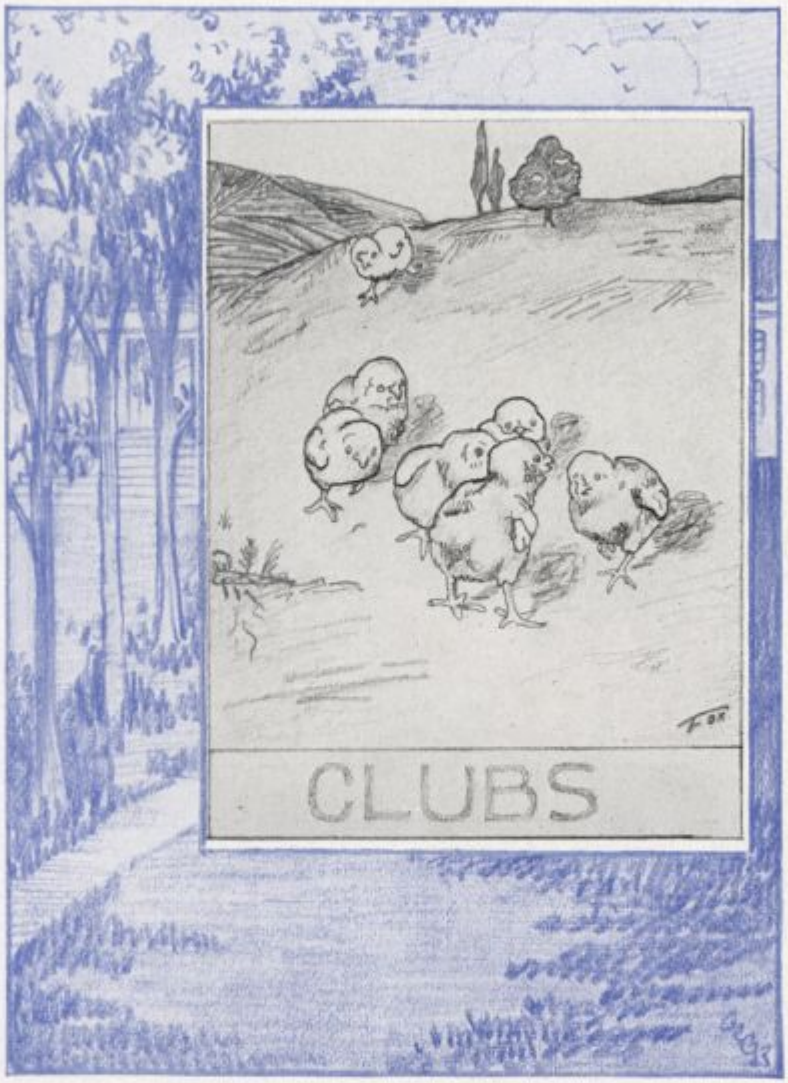
ORGANIZATIONS


CLUBS

STUDENT COUNCIL 1927-1928

Officers

James E. Wilson, '28, *President*
Fritz Creamer, '28, *Vice-President*
Richard French, '29, *Treasurer*
Charles Kimble, '30, *Secretary*

Members

David Loveland, '28
Francis Roemer, '28
Edwin Murray, '29
Edgar P. Reese, '29
Allan Barton, '30
J. Caleb Boggs, '31

The Student Council of Delaware College is the most important organization on the campus. It is directly connected with the college authorities and upon its recommendation, and its approval, these authorities have conceded much to the student body. Its members are chosen from the college at large, one or more members being elected from each class at a combined meeting of all classes in the latter part of May. The Constitution and By-Laws of the Council regulates the conduct of examinations, breech of the honor system as upheld by the Council, supports in a pecuniary way the more worthy organizations on the campus, and considers complaints arising from the student body. In 1927-28, the Council was largely instrumental in the acquisition of the present Taylor Pool.

STUDENT COUNCIL 1928-1929

Officers

RICHARD FRENCH, '29, *President*
EDGAR P. REESE, '29, *Vice-President*
ALLAN BARTON, '30, *Treasurer*
IRVIN TAYLOR, '31, *Secretary*

Members

RALPH ROBINSON, '29
ROBERT BURTON, '29
PHILLIP BLANK, '29
ALEX TAYLOR, '30
JAMES HILL, '31
J. CALEB BOGGS, '31
EMERSON SPARKS, '32

ENUMERATED among the many functions of the Council is the direct supervision of all class elections. It has supported the college in every way possible, and has striven to bring about a better relationship between classes through the medium of inter-class sports, rushes, and entertainments. It annually gives what some consider the biggest dance of the year, the Spring Frolic in March, and also the Interscholastic Dance, given on the evening of the day the Interscholastics occur at Delaware. Under its careful eye, the existence of an honor system is made practical and valuable to every member of the student body, and it has done much to foster a better Delaware spirit.

DERELICTS 1927-1928

Theodore Beck	Victor Lichenstein	Henry Roser
W. B. Derrickson	David Loveland	James Sparklin
Fritz Creamer	Robert McLucas	George L. Townsend, 3rd
John W. Jones	Leslie Moore	James E. Wilson

Derelict Fraternity

The Derelicts, the only Senior Honorary Society on the University Campus, was organized in October, 1918, by a group of World War veterans of the Class of 1919. It is not national in scope, but devotes its every effort to the promotion of good fellowship among the members of the student body, to encouraging all forms of activities on the campus, athletic and scholastic ability, and the recognition of merit on the part of undergraduates. The Derelict Dance, held annually, is one of the highlights of the social season. Although the carrying out of the ideals of the Derelict Society is not always apparent to the casual observer, it must be remembered that this is a secret society and its methods not openly discussed. The history of the formation of the society is a peculiar, but honorable one—the returned soldiers wished to form a body of men who, in their estimation, were able to survive, as they had done during the War, the hardships, and the moral and spiritual temptations of life, not only to survive them, but to emerge victorious and a better man, a more worthy individual to adopt the standards of society.

DERELICTS

Robert Burton
Louis De Joseph
Laurance Elliott
Richard W. French
Max Glasser
Floyd Hubert
James J. Jacquette, Jr.
G. Richard Long
Edwin Murray
William R. Reybold
Algernon Rose
Harold M. Roser
Virgil Van Street

The Chapter has an active membership of thirteen men who are chosen from the ranks of the Junior Class on the day of the Interscholastic Track and Field Meet held on Frazer Field. On that day, with most of the student body assembled in front of Old College, facing the row of imposing Seniors seated on the wide steps, each Senior Derelict saunters through the crowd until he finds that Junior held to be worthy of the high honor. A ribbon is pinned to his lapel and he is seated among the older men on the steps. A Derelict remains active but one year.

The recognition charm of the Derelicts is a small key in gold and white enamel, and has come to be very significant on the campus. It represents the greatest honor which can come to a Senior in the line of good fellowship and all around merit.

The Derelicts have come to mean honesty, school spirit, gentlemanly conduct and manly ambition.

DRUIDS 1930

Allan Barton
Perry Burton
James Challenger
Irvin Hill
Charles Kimble
Larry Lattomus
Louis Powell
Warren Riggin
Robert Robinson
Alex Taylor
Irvin Taylor
Earnest Weitlick
J. Caleb Wright

The Druid Fraternity

The Druid Society, or Fraternity, is a National Sophomore Honorary Society founded in 1907 at Pennsylvania State College. The Delaware Chapter, Epsilon, was officially recognized when in the fall of 1922 the Blue Lantern Society—a similar Sophomore Society founded in 1920 by members of the Class of 1923—was taken into the National Organization. Other chapters of the Druids are to be found in Pennsylvania State College, Washington and Jefferson College, Carnegie Institute of Technology, University of Pittsburg, and Bucknell University, and Franklin and Marshall College.

The aims and ideals of this society in general are: to foster good feelings between the Sophomore and Freshman classes; to stimulate college and class spirit; to encourage athletic and scholastic ability; and to promote good fellowship among students. From the Freshman whose characteristics and qualities tend toward these ideals, a number are chosen at the end of the first year.

DRUIDS 1931

J. Caleb Boggs
William Brown
Robert Ely
Frank Gladden
Robert Glover
James Hill
John McDowell
Joseph Moran
William Morgan
John Russo
Louis D. G. Smith

On the day of the Interscholastic Track and Field Meet held on Frazer Field, those members of the Freshman Class who are elected to the Druids are honored publically by being "tapped" by a Sophomore member who affixes a piece of green ribbon to the bottom of the lucky "Rat's" coat, thus designating him to be a future Druid.

The collegiate standing of any fraternity or society is determined by the contributions of each chapter to the organization as a whole. The local collegiate standing of any fraternity or society is determined by the policies and activities of the members of that body, and especially those attributes of the head or ruling forces. While one year may see the members highly respected and in truth honored by belonging, yet it is true that no one year should be taken as a criterian or basis of conclusion as to the relative merits of the body. Genius and true leadership in the case of the Druids lasts temporarily, and as the membership changes from year to year, the observor should not be swayed by the eloquence of the individual, the annual dance or smoker, but by what the Druids have done in the past, by their prospects of the future, by their support of the college and the student body, and by the degree of realization of their ideals.

THE BLUE KEY SOCIETY

Officers

NORMAN J. BURKE, *President*

CHARLES B. KIMBLE, *Secretary-Treasurer*

Members

ALLEN S. BARTON	HENRY MILLER	FRANK R. SWEZEY
WM. R. DRAPER	LEON OSINSKI	FRANK SQUILLACE
JACOB HANDLOFF	WARREN E. RIGGEN	ALEC J. TAYLOR
IRWIN D. HILL	HERMAN RYAN	IRVIN S. TAYLOR
LAWRENCE J. LATTOMUS	FRANK STAATS	CALEB WRIGHT

FEELING the need of someone to take care of visiting teams, the Student Council started the Blue Key Honorary Society. This organization has done much to make visitors feel at home at Delaware and to help the Delaware spirit.

This organization gives first consideration to defeated managers and to outstanding men in the class, when re-electing members.

These members are tapped on "tap day" in the Spring and at one of the first home football games in the fall.

THE DEBATE CLUB

Officers

CALEB WRIGHT, *President* PHILIP KOTLAR, *Secretary-Treasurer*

MR. DUNLAP, *Faculty Advisor*

Members

BENJAMIN COHEN, '32
HERBERT COHEN, '30
HOWARD CONOWAY, '31
LAWRENCE ELLIOTT, '29
MARTIN GOLDBERG, '32
PHILIP KOTLAR, '31
CALEB WRIGHT, '30

THE Debate Club got off to a good start this year and under the guidance of Mr. Dunlap a new Constitution was adopted and the name of the organization was changed to Delta Kappa Phi. Plans are also being formulated to petition some honorary forensic society.

This year the club debated Washington College of Chestertown, Md. and Gettysburg College of Gettysburg, Pa., on the Jury question.

The squads were successful in both debates and now a debate is being scheduled for our Freshman team with Wilmington High School. Debates are also being arranged with N. Y. U. and Haverford.

Of course the work so far may seem small, but the organization is young and we have done well. A great deal of credit is due to our able sponsor Mr. Dunlap, who has given unselfishly of his time and effort.

THE WOLF CHEMICAL CLUB

OFFICERS

R. J. Anderson, *President* G. D. Marrocco, *Vice President* J. L. Brannon, *Secretary-Treasurer*

FACULTY MEMBERS

Dr. A. S. Eastman Dr. G. S. Skinner Prof. W. C. Witham Mr. W. B. Wade

SENIORS

R. J. Anderson J. D. Jaquette, Jr. W. M. MacAllen G. D. Marrocco
W. A. Reed S. A. Swain

JUNIORS

J. L. Brannon W. G. Hawk K. Moriya C. W. Oskins
F. L. Steigler

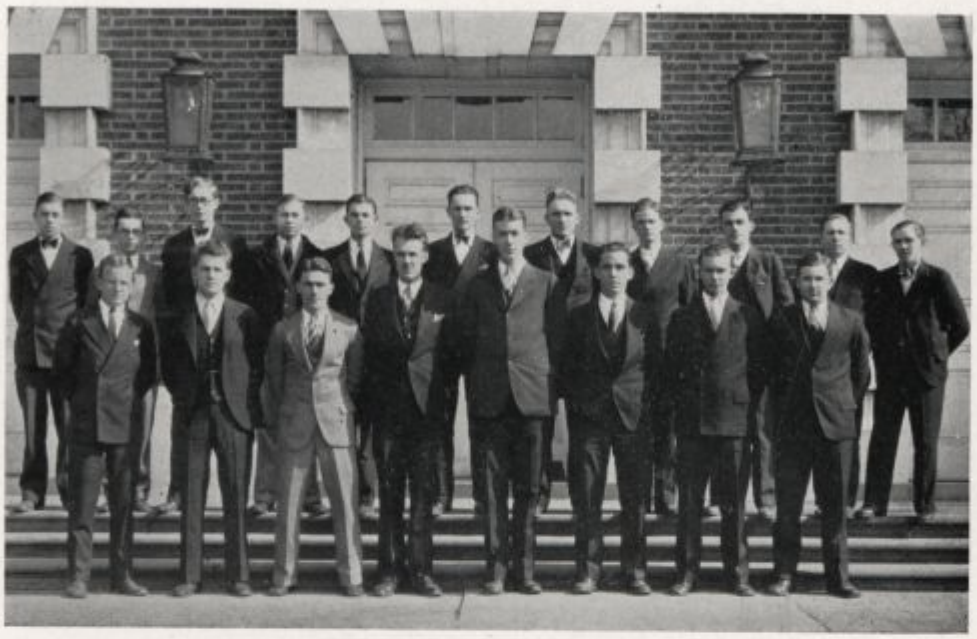
SOPHOMORES

H. C. Brown R. R. Fell W. L. Grier R. L. Harris
C. M. Orth

The membership of the Wolf Chemical Club is limited to those students of the three upper classes who are taking the Chemical Engineering course, or are majoring in Chemistry.

The purpose of the club is to correlate the study of chemistry with technical problems arising in present day practise in chemical industries. This is facilitated by having men of high standing in various chemical industries address the club at its regular monthly meetings. Under the auspices of the club, several inspection trips are taken during the course of the academic year. These inspection trips supplement the technical talks delivered at club meetings by affording the students an opportunity to obtain considerable first hand information about various processes and process equipment.

The Club holds its annual banquet in May.



THE AGRICULTURAL CLUB

LESLIE POTTS, *President*
MARTIN DOORDAN, *Vice-President*
W. B. SIMPSON, *Secretary*
T. R. SNOWBERGER, *Treasurer*

GEORGE STANT
J. L. WILEY
W. R. HADEN
R. W. HOPKINS
W. F. KOHL
ROBERT JAQUETTE
J. G. ARMSTRONG
N. C. LECATES
B. V. CARMEAN
W. K. COOK
C. E. MCCAULEY
C. B. DEPUTY
W. R. ACTION
W. CHURCHMAN
R. S. OBIER
J. B. MCVAUGH
S. M. SLOAN
P. C. TOWNSEND

THE AGRICULTURAL CLUB during the past two years has continued to hold its position as the most active club on the Campus.

Every "Ag" student is eligible for membership, and most of the "Ag" faculty are also members. The nominal membership fee is used to defray the cost of lectures and part of the expense of the Annual "Ag" Club Banquet. Meetings are held semi-monthly. Several times during the year agricultural leaders from beyond our Campus are brought in to speak on special phases of agricultural endeavor; occasionally illustrated lectures are given in Wolf Hall.

The two most outstanding accomplishments of the Club since 1927 have been the reestablishment of the "Ag" pin on the Campus and the publication of the "DELAWARE AGGIE NEWS", a monthly magazine. This news sheet is written by the student members of the Club. Its contents include: editorials, Experiment Station news, College news, and personal notes of interest. The "AGGIE NEWS" has a present circulation of over two-hundred-and-fifty.

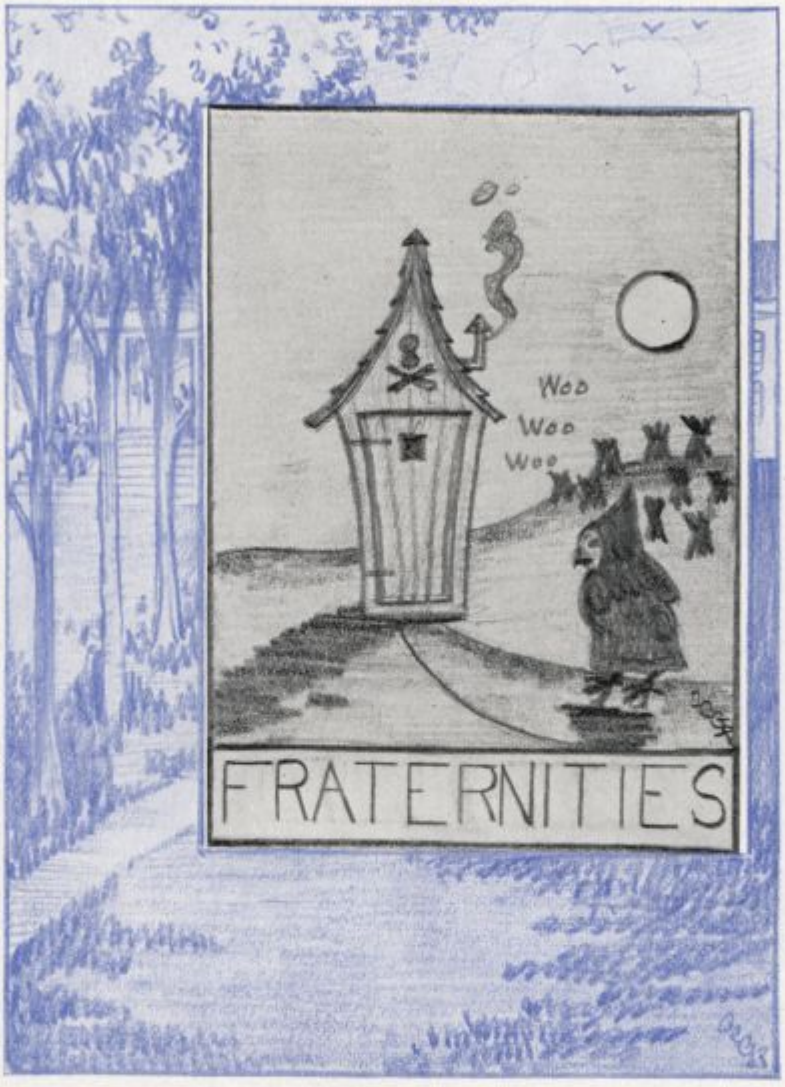
Fraternity

Fraternity, thy name means love,
True as the gleaming stars above;
Thy spirit breathes of God Divine,
Speaks of The One with word sublime
Who walked the sea with firmer tread
Since hate and fear and pain were dead.

Fraternity, thy helping hand
Has been the staff of life to man,
Has taught fidelity and joy
To many an awkward, bashful boy;
Thy precepts teach a happy life,
A world of hopes without the strife.

Fraternity, thy fearless name
Inspires to honor and to fame,
Leads on to high and noble deed,
A lofty aim, a golden creed
Of maxims true and stalwart heart
That lives for aye, though men must part.

Fraternity, thy boundless grace
Hath made the world a happy place
In which to live, in which to die
When Death conveys us to the sky.
No better word could follow me—
Carve on my stone, "Fraternity."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FRATERNITIES

Interfraternity Council

PHILIP G. BLANK

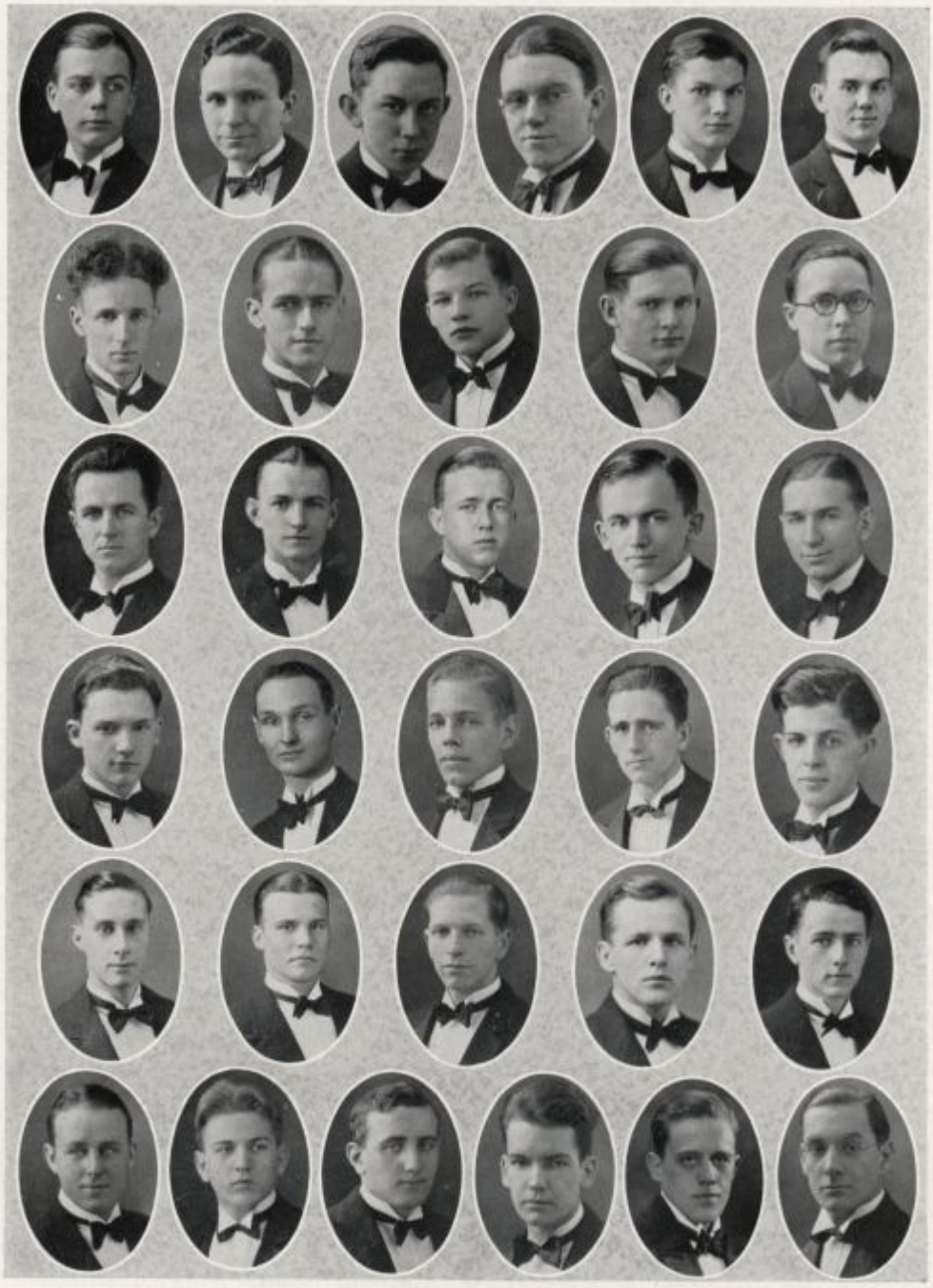
LAWRENCE C. ELLIOTT

ROBERT E. BURTON
President

EDWIN N. MURRAY
Secretary-Treasurer

VIRGIL VAN STREET
Vice President

JOHN J. HOFFECKER



Kappa Alpha

Founded at Washington and Lee University, 1865

BETA EPSILON CHAPTER
Established at University of Delaware, 1904

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

Dean George E. Dutton
Dr. A. S. Eastman
Professor J. C. Rees

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

1929

John B. Derrickson
Clayton N. Hesselburg
Joseph M. Hitch, Jr.
James D. Jaquette
Lyndon C. Jones
G. Richard Long
Charles W. Marvil
Charles H. Owens, Jr.
Virgil Van Street

1930

William R. Draper
Carlton R. Ford
Herbert Fritz
Robert P. Robinson
Robert Thoroughgood
Caleb M. Wright
Rudolph S. Goffigon

1931

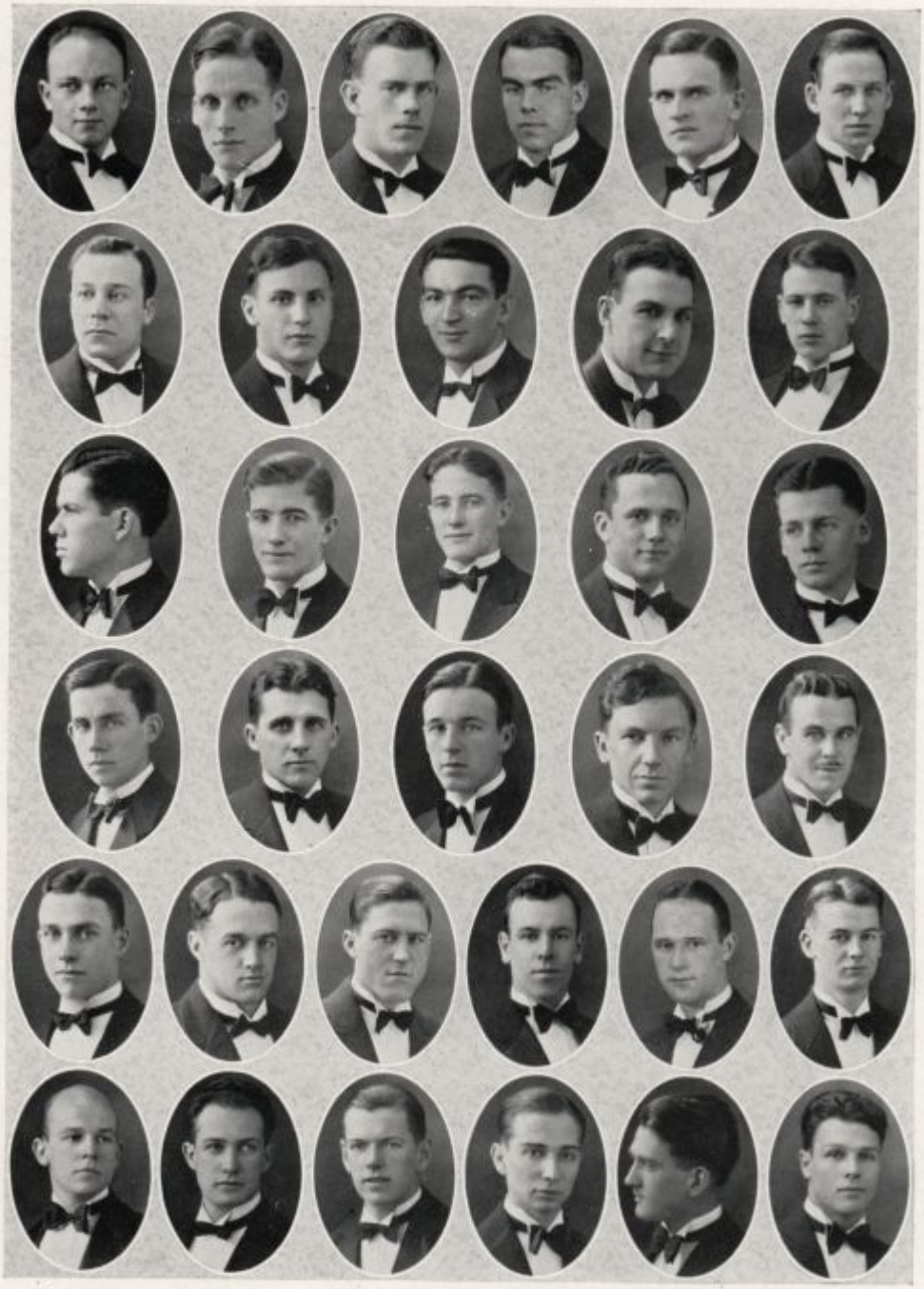
Louis M. Adams
James Caleb Boggs
Howard H. Conaway
Robert Cooper
Robert W. Ely
Earnest F. Smith
Louis D. Smith, Jr.
Ralph K. Stephenson
John S. Walker
Harold B. Plummer

1932

Fred F. Homan
Lloyd H. Lewis
Marian Hopkins
William G. Ott
Walter C. Viohl

PLEDGES

Daniel Rogers
Kenton Speel



Sigma Phi Epsilon

Founded at University of Richmond, 1901

DELAWARE ALPHA CHAPTER

Established at University of Delaware, 1907

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

Wilbur Owen Syphard — Charles Owen Congres Palmar

Ephriam R. Jolls

1929

Amos B. Collins
Louis DiJoseph
Walter J. Green
William Hayes
John I. Hoffecker
Hugh B. Holt
Broddus W. Jones
Harry L. Maier
Wallace Pedrick
Edgar P. Reese
William U. Reybold
Almeron D. Rose
Harold M. Roser
Mitchell H. Smith
John W. Watson
Edward Williams

1930

Allan S. Barton
David A. Benson
Roger H. Holt
Lawrence Lattomus
John F. Lecarpentier, Jr.
John J. Moran
Louis Powell
Richard I. Rinard
Henry D. Simpson
Alexander Taylor, Jr.
Walter L. Tindall
Marcus J. Torelli

1931

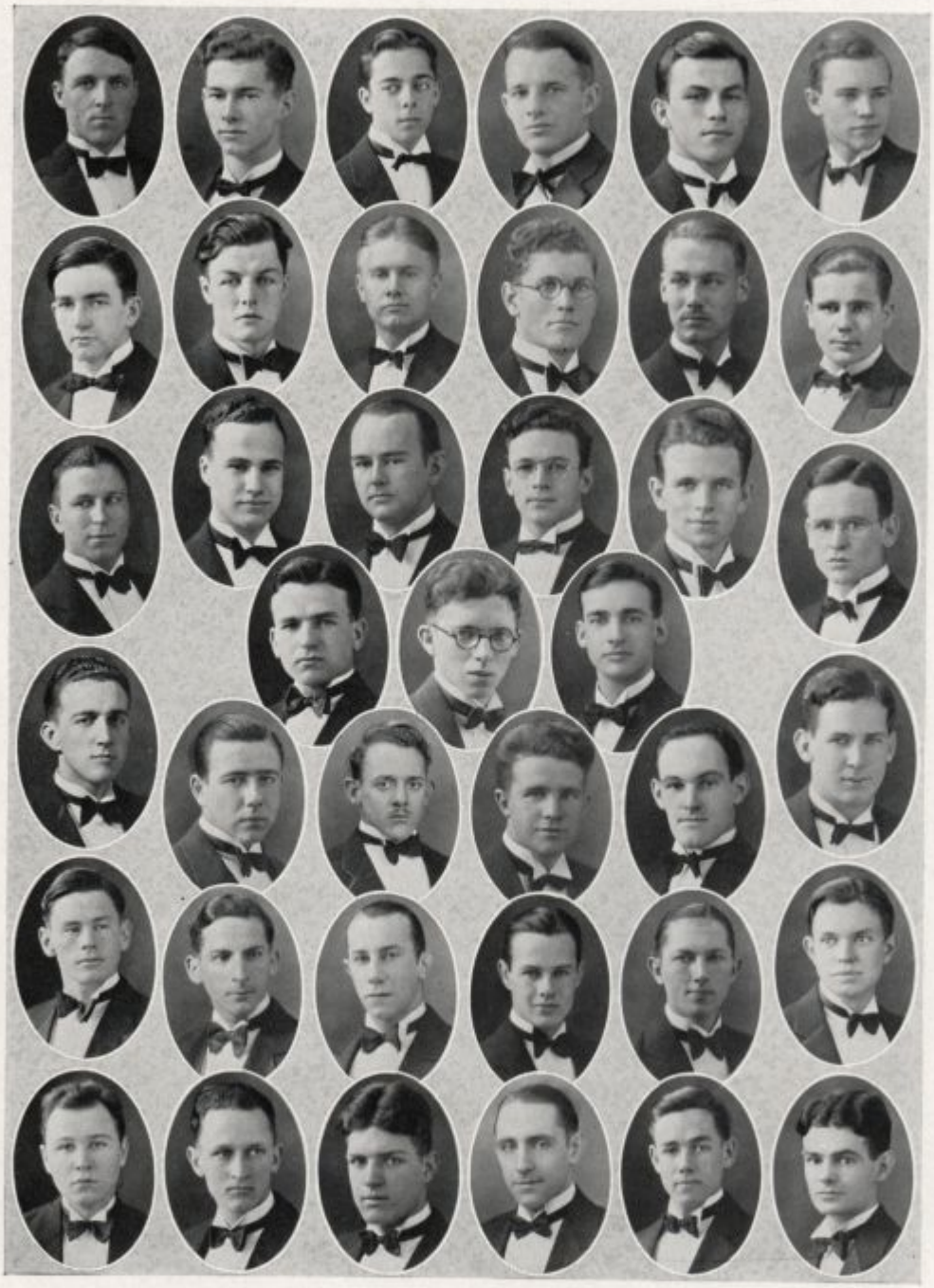
Malcolm Adams
William B. Brown
Frank N. Gladden
Edward C. Lecarpenter
Robert A. McClane
Joseph A. Moran

Ralph C. Raughley

Pledges

Frederick Bendler
Edward J. Buckley
Edward N. Conoway
Roger Fulling
Edward Hensel
Franklin T. Holt
Henry Murray
Harry Orth
John Roman
William H. Shellady
John von Kleeck
Ralph von Kleeck
Isaac Warren
Richard W. Willis

Max Glasser



Sigma Nu

Founded at Virginia Military Institute, 1869

DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER

Established at University of Delaware 1910

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

Dr. George A. Harter
Gerald P. Dougherty
Professor H. C. Meyers
Professor G. A. Koerber
Joseph J. Rothrock

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

1929

Robert J. Anderson
Richard W. French, Jr.
Albert W. Hill
Floyd G. Hubert
Edwin N. Murray
Harold K. Paxson
Leslie P. Potts
George B. Rodney
Theodore T. Schall
Miles V. Thompson
Floyd Wright
George M. Stant

1930

Norman J. Burke
Charles F. Collins
J. Wilkins Cooch
William K. Cook
Edgar Hare, Jr.
Irwin T. Hill
Thomas H. Howell
Henry T. Miller
Frank Staats
Howard A. Stein
Frank R. Swezey
Irwin S. Taylor

1931

Herbert M. Fox
Robert S. Glover, Jr.
W. Logan Grier

1932

Charles F. Jackson
John W. Kane
Walter H. Lee
Charles J. McCarthy
John B. McVaugh
Preston C. Townsend
Albury K. Tunnell
John A. Waddington

PLEDGES

1931

Charles E. Chandler

1932

Arthur G. Craig
Francis B. Gebhart
Oscar Morris
Samuel M. Sloan
William C. Utz

Theta Chi

Founded at Norwich University, 1856

ALPHA XI CHAPTER
Established at University of Delaware, 1923

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

C. O. Houghton
J. C. Houghton

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

1929

R. E. Burton
W. W. Crossgrove
J. F. Kerbin
G. D. Marrocco
D. P. Phillips

1930

J. L. Brannon
W. R. Haden
C. B. Kimble
C. B. Middleton
C. W. Oskins
W. E. Riggin
F. M. Sasse
F. L. Stiegler
A. E. Voysey
W. E. Wilson

1931

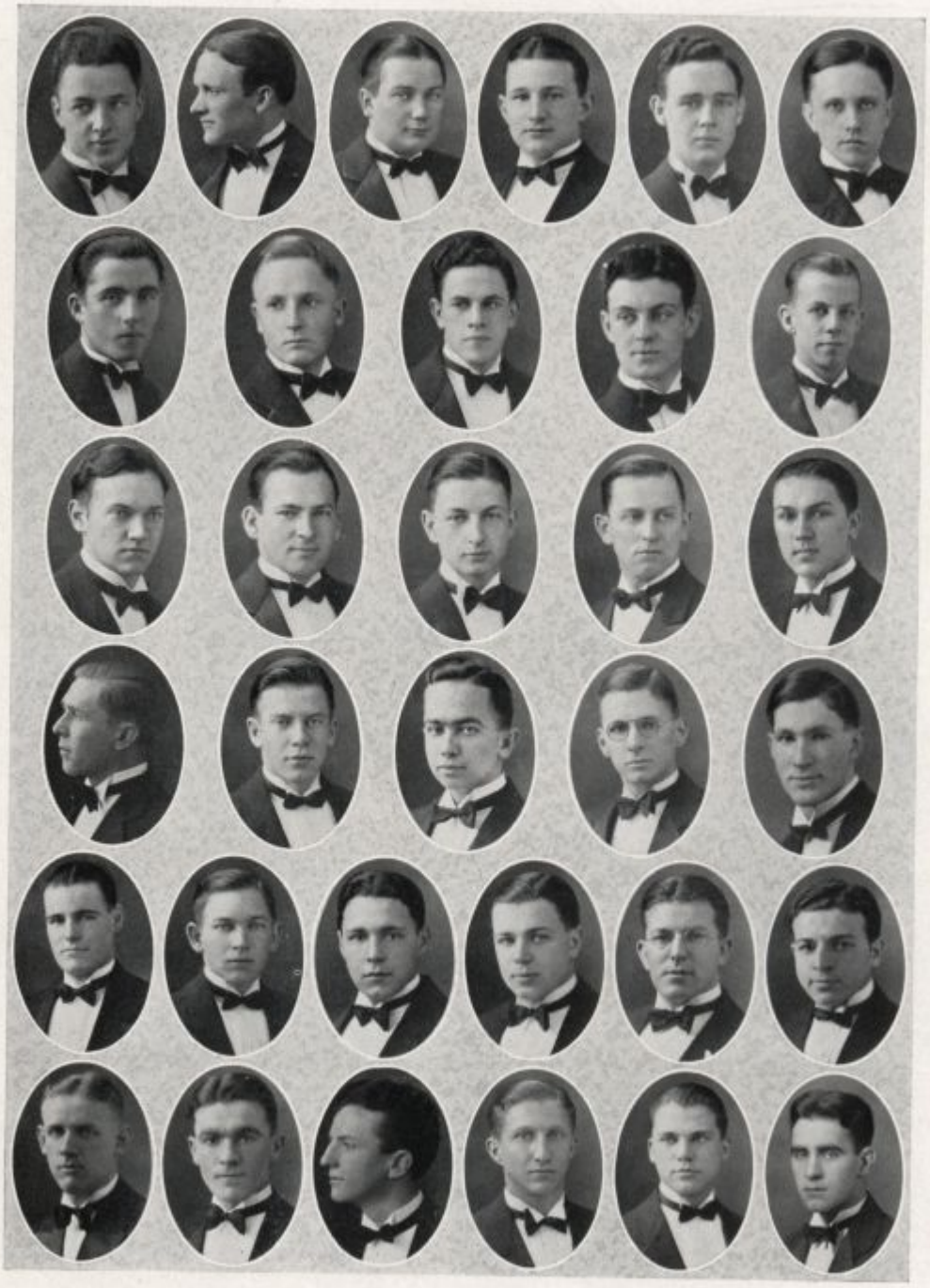
A. W. Burton
P. T. Burton
W. H. Clemo
J. F. Hill
J. N. McDowell
F. G. Mulderick

1932

J. A. Dugan
S. M. Fox
A. W. Joseph
F. W. Newham
E. H. Sparks
J. E. Willey
M. A. Wilson

PLEDGES

A. F. Bennett
W. W. Donohoe
M. Fagan
J. M. Heesters
W. Jester
F. McVaugh
G. L. Ricard
W. Ruth



Phi Kappa Tau

Founded at Miami University, 1906

ALPHA GAMMA CHAPTER

Established University of Delaware, 1924

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

Mr. Ralph W. Jones
Mr. Albert V. Krewatch
Dr. Thomas F. Manns
Dr. George H. Ryden

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

1929

George M. Bringhurst
Martin L. Doordan
Albert H. Dickinson
David A. Eastburn
Lawrence C. Elliott
John J. Flynn
Richmond P. Hobson
W. Morgan MacAllen
Harry L. McClure
John B. McCue
Anthony Russo
Preston L. Timmons
Lewis M. Woodward

1930

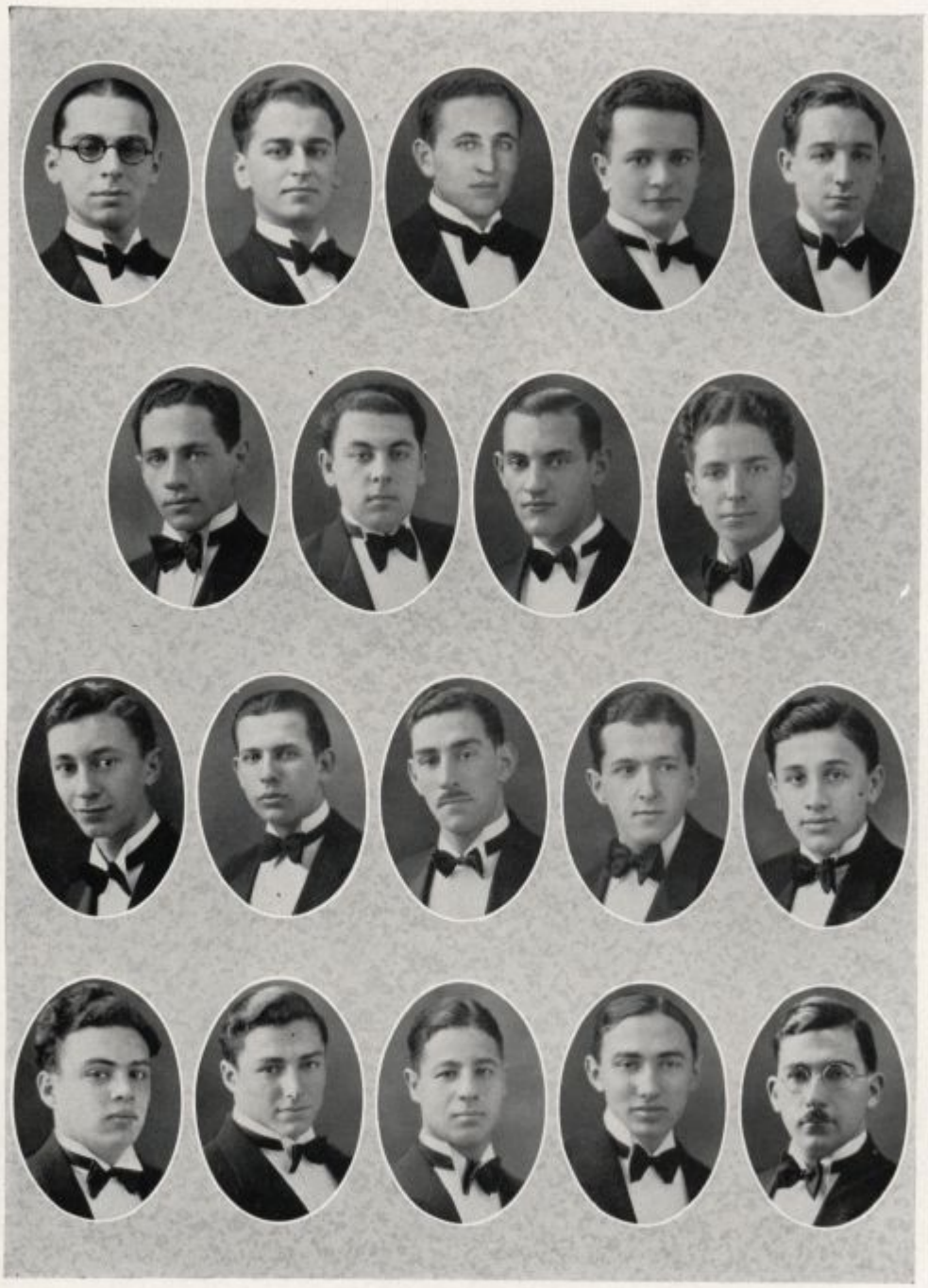
John G. Armstrong
David F. Anderson
Clarence C. Gerow, Jr.
William H. Hanks
Norman C. Lecates
Howard H. Pyle
Herman W. Ryan
Edward T. Richards
T. Ralph Snowberger
Joseph R. Steele

1931

George H. Calhoun
Byard V. Carmean
Hugh E. Conly
James E. Hart
George H. Hall
Sam Krewatch
Charles M. Orth
Richard R. Fell
Raymond V. West

1932

Lyman A. Byam, Jr.
Robert M. Chesney
Ernest Weldon, Jr.
C. Edmond McCauley



Sigma Tau Phi

Founded at University of Pennsylvania, 1917

DELTA CHAPTER
Established at University of Delaware, 1924

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

Leo Blumberg, E. E.
Sydney Hoffman, B. A.

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

SENIORS

Philip G. Blank
James J. Ezrailson
Nathan Jacobson
Moses Cyrus Weiler

JUNIORS

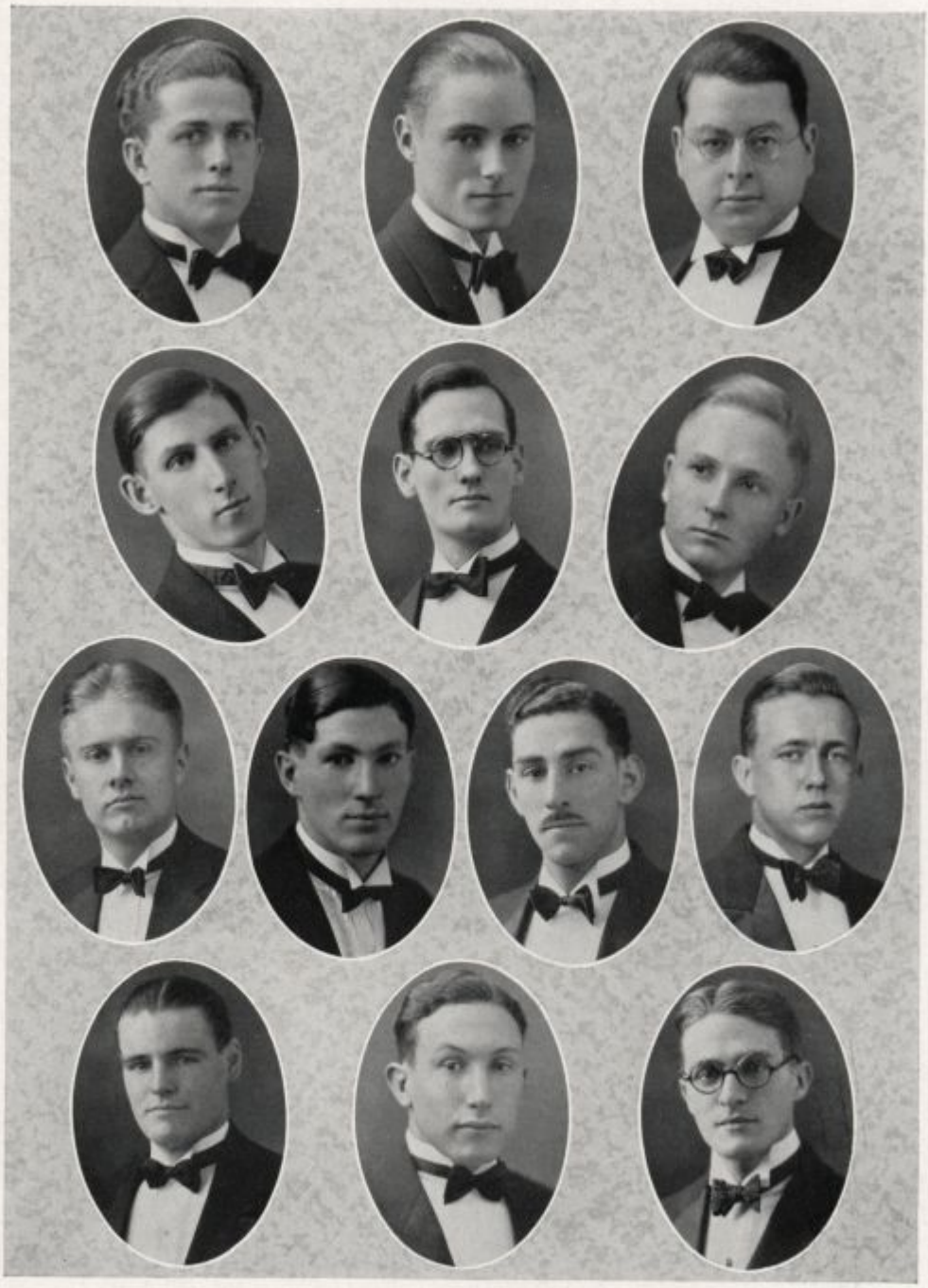
Herbert L. Cohen
Harold Leshem
Joseph H. Flanzer
Jacob Handloff
Isadore Reitzes
Nathan Weinstock

SOPHOMORES

Albert Berlin
Isidore Berlin
Isadore Evans
Martin Harwitz
Phillip P. Kotlar

FRESHMEN

Benjamin Cohen
Martin Goldberg
Herman Handloff
Isidore Nathans
Sidney Rosenblatt
Stanley Salsburg
Harold P. Sortman



Phi Kappa Phi

HONORARY SCHOLASTIC FRATERNITY
Founded 1897

University of Delaware Chapter—1905

FRATRES IN COLLEGIA

Howard Ward Bennett
Robert Ernest Burton
Samuel Cohen
Ellis Parker Cordray
Willard Wayne Crossgrove

FRATRES IN FACULTATE

George A. Harter
Elish Conover
George E. Dutton
Wilbur O. Sypherd
Clinton O. Houghton
Charles A. McCue
Thomas F. Manns
Walter Hullihen
George A. Koerber
William A. Wilkinson
Charles C. Palmer
Howard K. Preston
Leo Blumberg
Robert W. Thoroughgood
Raymond W. Heim
Thomas A. Baker
George L. Schuster
Ezra B. Crooks
Albert S. Eastman
Louis R. Detjen
Carl John Rees
James A. Barkley
Philip B. Myers
David O. Evans
George H. Ryden
Lawrence Crawford Elliott
Richard Whitsett French, Jr.
Nathan Jacobson
Lyndon Caulk Jones
Harry Lawrence McClure
John Beebe McCue
Clyde Earl McGurk
Christopher Fritz Pfrommer, Jr.

Alpha Psi Omega

Honorary Dramatic Fraternity

Founded at Fairmount, W. Virginia, 1925

BETA LAMBDA CAST

Established at University of Delaware, 1929.

FRATRER IN FACULTATE

Professor W. S. Blair

G. Richard Long, 1929
Clayton N. Hesselburg, 1929
Virgil Van Street, 1929
W. Emerson Wilson, 1930
William Wright Kirk, 1930
Edgar Hare, Jr., 1930
Leon deValinger, Jr., *Pres.* 1930
John Sharpless Walker, 1931
James Francis Hill, 1931

The Footlights Club

1927-1928

Virgil Van Street, '29, *President*
G. Richard Long, '29, *Business Manager-Treasurer*
Clayton N. Hesselburg, '29, *Secretary*
Frank Sweezey, '30, *Historian*

Edgar A. Hare, '30
John C. Williams, '30
W. Emerson Wilson, '30
W. W. Kirk, '30
A. Donnell Marshall, '30
Leon De Valinger, Jr., '30

At the beginning of 1927-1928, Virgil Van Street was elected to carry on the duties of President of the Club. Confronting the organization was a great loss to be met, the graduation of Dale, Stroud Pool, Ellis, Grant, Rosenburg, Steele, Tremaine, Clark and Spicer, men who had been shining lights in the Club since election to its membership. With this handicap to surmount, and also the feeble and too collegiate "Smax and Crax of 1926" to live down, the Club realized that it faced a crisis.

In order to replace those men lost by graduation, it was decided to enlist the aid of the student body as a whole in the presentation of plays. Through the co-operation of Dean Robinson of the Women's College, the Club was fortunate in being able to secure the services of women students, thus doing away with the dubious procedure of men playing women's parts, as had been done during the Club's career.

On January 22, 1928, the Footlighters successfully presented three one act plays. It had been planned to present "It Pays to Advertise," but many reasons combined to cause an indefinite postponement. The three one-act plays, "The Jest of Hahalaba," "The Twelve Pound Look," and "Suppressed Desires," were given in Wolf Hall before a very appreciative audience. Critics were unanimous in declaring them to be the best ever produced by the Club.

Since it had been decided to suppress "Smax and Crax," due to the impression created by the player while on a tour of Delaware, and also by University appeal, the play "The Show Off," by George Kelley, was substituted. It was indeed a most satisfactory substitution, for the Club, through this play, completely regained the confidence and appreciation of the student body and the college authorities.

The cast was:—

Clara ..... *Babs Steele*
Mrs. Fisher ..... *Miriam Kinard*
Amy ..... *Myrtle Simpler*
Frank Hyland ..... *Frank Stewart*
Mr. Fisher ..... *Leon De Vallinger*
Joe ..... *James Hill*
Aubrey Piper, (the Show Off) ..... *Virgil Van Street*
Mr. Gill ..... *John Davis*
Mr. Rogers ..... *C. Ross Ford*

This play met with the approval of the entire audience and attracted much outside attention as well The Club was offered the use of the New Century Club Rooms in Wilmington, and it was for a time planned to take the play to several neighboring cities, but final examinations proved too much of an impediment. Much credit for the success of this play, which, by the way, was given in Wolf Hall on May 17, 1928, was due to the unselfish attention and service of Professor Blair, a member of the English Department.

Alpha Psi Omega

(THE FOOTLIGHTS CLUB)

1928-1929

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So much sentiment and applause attached to the result of "The Show Off" had been heard that the Club for a while entertained the idea of presenting it again in the fall of 1928, but it was decided that another play would further the interest of the Club to the students.

Under the energetic efforts of Leon De Valinger, President of the Club, and partly due to the hearty recommendation of Associate Professor Matthews, of the English Department here, the Club was admitted to membership in one of the most well known dramatic fraternities in this country, "Alpha Psi Omega." The local chapter, Beta Lambda, is the fifty-ninth in the fraternity. The fraternity was founded in order to develop dramatic talent and the art of acting, to cultivate a taste for the best in drama, to foster the cultural values which dramatics offer and to unite the dramatic forces of the colleges and universities which have chapters of this order.

The Charter members of Delaware's Chapter are:

Virgil Van Street, G. Richard Long, A. Donnell Marshall, Clayton N. Hesselburg, Leon De Valinger, Edgar Hare, W. W. Kirk, W. Emerson Wilson, John S. Walker, and James F. Hill.

On Friday evening, February 22, 1929, Apha Psi Omega presented four one-act plays, "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets," "Minnie Field," written by Professor E. P. Conkle of Delaware College, "Two Crooks and a Lady," and "Moonshine."

The casts were:

"The Dark Lady of the Sonnets"
(George Bernard Shaw)

The Beefeater ..... Paul B. Smith
Shakespeare ..... Stanley Saulsburg
Queen Elizabeth ..... Dorothy Baylis
The Dark Lady ..... Roselle Covey
Student Director ..... G. Richard Long

"Two Crooks and A Lady"
(Eugene Pillot)

Lucille, the maid ..... Virginia Swain
Miller, the crook ..... W. Carl Utz
Miss Jones, the companion ..... Nellie Moore
Mrs. Simms-Vane (the invalid) .... Theresa Tenan
Police Inspector ..... James Hill
Policeman ..... John S. Walker
Student Director ..... W. Emerson Wilson

"Minnie Field"
(E. P. Conkle)

Alt Page ..... Gus Caras
Mel Clark ..... John B. McVaugh
Jim Day ..... W. W. Kirk
Cornie Young ..... Frank Sasse
Tip Field ..... Richard Manns
Student Director ..... Edgar Hare, Jr.

"Moonshine"
(Authur Hopkins)

The Revenue Officer ..... Frank N. Gladden
The Moonshiner ..... Charles F. Jackson
Student Director. .... Leon De Valinger, Jr.

Much appreciation is due Miss Hazel Chapman for costumes, and to Miss Gallagher for make-ups. Professor Blair again gave bounteously of his time to further the presentation of the plays. "Moonshine" was especially well liked by the large audience, and several papers have given fine reviews of the performance as a whole.

Alpha Psi Omega will probably present another play before the conclusion of the present school year, but at this time no indication has been made of what it will be. With the reputation of a national fraternity in back of it, the Footlights Club can no longer be subjected to criticism relative to past performances, but is to be expected to develop into one of the most important organizations on the campus. The whole-hearted co-operation of the entire student body, however, is needed to make the new venture a success. The future scope of the organization is unlimited, and all depends upon student interest. Will Delaware students be lacking?

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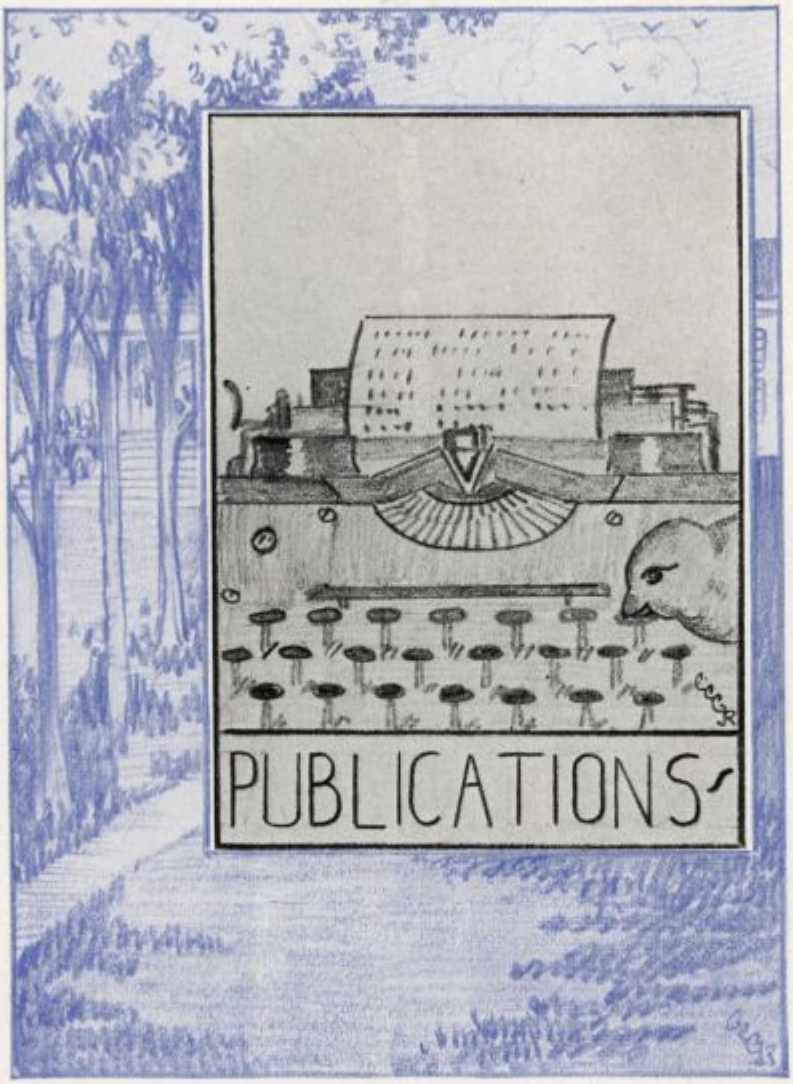
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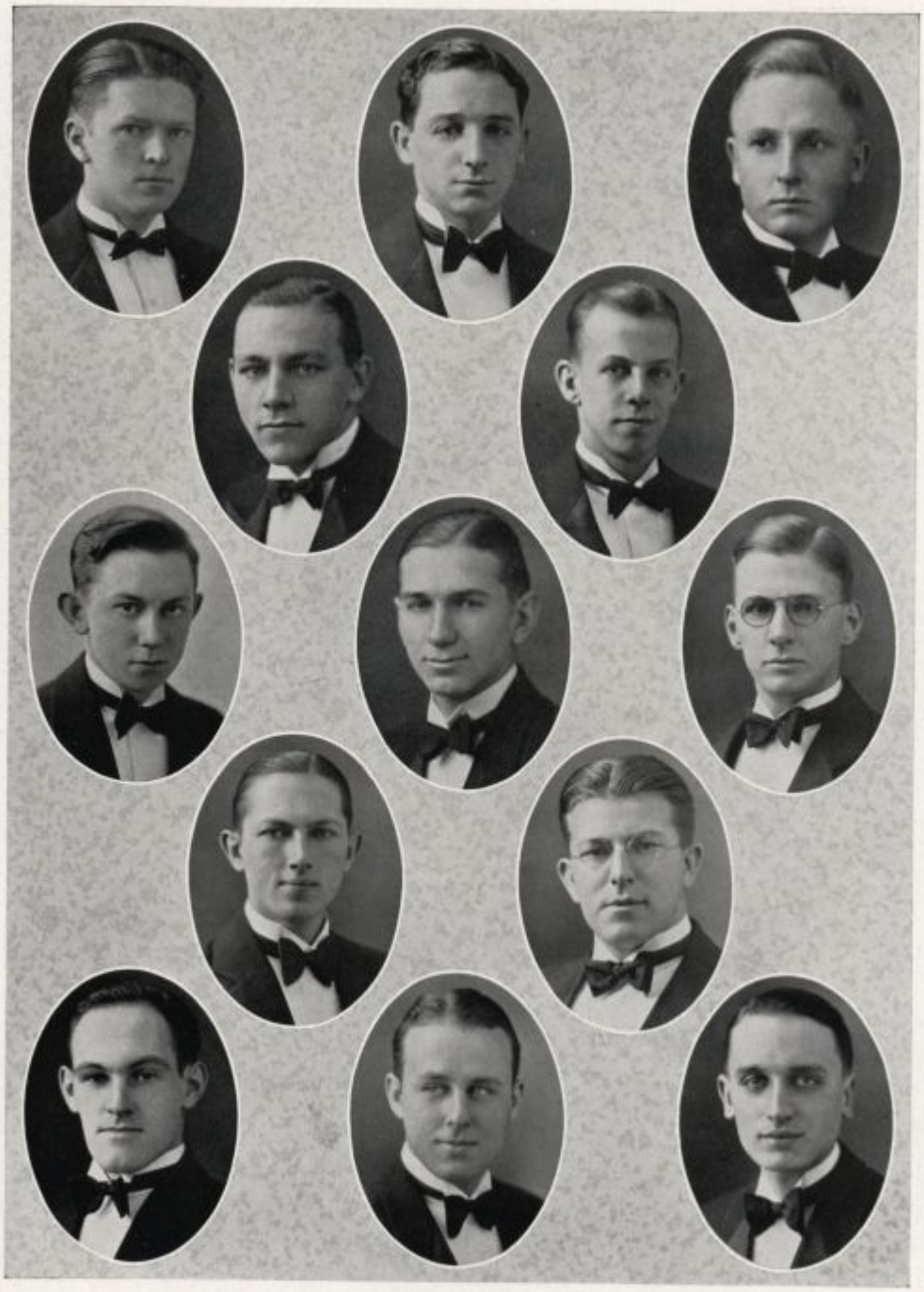

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Review and Journalism

THE history of the Review and of journalism at the University of Delaware has been closely connected with the history of the University itself. In the thirties of the last century shortly after the founding of Delaware College, literary societies appeared on the campus and soon became of paramount importance in the extra-curricular life of the times. Each of these societies had its weekly publication. The Delta Phi Star and the Athenaen Gazette were from the beginning, rivals for the commendation of the students. In fact these publications may be held chiefly responsible for the high pitched and bitter rivalry which culminated in the tragedy that closed the college during the sixties. Shortly after the reopening in the early seventies a group of students interested in journalism started a college newsleaf called "Our Sunbeam" which flourished for a time but which was eventually regarded as too frivolous a publication for an institution of higher learning. It was succeeded by the "Advance" which also became extinct in a few years. In 1884 just forty-five years ago the students replaced "The Advance" with a serious monthly magazine in which works of outstanding literary value produced by students were published with a general summary of the month's news. After some deliberation the new magazine was named the Delaware College Review. It was successful, from the first, in arousing the interest of the students and the approbation of the publications of other colleges.

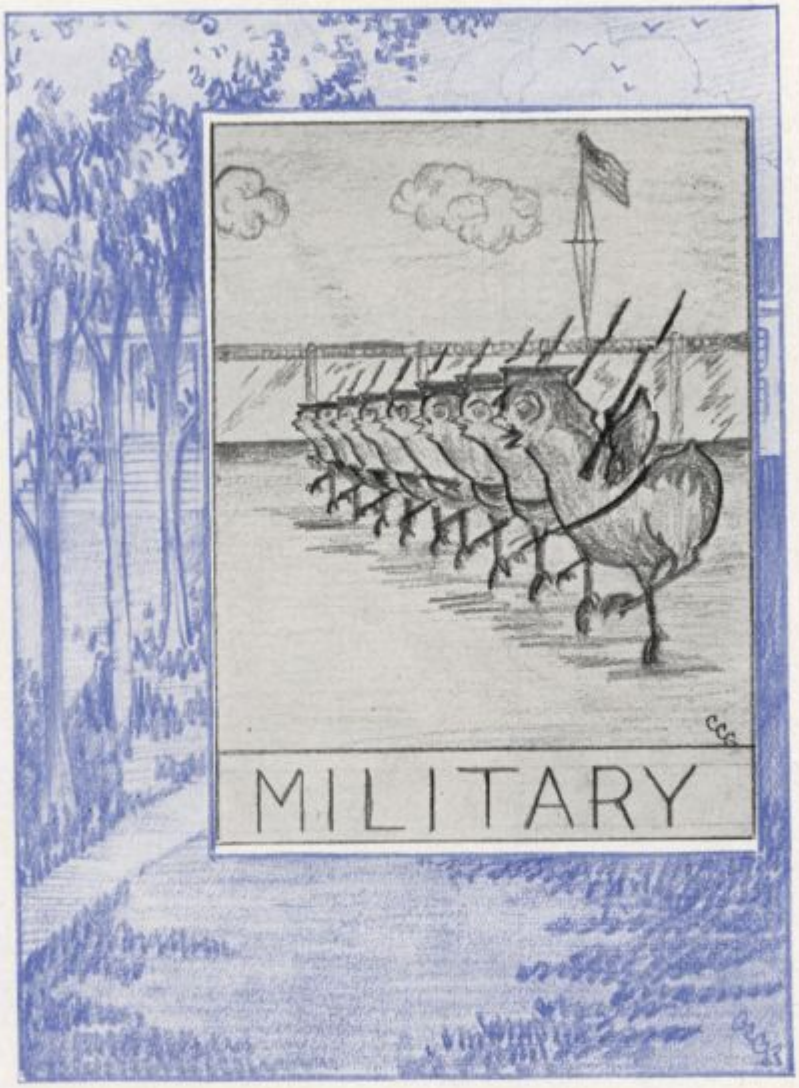
In May 1915 the magazine was replaced by a weekly news paper of the same name. This paper saw the rise and fall of "The Blue Kettle" of the Women's College and of "Student Opinion", the latter being a short lived rival of the Review. After the founding of the University the words "Delaware College" were dropped, the official name of the publication now being merely "The Review." About this time the paper granted the petition of the Women's College student body that their representatives be admitted to the staff and that the paper should cover the news of both colleges. The Review, being a purely Delaware college venture, looked rather askance at this experiment and everybody connected with it breathed a sigh of relief when several years later the women resigned from the staff and the Review again became a purely masculine publication.

The Review has always been a great factor in the molding of student opinion. The installation of the honor system was the direct result of a series of editorials in the Review. It has been responsible for many other reforms, one of the most recent being the abalition of compulsory R. O. T. C. for Juniors and Seniors. While the editorial policy varies with each new editor it has always been the object of each one of them to draw students' attention to any evils existing on the campus and to do the utmost in his power to remedy them.

Financially the Review is now a sound paying proposition. In the last three years it has paid off a standing debt of over a thousand dollars. When the college

paper was in sore straits the student body came to its support practically 100%. The support together with the remarkable business acumen displayed by Ralph W. Robinson and Ralph Baker has placed the Review on its feet. Under the present staff the last bill was paid off and there is now a reasonably comfortable sum in the treasury.

It has been the aim of the present editor to make the Review both a live newspaper and a means of expressing student opinion. It has even attempted a literary column while the Moonworshipper's column has also aroused much favorable comment. Mr. Poufton's witty and sometimes biting criticisms of campus foibles has caused more than one individualist to squirm. The students have made more than usual use of the Review this year in expressing their complaints on various subjects as is evidenced by the number of letters for publication which the editor receives each week. With the whole hearted interest of the student body in back of it the Review promises to become an even more potent factor in campus reforms than ever before This interest, if sustained, should place the Review in the forefront of college journals, a position which even now it may lay claim to.


MILITARY

ROBERT P. GLASSBURN
Professor of Military Science and Tactics

The Military Department

AMONG the many manifestations of America's unpreparedness for the World War was an almost complete lack of reserve officers to fill the cadres of the great army which had to be improvised to meet the emergency. As a result of such neglect of a basic principle of national defense over two hundred thousand officers had to be hastily selected and hastily trained. Long before their training was complete thousands of other Americans were trusted to their inexperience to be led into the dangers of battle.

The unavoidable confusion resulting from such lack of foresight caused, in turn, a great waste of men. To insure our country against a repetition of such an unfortunate experience the Officers Reserve Corps was created by Congress in 1920; and, to assure a constant flow of competent replacements for that body, Congress turned to the universities, and created the R. O.T. C.

From the misinformed and the misguided came at once much opposition to the R. O. T. C. The scope of this article will not permit its discussion. Suffice it to say that the R. O. T. C. has now completed the phase of introduction and justification, and has established its position as an integral part of university life and an element indispensable to the safety of our country. This year it has at this University, been placed upon an equal footing with all other subjects as contributory toward graduation.

I feel safe in predicting for the future a closer relationship between the R. O. T. C. and the Officers Reserve Corps, as, due to the usury of time, the latter becomes filled with college men; and a consequent more generous treatment of the R. O. T. C. in the way of Congressional appropriations.

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The Rifle Club

The Rifle Club is composed of those members of the student body who are proficient in the use of army rifles. Each year many matches are shot with schools and colleges throughout the country, and Delaware has always ranked among the best. Major Arthur Underwood, Inf., has charge of the competition. The Club forms an added attraction to R. O. T. C. students and is one of the most valuable courses offered to our future officers.

Arthur B. Underwood, Instructor of Rifle Team

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KNEELING—96	H. L. Robertson		
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