MEMORIAL LIBRARY AT NIGHT
THE Inter-fraternity Council was organized in 1926 for the purposes of promoting the interests of the University, and of the six fraternities represented on its campus; of insuring amiable cooperation between the various fraternities; and of maintaining efficient relations with the college authorities.

The Council consists of the head of each fraternity, and one non-voting Junior representative from each house.

The principal activities of the Council are the regulation of the Rushing Season held each year for the pledging of Freshmen; and the sponsoring and regulation of Inter-fraternity Basketball, Swimming, Baseball, Relays, and in conjunction with the Footlights Club, the Inter-fraternity Plays Contest.
INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCIL

Robert Davis
Secretary-Treasurer

Charles Cunningham

Ralph Walson

Solomon Jasper
INTER-FRATERNITY ACTIVITIES

INTER-SCHOLASTIC day means but one thing to Delaware men—The INTER-FRATERNITY RELAY. This trophy, the most prized of inter-fraternity awards, was won by Sigma Phi Epsilon. The event was accompanied by the usual feverish excitement and resulting economic distress in some quarters. Theta Chi was second in the close race.

INTER-FRATERNITY ATHLETICS

INTER-FRATERNITY swimming again occupied a prominent place in the field of inter-fraternity sports. This year the trophy went to Sigma Phi Epsilon. It was a close battle between the winners, Sigma Nu and Theta Chi up until the last event. Every event was closely contested.

The oldest inter-fraternity sport, basketball, was as usual a hotly contested series. Sigma Phi Epsilon won the cup after a nip and tuck battle with the Theta Chis.

After holding the baseball trophy for two years, the Sig Eps lost it this year to the Phi Kappa Taus. This, the newest inter-fraternity sport, makes it possible for a large number of non-varsity men to take part in real competitive athletics.

INTER-FRATERNITY PLAYS

THE inter-fraternity plays sponsored by the Footlights Club, were won this year by the Sigma Tau Phis, who presented an original play written and directed by Sol Jasper. This is directly in line with the main policy of the Footlights Club, which is to encourage the production of original plays.
KAPPA ALPHA

The Kappa Alpha (Southern) Fraternity was founded at Washington and Lee University, in Virginia, December 21, 1865. It was established with the idea of creating an organization to keep alive the spirit of Southern chivalry and hospitality of pre-Civil War days. The fraternity was inspired and sanctioned by Robert E. Lee, then President of the University. Kappa Alpha is semi-military in character, and has confined itself to the South, in location, but not in personnel. There is no connection whatever between Northern and Southern Kappa Alphas, except in name.

April 29, 1904, marked the appearance of the first fraternity at the University of Delaware, Beta Epsilon Chapter of the Kappa Alpha Order, situated in the building which is now known as Purnell Hall. In 1909, however, due to its rapid growth, the fraternity was forced to move to a large home on "the Hill," which it occupies at the present time.

Kappa Alpha has 68 chapters, which are divided by location into 8 provinces, one of which comprises Maryland, Delaware, West Virginia, and Washington, D.C. Although no active chapters, with the exception of four colleges in California, are situated outside the boundaries of the true South, alumni chapters have been chartered in every principal city of the country.
Kappa Alpha
Beta Epsilon Chapter

Fratres in Facultate

Dean George E. Dutton
Dr. Albert S. Eastman
Mr. Carl John Rees

Fratres in Collegia

Ralph Lee Walson..........President
Frederic Smith Williams...Vice-President

Active Members
Howard Henry Draper
James Edward Edge
James Austin McCullough
Ralph Lee Walson
Frederick Stone Kelley
James Nuttall Sutton
Frederick Smith Williams
Roger Underwood Owings
John David Wheeler

Henry Allen White
Russell Lofland Argo
William James Taggart
Joshua Thomas West
Donald Lee King
Edward Wright Smitheman
Walter Frederick Merscher
Paul Ewing McCoy
Morris Brinton Page

Pledges
A. Hambleton Dunlap
William Killough
Thomas Siudowski
Robert Wetherall
Henry Gloetzner
Charles Brown
Edward Curren
James McCallister
Elmer Newman

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ROLL OF CHAPTERS—WOOD PROVINCE

Alpha Lambda .......................................................... Johns Hopkins University
Alpha Nu ............................................................... George Washington University
Alpha Rho ............................................................... University of West Virginia
Beta Beta ............................................................... Bethany College
Beta Epsilon ........................................................... University of Delaware
Beta Kappa ............................................................. University of Maryland
Beta Mu ................................................................. Saint John’s College
Beta Upsilon ........................................................... Marshall College
Beta Chi ................................................................. West Virginia Wesleyan
SIGMA
PHI
EPSILON
SIGMA PHI EPSILON

The National Fraternity of Sigma Phi Epsilon was established at Richmond College in November, 1901. At present there are 67 active chapters with a total membership of 13,531.

On the 29th of April, 1907, Delta Chi, a local fraternity at the University of Delaware, was granted a charter and became the Mu Sigma Chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon. In time, Mu Sigma became Delaware Alpha, as the chapters were renamed according to states. After maintaining a house on “Quality Hill” for several years, the local group erected the first fraternity house on the campus proper—the same beautifully designed home which it occupies at the present time.

Sigma Phi Epsilon has ever been an outstanding factor in activities pertaining to college life at the University; and has consistently supplied its share of leaders in sports, scholarship, and social life.
SIGMA PHI EPSILON
Delaware Alpha Chapter

FRATRES IN FACULTATE
Dr. W. Owen Sypherd
Dr. C. C. Palmer
Amos B. Collins

SENIORS
J. J. Crowe
J. Gotwals
J. Green
J. K. Newman
F. Redmile
R. Tanner
H. Wilson
J. O'Conner

JUNIORS
C. C. Cannon
W. M. Croes
C. W. Davis
E. A. DelleDonne
E. A. DiSabatino

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA
W. E. Gregg
J. P. Hartmann
F. Kane
J. W. Kelley
J. H. Saville
J. Stuart, III
R. P. Vandegrift

SOPHOMORES
D. R. Donaldsons
W. DuRoss
T. B. Ely
R. Jamison
G. T. Surratt
H. A. Tanner
H. C. Watson
P. Lee

FRESHMEN
A. E. Young
J. W. Black

A. M. Porter
J. B. Hearn
H. G. Glink
R. H. Pepper
J. W. Alden
S. Arnold
R. Cooke
R. Carpenter
T. N. Warren

PLEDGES
E. Harkins
H. Warburton
ROLL OF CHAPTERS—SECOND DISTRICT

New York Alpha .................................................. Syracuse University
New York Beta ...................................................... Cornell University
New York Gamma ................................................... New York University
Delaware Alpha ..................................................... University of Delaware
Pennsylvania Delta ............................................... University of Pennsylvania
Pennsylvania Eta .................................................. Pennsylvania State College
Pennsylvania Epsilon .............................................. Lehigh University
Pennsylvania Theta .............................................. Carnegie Institute of Technology

CHAPTER RECORDS

Inter-fraternity Basketball ........................................ 1933-34
Inter-fraternity Track ............................................... 1933-34
Inter-fraternity Play ............................................... 1933-34
Inter-fraternity Baseball ......................................... 1933-34
Inter-fraternity Basketball ...................................... 1934-35
Inter-fraternity Swimming ....................................... 1934-35
Inter-fraternity Track ............................................. 1934-35
Clifford Scott Memorial Prize .................................. Joseph Stuart, III
Freshman Award .................................................... John W. Alden, Jr.
In 1866, at the Virginia Military Institute, a group of men banded together under the name of Legion of Honor in protest to the unopposed and autocratic power wielded by another previously formed group. The Legion of Honor was so successful that in 1869 the members formed a permanent organization and adopted the name Sigma Nu Fraternity. This first organization at V. M. I. became known as Alpha Chapter.

At the University of Delaware in 1907 was formed a local fraternity known as Phi Sigma. It was founded with the especial purpose of eventually becoming a member of the Sigma Nu Fraternity. In 1910 Phi Sigma succeeded in its purpose when its petition was approved by the governing body of Sigma Nu, and it became Delta Kappa Chapter of the Sigma Nu Fraternity.

Since the time of its organization, Delta Kappa has always been outstanding in the activities of the University of Delaware. Many of the existing clubs and honorary societies were sponsored by members of Sigma Nu.
SIGMA NU
Delta Kappa Chapter

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

ROBERT DAVIS .................. President
LEONARD BARKER ................. Vice-President
W. GARRETT HUME ................. Treasurer

James Prettyman
Herbert Leigh Rice
George Records
Henry Ridgely
Howard Stayton
Albert Tammany
Robert Tammany
Chauncey Wheeless
Edward Thompson
Stephen Wilson
Wilson Worrall
Jerome Niles
Edward Jeffries
Malcom McDonald
William Shinn
James Stewart
Clarence Taylor

Eugene Vernon
Paul Griffith
George Stradley

Reed Coombs
Thomas Hill
Clark Lattin
Harrison Farra
Herbert Fleckinger
John Loud
William Swayze
John Tunnell
James Tyler
William Bant
Morris McMahon
Richard Roberts

MEMBERS
Albert Adams
Edward Davidson
Francis Dineen
William Eckbert
Roy Hill
John Hodgson
William James
Charles Jeffers
T. Willey Keithley
Albert Lupton
Walter Mansberger
Frank Mayer
Daniel K. Medill
Walter McKendrick
Wilson Nigel
Thomas Pennock

PLEDGES
Reed Coombs
Thomas Hill
Clark Lattin
Harrison Farra
Herbert Fleckinger
John Loud
William Swayze
John Tunnell
James Tyler
William Bant
Morris McMahon
Richard Roberts
ROLL OF CHAPTERS—FIRST DIVISION

Beta ................................................................................................................... University of Virginia
Lambda .............................................................................................................. Washington and Lee University
Delta Kappa ...................................................................................................... University of Delaware
Delta Pi .............................................................................................................. George Washington University
Delta Phi ........................................................................................................... University of Maryland
Epsilon Iota ........................................................................................................ College of William and Mary
THE Theta Chi Fraternity was founded at Norwich University on April 10, 1856. The fraternity refused to recognize petitioning bodies for many years, and it was not until forty-six years later that expansion was finally begun with the addition of a chapter at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Since that time forty-eight chapters have been added, making a total of fifty chapters to date. All chapters have developed from established local organizations and gained admittance by virtue of voluntary petitions.

The chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity at Delaware grew out of a local fraternity called Omega Alpha which was founded in 1911, and formally became a member of Theta Chi on June 5, 1923.

Theta Chi Fraternity at Delaware has always stood high scholastically both in its own fraternity and in competition with the others on the Delaware campus. It has always been noted for its cooperation with the college and for its participation in extra-curricular activities, such as athletics and dramatics.
THETA CHI
Alpha XI Chapter

FRATRES IN FACULTATE
Prof. Clinton O. Houghton    Prof. F. Courtland Houghton

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

SAMUEL M. HUNN .................President
J. HOWARD PATTERSON ..........Vice-President

MEMBERS
Everett C. Matthews
Delbert M. Minner
Bayard Kendall
Harry L. Hinnershitz
Walter D. Hoffecker
Donald Darrell
William C. Bolen
James P. Mulrooney
James C. Scott
G. Alvin Seely
Eldon R. Vosseller
Charles P. Witsil
Armel W. Long

Hugh L. Stewart, President-elect
Joseph R. Jefferson
John T. Bishop
James C. Scott
John W. Scott
Richard H. Scott
Wilmer K. Benson
Wilmer A. Hoffecker
William H. Marvel
George H. Pierre
Ralph P. Davenport
Farrell Jackson
Lynam Jacobs
Edward T. Johnson

PLEDGES
D. Randolph Eastburn, Jr.
Earl Wright
Edward Pierce
John J. Neylan
John Corrigan
Kenneth Cramer
Peter Govatos, Jr.
Edward Mulrooney
Marshall Phillips
Harold Leary
William Ratledge
Oliver S. Simpler
ROLL OF NEIGHBORING CHAPTERS

Kappa .................................................. University of Pennsylvania
Pi ........................................................... Dickinson College
Upsilon .................................................... New York University
Omega ..................................................... Pennsylvania State College
Alpha Psi ................................................. University of Maryland
Alpha Omega .......................................... Lafayette College
Beta Delta ................................................ Rutgers University

CHAPTER RECORDS

Inter-fraternity Swimming .................................................. 1933-34
In the fall of 1923 a group of twelve men gathered in a little room in Harter Hall and organized a local fraternity. At that time there was a ruling, limiting the number of fraternities on this campus to five. Thus it was necessary to petition the Board of Trustees, and through the help of Dr. Blumberg the group was admitted to the fraternal ring at the University. Mr. Wilkinson kindly permitted this nucleus to meet in a room in Old College, the present Student Council room. Within a short time the group was inducted as the Delta Chapter of the Sigma Tau Phi Fraternity, and moved into its house on Delaware Avenue, near Academy Street. In 1925 Delta rose to prominence in the national organization by acting as host to the annual convention, which was held in Newark. The membership of the chapter was increasing to such an extent that new quarters were necessary and in 1928 it moved into its present house at Main and Chapel Streets. During the Christmas holidays of 1930 the Supreme Council of Sigma Tau Phi again showed its preference for Delta Chapter by holding the annual convention at the University of Delaware once more.

Since its very beginning Sigma Tau Phi has taken a keen interest in campus affairs. It has produced a large number of scholars, athletes, and leaders. In the future, as in the past, Delta Chapter will lend similar men and the same keen interest to the furtherance of the development of the University of Delaware.
SIGMA TAU PHI
Delta Chapter

FRATRES IN FACULTATE
Prof. Leo Blumberg Sidney Hoffman

FRATRES IN COLLEGIUM
SENIORS
Melvin Blechman
Abraham Eisenman
Harry Glick
Solomon Jasper

JUNIORS
Carl Bleiberg
Alvin Handloff
Lewis Harris

SOPHOMORES
Samuel Kahn
Leon Levy
David Salsburg
Milton Smith
Joseph Tannen

FRESHMEN
Sigmund Lipstein
Bernard Muderick
Julius Reiver
Charles Schnitzer

David Hirschout
Bernard Sachs
Sidney Schulman
George Spiller
ROLL OF NEIGHBORING CHAPTERS

Alpha .................................................. University of Pennsylvania
Zeta .................................................. Temple University
Epsilon ................................................. Dickinson College
Eta ........................................................ New York University
Gamma .................................................. Pennsylvania State College

CHAPTER RECORDS

Scholarship, First Place ................................ First Semester, 1933-34
Scholarship, First Place ................................ First Semester, 1934-35
Inter-fraternity Plays, First Place ...................... 1934-35
**PHI KAPPA TAU**

Although the national fraternity of Phi Kappa Tau has only been in existence since 1906, it already has forty-three chapters, with the distinct honor of having no inactive chapters.

Our present chapter of Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity was organized in 1920 as a local fraternity, which was given the name of Gamma Delta Rho. After making progress for four years, the local chapter in 1924 petitioned Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity for membership and secured it, becoming the Alpha Gamma Chapter.

During the life of the chapter on this campus, we have had three successive residences. From 1920 to 1924 the group resided in a small house on South College Avenue near the Pennsylvania Railroad. In 1924 the chapter moved into the frame house on Delaware Avenue adjoining Wolf Hall, and in 1929 the final move was made to our present palatial stone house on West Park Place.
PHI KAPPA TAU
Alpha Gamma Chapter

FRATRES IN FACULTATE
Prof. R. W. Jones
Dr. Francis H. Squire
Dr. Thomas F. Manns
Dr. George H. Ryden

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA
Charles N. Cunningham .......... President
John Montgomery ............ Vice-President

MEMBERS
Thomas Cooch
John C. Geist
Thomas J. Gravell
Homer T. Hopkins
Thomas J. Malatesta
John A. Salin

Smith C. Toulson
S. Newbold Van Trump
Carlton S. Garrison
Thomas A. Foster
Henry P. Marshall
H. Kent Preston
Coulter H. Passwaters

PLEDGES
Bernard Doordan
Webster Eckstorm
Ernest E. Jackson
Donald Melson
John Lafferty
Russell Willey
ROLL OF CHAPTERS—FIRST DOMAIN

Alpha Beta ................................................................. New York University
Alpha Gamma ............................................................. University of Delaware
Alpha Iota ................................................................. University of Pennsylvania
Alpha Omicron ............................................................ Lafayette College
Alpha Theta ............................................................... College of William and Mary

CHAPTER RECORDS

Inter-fraternity Baseball .................................................. 1934-35
THE EDITOR'S NOTE

We wish to present this volume of the "Blue Hen" to the students of the University of Delaware without comment on our part. May the students themselves judge its merits.

We are very grateful to those who have helped us in publishing the book, especially to the advertisers who have helped make this undertaking possible financially.

Woe to those students who failed to turn in their activities and who failed to have their pictures taken. It has been impossible for us to include them in the individuals' section.

If, at some future time, this book brings back memories of your college days at Delaware, and gives to you a feeling of loyalty to your Alma Mater, our efforts will be adequately recompensed.

The Editor.
Sig Epigrams

Bull sessions are coming into vogue again... Sabby is in his element now.... Cannon’s insolent assuredness gets my goat.

Who originated “Coming events cast their shadows before them?”... Gregg voices theory that desire knows no limitations—or words to that effect.... Delle Donne anxious to become a hell-raiser.... Green is really a joy-spreader.... Kelley's importation wearing an orchid—well!... Sabby loves to dance a la Black Cat style.... Crowe tries his ankle for dancing then decides to keep his original date.... Did you pull a “Joe Green” at the dance, Charlie?... Some of the fellows can’t appreciate subtleties.... Sabby especially likes things easy so that anybody can get them—isn’t that the gist of what Russo said, Sabby?... I think that a lot of you fellows owe Pinny an apology.... The fellows say that I can’t take it—maybe so, but when I get on someone I let other people laugh first.... When the cat’s away the mice will play. The limit is now 250.

P. K. Tease

Walt Moore says his trip down state did him plenty good.... And how did perfume get all over his cigarettes?... Frankie Elliott’s kindergarten meets every night.... Spuggo spends too much time in the library to be studying.... Garrison believes in Skipping the preliminaries.... Somebody wrecked the telephone the other night.... Van Trump leaves the plumbing business.... Where did your gal-friend get that blister, Spuggo?... Quote Toulson: “It was my first public appearance, and did I break out in a sweat.... Well, just so it wasn’t too public, Dick.

Sigma Nus

The pride of Lewes stepped out again Saturday night. He didn’t have to wait around three hours this time, either. We remonstrate Malcolm as chief bull slinger after several of his recent tall