

Delta Alpha  
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Sigma Nu



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Sigma Nu Fraternity

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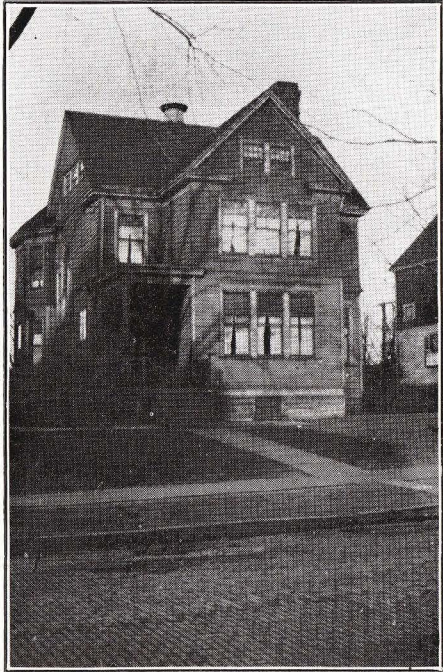




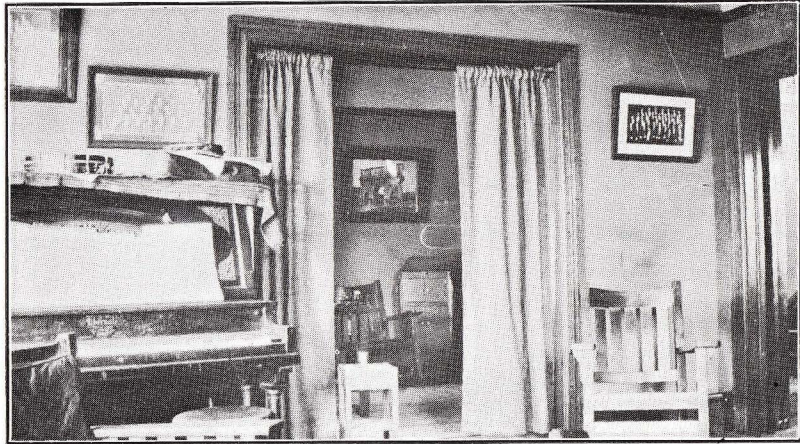
## DEDICATION

We hereby dedicate this News Letter to our true and loyal founder, Clark W. Francy, Delta Alpha No. 1, who died May 6, 1921 of injuries received in the World War.





INTERIOR OF HOUSE



## THE HOUSE.

Let us pause for a moment and look back about four years when it became necessary for us to give up the old house at 10017 Euclid Avenue. When the bugle sounded to announce that we had entered the greatest war in history, we found that there were a scant few left to guide the active chapter through the next year. In the fall, when duties were assumed again, Delta Zeta came to the rescue by welcoming the remaining brothers in their house. Here the school year of '17-'18 was spent, and when the S. A. T. C. was ushered in the following year the brothers enlisted en masse and betook themselves to the barracks (Elysium).

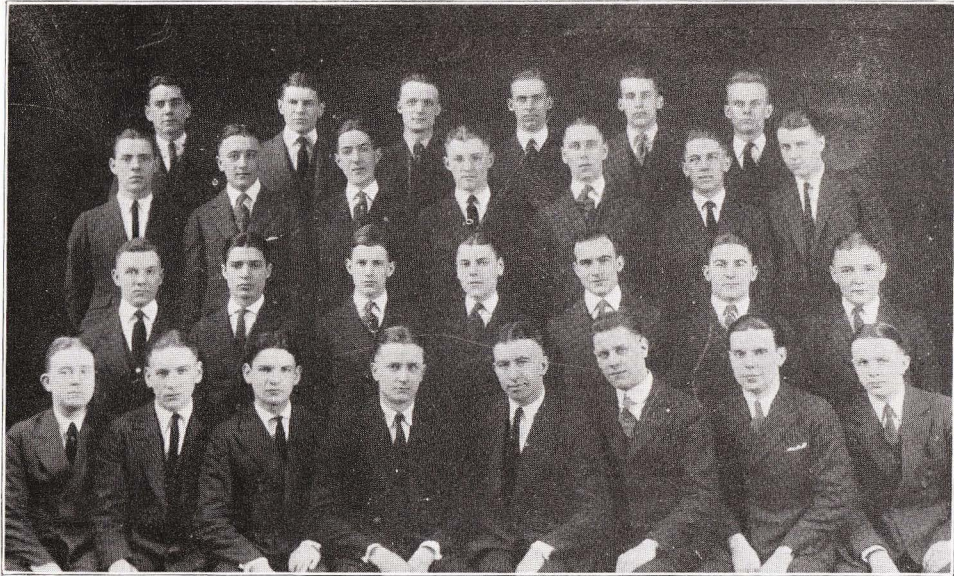
Our next move was to 9204 Hough Avenue, where it was found possible to serve only two meals a day, breakfast at 5 a. m., and dinner at 8 p. m., in order to observe the faculty eight o'clock ruling. It was there that we realized how badly we were in need of a house of our own, especially one near the campus. So we scheduled an alumni reunion and sent invitations to all, promising smokes, feed, and all the other necessary accessories. After all were assembled, the question of buying a house was discussed and plans were imme-

diately formulated and officers elected to effect the organization of the Case Sigma Nu House Company. It was just three months before we were the proud possessors of our present chapter house at 2073 Adelbert Road.

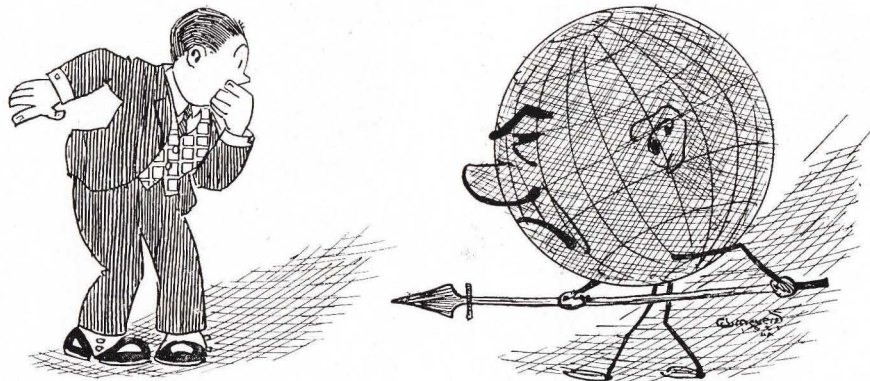
This house is about half way between Euclid Avenue and the Nickel Plate tracks. It is a large frame building set on a fairly large lot and having a small building which will serve as a garage at its rear. The porch is set back into the northeast corner of the house. The front door opens into a vestibule which in turn opens into the hall. One room extends across the front of the house, two others, joined by a wide open doorway, are along the south side, and the dining room and kitchen extend back from the hall. The second floor arrangement is very similar to that of the first floor. It contains four study rooms, the treasurer's office, the matron's room, and the bath room. The upper floor has been finished to serve as a dormitory in the rear, with two study rooms toward the front. While the plans of the house are not ideal for a fraternity's home, the house has proved very satisfactory, the best thing about it is that it belongs to us; nobody can tell us that we have to move out.



ACTIVE CHAPTER



Maxwell; Stimson; Eynon; Vaughn; Temple; Stofer  
Gregson; Koester; Waekfield; Mitzel; J. Allen; Boyd; Pocock  
Moyer; Himes; Clark; F. Allen; Donkin; Landis; Buchman  
Wilson; R. Knowlton; N. Knowlton; Brooker; Vanderhoof; Wallace;  
Meyers; Hamlin



SENIORS

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### FREDERICK DONALD BROOKER, VI.



Cleveland, Ohio  
South High School  
Glee Club (1), (2), (3).  
Differential Board (3).  
Sigma Epsilon.  
Skull and Bones.  
Owl and Key.  
Alembic Club.  
Alpha Chi Sigma.

Here is the potential benedict of the Senior gang. If we consider "Rube" Goldberg's philosophy, "They all flop sooner or later," we might say that with Don it was sooner.

Don has been commander this past year, and has served in that capacity in a very creditable manner. He is very deliberate (we have often called it other things), but then we must remember with our ancient philosopher that "Rome wasn't built in a day."

He is very persistent in his declaration that he has a "mentality 'in vacuo'," but then we happen to have a hunch that this lad isn't the oil can he suspects, and we know that some day he is going to kick over his own dope bucket and make a success in after life.

### MILLARD ROY HAMLIN, II.



Akron, Ohio  
South High School  
Tau Beta Pi.  
Case Tech (2), (3), (4); Business  
Manager (4).  
Senate (3), (4); President (4).  
Case Club Board (3), (4).  
Boost Case Association (3), (4);  
President (4).  
Mechanical Club. Honor Key.  
Skull and Bones. Owl and Key.

If anyone tries to tell you that it is impossible to be represented in activities and be an A number one student, you tell him to "giddap," for Millard has proven an exception. One look at the above list will convince you that he has had his hands full. He admits that it was pretty tough going until the "Taw Baits" got ahold of him. Presiding over the two strongest student organizations in the school is an honor which is especially exceptional. Husky is also very active in fraternity affairs, and is always ready to lend a hand when there is work to be done. His ability to make friends, together with the traits mentioned above, is bound to bring a success which many try for but which few attain.



SENIORS—Continued

NEIL HUNTER KNOWLTON, II.



Ashtabula High School.  
Ashtabula, Ohio.

Case Club Board (4); President (4).

Junior Dance Committee.

Baseball Manager (4).

Differential Board (3).

Mechanical Club; Honor Key.

"Polly," the boy with the spider-like silhouette, has had a rather meteoric rise in his last year. But he worked hard for it his first three years, and well deserves the success he attained.

And about his basketball playing, we might say that the lad "sails a speedy skiff." It seems that all he has to do is to "shoot and holler fire." His accurate shots did more to lower the morale of the opposing teams than any other thing.

His executive ability breaks out in his presidency of the Case Club Board of Managers. We know, in spite of his talk to the contrary, that he will come through "O K." We wish him the best of luck.

CHARLES WILLIS MEYERS, VI.



New Philadelphia, Ohio.  
New Philadelphia High School.

Case Tech (1), (2), (3), (4).

Differential Board (3).

Editor (3).

Alembic Club.

Alpha Chi Sigma.

Owl and Key—Honor Key.

Why "Wee" chose Chemistry as his profession has been a mystery to all of us, especially after the Home Concert. His success in playing the role of Dennis O'Shaughnessy, the Bowery Cop, has placed him in rank with Hitchcock, Jolson, Tinney and the rest.

He has also been very active along literary lines, having been editor of the Differential last year as well as (1), (2), (3), (4) on The Tech. One look at the pictures adorning his room would also lead you to believe that he wields a mean pencil.

Willis is also a good student and we will all miss him heaps when he packs his suitcase to New Philadelphia for the last time.



SENIORS—Continued

AUSTIN LIGGETT VANDERHOOF, IV.



Canal Fulton, Ohio.  
Canal Fulton High School.  
Football (2), (3), (4).  
Baseball (2), (3), (4); Captain (4).  
Pick and Shovel Club; President (3).  
Skull and Bones.  
Owl and Key.  
Case Varsity Club.

Here he is, gentle reader, one of the best known fellows around school, and always on deck to help out on any sort of an expedition for "the prevention of boredom in school life."

"Aus" landed the position of assistant coach in baseball this year—having played out his full quota of eligible years—and is thinking of continuing in the coaching game after he leaves school, since he has had an offer from a southern college.

"Vandy" is one of our best golf exponents, and now that he is provided with a pair of "knicks," challenges the best.

We have a sneaking idea that Aus is going to accomplish great things, and that Sigma Nu is going to be proud to have such a man within her fold.

CLARENCE WILLIAM WALLACE, V.



Cleveland, Ohio.  
Glenville High School.  
Musical Clubs (1), (2), (3), (4);  
Manager (3), (4).  
Senate (4).  
Athletic Association (4).  
Owl and Key.  
Tau Beta Pi.  
Honor Key.

"C. W." is one of our, what we might term, "Master Managers." Having held such a position on the Case Musical Clubs for two years—which, by the way, were two of the most successful years that organization has ever had. And, oh yes, we nearly forgot, he is one of our justly touted "Taw Bait" exhibits. • And even though he is one of the "T. B's," he still has time for his other activities and doesn't seem to study so very much. He drives a "Big Ford Car," which can be heard almost any time of the day or night, rushing around the fair settlement of old Moses Cleaveland.

But he makes every trip count, and if he is any busier when he gets out into life he's surely going to have a set of dirty spark plugs before he is very old.

SENIORS—Continued

HERBERT WILLIAM WILSON, III.



Girard, Ohio.  
Girard High School.  
Freshman Football.  
Electrical Club.  
Life Saving Corps.

Herbie is our only electrical, and he admits his mistake, so we can not hold it against him. His college education was somewhat interrupted by the war, for he served as a lieutenant in anti-aircraft service overseas. He was stationed in Paris and did so well that he was kept there most of the time. We shall expect to see Brother Wilson patrolling one of the beaches this summer, for he is a member of the Red Cross Life Saving Corps. This is right along his line, especially when it comes to helping a lady (young) in distress. We all wish you success, creditable to both yourself and the chapter.

CHAPTER ROLL

SENIORS

F. D. Brooker VI  
M. R. Hamlin II  
N. H. Knowlton II  
C. W. Meyers VI  
A. L. Vanderhoof IV  
C. W. Wallace V  
H. W. Wilson III

JUNIORS

J. J. Allen VI  
C. B. Jones II  
R. F. Knowlton II  
J. L. Landis VI  
E. H. Moyer II  
H. F. Roberts IV  
J. M. Stofor VI  
R. B. Temple II  
E. R. Torgler IV

SOPHOMORES

R. F. Buchman II  
W. T. Donkin IV  
W. E. Eynon II  
J. A. Gregson II  
C. J. Koester II  
V. M. Maxwell IV  
J. H. Mitzel II  
W. B. Stimson II  
H. G. Vaughn II  
M. J. Wakefield III

FRESHMEN

F. A. Allen III  
J. M. Boyd IV  
H. H. Clark III  
E. N. Himes IV  
Don McCarrol II  
H. P. Pooock II

WITHDREW AT END OF  
FIRST SEMESTER

A. M. Collings, '23  
W. C. Haskell, '23  
W. K. Sauber, '22  
C. W. Willits, '22

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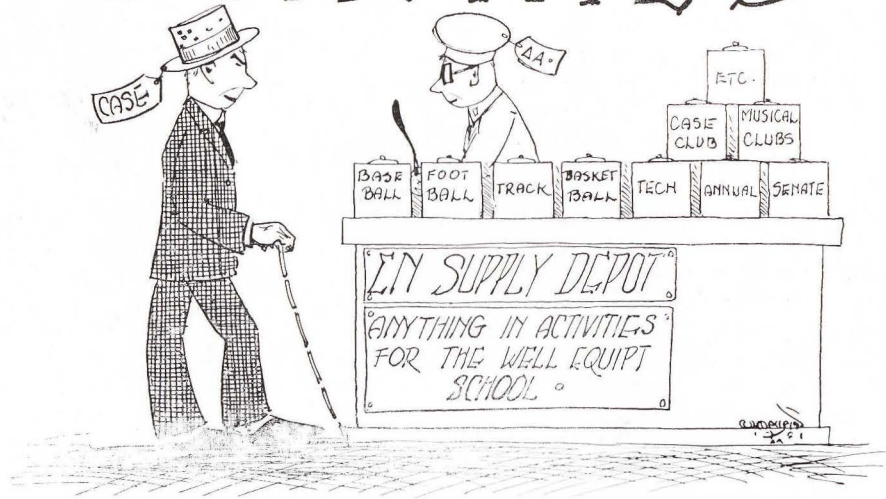
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# ACTIVITIES



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INTERFRATERNITY ATHLETICS.

Well, Brothers, have you all heard the glad tidings in regard to Delta Alpha's winning of the Basketball Championship? Yea—verily. The results given below show that there was keen competition in the last few games.

Results:

Kappa Sigma	..... 1	Sigma Nu	..... 13
Phi Delta Theta	..... 0	“ “	..... 11
Phi Kappa Psi	..... 8	“ “	..... 27
Faculty	..... 6	“ “	..... 20
Beta Theta Pi	..... 7	“ “	..... 23
Sigma Chi	.....12	“ “	..... 9
Zeta Psi	.....12	“ “	..... 25
Sigma Chi	.....12	“ “	..... 17
Zeta Psi	.....20	“ “	..... 27
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Totals	.....75	Totals	.....172

The last game required two overtime periods to break the tie and decide the championship.

Brother Hamlin, who was captain and manager, played at guard with Brother Vanderhoof. Brothers Landis and Knowlton held down the forward positions. Brother Eynon was pivot man, and performed excel-

lently at that position. Johnny Landis was twice a letter man at Oberlin College, and was one of the best floor men in the series. Neil was high point man, and



INTERFRATERNITY CHAMPIONS

could always be depended upon to put the ball through the hoop when necessary. Brothers R. F. Knowlton, Buchman and Stimson were the auxiliaries, and could always be depended upon.



## ACTIVITIES—Continued

### Football.

Delta Alpha could not boast of quantity on the squad this year, but it was quality done up in a small bundle, and this was none other than Brother Moyer. Bruce held down the pivot position until the Reserve game, when he was shifted to half, and cut quite a few capers in that position.

### Basketball.

Brother Vaughn is the possessor of the coveted C, which he won by alternating at center and guard this year. Brother N. H. Knowlton missed by a narrow margin. It was too bad the season couldn't have been longer, for Neil was sure tearing things up at forward during the last few games.

### Baseball.

Brother Knowlton is manager this year, and Brother Vanderhoof, who captained last year's nine, is acting as assistant coach.

### Track.

The track season is still young, but things look bright. Brother Allen represents us on the squad. He runs the distance events. Brother Moyer is our speed merchant, but he is forced to be a non-participant

because of the doctor's orders, the result of a bruise from football.

### Case Varsity Club.

Brothers Moyer, Knowlton, Vaughn and Vanderhoof are members of the C Club, whose purpose is to promote intercollegiate athletics at Case.

### Delta Alpha vs. Beta Iota.

One of the fastest and most interesting games of the entire season was played on April 15, between Delta Alpha and Beta Iota. The Beta Iota team proved to be a little too strong and as a result were the victors, 26-20. The Mount team was composed of four varsity regulars, namely: Ted Evans, Dale Sprankle, Clyde Van Dorsten, and Zimmerman. The fifth man was none other than "Lefty" Miller, ex Delta Alpha pledge and now Beta Iota pledge. "Lefty" played excellently, and no doubt will be a varsity man at Mount next year. "String" Whitman and Frank Highway also played and showed their varsity prospects.

"Baldy" Vaughn, a letter man in basketball at Case this year, helped the Delta Alpha team to a great extent. Knowlton, Landis, Hamlin, Vanderhoof and Buchman were the other players.

Both teams conducted themselves in the most sports-

## ACTIVITIES—Continued

manlike manner possible, making the game exceedingly interesting to the onlookers and equally enjoyable to those who played.

Next year Delta Alpha will journey to Mount. A triangular series with Beta Iota, Delta Zeta and Delta Alpha is being planned, and has met with the hearty approval of all.

### Swimming Meet.

The "Sig" ducks took to the water in the trials on February 23, Allen and Buchman qualifying for the finals. On the following Friday, February 25, the finals were held, and after the last event had been completed and the scores computed, Sigma Nu was found in third place. This is the first year that we have placed in a swimming meet, but we are not afraid to state that it will not be the last. The Phi Psis copped the meet with 36 points, the Phi Deltas took second with 28½, and we ran a close third with 28. We would undoubtedly have had second place if some of the boys' memories had not gone back on them the day of the meet. We should have won the fraternity swim, decided by the number of men able to swim forty yards regardless of time, for we have the largest chapter in Case this year. However, better luck next time. The places taken by Sigma Nu are:

20-yard dash, Buchman 2nd.

60-yard dash, F. Allen 2nd.

60-yard breast, F. Allen, 1st.

100-yard dash, Buchman, 1st.

Plunge, Wilson 1st.

Life saving, Wilson, tie for 1st.

Relay, Wilson, J. Allen, F. Allen, Buchman, 3rd.

Frat. swim, Sigma Nu, 4th.

"Herbie" Wilson captained the team, and to a large extent was responsible for our success. Here's to that cup for next year!

### Baseball.

A Fraternity, Indoor-outdoor Baseball League has been formed, and the first game has already been played. Zeta Psi took us across 16-14. We feel confident, however, that the following games will see the score in our favor. A practice game was played with the Phi Deltas and resulted in an 8-0 victory for us. Austin Vanderhoof is coaching the team.

### Track.

The annual inter-fraternity track meet will be held May 10th. Brother Moyer is captain of the Sigma Nu team, and we expect the Brothers to kick up the cinders on that day.

## ACTIVITIES—Continued

### CASE CLUB BOARD OF MANAGERS.

Brothers N. H. Knowlton and Hamlin are members of the board, with Brother Knowlton as its president. Since the Club is the social center of the school, it is the duty of the board to conduct all of the school dances and supervise the Club in general.

### ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

Brother Wallace is our representative in this organization.

### HONORARY SOCIETIES.

Brothers Hamlin, Wallace, Allen and Temple are members of Tau Beta Pi, with Brother Temple serving as president for next year. Brother Hamlin was president last year.

Brothers Brooker, Hamlin, Meyers, Vanderhoof and Wallace are members of Owl and Key, the senior honorary society.

Brothers Moyer and Torgler are members of the junior society, Skull and Bones.

Brothers Vaughn and Maxwell are members of the sophomore society, Alpha Phi.

Brothers Meyers, Wallace, Knowlton and Hamlin are wearers of the Honor Key.

### PROFESSIONAL FRATERNITIES.

Brothers Brooker, Meyers, Allen and Stofer are members of Alpha Chi Sigma.

### SENATE.

Brother Hamlin, as president, with Brothers Wallace and Vaughn, comprise about one-third of the Senate. It is the strongest student organization in the school, and is composed of ten members in all; one freshman, two sophomores, three juniors, and four seniors.

### BOOST CASE ASSOCIATION.

Brothers Hamlin and Moyer are our representatives in this organization. Brother Hamlin has been president for the past year and it may be possible for us to keep it in the chapter for another year, since Brother Moyer has been nominated for next year's president.

### PUBLICATIONS.

#### Case Tech.

Brothers Meyers, Hamlin, Torgler, Stüfer and Roberts are on the "Board" of The Tech, which is the weekly publication. Brother Torgler has been elected Editor-in-Chief and Brother Stofer was chosen as Business Manager, at a recent election. Both are to be con-

## ACTIVITIES—Continued.

gratulated, for they are both competent men, and deserve the honor.

### Differential Board.

Brothers Torgler, Temple and Stofer are pushing the pen for the year book, which is to be out the last of May.

### HOME CONCERT.

The Musical Clubs presented a two-act skit entitled the "Pompeian Scream," with Brother Meyers supplying the scream throughout. It was given at the New Masonic Temple and was well attended. Brother Meyers was the "Comedienne de Lux," and Brother Allen took the role of the rejected suitor.

### MUSICAL CLUBS.

The Musical Clubs at Case were led and managed by the Sigma Nus. And it is not necessary to talk about the ability of these Sigs—just look at the success of the season and consider that as an indication of their managerial and leading ability.

Brother Wallace, as manager of the Musical Clubs,

handled the business end of that organization better than it has been handled for many a moon.

Brother Allen, our illustrious Glee Club leader, works a wicked warble—so to speak. He is the best soloist in the club and his singing was one of the features of the Home Concert.

Brother Temple takes care of the "African Harp" brigade, and he certainly has contributed largely toward the success of that organization during the past season.

Brother Wakefield, as the publicity man for the clubs, certainly has the original selling line. We would venture to bet that he could sell B. V. D.'s to a flock of Eskimos. But, nevertheless, we'll again let the success of the clubs speak for Brother Wakefield's artistic handling of friend Webster's wordy works.

Last but not least we have Brother Moyer—as stage manager for the Home Concert and general utility man the year 'round we have to hand first prize to this brother. He surely is the old man Aladdin himself—getting things seemingly from nothing.



## SOCIAL CALENDER

Along with the many other activities stimulated by our new home and location was a busy social program. Both Case and Sigma Nu supported a full social calendar.

Things started in a social way after rushing was completed when the pledges were entertained at an informal dance at the Women's Club on October 15.

A hallowe'en dance on October 30 was enjoyed by many of the brothers. The boys spent the greater part of the day decorating for this first little dance in our new home.

Most everyone got tangled in serpentine at the Xmas dance at the Dance Shoppe on the Heights. The fact that the dance came just before the holidays added much impetus.

The Sigma Nu Alumni Dance on January 7 was enjoyed by some of the brothers.

March 4th saw the next gathering of the chapter and its friends in a social way at the Heights Masonic Temple.

Then the Case Prom on April 8th took a dozen or so brothers from the house, and after dancing to most exquisite music until the "more than wee" hours of the morning the twelve or so couples partook of a highly delectable breakfast at the chapter house at 6 a. m. Some of the boys were forced to attend classes in their

formal attire. On Saturday evening—the same day—everyone turned out to the Home Concert. A big weekend—as some were heard to say.

All in the same month on the 22nd came our own annual formal spring party at the Shaker Heights Country Club. A cool, quiet evening along with a fine crowd of girls, good food, good music and also some favors, all combined to make a dance that will be long remembered by all those present, and there were alumni among them, too.

We were fortunate in having "Bill" Hansen and his wife as chaperons at all our dances.

Many smokers were held throughout the year. After each home football game smoking was the order of the day, and in such a way we had many of the alumni visit us.

The big affair was the alumni smoker on the evening of November 24, before the Case-Reserve game, and long will it last in our memories.

This spring has witnessed several rushing smokers. A smoker on Friday, April 15th, was accompanied by a basketball game with Beta Iota Chapter here.

The football letter men and coaches were entertained at a dinner at the chapter house on the evening of December 1, 1920.

## UNDER GRADUATES

### THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND SHORT-COMINGS OF THE JUNIORS OF DELTA ALPHA.

The present Junior Class of Case School is noted for being a class of active men. Members of this class made up the greater part of the football team, they predominate in journalistic work, and are generally active in the many branches of school life.

Delta Alpha is well represented in the class of '22. There are few activities, if any, that are not enjoyed by at least one Sigma Nu. Ample proof of this fact may be found by glancing over the list of the brothers who have weathered the greater part of three years at school.

#### JOHN J. ALLEN

"Johnny" Allen's voice, coupled with his ability to manage things in general, furnishes him with material to make a bid for fame at school. "Johnny" is Glee Club leader, secretary of the Alembic Club, member of Alpha Chi Sigma, and a member of Tau Beta Pi. He is also somewhat of a track athlete and spends much time on the cinder track. In Delta Alpha activities John is found to be Fraternity Recorder, and a member of the Activities and Scholarship Committees. Outside of the above accomplishments, Brother Allen has no right to head the list. His latest success was a leading part in the annual Home Concert, "The Pompeian Scream,"

which was presented at the Masonic Hall on April 9th.

#### ROBERT BRUCE TEMPLE

Every chapter in the fraternity likes to make a bid for scholarship honors, so "Temp," the boy prodigy, is a valued man. They must have planned the curriculum at Case for men of "Temp's" calibre, for he is the only member who takes what is coming to him and asks for more. Brother Temple is a big stock holder in Tau Beta Pi, Mandolin Club leader, Associate Editor of the Differential, and Junior Class Historian. Temple is also a member of the Chapter Activities and Scholarship Committees. It might be well to add that Brother Temple is also an expert critic of pipes and pipe tobacco; he smokes Edgeworth exclusively and almost continually.

#### EDWARD TORGLER.

Perhaps no man in the active chapter is better known in and about the campus than "Eddie." Very few class dances and banquets are held that "Eddie" does not help put over. It has been said that Brother Torgler devotes a little too much time to his activities, but Edward claims to be somewhat of a student, too—when he has time.

On Monday, April 4th, a long and sharp contest for the Editorship of the Case Tech was concluded when Eddie annexed that office. Torgler is also a member of

## UNDER GRADUATES—Continued

the honorary class societies, Alpha Phi, and Skull and Bones; Fraternity Editor of the Differential, Class Treasurer and Treasurer of Delta Alpha.

"Eddie's short-coming lies in the art of dancing; he has a way of his own that still shows traces of an early education in the art at New Philadelphia, Ohio.

### JOHN MILTON STOFER.

Better known as Milton. A chapter meeting without Milton might be compared to a dance orchestra without a saxophone. Milton stands for certain principles and he doesn't care who knows it.

Brother Stofer was elected Business Manager of the Case Tech for the coming year. He is Assistant Editor of the Differential and a member of Alpha Chi Sigma.

Milton's short-coming is the chapter's national pastime, double solitaire. He has been known to play some good challenge games when there were no brothers around to tell "Old Sol" when a few cards from an extra deck were slipped in.

### BRUCE H. MOYER.

"Cocky" is the diminutive young chap that wears the collegiate sweater with the big block "C." Bruce graduated from the course in football given at Mount Union College and came to Case in the fall of '19. Last season

he took up the course, where he left off, and cavorted around at quarter and half-back on the Case varsity.

This year he is a member of the honorary society, Skull and Bones, a member of the Boost Case Association Finance Committee, member of the Junior Dance Committee, and Stage manager for the annual Home Concert. "Cocky" is an all-season athlete, and, if some badly "torn ligaments" mend in time, he is touted to win most of the sprints on the cinder path this spring, as he won all these events last year.

### ROBERT F. KNOWLTON.

Lieutenant Commander Knowlton had his career in the Delta Alpha chapter lengthened by the late World War but is back in school with both feet. "Bob" is not what would be termed a real talkative person until someone in the house starts a "popular debate." Then again "Bob" is chairman of the unofficial Dance Censure Board; credit goes chiefly to him for ushering the late lamented "Camel Walk" out of the Sigma Nu dance programs. Bob was a member of the championship basketball team and, when rushed into the deciding contest, showed real class in helping to put over the final punch. All the Brothers are expecting to hear more of "Bob's" prowess after the inter-fraternity track meet.



## UNDER GRADUATES—Continued

Since the "Deacon" left us, at the end of the first semester, Bob finds it difficult to get anyone to discuss the "Whichness and Whatness of Why."

### CARL JONES.

Carl spent two years at Reserve but is gradually recovering from the effects. The writer overheard a little private discussion in a quiet corner of the house one afternoon in which the remark was made that, "If Carl made a little more noise at school he would be in line for Tau "Bait." But why burden a man with such responsibilities! All joking aside, Brother Jones is just what the Chapter's only married man should be, a good earnest worker, with a resultant good scholarship record.

### JOHN LANDIS

"Jack" Landis is one of those irregular students, two hours or so at class and then several hours at the bridge table over on Adelbert Road. John graduated from Oberlin last year and was the recipient of a scholarship from the Grasselli Chemical Company. But he overlooked one thing. He was so active in athletics at Oberlin that he has played out all his allowable years under the conference ruling. "Johnny" was the

consistent star of our championship fraternity basketball team. His floor work proved so disastrous to the opposing teams that, long before the end of the season, he was a marked man. He is a valuable man, for it is not often that a fraternity has the opportunity to pledge a college graduate with such a record in scholarship and athletics.

### H. F. ROBERTS

"Red" Roberts, as the writer, modestly refrains from writing himself up as a member of Tau Beta Pi and various other honorary fraternities inasmuch as he does not happen to be a member of the said fraternities. However, he did succeed Brother Torgler as fraternity editor for The Case Tech, and he is president of the Pick and Shovel Club as well as a member of the Athletic Association for the coming year.

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This concludes the list of active men in the class of '22 who will head the chapter next year. If they live up to their records made thus far, and follow the examples set by the present seniors, Sigma Nu will continue to be heard from at Case School of Applied Science.



## THE SOPHOMORES.

The class of '23 is large because of the fact that a great many men returned from the service to resume their studies in college. Partly because of this fact we were able to pledge an unusually large number of excellent men. Unfortunately, a number of them have transferred to other colleges. We will try to write a little of each man who is still in school.

"Dick" Buchman came to Case this year from Ohio State, where he took his freshman work. He has proved to be a good mixer, and besides playing on our championship basketball team he is getting a firm foothold in the school activities. We are expecting a great deal from this small man.

"Bill" Donkin started the year in hard luck, as he was injured in football practice. The occurrence was unfortunate for us also, since it meant another Sigma Nu on the squad. But Bill is hale and hearty now. He has us all sitting up and taking notice.

"Walt" Eynon, in spite of his extensive wanderings, is still in school. He played center on our fraternity basketball team, but his chief interest is to find likely men for our fraternity.

"Jimmy" Gregson is a real live man with a most agreeable personality. Unfortunately, he has not estab-

lished himself in activities, but we are expecting more from him next year.

"Clark" Haskell had to leave school at the end of the first semester because of insufficient credits. At present he is convalescing from an operation. He is not big but he is full of pep. We are waiting for him to come back this fall.

Carl Koester blew in from East High of Cleveland. He is the man we hate to see at the end of each month, for he has charge of the recording and posting of our monthly grades.

"Virg" Maxwell was our best known man his freshman year, as he had been the ranking officer of the Cleveland High School Cadets. During his first year he was secretary of his class; this year he is treasurer. He is a member of the sophomore honorary society, Alpha Phi.

Howard Mitzel is our Canton boy who knows all about machines, and all about grades. He is a past master in Mathematics. His ability as an actor has not yet been displayed, but he should come to the front in the next home concert.

Warren B. Stimson has ability along all lines, both in athletics and in class. He is our long boy, and almost as lazy as he is long. His hardest work is to seriously

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apply himself to any one thing. Even at that, we expect the time will come when he will lose us in his smoke.

"Baldy" Vaughn is one of our most versatile men, being good in his studies and active on the campus. This year he made his C in basketball, a member of the Case Senate, and Alpha Phi. He is very active in fraternity affairs, so active, in fact, that none of us will need to worry about the chapter as long as he is here.

"Mert" Wakefield has been acting as understudy for

Brother Wallace in managing the Musical Clubs. He has proven himself a hard worker, and he can be depended upon in spite of the number of women who continue to pester him.

"Al" Collings is a man who would have helped our chapter extensively if fate had not decreed that he leave school. He is an all-round athlete, but has finally reached the conclusion that engineering is not in his sphere.

### ALUMNI

Going down the line, we have Brother Walter Denman. Brother Denman, who with Regent Meyers, operates the Denman Myer Tire Co., a good Sigma Nu Corporation, in among the many hit by the present financial stringency. From all appearance, however, he is coming out very nicely, and will in time be the same old prosperous Walter.

Brother Berridge is assisting Henry Ford to Motorize the universe, and it at present located in Ash-tabula. Roy's shining visage was seen around 2073 Adelbert, quite frequently last summer, but for some reason he has been among the missing during the winter. We expect to see him soon, however, as the noise of the Ford is once more heard in the land.

Dwight Legget writes that he is doing some great engineering as bridge engineer of Ashtabula County, and furthermore, that he has a couple of promising candidates in view for Sigma Nu next year.

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That's the sort of stuff we've got to have to get by, so thank him very sincerely.

Sam Hibben was a recent visitor at the House—dropping in a for a short stay on April 13th. Sam, as head of the Illuminating Engineering Bureau of the Westinghouse Lamp Co., was here on business, in regard to the lighting of the new State, Hanna and Allen theaters, and the Hanna Building, for which the Westinghouse Co. supplied the lighting system. As it was Sam's first visit to the new house, he was shown all the sights before he left. Sam is now at Montclair, N. S.

Glen Bales, since joining the ranks of the benedicts, has been pretty busy. Well, we can't blame him—some day he'll come back strong.

Molly Callender is still shooting oil wells in Texas, while our other rambler, Spike Hopkins, is somewhere between New Mexico and South Dakota. Spike, as efficiency engineer for the Phelps-Dodge Co., increased the efficiency of the concern by canning himself and is now in search of job.

L. L. Hopkins is still at Schenectady as librarian in the main library of the General Electric Co. Brother Hopkins has been very active in organizing an alumni chapter at Schenectady, and has been elected secretary of the chapter formed.

Elmer Francy is one of the leading citizens of Toronto, as president of the Toronto Foundry Co., while Al Schow is general manager of the Champion Evaporation Co., of Hudson, Ohio.

As an example of the ends to which an engineer can drift, let us cite Brothers Herion, Kahres, Bloom, Hindman and Royan. Herion as a first lieutenant, U. S. A., is advancing the civilization of Texas; Kahres is making pretty pictures in his dandy studio; Bloom is importing rubber; Hindman is an instructor in physical education at O. S. U., while Royan is a broker. And still they say engineers are narrow minded.

Jack Maline is one man to whom we who occupy the House owe a great deal. While holding down his job as vice president of the E. F. Hauserman Co., he has always found time to do a lot for



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Delta Alpha. It was largely to his efforts in particular that we own the present house. So here's to Jack—may his shadow never grow less.

Hans Wenrick and Ralph Kneale drop in on us from time to time, as do many of the more recent alumni. Such as Chuck Medsker and Willard Kehres.

Among the recent converts to the benedicts we might mention Buck Kryder, Reath Parks, Russ Price and Glen Bales. Reath says it's a great life, but the others have not committed themselves.

Frank Erben became so interested in the lure of the sea during the war that he has stuck with it, and is now first assistant engineer of the S. S. Mobile City, a U. S. Steel Corp. boat. Ed Kneale, another of our sailors is completely wrapped up in his father's business and is seldom seen.

Eddie "Pinaud" Hopper still sports the patent leather shoes and Hal Crane still shoots a wicked stick at pool. Packard and Buell are still with the Barber-Greene Co., while Jack Cryan is a research chemist in New York, at last reports.

The Williams brothers are coming in the steel industry of Youngstown. Goat was a visitor at the house during the week of April twentieth, but G. T. is too busy to travel.

"Nick" Carter is now in the selling game with the Alliance Machine Co. Nick was a recent visitor at the house. He was around with a pocketful of big black cigars and a wicked line. The best part of the matter is that Nick Carter, the black cigars and the wicked line are all "getting by" big.

"Chuck" Medsker is now a sergeant in the army of the unemployed—but he isn't worrying—much. His time is divided between baseball games and the upkeep of a motorcycle and a Stearns-Knight—not to mention one wife.



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