurology, Dermatology and Diseases of Children received 30,425 visits, giving a total Out-Patient service of 114,702 visits. These, added to the 11,928 cases treated in the Accident Department and in the Wards and Private Rooms of the Institution, gave a total of 132,009 visits made by patients during the year.

THE MATERNITY DEPARTMENT

The Maternity Department is in a separate building at 224 South Seventh Street. During the year just closed, 1,158 patients, mothers and children, received advice or treatment at the Maternity. The total number of adults treated at the Maternity was 390. The number of children 537. In addition to the Maternity service, both indoor and outdoor, 42 mothers and 200 infants received attention at the Maternity Dispensary, 2545 Wharton Street.

CLINICAL AMPHITHEATER

Immediately contiguous to the new Hospital and readily accessible from all the Out-Patient Departments is a large clinical amphitheater, having a seating capacity of six hundred.

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES

The Hospital also maintains a Training School for Nurses, affording three years' instruction with unexcelled facilities. The pupils are in charge of a Directress of the Training School, who, with an assistant and seven graduate nurses, give practical instruction in the various branches.

STUDENTS' MEDICAL SOCIETIES

Members of different classes have organized the Hare, Keen, Wilson, Davis, Coplin, Dercum, Montgomery, Horwitz and Spitzka Medical Societies. The Academy is a society composed of students who hold college degrees from recognized literary institutions. Meetings are held twice a month for consideration of essays on Therapeutics, Surgery, Practice of Medicine, Anatomy, Obstetrics, and Pathology.

R. D.

**EARLY HISTORY OF THE MASSACHUSETTS
COLLEGE OF PHARMACY**

BY ERNEST C. MARSHALL, PH.G. (1875) MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF
TRUSTEES, 1888-1893 VICE-PRESIDENT, 1890-1891.

The organization of the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy was the result of the efforts of the Massachusetts Medical Society to improve the practice of pharmacy in the state during the early part of the last century.

The records of the Medical Society from 1821 to 1824 contain frequent references to the relations existing between the apothecaries and the physicians, and to the need of a better education of the apothecaries of the state, and of a regulation by the state of the practice of pharmacy.

On June 6, 1821, the Society appointed a committee to see if the apothecaries would conform to the Pharmacopoeia, and also one, consisting of Drs. Mason, Hayward, Bigelow, Chaplin and Wyman, on "The better education of apothecaries."

On October 2, 1822, the Society voted that its Fellows should write recipes after January 1, 1823 according to the New Pharmacopoeia and to advise the apothecaries of it by publication

of their purpose to do so in the Patriot, Columbian Centinel and Daily Advertiser.

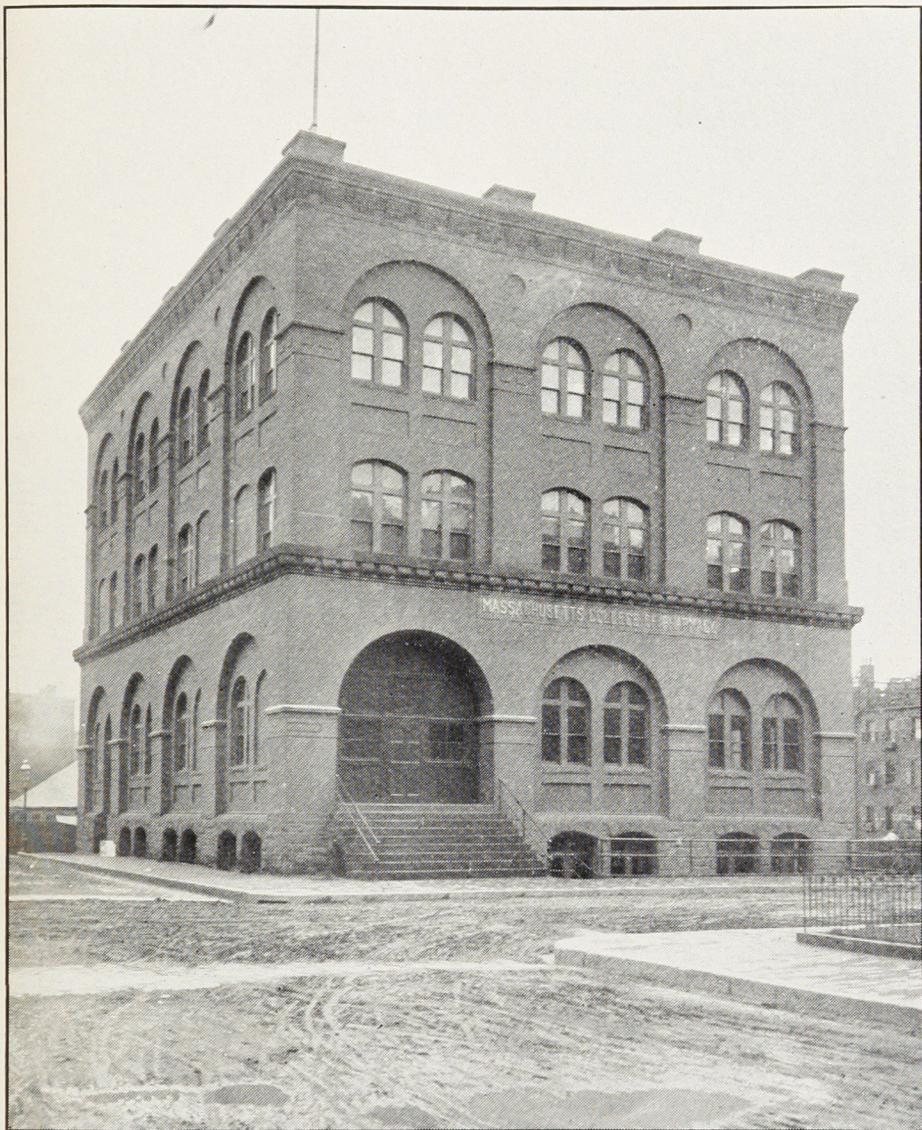
On June 4, 1823, it appointed a committee to render more safe the retailing of medicines, and this was followed by the appointment of a committee to petition the legislature, either alone or in conjunction with the apothecaries, for the better regulation of pharmaceutical practice throughout the state.

At a meeting of the Society held on February 4, 1824, the committee on the subject of the education of apothecaries made a report. This report was accepted and the committee was instructed to report from time to time upon the subject.

The first meeting of the organizers of the college was held at the call of Dr. Ephraim Elliott (A. M. Harvard, 1780), Daniel Noyes and W. B. White, on February 7, 1823. At this meeting Mr. Terrence Wakefield was chosen moderator and Mr. Samuel N. Brewer secretary. The only business which appears by the record of the meeting to have been transacted was the reading and the discussion of a communication from the Massachusetts Medical Society to the druggists and apothecaries of Boston, and the appointment of a committee representing the pharmacists to meet the committee of the Massachusetts Medical Society for the purpose stated in the communication, said committee to report at an adjourned meeting.

Another meeting followed this one, on a date not specified in the record, and a report from the committee appointed to consult with the committee of the Medical Society was received, which report seems to have been allowed to rest in abeyance for some months, for the next meeting of the organizers appears to have been held on December 8, 1823, on which date a committee was appointed to take the report of the previous committee into consideration.

Although considerable effort has been made to ascertain the exact tenor of the communication from the Massachusetts Medical Society to the druggists and apothecaries of Boston, and of the report of the committee thereupon, the effort has been fruitless of results, but the substance of the communication may be inferred from a petition to the legislature presented by the Massachusetts Medical Society, which petition



THE MASSACHUSETTS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY



DR. T. J. BRADLEY,
Dean, Mass. College of Pharmacy.

was filed on June 6, 1823, by a committee of which two of its members were John Gorham, professor of chemistry at Harvard College, and Jacob Bigelow, the professor of *materia medica* of the same institution.

The petition shows conclusively the desire of the Medical Society that an association of the druggists should be formed to co-operate with them in the regulation of the practice of pharmacy in the state, and also the lines along which its committee was proceeding, and it is therefore considered probable that the business of the letter to the druggists which was considered at the first meeting of the organizers, concerned the formation of such an association.

The petition of the Massachusetts Medical Society was opposed with acrimonious articles in the press of that day, principally in communications signed "Vesicator," in which articles the members of the Massachusetts Medical Society were termed pickpockets, tyrants, and were accused of being influenced solely by mercenary motives, and the legislature gave the Society leave to withdraw its bill and petition.

But notwithstanding this, the endeavor set in motion by the Society continued to receive the approval by the druggists, at least so far as it related to their organization and education. On December 11, 1823, an adjourned meeting of the organizers was held, at which meeting letters were read from several of the trustees of the College of Apothecaries in Philadelphia; these letters presumably supporting the idea of organization by the apothecaries of Boston, and a committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws and to report a plan for a permanent organization. On December 26, 1823, this committee reported a plan for a permanent organization and a constitution, both of which were adopted by the organizers, and the meeting then adjourned until December 29, 1823, on which date the first board of officers for the college was elected and the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy came into actual being; Dr. Ephraim Elliot being chosen as its first president.

On April 12, 1824, by-laws were adopted, of which the following are worthy of being noted:

Article 3. No member shall receive an apprentice for less than five years and it shall be obligatory upon all apprentices

to attend the lectures of the college, and it further provides that to be eligible for membership a person must have served an apprenticeship for three years with a person competent to instruct him.

March 16, 1825, President Elliott declined re-election as president and a letter of sympathy was sent him by the college for the affliction which caused his declination.

Trade questions obtruded themselves early into the business of the college, for on March 16, 1825, the question of the regulation of retail prices was considered and a committee was appointed to prepare a list of prices for the trade and again on March 21, 1827, another committee for the same purpose was appointed and another on September 16, 1829.

On March 17, 1830, the price of sulphate of quinine was fixed at 2c. per grain for quantities under 40 grains, and on March 16, 1831, the retail prices were again the subject of regulation, and on September 20 of that year the price of citric acid was fixed at 50 cents per ounce, sulphate of quinine at 3s. 9d. a dram, and bi-carbonate of soda at eight cents per ounce, and it was voted that the president inquire of the Boston Association of Physicians relative to blisters, whether the size written by them means to include the margin or otherwise.

On September 26, 1831, early closing of the shops was considered.

On March 21, 1832, a committee was appointed to investigate the retailing of medicines by wholesalers, and on September 23, 1833, another committee was appointed to revise prices.

On December 18, 1833, this committee reported the price of morphine and its salts should be 6 cents a grain, and strychnine $12\frac{1}{2}$ cents a grain.

On December 16, 1835, another committee was appointed to revise prices, and they reported that the price of kreosote should be 2 cents a drop, bi-carbonate of soda 6 cents an ounce, Seidlitz Powders 50 cents a box, Rochelle Powders $37\frac{1}{2}$ cents a box, and Soda Powders, 25 cents a box.

Almost all the business transacted was in reference to prices, but little attention being given to the question of the education of apprentices, although some effort was made toward the formation of an exchange and library for the trade, and in the

winter of 1826-7 the college secured the services of Prof. John W. Webster, the professor of chemistry at Harvard College, to give a course of lectures before its members, and in 1830 a similar course was delivered by Martin Gay.

On March 16, 1831, it was voted that the trustees may establish a school of pharmacy and that they may nominate one or two lecturers on the sciences connected with pharmacy.

December 17, 1835, it was voted that "apprentices belonging to members of this society shall attend Dr. Hale's lectures on chemistry and pharmacy once a week," but on March 18, 1836, the committee on lectures reported that owing to the illness of Dr. Hale the course of lectures had not commenced.

On December 14, 1842, the expediency of dissolving the college was considered, and on March 21, 1843, it was voted to suspend the article relating to meetings and to have but one meeting a year, and here the record closes of the early days of the college for no further meetings are made the subject of record until December 31, 1850, when a meeting was called by the secretary at the request of William A. Brewer, Thomas Restieaux and Daniel Henchman for the purpose, as stated in the call, "of reviving the Society."

At this meeting William A. Brewer was elected president of the college, and a complete re-organization was effected, with a membership of about sixty, and pharmaceutical meetings were appointed for each month. Mr. Brewer gives the most credit for the scientific character of the college to Mr. Daniel Noyes, who he says was a graduate of Harvard, and evidently by his account, one who appreciated the necessity for a systematic and thorough education of pharmacists.

April 3, 1852, the college was granted a charter by the state, and February 29, 1876, this charter was indefinitely extended.

During the winter of 1852 a course of lectures on chemistry was given by Charles T. Jackson, M. D., and in 1853-4 a course of lectures on pharmaceutical chemistry was given by Prof. J. P. Cook of Harvard College, and in 1858 Mr. Charles T. Carney delivered a course of lectures upon pharmaceutical chemistry. None of these courses were largely attended and the effort to evolve a systematic course of instruction failed of

any definite result, but they doubtless sowed the seed which was to bring abundant fruit in the future.

Nine years later, in the spring of 1867, largely through the efforts of George F. H. Markoe, the board of trustees authorized Mr. Markoe and Mr. Henry W. Lincoln to arrange for the delivery of a course of nine free lectures to be given by Mr. Markoe on pharmacy. The number of persons attending this course was twenty and its results were such that the college decided to inaugurate a systematic course of instruction in the fall of that year, and a circular was issued announcing that a course of lectures on Chemistry, Materia Medica, Botany and Pharmacy was to be inaugurated on December 11, 1867, at the rooms of the college, No. 12 Temple place. The lecturers were, for pharmacy, George F. H. Markoe; for chemistry, E. L. Stoddard; for materia medica and botany, C. M. Tracey. The fee for the three courses was \$25.00.

The history of the college since 1867 has been uneventful, and is marked simply by the changes which inexorable time brings to the life of every institution as well as to that of every individual. With ambition to improve the character and standards of pharmacy and to make itself a beacon-light for the profession of pharmacy in America it is assured of a glorious future, and not alone of a glorious one, but what is better, one most useful to American pharmacy and to America.

GRADUATE WORK IN MEDICINE AT FORDHAM

The faculty of Fordham University Medical College has resolved to institute an extension course, which will be thrown open to all graduates in medicine. Only one course will be held each year. Each course will last three weeks. Only one branch of medicine will be taught in each course.

A commencement will be made with normal and pathological anatomy, histology, physiology, biological chemistry and bacteriology of the particular branch of medicine studied. Simultaneous with these fundamental subjects, methods of clinical examination will be taught. The subjects will follow one another in rigorously logical sequence, and all cognate sciences and laboratory practice will be made subservient to

clinical purposes. No purely didactic lectures will be given; the teaching will be profusely illustrated by cases, specimens and cinematograph and lantern slides. Correlated laboratory courses in histology, normal and morbid; in bacteriology, and in as many other subjects as is deemed necessary for a complete course in the particular branch of medicine studies, will be provided. Practitioners will thus be afforded, in each branch, a training which from the anatomico-pathologic foundation to the principles of treatment will be as thorough, as practical, and as advanced as is obtainable anywhere at the present day.

For each course the faculty will have the assistance of foreign physicians and scientists of inter-national reputation.

Americans who have not had an opportunity for foreign study will thus have foreign study brought to them at Fordham. And what might require months of journeying to glean in Europe will here be available in organized form in three weeks.

The first course will begin September 9, and will terminate September 28, 1912. It will deal exclusively with nervous and mental diseases.

The following gentlemen will conduct the course:—

Henry Head, M. A., M. D., F. R. C. P., F. R. S., of the London Hospital, England. Croonian Lecturer, Royal College of Physicians of London.

Gordon Holmes, B. A., M. D., M. R. C. P., Lecturer on Physiology of the Nervous system, London University.

Dr. Achucarro, the distinguished Coadjutor of Professor Ramon, Cajal, Madrid.

Colin K. Russell, M. D., of McGill University and of Victoria Hospital, Montreal, Canada.

Carl L. Alsberg, M. D., Ph. D., of Washington.

F. V. May, M. D., President of the Commission of Lunacy, New York.

H. H. Goddard, Ph. D., Psychologist of the New Jersey School for Feeble-Minded Children.

Other special lectures, together with the Professors of the Medical School.

Abstract from *Fordham Medical School Catalogue*, May, 29, 1912.

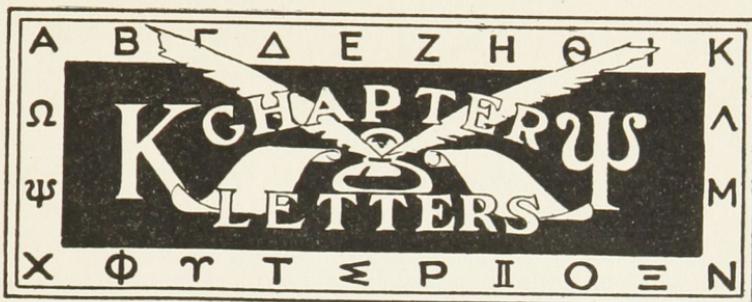
ANNOUNCEMENT

The following chapters have been installed since the last issue of *THE MASK*.

BETA-ETA, at the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. Petition endorsed by Dr. Geo. L. Holstein, P. G. R., Eta chapter and Philadelphia Graduate Chapter, and approved by the Legislative Committee and Grand Council. Charter granted. Installed on April 20th, 1912, by Press W. Eldridge, Jr., G. S. & T.

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BOSTON, at Boston, Mass. Petition endorsed by Mu chapter and approved by Legislative Committee and Grand Council. Charter granted. Installed on May 17th, 1912, by Press W. Eldridge, Jr., G. S. & T.



Chapter Letters for October issue of THE MASK to insure publication must reach the Editor by October 5th.

ALPHA CHAPTER

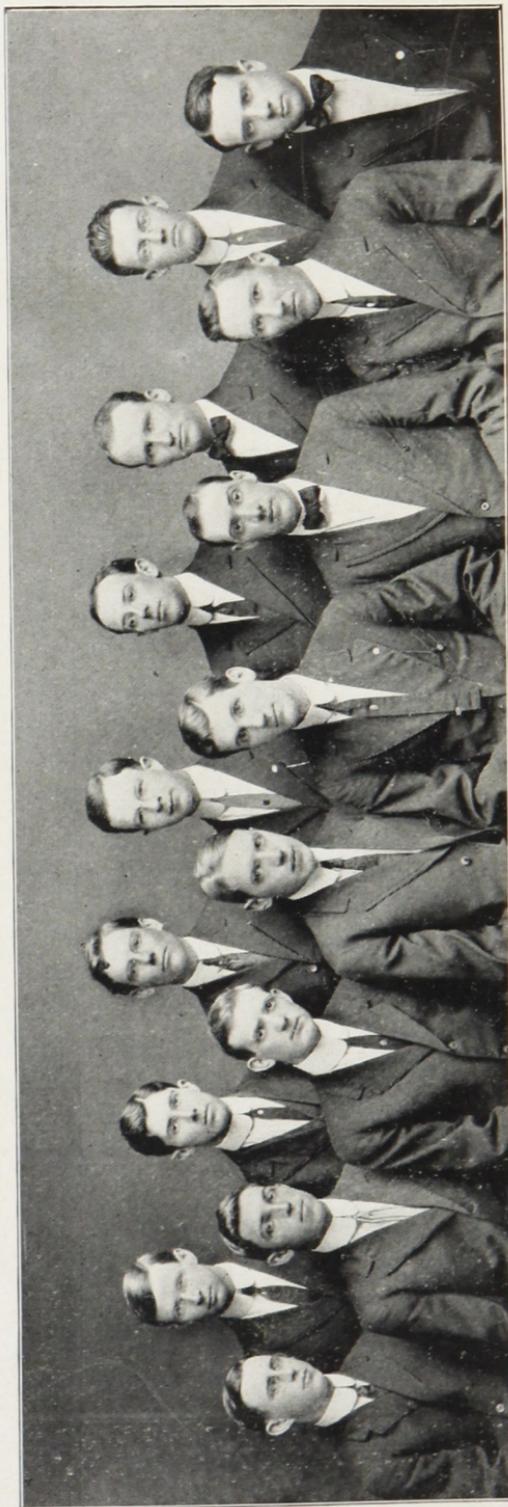
Dear Brothers of Kappa Psi, Greeting: You have doubtless learned before this time of the action taken by your Executive Committee of the Grand Council in elevating me to the exalted position of Grand Regent of our beloved Fraternity, and it is with a feeling of the great responsibility which rests upon the shoulders of the one to whom such a great honor is given that I now address you for the first time in my new capacity; but I must confess that whatever pride I may entertain in occupying this position of responsibility is tinged with a feeling of apology to the members of Kappa Psi for the reason that the news was communicated to me officially by Brother Eldridge with quite as much surprise as it must have been a shock to the brothers wherever dispersed. The only excuse I can offer, if excuse be necessary, is that I had absolutely no knowledge that my hat was "in the ring". If it chanced that some one found it here, let us hope that it was other than an ill wind which brought it about!

The recent stress of other affairs has prevented by becoming at once familiar with all the duties of this high office and prosecuting them with the skill of a veteran, but perhaps the vacation period with the consequent closure of the chapters for the summer months has rendered such not essential. It will be my aim and pleasure so to conduct the affairs of Kappa Psi that you will not have cause for regretting the action of Brother Holstein's committee. To this end I shall devote my energies so that the banner of Kappa Psi may be steadily carried to the front. But, brothers, please keep in mind the fact that

one man cannot be depended upon to do all work for an organization such as ours. An engineer may pull the throttle until it is wide open, but if his firemen do not keep up the fires to supply the STEAM the engineer is powerless to make his engine move. What we want is MOVEMENT; more particularly, movement in the FORWARD DIRECTION. How can we secure this? Let me indicate to you what I trust will be the keynote of my administration. The indication is simple, and it can be stated in a word—CO-OPERATION. With the active interest of every Brother Knight of Kappa Psi we can surely start a crusade which will bear results far beyond our most sanguine expectations. My Brother, in assuming the duties of engineer of this organization to which we have all sworn allegiance, may I count upon YOU to keep up the steam which will move us to a glorious future?

The present issue of the MASK will find all our chapters in recess until the opening of college in the fall. Now is the time to make plans for the building of a larger and better chapter in the coming year. Let me suggest that you keep in touch with the Registrar of your college and learn the names of the matriculates. Possibly you may know some of them personally. You will at least be able to find someone else who knows him personally. Look up his record—inquire into his character—learn how he stands in his community. Then when he presents himself in the fall you will feel that you know enough about him to recommend his election or rejection in your chapter. This is one field in which ALL our brothers, both active and passive, can work together for the upbuilding of the Fraternity, and will promote the harmony which develops and maintains that true brotherhood for which Kappa Psi stands.

Your Grand Regent hopes to keep in intimate touch with each one of the chapters, both active and alumni. In order to further this worthy desire I am going to make the request that the Regent for each chapter write me a personal letter, informing me of the successes of his chapter during the past year; of the difficulties or failures, if any should have arisen; of any suggestions he may have for the betterment of his chapter or of the Fraternity at large, and of his own plans



BETA, 1911-12

Top—Fitzgerald, Cata, Goff, Dalton, Corns, Willis, Caldwell.
Bottom—Bynum, Parson, Worsham, Cox, Ellis, Organ, Cheek, Goode.

for the future of his chapter. I trust that this appeal will meet with a ready response from every chapter Regent, in order that I may become more thoroughly familiar with the needs of each chapter than can possibly be brought about by the more formal letters as they appear in the issues of the MASK. During the remainder of the summer mail may be addressed to me at Peterboro, New Hampshire, and I can assure the brothers that their communications will receive a most cordial welcome.

To all Knights of Psi I desire to extend the congratulations of the Grand Council upon your past successes, and to assure you of our earnest hope for your future welfare.

Cordially and Fraternally Your Grand Regent,

JUSTIN F. GRANT, Ph.B., M.D.

BETA CHAPTER

University College of Medicine, Richmond, Va.

Brothers of Kappa Psi Greeting and Congratulations: I say congratulations because I am almost sure that every Knight of Psi has received a report of his exams from his Alma Mater, good enough to cheer him all through the summer and if he were a senior, now a wise looking doctor, we are sure he made his State Board exams. And if by misfortune you have failed, dear brother, get your frat pin, look at the Mask's eyes and remember that defeat is not so bitter if a brother sympathizes; and push upwards till you attain victory by Psi's help.

Now work being done we can enjoy the fishing and the bathing or perhaps the long evenings with that old students' friend—the plow—that great old friend—friend of our fathers' also—that so wonderfully built us up during the summer months to fight the monotony of the "labs", lecture halls and "midnight oil burning", during college days and makes us enjoy all the more the good old summer time.

Beta has the pleasure of reporting that all her senior sons—now in the category of passives, to our sorrow—have received their M.D.'s and Ph.G.s (sorry to say that no one received a D.D. so far) glad that not one of them have failed and all of them graduated with high marks.

We have not had any more initiates since last report, but we have not been asleep, rather we have worked to have quite a good looking bunch of fellows on the string for next year's initiation.

Our new college building opened this year and we had some of the commencement exercises there. It is quite a handsome building, most modern and most complete and Beta feels mighty proud of it.

Our faculty gave us a big, fine reception and so did the President, Dr. Stewart McGuire, and we did eat as students know how, and and drank as students know how.

All the frats have had their banquets and their dances and our report is on a different sheet.

Mr. C. E. Colliers Φ B Π now a student at Vanderbilt—a former student in our college—praised Lambda's men very highly and we feel sure that he could not praise them high enough.

There comes to us news that Brothers H. C. Dalton and E. L. Bynum are going to tie themselves for life to some fair one. We doubt the news very much, although we know that they were influenced by Brother Mason Caldwell during the past year to leave the wide pernicious road of Bachelory for the straight and narrow path of Matrimony.

Well brethren it is summer, and July, and people get tired of reading so I'll "ring off" and wish you all a happy, cool, and successful summer.

Fraternally,

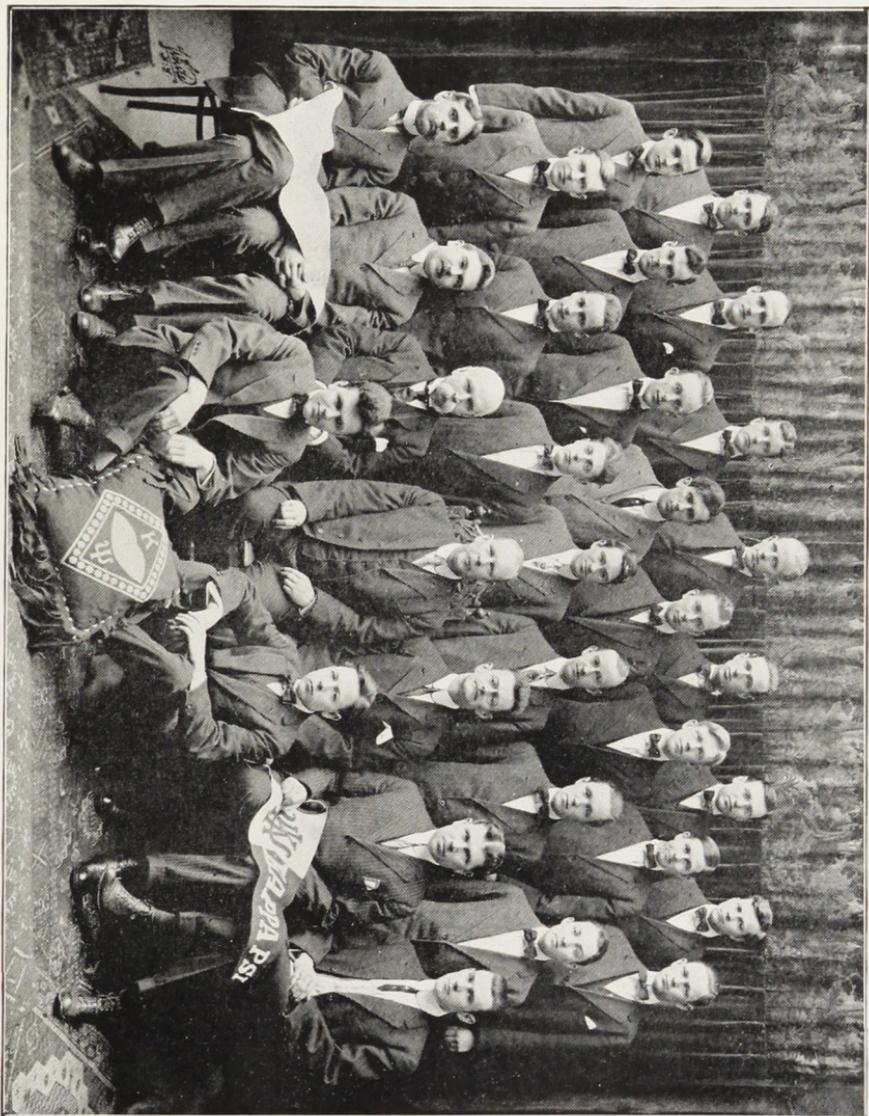
E. G. CATA, *Historian*.

GAMMA CHAPTER

Columbia University, New York

Brothers of Kappa Psi: The days have been passing by more rapidly than one would wish them to, especially during the last few weeks of school when all were trying to cram two years work into one week. Glad to say, though, that it is all over and many there are who are happier this week than they were last.

Sorry to relate that the prizes were not awarded to Kappa Psi men this year. Only one Junior, Mr. F. G. Hammond,



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of Montgomery, Ala., our new Secretary, was on the Honour List, and one senior, Mr. David Crockett attained the same honour. But it is expected that some of the boys will capture some of the prizes next May.

On February 28th all the members of Kappa Psi who were in New York enjoyed a very nice ball and dinner at the Ellsmere. The ballroom is of itself a very pretty little place and the decorations only enhanced its prettiness, there being banners of all kinds hung in conspicuous places. All who attended enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content.

On the evening of March 6th, there was held a meeting and smoker at the chapter house at 14 W. 101st St., at which some new men were proposed. Mr. Gerstner, Past Treasurer, made himself very popular with the boys by serving cool and refreshing drinks and nice things to eat. Preceding the smoker the new officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Lewis D. Short, of Callais, Me., Regent; Charles J. Watters, of Glens Falls, N. Y., Vice-Regent; F. G. Hammond, of Montgomery, Ala., Secretary; B. A. Hayes, of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., Treasurer; J. H. Chafey, of Point Pleasant, N. J., Chaplain; and Alphonso J. de Liguori, of Waterbury, Conn., Historian.

After this meeting many a quiet appearing fellow broke the ice by telling the others stories of a very rare nature. Taken all-in-all the affair was enjoyed by all.

The next meeting was on March 22nd at the chapter house. At this meeting the new officers were installed by our former Regent, Mr. Leonhardt, after which refreshments were served and a general good time was enjoyed.

Our next meeting was on April 4th at the chapter house. After all business had been transacted, the meeting was metamorphosed into a smoker.

After this very interesting meeting was concluded, we kept quiet until April 15th, when there were initiated into the mysteries of Kappa Psi, Mr. D. Johnson, and Mr. Hoffman. This initiation meeting was metamorphosed into a dinner party as is usual after such affairs, as we think that the new men need something to give them courage.

Now came the hustle and bustle of cram week, followed

closely by exam week. And how they all perspired and Oh! how happy was the Standard Oil Trust to see them grind and grind not only for themselves but for the Trust also, the miles and miles of gas burned and the gallons and gallons of oil consumed by the grinders and all the shekels that this grinding turned into the coffers of the Trust! Cram week was made especially for the Trust.

Well boys I'm exceedingly glad that it is all over and I guess that the feeling is mutual.

Sincerely yours,

ALPHONSO J. DE LIGUORI, *Historian.*

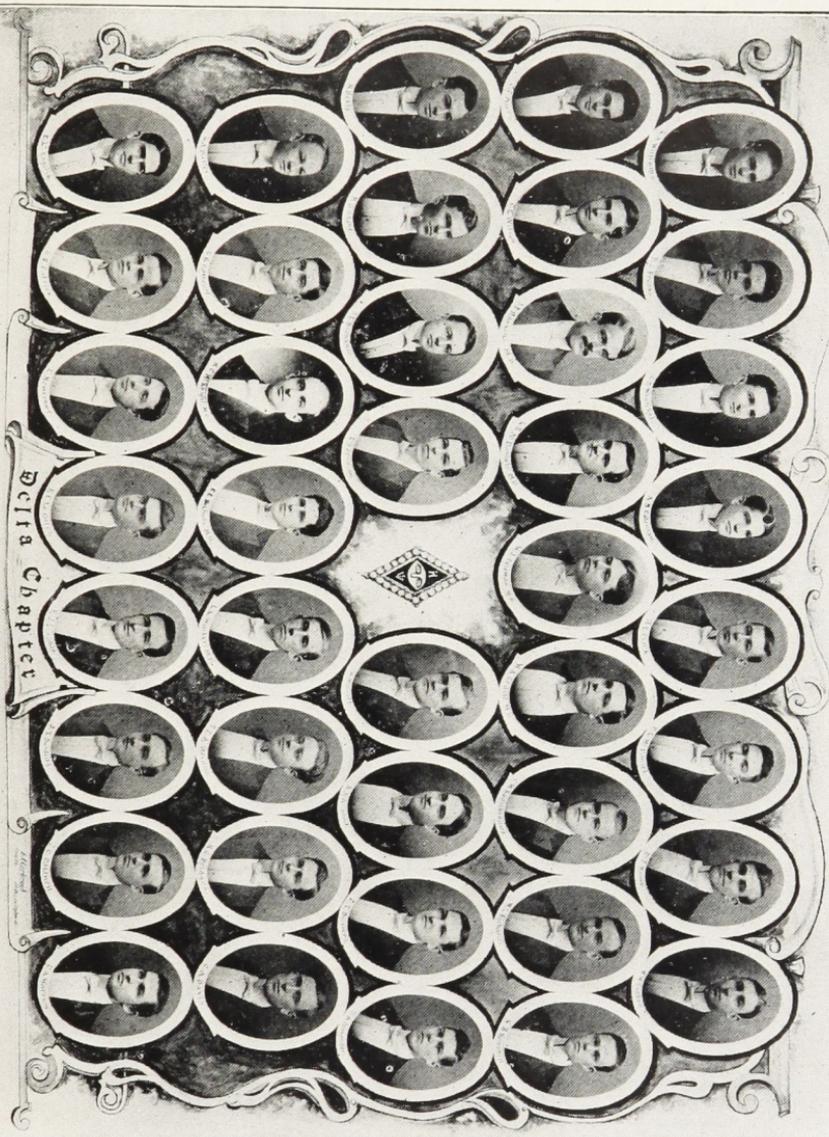
DELTA CHAPTER

University of Maryland, Baltimore, Md.

Dear Brothers: Carlyle says: "The end of man is an action, and not a thought, though it were of the noblest," and so it has been with the scholastic year of 1911-12; the final examinations being the end and the act of the year. What a seige! what a trial! But I dare say that the victory has been won by every Kappa Psi brother, for I truly believe that every one made an honest and conscientious endeavor. I am safe in saying that the majority of Delta's sons have done exceptionally well.

Now they have departed to spend their vacation at home, and to enjoy the comforts thereof. Surely there is no place like home. If space would permit I would ask all of the readers to come join me in a little ramble to visit each of Delta's members in their respective homes and share with them their pleasures for a season. Such an excursion as that would carry us from Maine's cool and breezy highlands to Georgia's sunny shores.

On the occasion of our last meeting which was most pleasant and interesting, we had the final reports of all standing committees, treasurer, and house manager. These reports were very satisfactory and encouraging and showed that this year has been entirely successful in every respect. This being the last meeting of the year it was followed by a smoker. We were also favored at this meeting by the presence of Dr. W. J. Coleman, superintendent of University Hospital and Past Grand



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Vice-Regent. We are always mighty glad to have him with us.

Since our last letter to the MASK we unveiled the mysteries of the Agora to the following brothers: George L. McCarty, Stephens City, Va.; John Alfred Strevig, Pennsylvania, both seniors, now graduates, of the Pharmacy department.

It is my good pleasure to state that all of our seniors of both departments received their diplomas. It further gives me no little pleasure to mention that Brother Charles W. Rauchenbach has bestowed much honor and credit upon himself and to Old Kappa Psi by winning the gold medal in the medical department; having made the highest average in the entire course of four years. I might also mention that Brother Rauchenbach was the winner of the Simon medal for superior work in Chemistry, while a student in the Pharmacy Department. Hearty congratulations to such as he. This has not been accomplished by luck and chance, but surely the key-note to his success was "Work".

Delta chapter is well represented on the University Hospital Staff by the following newly appointed brothers: R. A. Algood; W. M. Scott; and Charles W. Rauchenbach. It may be interesting to note that the majority of positions on the Hospital Staff is now being held by Kappa Psi men.

Brother E. S. Johnson has accepted an appointment in the St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore City. Several other recent graduates have secured hospital appointments which I cannot call to mind at present, or rather neglected to note when learning of them. However it is sufficient to say that a large number of Kappa Psi men are demanding recognition in their professions.

To those who have finished their school work and are going out in the capacity of professional men, may I say, not as advice but as a bit of encouragement,—Go forth into the busy world and love it; interest yourself in its life; mingle kindly with its joys and sorrows; do what you can for men, rather than what you can make them do for you, and then may you know what it is to have men yours, better than if you were their King and Master.

Delta chapter sends greetings and wishes to all.

Fraternally,

E. NEWCOMER, *Historian*.

ETA CHAPTER

Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Honored Knights of Kappa Psi, Greetings: Vacation time is here once more. "Nothing to do until October." Our strenuous year at P. C. P. made us all think of babbling brooks and shady lanes. With green woodlands, moonlight nights and all those things that rest the minds that have worked so faithfully.

We are very glad indeed to inform the brothers that the seniors of Eta chapter still retained their old record of not only passing their examinations but capturing several prizes. Brother Riley receiving the Pharmacy Quiz Prize. Brother Lofland received two (2) honorable mentions. Brothers Shurston and Peterson also obtained honorable mentions.

We wish all you brothers "good luck" as you go out into the world to establish ethical Pharmacies and may you never forget what "dear old Kappa Psi" did for you. Therefore we extend our heartiest congratulations to you, wishing you success and prosperity, hoping you will visit us often in the coming years and as you go down the "Hills of time" never forget to adopt the Roosevelt idea of married bliss.

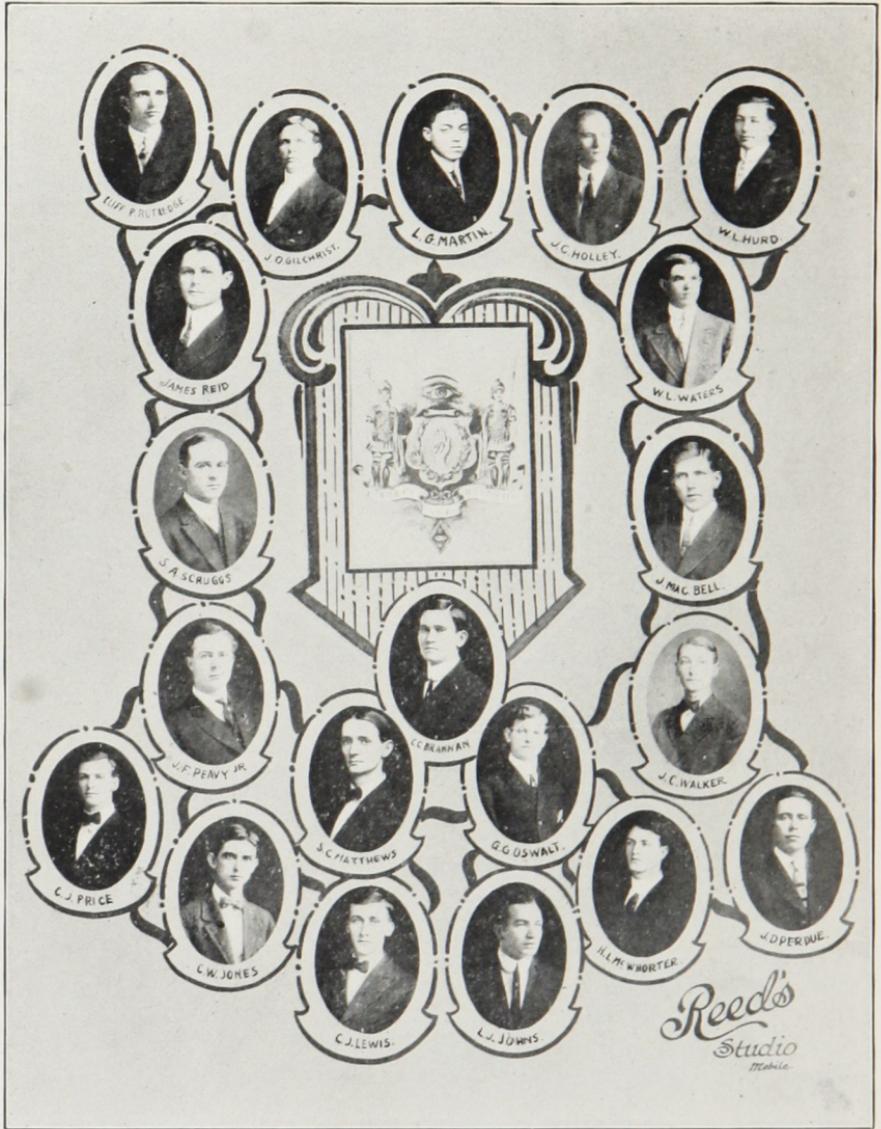
Our whole chapter commends Past Regent Brother Lofland very highly for his work in the chapter for the last couple of years. Being one of the first to start the movement toward a fraternity house, we will miss his smiling face and wise council next year, although we expect him to visit us quite often.

Our annual election of officers for the ensuing year was held in April. The following being elected: A. H. Nitschke, Regent; C. P. Johnson, Vice-Regent; J. E. Case, Treasurer; C. H. Brown, Secretary, W. S. Brown, Historian. This is the first time in the history of Eta chapter to elect the Historian separately (as the secretary formerly had charge of both offices) thereby relieving the secretary of a lot of work.

Through the efforts of Brother Holstein, Deck and others we finally succeeded in placing a chapter in Jefferson Medical College, (Beta-Eta) "The Baby Chapter" as the Grand Secretary chose to call it. The initiation was carried out by Eta chapter and the installation by the Grand Secretary and Treasurer, Press W. Eldridge Jr.



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We then escorted the "Baby Chapter" to Boothby's where arrangements had been made for a "swell" feed. We had nearly every thing in the edible category, but above all we got acquainted with our brothers from Beta-Eta who are a fine lot of fellows, "new but enthusiastic" and just waiting for their chance to do something for Kappa Psi when they come back next fall. *Good luck to Beta-Eta!*

This has been a wonderful year for *Eta* in every way and the outlook is beyond our conception. But we must not stop, because of our glory. But press onward with ambition and energy to do greater things for Kappa Psi.

The juniors have everything before them, and never forget brothers that we must be prepared to follow our predecessors footsteps. And, if possible, improve on their excellent work.

We have an enthusiastic and helpful alumni, for which we are very grateful and wish they would keep the good work up, and be present at every meeting next year, for it helps them to keep in touch with latest developments and encourages the younger members.

We elected an energetic young reformer from Oregon to act as our Regent and we believe he will do great things for Kappa Psi next year.

There is one thing we are positive of next year and that is a fraternity house. So we want all you brothers to do something, for the committee will have all they can do.

Wishing you all a successful and pleasant summer, I am,
Fraternally yours,

WEST SMITH BROWN, *Historian.*

IOTA CHAPTER

University of Alabama, Mobile, Ala.

No Letter Received.

WILBUR HEARD, *Historian.*

KAPPA CHAPTER

Birmingham Medical College, Birmingham, Ala.

Dear Brothers: Since our last letter spring and summer days have passed. About mid-spring everybody was spending loathe-some days in the examination room. All of our men seem to

have prescribed the right kind of stuff on their papers. Future medicos of the Birmingham Medical College are going to have to go some when they spend days of toil at college. The changes which a freshman will have to undergo next year would scare a senior out of his boots if he had the same ground to trample over again. Some changes have been made in the curriculum. Dr. Worcester says it means that an industrious freshman will have to burn the candles till early in the morn if he gets all of his anatomy in one year.

Everybody likes to have all kinds of initials tied on to their surname, so does our good Brother Dr. Bliss who has received an M. Sc. from Howard College.

The baseball team pulled off some great games this year among which was a victory over Howard College. Among the staunchest supporters which the team had were: "Denson, "the runt", who gets in the way of the balls at 3rd base; Manager Collier who has made an excellent manager for his team, "Dick" Drake, who is an old hand on the diamond, showed up well and John Sherrill the man who tossed the ball over the pot. All proved to be good material and expect to be back next year.

The football prospects are very strong. Some good material has been picked out for next season.

By the suggestion and direction of Brother Bliss the college has succeeded in organizing a Pan-Hellenic Association which has incorporated three out of four chapters in school, those being represented are: Chi Zeta Chi, D. O. A. and Kappa Psi. Much good is expected from this new body.

A new fraternity house has been arranged for next year. It will be located closer to the college than the last one we had. A larger number of fellows already have secured space in the house. This house will have ample space and all modern conveniences and will throw the fellows back in the same drift of good times. Everybody will lose sight of some old heads who reached the goal in the senior class. This will make things a little lonesome at first but will be made better by some undergrads.

Something is noteworthy especially among our grads. This year internships were very flush with Kappa chapter. It



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seems that nobody got a head out but us. Kincaid, our good brother, went to the South Highlands Infirmary, Elisha B. Smith to the Robinson Infirmary, the Moore brothers to Davis Infirmary and a family almost at the Hillman:—Henry Hanna, Toombs Lawrence, R. C. McQuiddy, and A. E. Cowan. This means much to us and is indeed gratifying.

The commencement exercises of the college were held at the Jefferson Theatre. Dr. Plunkett's address was received with very much applause, the charge to the graduates was delivered by Dr. R. M. Cunningham who laid before the class some sound principles along with some funny stories and jolly talking.

I remain yours fraternally,

H. J. LEWIS, *B. S., Historian.*

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Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

No letter received.

C. F. THOMASON, *Historian.*

MU CHAPTER

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy, Boston, Mass.

Dear Brothers of Kappa Psi, Greeting: Now that our college year has closed, many of Mu's members are scattered over our great Universe. The last meeting was largely attended. Much enthusiasm was displayed, showing that Mu has had a prosperous year. The meeting was held at Hotel Plaza, after which our annual banquet was enjoyed. The meeting was called to order by Regent Patten.

After all business was over the meeting adjourned and the members marched to the banquet hall where Mu's Fifth Annual Banquet was held.

Regent Patten was toastmaster and the first speaker of the evening was our much honored guest, Press W. Eldridge. Brother Eldridge's speech certainly sank well into the members of Kappa Psi.

Brother Bartel, the next speaker, and newly elected Regent of Boston's Alumni Chapter, spoke in the interest of the new

chapter just founded. "Doc" Mollineaux and "Jack" Monteith were our much enjoyed entertainers of the evening. The banquet closed with all singing "Kappa Psi." We are now making preparations for Mu's banner year, for we expect to have our own chapter house at the opening of college in September, and together with our new alumni chapter we expect something doing.

J. D. Monteith, "the college athlete and humorist," distinguished himself this month at the druggists' convention at Swampscott, Mass., by winning prizes in the 100 yard dash and sack race. He also helped George L. Burroughs and some others to make life miserable for some of the spectators by joining in an impromptu quartette and harmoniously but murderously rendered the latest ragtime hits. We are wondering who the fair maiden is who accompanied him and took care that he did not catch cold, etc. But he refuses to divulge the name of this "maiden in pink and white."

Wishing all a prosperous and pleasant vacation, I am,

Fraternally yours,

F. A. EAST, *Historian*.

NU CHAPTER

Medical College of South Carolina, Charleston, S. C.

No letter received.

W. E. KING, *Historian*.

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University of West Virginia, Morgantown, W. Va.

No letter received.

T. G. TICKLE, *Historian*.

PI CHAPTER

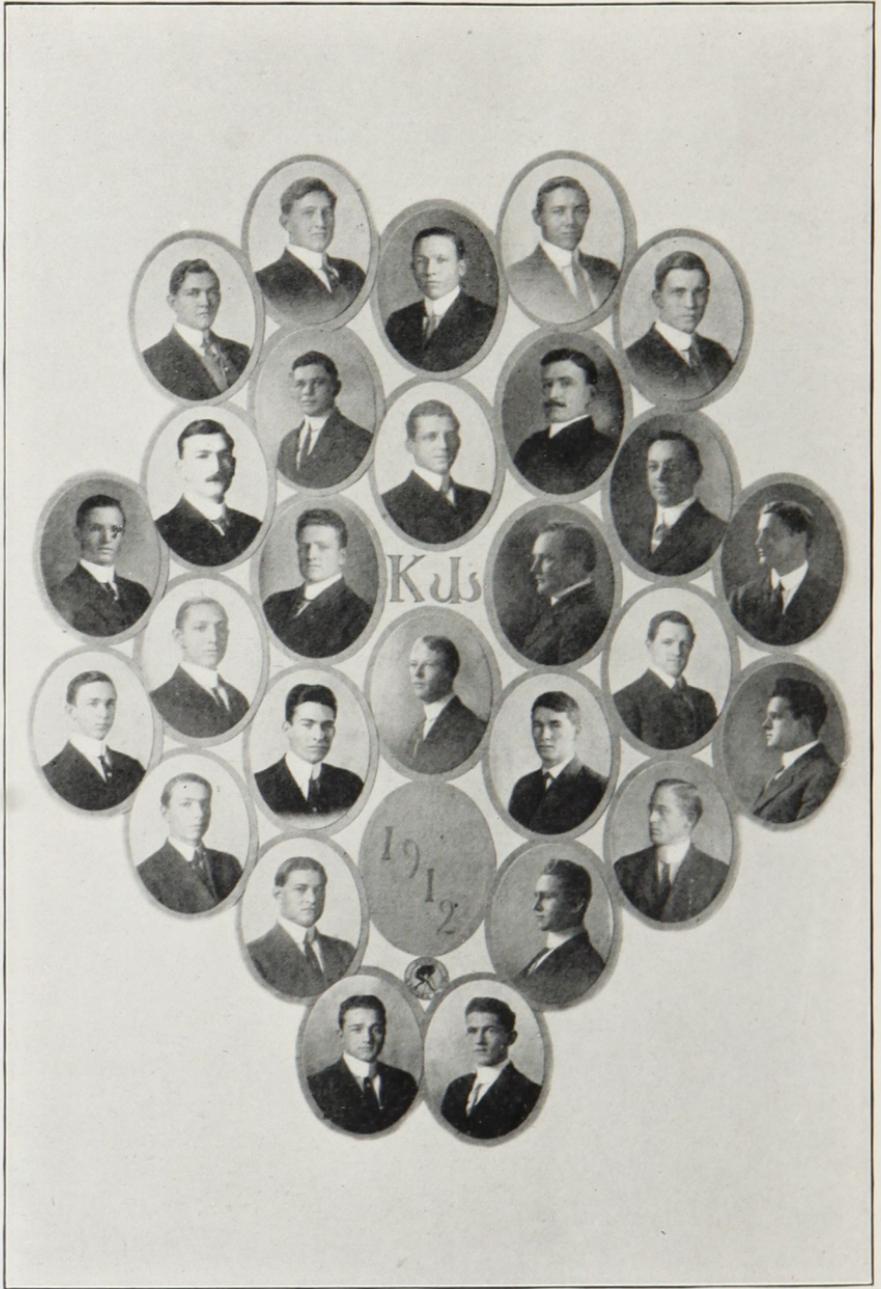
Tulane University of Louisiana, New Orleans, La.

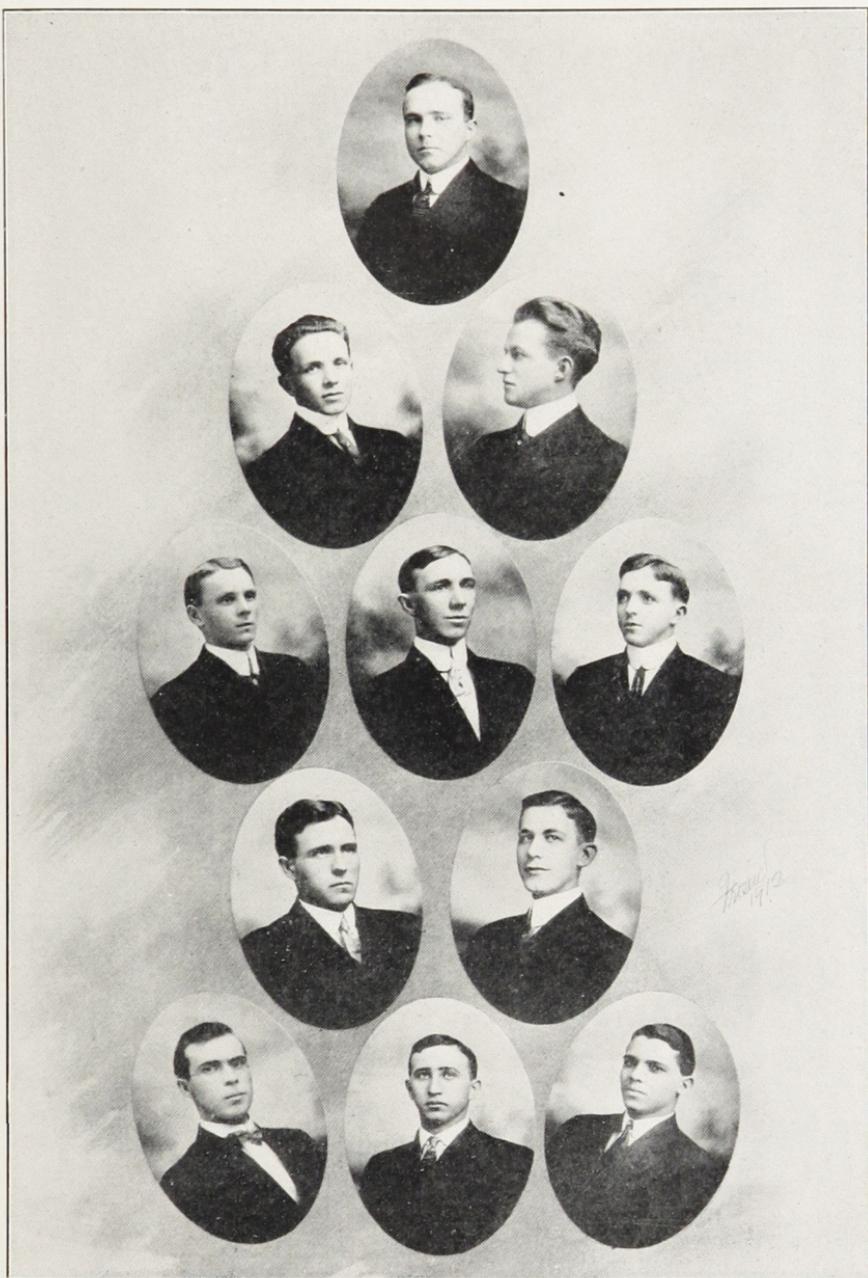
Greeting: Since the last issue of the MASK we have three initiates to introduce. They are Guerrant, Van Schleck and Fernandez, all of whom are juniors and will make our crop of seniors for next year the largest and what is more the best that we have ever yet graduated.



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Four of our men received their "sheepskin" this year. All are as fine fellows as could be found anywhere and we are proud to see them tack on the "M.D." to their names, for they are earnest hard workers and they will not only be a credit but will build up the standard of the medical profession. Dr. Johns will remain in the University as First Assistant in the department of Clinical Microscopy. He is, at present, in Panama doing special research work. Dr. Reed made second place in the examinations for internship at Touro Infirmary, so he and "His faithful old lady" (Johns) will remain with us to uphold the good graces of the chapter. Dr. Sanders will go to Texas and begin practice right away and Dr. Doles will hang out his shingle in the northern part of Louisiana.

Kappa Psi initiated the Pan-Hellenic movement and it will most certainly be a go after the representatives have met during the early part of next session. A constitution for the organization has already been framed and all the fraternities seem to be in favor of the movement.

On account of the incessant rains this spring athletics at Tulane were not very prosperous, Kappa Psi was not represented on the baseball team while Brother LaFleur was the sole representative on the track team. From present indications, it looks as though we will have nearly half of next year's football team. Besides Captain McLeod, there are B. Garrett and Black, all "T" men, and Arrendell and W. J. Garrett, who are almost certain of a regular position on the 'varsity squad.

On April 27, we initiated Dr. E. P. A. Ficklen as our first facultate member. Dr. Ficklen is a very valuable man and will be a good nucleus around which we hope to add several members of the faculty during the next few years. He is a graduate of Tulane, a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity and is at present assistant in the laboratories of Pathology and Pharmacology.

In the recent election held by the sophomore class, Brother J. W. McKee, Jr., was elected secretary and treasurer of the class and Brother Arrendell was elected historian. Brother McHugh has held the office of president of the class during the past year.

The "awful finals" are over at last and most of us passed

through still in good health and are now resting lazily around the old homestead, living over again the good times of the past and dreaming about the glorious future that is yet to come.

Pi chapter wishes all the sister chapters and all the readers of the MASK a prosperous summer and a very pleasant vacation. Let us all meet again next fall and then resolve to do even more than we have in the past to advance the standard of Kappa Psi. With best wishes, I am,

Fraternally yours,

C. W. ARRENDELL, *Historian.*

RHO CHAPTER

Atlanta College of Physicians and Surgeons, Atlanta, Ga.

Brothers in Kappa Psi, Greetings: Our session of 1911-12 is just over and all the brothers feel that K Ψ has made a very creditable showing in the year's work.

We wish to introduce to the Fraternity, Brother T. S. Ussery, of Decatur, Ga., who was recently initiated. We are glad indeed to welcome him into K Ψ, and especially into Rho chapter.

A Pan-Hellenic of literary college fraternities was recently organized at the A. C. P. and S. and Rho chapter is represented by the following brothers: Lee B. Mathews, Π K A; William L. Wood, Φ Δ Θ; J. Smiley Buch Jr. Σ N; Ed. H. Greene, Φ Δ Θ.

Rho chapter is represented in the senior class by Brothers W. H. Malone, Ben H. Clifton, J. G. Saggies, N. K. Doss, H. M. Minor, J. W. Humber, J. Smiley Bush, Jr., B. C. Bird, Jr.

The Aesculapion, our college annual, has just been sent out by the publishers, and will be received by the student body with appreciation. It is a very creditable effort, and should be greatly enjoyed. Rho chapter feels justly proud of the work done for the annual by Brother Smiley Bush; his poems and drawings being second to none.

We have had considerable discussion this year about moving into a chapter house. We have decided nothing definite as yet, but the entire chapter favors the plan, and we will probably go into a house in the near future.



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Rho wishes for the brothers a happy vacation, imbibing all with vim and vigor to do justly and well the work of next term, and that our new graduates may enter the field wisely and fearlessly and "blaze the trail" to honor and success.

Fraternally yours,

EDGAR H. GREENE, *Historian*.

SIGMA CHAPTER

College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore, Md.

Brothers of Kappa Psi, Greetings: This is the last day of school and all of our examinations are over. Most of the boys have gone. Although all of the fellows think they have "made good", results of final examinations have not yet been received. Even the seniors have not heard yet, but all are happy, confident and well satisfied. We cannot as yet say positively, but we feel confident that there will be at least two Kappa Psis on the Honor Roll of the senior class. If our confidence is not misplaced we believe such showing would be fine considering the fact that we have only seven men in the senior class. Our last meeting was a very enthusiastic and enjoyable one. As a final "get-together" we held a very delightful smoker.

Much interest is being taken in the question of a chapter house for Sigma. If possible Sigma will be housed in the fall.

The officers of Sigma are coming back early in the fall and will start the ball rolling in the direction of a most successful year for Sigma.

Fraternally,

R. S. PECK, *Historian*.

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UPSILON CHAPTER

Louisville College of Pharmacy, Louisville, Ky.

No letter received.

C. H. TAYLOR, *Sec'y and Historian*.

PHI CHAPTER

Northwestern University, Chicago, Ill.

Greetings: As most of the brothers of Phi chapter were out of school on April 9th, there has been little doing with us since the last letter.

On March 11th we added one more to our list, Brother D. C. Thompson of Chicago, Ill.

All reports from the brothers indicate that they are enjoying the vacation immensely, and those who are yet in school taking the Ph.C. course are about to complete their year's work and make a break for the pleasures of vacation.

Here's hoping that all the chapters are left in as good a condition as Phi.

Fraternally,

E. S. CROUCH, *Sec'y and Historian.*

CHI CHAPTER

University of Illinois, Chicago, Ill.

No letter received.

K. H. COPELAND, *Historian.*

PSI CHAPTER

Baylor University, Dallas, Texas

No letter received.

I. H. SMITH, *Historian.*

OMEGA CHAPTER

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas

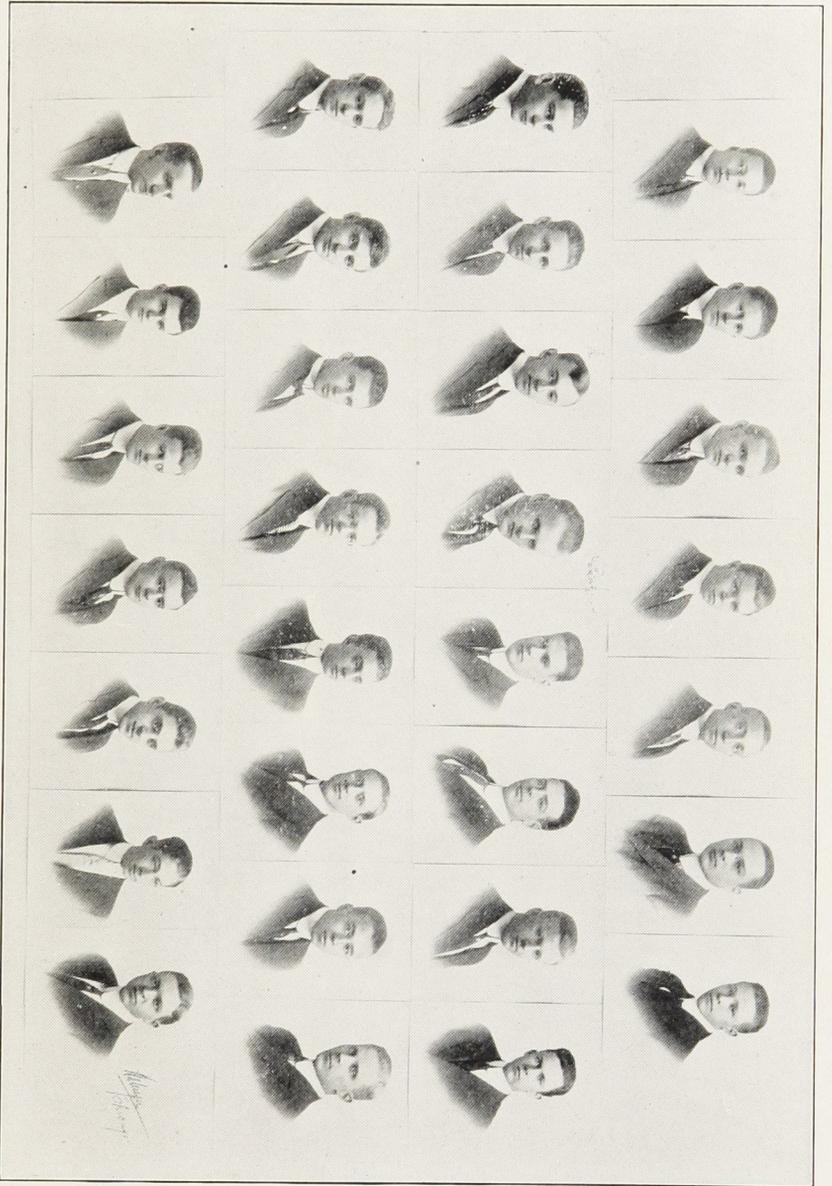
No letter received.

JOHN G. MCLAURIN, *Historian.*

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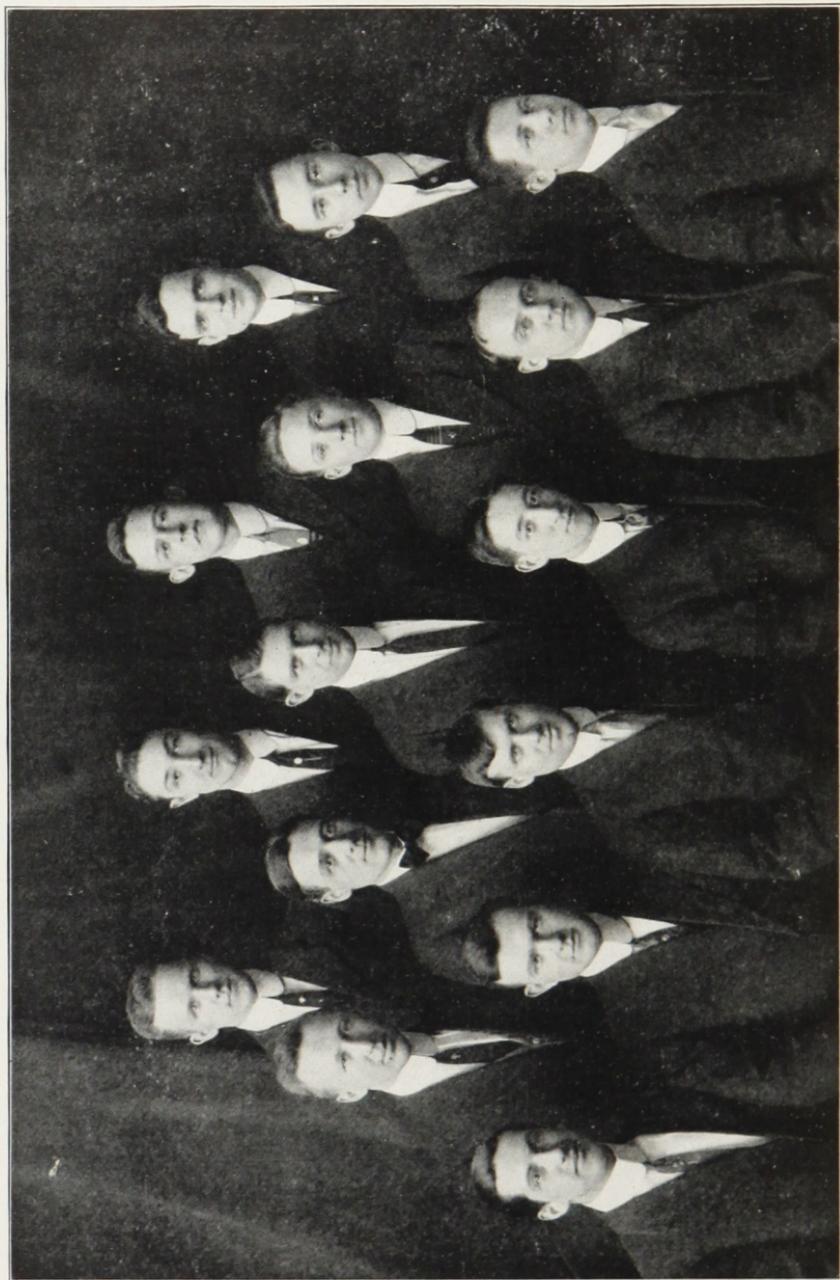
Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Brothers: Our school on May 27th finished another successful year for all our men. Some of us to make our entree into life, while we who are more fortunate, have one or two more years of college life made pleasant by being Kappa Psi men. Those of us who leave are ready, but with



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Top—Schantz-Hansen, McLean, Meyer, McKee, Cambell, Owen, Van Orden,
 2nd—Crouch, Bates, Nash, Coleman, McDonald, Cook, Prof. Hooglund, Herbert,
 3rd—Stem, Johnson, Donaldson, Turner, Finnyre, Day, Robinson, Swenson.
Bottom—Stedenthus, Stone, Dines, Jackson, Boettcher, Mank, Byrd.



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deep regrets, for we are to enter something unknown to us, and depart from what has been proven was for the best.

This year, for the first time since of school has been connected with the University, we are represented on the 'varsity baseball team, Brother Grosse having that honor, as a regular on the nine.

At our last regular meeting officers for the following year were elected as follows: Lloyd E. Webster, Regent; Willard Peden, Vice-Regent; Walter Conrad, Secretary-Treasurer; W. W. Dangeleisen, Historian.

We will have eleven men to start things next year, and we as always, hope our realizations will prove greater than our anticipations. Our course of study at school is to be completely changed, and best of all, although not officially announced as yet, Brother Tanner of Eta is to be our Dean. This is a great undertaking for any man, but we all feel confident that he will prove more than satisfactory in this position. With congratulations to the graduates and wishing success to every Kappa Psi man. I remain,

Fraternally yours,

LLOYD E. WEBSTER, *Historian.*

BETA-GAMMA CHAPTER

University of California, San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Brothers: One more year of College life is over, and how that time did pass! Beta-Gamma has prospered with the year and hopes to continue in the future. Our chapter is now in its fourth year, and is made up of some of the best men in college. We are all pretty well scattered at present, but hope to get together about September 1st. A fraternity creates a good feeling among the fellows that could be formed in no other way.

Mr. O. E. Hunt, a Kappa Psi man, won the scholarship this year, making three scholarships won by Kappa Psi men in the last four years. Congratulations to Mr. Hunt.

I also take pleasure in announcing that every Kappa Psi man passed the examinations with a good average which means we will have them all back with us next year.

Wishing every Kappa Psi man success in the future, and a pleasant vacation, I am,

Fraternally yours,

EARL E. WHITE, *Historian.*

BETA-DELTA CHAPTER

Union University, Albany, N. Y.

Greetings, Brother Knights of Kappa Psi: What greater pleasure can we Brother Knights take than to have a written conversation through THE MASK! The majority of us are enjoying the summer vacation in our respective home towns and cities but let us all think for a few moments, we can say present to the call of our secretary and talk over past pleasures and future anticipations.

Since our last written talk we Beta-Deltas have closed a most successful school year. Our senior brothers have all graduated and all undergraduates climb one more round on the ladder at the opening of a new college year next autumn.

Many of our senior brothers received honorable mention for their worthy and efficient work during the year just closed. Among those were Past Regent H. W. Van Loan who received honorable mention in Pharmacy and also for the best examination at the close of the school, Past Vice-Regent M. C. Dyer who received honorable mention in Chemistry and Materia Medica, and Brother F. J. Demo who received honorable mention in Pharmacy. In the junior class, Vice-Regent L. P. Quinlavin and Historian H. L. Keeler received honorable mention for the best examination at the close of the school year.

Brother H. W. Van Loan responded to a toast at the annual banquet of the Alumni Association which immediately followed the commencement exercises. At the business meeting which followed the banquet, Brother T. E. McClelland of the graduating class was elected 2nd vice-president of the Alumni Association, with our faculty Brothers W. A. Larkin Secretary and E. C. Hutman treasurer.

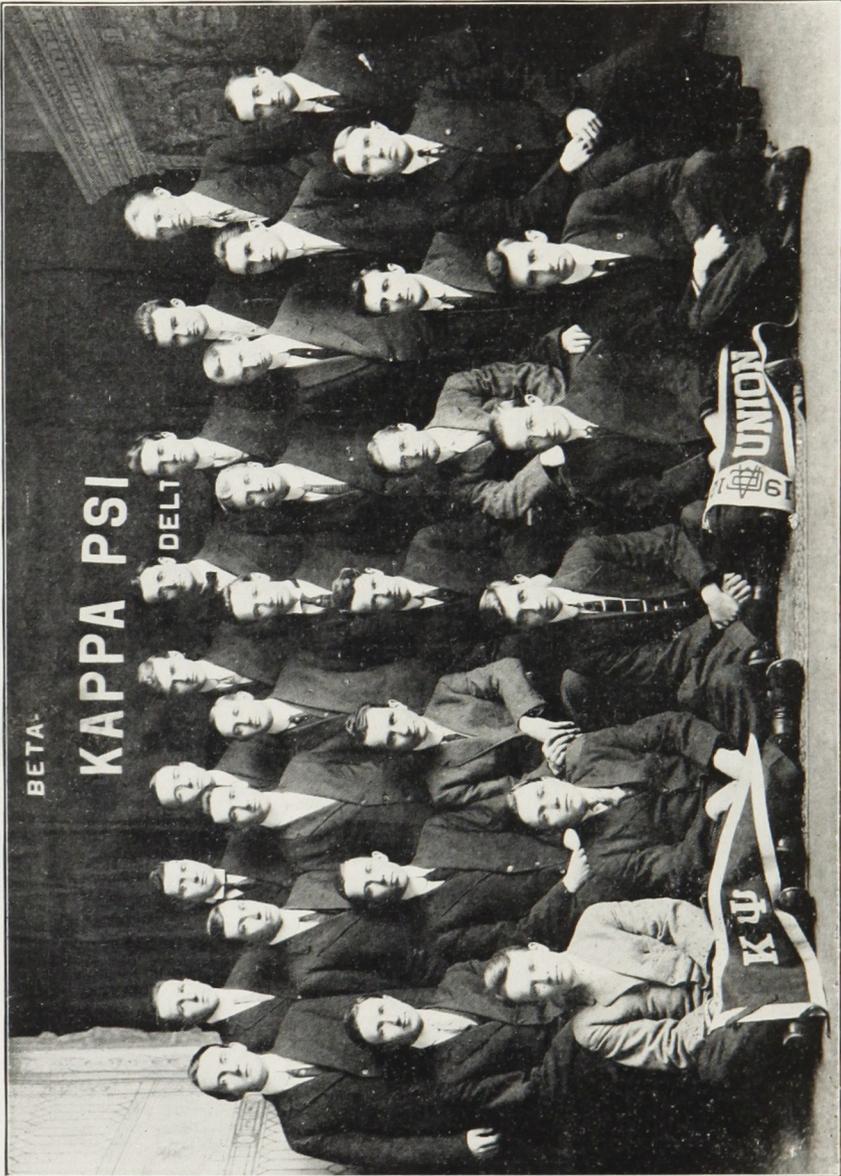
We take great pleasure in introducing one more junior, Frederick J. Muller, Catskill, N. Y., Catskill high school, to whom the mysteries of the Agora have been unveiled.

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Top—Keeler, McClelland, McDermott, Kinch, White, Ashron, Hall, Weber.
 2nd—Downes, Purfee, Bosworth, Graham, Spaulding, Abbott, Ellis, Weiser, Williams.
 3rd—Norton, Christeson, Dyer, Van Loan, Mayhew, Amo, Swink.
 Bottom—Reynolds, Demo, Pierson, Robie, Quinlavin.

Friday April 5th marked the last meeting of Beta-Delta, at which time a smoker was held and light refreshments were served. The principal object of this social meeting was to present to our retiring Regent H. W. Van Loan a beautiful Kappa Psi ring as an expression of our appreciation of the interest shown and work done by him during his unerring administration. Another important task was the discussion of the opening of a Beta-Delta chapter house before the coming fall. Much interest was taken in the affirmative. Committees were appointed, and it is expected action will be taken before the college year opens.

With many wishes for the future success of all graduate brothers and as they embark upon the sea of life, may the storm waves ebb from them and the smooth sea be ever in front of them with the good old Kappa Psi spirit steering the ship of success. And you brother classmates may we welcome you all with that warm hand-shake next fall at the opening session of college.

Yours fraternally,

HAROLD L. KEELER, *Historian*.

BETA-EPSILON CHAPTER

Rhode Island College of P. and S., Providence, R. I.

No letter received.

ERNEST COCHRANE, *Historian*.

BETA-ZETA CHAPTER

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore.

Dear Brothers: In my first letter to the MASK, I am proud to state that Beta-Zeta has been "Up and Doing" this year. Since Brother McKay last wrote of Beta-Zeta, three men have been added to the fold; John G. Kelley, Jefferson, Ore., O. B. Kyle, Corvallis, Ore., and T. D. Beckwith, professor of Bacteriology at O. A. C. Brother Kelley is a wrestler, and has gained the title of All-Northwest Intercollegiate Champion. He has been chosen to captain the 'varsity team next year.

Prof. T. D. Beckwith needs but a short introduction as

he has already gained state wide fame in the short time he has been at Corvallis. He is State Bacteriologist, City Bacteriologist, a member of the National Committee on Bacteriological Methods, besides other honors that I wouldn't begin to try to remember. O. B. Kyle is a strong O. A. C. man being a member of the class of 1910. At present he is connected with the Allen Drug Co. of this city.

On May 28th in one of our most lively meetings, Harold M. Peery of Springfield, Ore., was chosen Regent for 1912-13. The following were chosen for the other offices: J. Carlton Shirley of McMinnville, Ore., Vice-Regent; John S. Jenkins of Baker, Ore., Historian; Ford A. Hand of McMinnville, Ore., Treasurer; Jerome C. Hurley, Chaplain.

Although this has been a very successful year for Beta-Zeta we do not intend to let it go at that. We now have seventeen on our chapter roll. Fourteen of these will be with us again next year. We have secured a new chapter house for next year. It is modern in every way and will accommodate twenty men without crowding. It is situated on College Crest, the real "classy" residence district of the town. We are just across the street from another fraternity house so you can imagine what will be doing next year. Oh! you Pajama Serpentine!

Wishing success to every Kappa Psi man I am,
Fraternally yours,

FORD A. HAND, *Treasurer.*

BETA-ETA CHAPTER

Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Brothers: You will please pardon me if I revert from the usual form of chapter letter and instead give you in a more or less personal way a review of the facts leading up to and immediately preceding the installation of Beta-Eta chapter.

It is just a little over two years since I last sent a letter to the MASK as secretary of Eta chapter, and as a matter of sentiment, or possibly on account of my elation at our success, I obtained our secretary's permission to send the first letter from your new chapter at Jefferson Medical College.



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BETA-ZETA, 1911-12

I must first tell you that there were four brothers of $\text{K } \Psi$ at Jefferson to begin with—one in each class—namely: Brindley, Xi, senior; Coles, Xi, junior; Snyder, Beta-Beta, freshman; and myself, Eta, a sophomore. The four of us had many little conferences on the subject of a new chapter, but after a perspection of the work involved, they would end in a shrug of the shoulders and then—"Well, we'll look into it." It all came to a crisis the morning after Eta's banquet—Brother Holstein and Brother Eldridge having come to the city for the affair, made an appointment with me for the following morning. Accordingly Brother Brindley and I called at their room in the Walton Hotel on the morning of February 22nd. They immediately wanted to know the why and wherefore and the reason for our not having started a chapter at Jefferson, and, after being told in a polite way that we were lazy, we at once drew up an application for a charter. With this added stimulus we set to work and in a few weeks we were able to send in the application with thirteen names attached. As a result on the evening of April 20th, in the Parkway Building, we were formally installed as Beta-Eta chapter by Press Eldridge, Jr., G. S. and T.

There was a full attendance of Eta chapter at the installation and Eta's degree team put Campbell through the full initiation, just to show us how it was done.—(I felt sorry for Campbell.)

After installation we went to Boothby's Hotel where Eta chapter was host at a most enjoyable supper. Full particulars of the installation and the entertainment that followed I leave to abler hands.

In the name of the chapter, I wish to say that we fully appreciate and sincerely thank Eta chapter for their aid at installation and thank them again for the supper they tendered us at Boothby's following installation. We also wish to thank Eta's members, both active and passive, for the financial aid they gave us, which in fact, made Beta-Eta possible at this time.

All due credit must be given to Brother Keath, who, while not a brother at the time, worked hard and untiringly for the organization of the chapter.

It may be of interest to know that we have thirteen members, that our first meeting was on April 13th, that a 1913 man is Regent, and that both Eta chapters are in Philadelphia.

I now take pleasure in introducing to you Brothers A. J. Keenan, Jr., '12; R. W. Campbell, '13; J. W. Keath, '14; F. W. Knoll, '14; P. B. Bender, '15; D. D. Grimm, '15; E. H. Stricker, '15, V. W. Graham, '15; and E. H. Rebhorn, '15.

The officers for the coming year will be J. G. Coles, Regent; R. Deck, Vice-Regent; P. B. Bender, Secretary; and R. W. Campbell, treasurer.

Brindley and Keenan have graduated this year. Out of their class of 150 only one man failed to pass. We are sorry to lose them so soon, but we wish them the very best good future has to offer.

The more intimate news of the college and its various fraternities I leave for a future letter.

The main thing is, that there is a chapter of $\kappa \Psi$ at Jefferson—now watch us grow.

I beg to remain,

Always fraternally yours,

ROY DECK, V. R.



BETA ETA, 1911-12

ALUMNI CHAPTERS

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER

Philadelphia, Pa.

No letter received.

F. B. KELTY, *Historian*.

NEW YORK CHAPTER

New York, N. Y.

No letter received.

H. T. HUGHES, *Historian*.

BALTIMORE CHAPTER

Baltimore, Md.

No letter received.

J. A. BLACK, *Historian*.

BIRMINGHAM CHAPTER

Birmingham, Ala.

No letter received.

J. C. ANTHONY, *Historian*.

CHICAGO CHAPTER

Chicago, Ill.

Dear Brothers: We beg to report the election of the following officers for the coming year: Regent, H. E. Kraft, Chi; Vice-Regent, C. A. Keim, Phi; Secretary-Treasurer, H. H. Holton, Gamma; Historian, H. W. Colson, Chi; Chaplain, W. J. Stinson, Chi.

The condition of our chapter at present is very good, and if the plans we have formulated for the coming year are successful, we shall be in a position to represent our fraternity in such a manner as we never before have been able to do. During the past year, we have learned many things with regard to the handling of those questions, on which depend so

much, the success or failure of a chapter. With the methods we have devised to care for these questions as they come before us, we are certain of a very successful future for the Chicago Alumni Chapter. At the meeting of the committees and officers to be held shortly, we expect to get things started on a good working basis, and hope by the next issue of the MASK, to be able to report great progress.

Faternally yours,

H. W. COLSON, *Historian.*

BOSTON CHAPTER

Boston, Mass.

To the Brothers and Knights of Kappa Psi: In the spring of 1907 with impressive solemnity, accompanied by that earnestness and determination of purpose, so marked at all Kappa Psi doings, Mu chapter was installed. That night, Kappa Psi history began in Boston.

On Friday, May 17th, 1912, with that same impressiveness, that same solemnity and with as great and marked a degree of earnestness and determination on the part of the brothers present, history repeated itself in the installation of Boston Alumni chapter.

The similarity was more marked by the fact that in the second instance as in the first, the work was performed by that estimable and worthy brother, Press Eldridge.

The following brothers were present: Leopold Bartel, Pharm, D., Mu, 1910; J. J. Durrett, B. S., M. S., Ph. G., Tau, 1908, 1909, 1910; R. C. Peterson, Pharm. D., Mu, 1910; J. G. Mollineaux, Pharm, D., Mu, 1910; F. Douglas Salisbury, Pharm. D., Mu, 1908; Arthur W. Scott, Ph. C., Mu, 1909; Clarence H. Upton, Pharm. D., Mu, 1909; Fred Breen, Mu, unaffiliated; H. B. McCormick, Mu, 1911.

The following brothers were unable to be present: J. P. Barry, Mu, 1910; J. J. Murphy, Mu, unaffiliated.

Brother Bartel was nominated by Brother Breen who stated truly that "some men work with their hands, some men with their hands and head and some men with their hands, head and heart." The nomination was seconded and election unanimous.

It has been through the untiring and earnest efforts of Brother Bartel that Boston Alumni chapter has become a fact, and a no more deserving nor competent person was ever elected to carry on a work so ably started.

Brother Durrett was elected Vice-Regent, Brother Breen, the same old smiling, hustling "Freddy", was elected Secretary, Brother Scott was elected Treasurer and the readers of the MASK are to be bored for the next four issues by yours truly as Historian.

The meeting was held at the Hotel Plaza and after the installation, we all adjourned to the banquet hall where we enjoyed a bounteous repast with sixteen members of Mu chapter.

After the "eats," we were entertained by some of our musical brothers followed by eloquent and impressive speeches by Brothers Eldridge and Bartel.

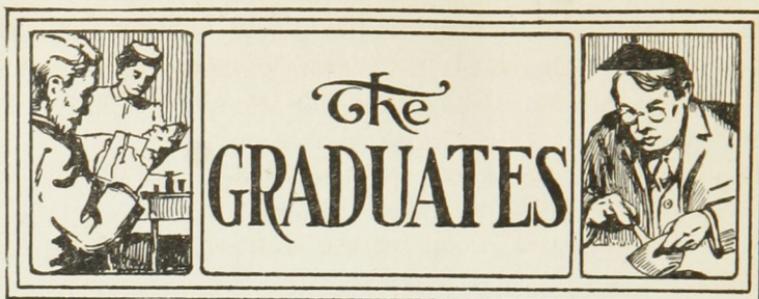
The pleasant evening was fittingly closed by singing "Kappa Psi."

Every Kappa Psi man in the New England states according to the addresses in the last *Agora* has been notified by Brother Bartel of the formation of this alumni chapter.

If you, Brother, live in the New England States, you should be a member of Boston Alumni Chapter. There are over one hundred brothers in this territory and it takes time and money to prod you individually. You expend a little effort. If you are alive, write our secretary. If you are dead, have some one else write, but let him hear from you anyway. Don't evade your duty. This means you. Do it now!

Fraternally yours,

F. DOUGLAS SALISBURY, *Historian*.



All readers of THE MASK are requested to forward personals about Alumni to Professor H. A. Langenhan, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis. Chapter Historians are urged to forward them with every Chapter Letter, but on separate sheets.

BETA

T. V. Goode, M.D., is now a member of the staff of the City Hospital, Richmond, Va.

GAMMA

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. McBride, a daughter on May 27th, 1912 at Norristown, Pa. Congratulations.

C. H. Fetterly, '04, is President of the Merchants' Drug Corporation of Westfield, N. J. Brother Fetterly's home is Somerville, N. J.

Brother J. A. Thomas has purchased The Morey Pharmacy at 104th St. and Broadway New York City. Good luck!

Hugo Shaefer, '12, will be at Somerville, N. J. for the summer.

W. E. Miles, '12, is spending the summer at his home in Fulton, N. Y.

"Bob" Gerstner, '12, has passed the New Jersey State Board and is now with the Lown Drug Co. of Jersey City.

W. G. Crockett, '12, and R. R. St. Clair, '12, have returned to their homes in Tazewell, Va.

Edsell Drury, '12, is "killing time" in Middletown, N. Y.

Chas. W. Dunn, '11, has successfully completed his first year in medicine at N. Y. University and Bellevue Medical College.

B. A. Hayes, '13, has been appointed assistant in the Pharmaceutical Laboratory, and F. G. Hammond, '13, assistant in the Microscopical Laboratory at the college.

"Hy" Gaynor, '07, whom we have been hunting for some time and when last heard from was running a silk plant in New Jersey, has at last been located at 111 Fifth avenue, New York City. "*Am I right?*"

H. T. Hughes, '10, is now with Brother P. E. Everts, '01, at Broadway and 85th St., New York City.

R. G. Tunnison, M. D. is on the staff of the Jersey City Hospital, N. J.

William E. Malone, '05, is in the airship business! We are awaiting more detailed information.

DELTA

A. L. Barrow, M. D., '03, has removed to Kounarock, Washington Co., Va.

C. A. Overman, M. D., is located at 2019 W. Pratt St., Baltimore, Md.

EPSILON

W. C. Gewin, M. D., has opened the new West End Infirmary at Birmingham, Ala.

ZETA

James G. Gannon, M. D., P. R., is assistant professor of Medicine at Georgetown University, Washington, D. C.

Ralph B. Hamilton, M. D., is assistant professor of Histology at Georgetown, Washington, D. C.

Roy D. Adams, M. D., is practicing at Stanley Court Apartments, Washington, D. C.

Timothy J. Sullivan, M. D., (charter member) and M. T. Sweeney, M. D. are both practicing in Boston, Mass.

How about a revival of Old Zeta boys? There is an active man on the field and with the assistance of the above old war-horses something ought to be doing this fall! Get busy.

ETA

Born to Dr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Holstein, a son, Richard Wagner Holstein, on Easter Monday. Congratulations.

Pierce R Carpenter, P. D., '11, is located at 935 Chestnut St., Lebanon, Pa.

Roy Deck, P. D., '09, now V.-R. of Beta-Eta, is on the staff of the Jefferson Hospital of Philadelphia, Pa.

IOTA

R. C. Williams, B. S., M. D. '09, has removed to Meridianville, Ala.

W. W. Perdue, Ph. C., B. S., M. D., is in the employ of the Rockefeller Hookworm Commission in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Florida.

KAPPA

Leon F. Harris, (ex-'14 of K) received the degree of A. B. from Howard College, Birmingham, Alabama. Brother Harris will enter the University of Chicago or Johns Hopkins and complete the medical course.

"Bill" Blake, (ex-'14 of K) is a junior at Howard College, Birmingham, Ala.

Hanna, Lawrence, McQuiddy and Cowan, all M. D. '12, are internes at the Hillman Hospital, Birmingham, Ala.

E. B. Smith, M. D., '12, is an interne at the Robinson Infirmary, Birmingham, Ala.

J. L. Kincaid, M. D., '12, is an interne at the South Highlands Infirmary, Birmingham, Ala.

R. G. McGahey, Ph. C. (Lambda '08), M. D., '12, is on the staff of the West End Infirmary, Birmingham, Ala.

E. A. Southworth, Ph. G., '12, is with the Hough Drug Co. of Birmingham, Ala. "Shorty" will begin medicine at B. M. C. in the fall.

"Jack" DeGaris, Ph. G., '12, star end of the 'varsity football team, will take up Ph. C. work at B. M. C. next session.

MU

Dr. Harry B. McCormick has moved to 50 Adams St., Milton, Mass.

Dr. John J. Murphy, Mu's political member, is located at 6th and D Sts. South Boston, Mass.

Dr. F. Douglas Salisbury, of the firm "Stewart & Salisbury" of Somerville and Charlestown, has moved his residence to 50 Dartmouth St., Winter Hill, Somerville, Mass.

Dr. Arthur W. Scott is located at 119 Eutaw St., East Boston, Mass.

XI

C. G. Psaki, B. S. '11, is now a senior in medicine at Georgetown University, Washington, D. C.

PHI

Earl O. Morrison, Ph. G., '10, is located at 4135 Vincennes Ave., Chicago, Ill.

CHI

A. B. Helstrom, Ph. C. '11, is located at 3420 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill.

BETA-DELTA

H. W. Van Loan, '12, is located at Chatham, N. Y.

H. W. Maybee, '12, is at Roscoe, N. Y.

H. H. Swink, '12, is at home in Troy, N. Y., 710 Federal St.

BETA-EPSILON

All readers of THE MASK will be glad to know that Dr. A. H. Brundage is improving, after a protracted and very serious illness, and will soon be about again.

Dr. J. J. McManus, '06, is still holding down the adulterating individuals at the U. S. Food & Drug Laboratory at Savannah, Ga.

Drs. G. W. Fairbanks, L. A. Simone and E. O. Swindells are still located in Providence.

HOW ABOUT THAT ALUMNI CHAPTER?



BETA'S BANQUET

It was one of those long evenings of summer, on the evening of May 18th when Beta gathered in the halls of Richmond Hotel and later on, sat at their well prepared tables to enjoy the work of its culinary experts. If you want to know what we ate, ask the cook who is French, I just can tell that it tasted mighty good and the menu is now nothing more than a sweet remembrance.

We enjoyed the "eats", especially *we* who had deprived that valuable friend of ours—the *stomick*—of its regular supper. We enjoyed the speeches—for as you know the tongue can not remain quiet when the stomach is in full motion; we enjoyed the drinks, and we enjoyed above all to be together once more with our young, old and new members.

Brother Plunkett spoke on "Beta's New Alumni." Brother Fitzgerald spoke on "Our New Building of U. C. M." and made us feel much more proud of our "alma mater." Regent Willis spoke on "1912 Beta" and brought to our minds our success and our failures, and means by which we could correct the latter. Brother Goode spoke on "Brother Pill" and made the medical men appreciate all the more the work of our pharmacy brethren. Brother Ellis spoke on "Beta's Ladies" and brought to us the fact that Beta had quite a number of pretty sisters, fact unknown to some of us.

And so the evening passed by and night came on, not with the awful darkness of Brother Parson's poems, however, but illuminated by the light of good cheer, brotherhood and close friendship and thus we ate and spoke and drank and we ate and spoke and drank again and again We sang K Ψ Song as

given in the MASK and then separated for another year some to return, some to return after they had passed through the grill of a year's labor, some to hear the faculty's report—and K Ψ heard a good report, for all her men passed—and some of us, who were more or less in dreamland because of Bacchus tricks, to sleep and dream and to wake up the morning after wondering whether it was a reality or a dream—to me it seemed a dream.

E. G. C.

GAMMA'S BANQUET

On the twenty-seventh of March the boys got real swell and gathered at Reisenwebers to enjoy a real dinner in a real nice way. It was to be very formal and everybody responded. Not one was present without his glad-rags. The dinner started between eight and nine o'clock and did not end until a few minutes past mid-night. There was singing and music while the dinner was in progress. The programs were beautiful but the dinner was better. Dr. Diekman was toastmaster and he carried off his part with high honours. Dr. Coblenz was introduced first. His speech was well selected. The other professors who spoke were Drs. Arny, Oehlers, Wimmer, Ballard and Hostman. Our Past-Regent, Leonhardt, sprung a surprise on us all by his eloquence. Our jolly good friend Watters, of baseball fame, also started us with a neat little speech. Mr. Press Eldridge Jr, Grand Secretary and Treasurer of Kappa Psi, honoured us by his presence. When called upon to address the gathering, he responded admirably. After giving us a little of the history of the society, he launched off into a well tempered appeal to keep the society as clean as it has been heretofore.

Dr. Bridgeman of Philadelphia, Eta chapter, was the only speaker who was allowed to speak twice. Gamma chapter was indeed glad to see that Dr. Bridgeman did not forget that any other chapter besides Eta existed. We were so glad in fact that he was allowed to make *two* speeches at *two different* times during the evening. In fact, now that I come to think of it, we liked to hear him boast of how badly the Philadelphia boys were going to beat our team at baseball even with Watters in the box. I got it direct from Watters

that he pitched a nice juicy straight ball at the crucial moment just to see what a Philadelphia boy would do with it. I am glad to see that the Philadelphia player was equal to the occasion by batting out a home-run with two on bases. Anyway that only tied the score, 5-5. Then just to show the Phillies where they stood when we again played them this time on their own field, they were surprised, but let me tell them that they should not have been surprised as it was a hundred-to-one shot that they would be beaten. It was just as easy for us to win 100-0 instead of 17-7, but the latter score was more suitable to us as we might not have gotten another game from our Philadelphia friends. Anyway the dinner and the speeches were enjoyed by all, also the reception given to the Gamma boys when in Philadelphia after the baseball game. We all send our thanks to all the boys of Eta and to Dr. Bridgeman. Come again.

A. J. deL.

ETA'S DANCE

On the evening of April 3rd, 1912 we held our dance at the Bellefield Country Club. Fifty couples were present including the alumni and visiting members from other chapters. The special train arrived at 7:45 p. m. and it was one round of pleasure the whole evening, renewing old acquaintances and making new ones. At 10:30 p. m. we were called from the beautifully decorated dancing pavilion to the dining hall where all partook of the nicely prepared supper. Brother Lofland as usual saw that all were supplied with the decoction of *Coffea*. At 12:20 a. m. we boarded the special train for our homes in the city well satisfied that we would never forget the delightful dances and happy association of that eventful evening.

W. S. B.

PI'S BANQUET

During the past two months nearly all the medical fraternities gave banquets or smokers to which were invited representatives from the other fraternities. Kappa Psi started the movement with a very delightful banquet on April 6 at the "Old Hickory. Brother T. J. McHugh acted as toastmaster and his wit was ever ready to make the evening one of con-

tinuous pleasure. Brother Culpepper gave the address of welcome to the representative fraternities. Brother Collier made a very eloquent farewell address to the seniors to which Brother Reed responded. Brother W. J. Garrett made a very interesting talk on the experiences of a freshman, "The First Night Out". Representatives from Phi Chi, Alpha Kappa Kappa, Nu Sigma Nu, Phi Beta Pi, Chi Zeta Chi and Delta Omicron Alpha made very interesting responses bearing upon the Pan-Hellenic movement and many other topics of interest.

C. W. A.

RHO CHAPTER BANQUET

On the night of March 16th, our chapter held its banquet at the Piedmont Hotel. A most enjoyable evening was spent, and several rousing talks, interspersed with toasts to $\kappa \Psi$, were made by the brothers.

From the faculty we were honored by the presence of Brothers Justin F. Grant and C. R. Rhodes, both favoring us with very appropriate talks which were greatly appreciated.

So much did we enjoy the evening that it was there decided to have another banquet, about the same time next year, and that we go to the Georgian Terrace Hotel. E. H. G.

THE BANQUET OF PHI

At eight-thirty on the evening of March 15th, 1912, the active members of Phi chapter of Kappa Psi gathered at Kuntz Remmelers Company to sit down to a neatly decorated table and partake of a dinner.

As the music of the orchestra echoed from the walls of the dining room, each of the brothers consumed the wonderful lay out before him.

It was not until after all of the nine courses were neatly stored away that all were willing to listen to toasts.

Regent Hansen, acting toastmaster, arose and, addressing members of Kappa Psi, introduced the speakers of the evening.

Brother Dr. Jensen was unfortunately absent on account of sickness.

Brother Robinson offered a toast to "Our Senior Brothers", giving a very energetic talk.

Brother Day took the floor and in return gave a toast to "Our Junior Brothers".

Brother Coleman, our Past Regent, gave a toast to "Kappa Psi" in which he encouraged Frat Spirit and work in unity.

Brother Dines then being introduced gave a great exhibit of his clever wit in "Just Hot Air". And so on down the line giving Brother Hildabeck of Washington Medical College and Brother Gimmell a chance to tell us a little back history of Kappa Psi.

As rings of smoke circled and played with each other in the atmosphere, most of the members present were given a chance to exhibit their oratorical ability.

The alumni members present were: H. E. Hildabeck of St. Louis, Guy Bloomquist of Northwestern University Dental department, Chicago, Ill., and Dave J. Gimmell of Oak Park. The faculty member present was C. P. Hoaglund, making the total number present thirty-three members. Only two active members were absent.

E. S. CROUCH, *Historian and Secretary.*

BETA-BETA BANQUET

For some time we had all looked forward to our last banquet of the year, expecting to hold this as a grand finish and a good time. It was a grand finish, and I am sure everyone enjoyed himself as he never had before. It was held on the evening of Memorial Day at Wohls. The "feed" was great, and after they refused to serve us anymore, our visitors, L. H. Hoppe President of School Board, Prof. Feil, Brothers Tanner and Schabecker of Eta and several passive men gave us short but instructive talks at the request of Brother Tanner, who was toastmaster. We active men began to realize the fact that we would never get this same bunch together again. We adjourned in the wee small hours of morning, each one satisfactorily convinced that the brothers of Psi were capital entertainers.

L. E. W.

BETA GAMMA'S DANCE

On the evening of May 3rd Beta-Gamma gave her farewell dance at the Golden Gate Commandary Ballroom. This last function of Beta-Gamma's was a fitting finale to the year's

work. All seemed to forget that it was the last time that all would be together until it was time to go. Then we bid some of our seniors good-bye for the last time, unless we can all get together in 1915 as we intend, for we then hope to act as hosts of the 1915 Grand Convention of K Ψ during the exposition.

E. E. W.

BETA-ZETA CHAPTER'S DANCE

On the evening of June 8th, Beta-Zeta celebrated its second annual banquet at the Hotel Julian. We preceded the banquet with a theater party attending "The Lady of the Lyons", put on by the Senior Class of O. A. C., Brother Prescott playing one of the leading roles. The brothers gathered at our Brother Dean McKellips' home and, after exchanging greetings, we went to the opera house. Leaving the theater at eleven o'clock we proceeded to the banquet room eighteen strong. Dean McKellips acted as toastmaster and he sure is a master in that position. After extending a rousing "Greeting" Prof. Beckwith responded to a toast on "Fraternal Friendships". Dan J. Fry of Eta gave us a stirring Kappa Psi talk. We sure do appreciate those kind of talks Brother Fry and want you with us again next June. Next year we are hoping other eastern brothers will be with us.

The menu consisted of twelve (12) courses. Like the Kappa banquet we also had the necessary "vehicles" present.

During the evening there were several stirring talks about the possibility of having the next Convention (1914) changed to 1915 and have it during the San Francisco Fair. All seemed very favorably impressed with the idea and all intend to do what we can toward that end.

About this time the milk wagons were making such a noise that we all decided that it would be perfectly proper for us to rest for a few hours.

F. A. H.

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