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Message from the Supreme Justice

William S. Culbertson

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I AM IMPRESSED with the fact that, with important exceptions, members of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity do not realize the opportunities and privileges which membership in this Fraternity affords. Many of our brothers are enthusiastic workers and maintain their contacts with the national officers, but some brothers are indifferent and not only contribute nothing but receive nothing from their fraternal relationships.

We have many thousand members in the legal profession in the United States. Through these members we have contacts with local and national life and are in a position to contribute to the maintenance of high standards in the legal profession and to ideals and devotion in public service.

The Fraternity has suffered from the depression which has affected every phase of American life. The retiring national officers have done noble and effective work in maintaining the fraternity organization and have now passed it on to the new officers whose ambition it is to add interest and fidelity to the work of the active and Alumni Chapters and State Associations and to extend their number.

Fraternities generally are a very influential factor in present day American life. We as a law fraternity have an opportunity to set a standard and to contribute not only to the broader standards of our own profession but to the solution of great public questions.

As Supreme Justice it will be my objective to emphasize these broader aspects of our fraternity life. Questions of ritual and of fraternity administration will be dealt with as they arise and no less emphasis than heretofore will be given to the pleasures of fraternal association. I shall, however, devote a greater part of my time and energy to extending the activities of our law fraternity in fields of substantive importance to our profession and to our public life. I shall ask our members to take an active part in their local Bar Associations and in the American Bar Association, to encourage the teaching of the Federal and State Constitutions especially in secondary schools, to throw their influence in favor of the improvement and enforcement of criminal law, to contribute, if they are academically inclined, to the constructive work of the American Law Institute and, in general, to direct their energies and thought to public service whether they happen to hold public office or whether they are engaged in the private practice of law.

I shall emphasize the national aspect of our fraternity life. We must seek to revitalize our Chapters in every part of the country and to establish new Chapters in other strategic schools and centers. In order to do this I must have the cooperation of the leading men in the fraternity. I have already had a splendid response. I invite further letters with suggestions and in turn I shall ask brothers in various parts of the country to take up actively the work of organization and with their cooperation keep our fraternity during the next two years national both in work and in spirit.

The Story of the Convention

By WILLIAM M. O'SHEA

THE 23RD BIENNIAL NATIONAL CONVENTION of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity—for all practical purposes started in the sick room of the Supreme Justice, Allan T. Gilbert, at St. Luke's Hospital in Chicago. There, where our Supreme Justice was confined for months, the initial plans for the Convention were laid. I might add, that when it became apparent that the Fraternity itself would not be able to stand the financial burden incidental to a National Convention, that it was there that Harry A. Carlson (Blackstone) and Henry L. Chatroop (Marshall) came forward, and formed the Financial Committee, that arranged through the cooperation of members of the Chicago Alumni Chapter, the necessary aid that resulted in the splendid meeting PAD enjoyed this summer.

MONDAY, AUGUST 20TH, and the boys are already gathering. The Supreme Secretary, Frank M. Ludwick, together with Joe Wheeler and Bill Nute of Ross Chapter, have checked in, making it in Joe's Ford in just about the time the train would have taken.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22ND, and the Supreme Board meeting is about to be called, immediately preceeding the opening of the Convention. The Supreme Vice-Justice, Frank E. Rutledge, Past Supreme Justices Paul C. Meier, John Doyle Carmody, August A. Rendigs, Jr., and George E. Fink are present. Assisting them are District Justices A. A. Verrilli and Paul Parsons. Joseph A. Carey of the Washington Alumni Chapter, George G. Stout (Taft), C. Wilson Keeler (Knox), and Hawley Todd (Chase) are among the early arrivals to sit in at the meeting of the Supreme Board.

WEDNESDAY EVENING the boys from the Chicago Chapters arrive to rehearse the Model Initiation. Following, Marie Ludwick plays all the songs in the Fraternity Song Book for the assembled gang, and they really let go. Judge Arthur J. Tuttle (Campbell) is a late arrival. And at midnight the entire gang goes a little wild, as Past Supreme Justice John J. Nangle arrives.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23RD. Seven o'clock in the morning and the Florida gang is in. Gardner from Fletcher—Duss, Garrison and Underhill from Brewer. They are closely followed by the Texas delegation—Harrison, Long and Walker from Taney. At nine in the morning the Registration opens in charge of John L. Sunde (Webster), assisted by Charles Washer (Marshall) and a charter member of the Fraternity, Sidney B. Meyer (Fuller). The boys get a great kick out of being registered by a Charter member. And then how that gang did pour in, Green Chapter sent Kolterman and Bolton—Benson sent Strieby and Cobean—Ryan had Spencer, Schlotthauer, Sander, Oldenberg, Born and Baker as representatives. Members of the Chicago Chapter are out in large numbers to welcome the visitors and make them feel at home. Henry, Hare and Dye come in together representing Benton Chapter. Here are Wattson from Mitchell Chapter, and Brown from Morgan. The Alumni Chapters are not to be outdone by the Collegiate Chapters, and practically every Alumni group is represented. Among the early arrivals are Grooms from Birmingham, Alabama; Gray from Pittsburgh; Constable from New York; LaBrun from Philadelphia;

and Tarr from Los Angeles. St. Louis sent a large group, and among the early arrivals were Bushman and Gage. Almost twice as many arrived as had made reservations, and the Drake Hotel is having trouble finding rooms for all of them. Eventually it is all straightened out, and every one is happy.

WHAT A FINE LOOKING BUNCH of fellows the delegates really are. It makes you feel that the future of the Law will be in good hands. Dwyer from Wilson Chapter, Carmody from Hay; Johnson from Reese; Smith, Greenwell and Gilkerson from Magruder; Brown from Sutherland; Richmond from Jefferson.

THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS under its chairman, Colonel William J. Wigginton (Clay) is meeting, and just about has its list of accredited delegates completed. Morony from Temple Chapter; Griffith from Willey; Lovrien and Larson from Cole; and Miller from Staples are added to the list as the Supreme Justice pounds for order, and the 23rd Biennial National Convention opens. What a great gathering it is.

PAST SUPREME JUSTICE GEORGE L. STEWART has just come in from San Francisco, and Frank L. Fawcett from Milwaukee. What a wealth of memories the presence of these older men add to a National Convention. Allan at length has his way, and every one comes to attention. Dwight H. Green (Marshall) U. S. District Attorney for Chicago, is officially welcoming the Brothers to Chicago. The Chairman of the Convention follows him, and briefly outlines the program for the three days of the Convention. The Supreme Justice intimates that it will be in order for all to take a few minutes off for lunch.

DISTRICT JUSTICE ERNEST H. PETT, Albert E. Cunliff and Hugh S. Wilson (Clark) lead the way to the buffet luncheon, one of those one-price, all-you-can-eat affairs. Our boys did so well that the Drake Hotel had to raise

the price the week we left.

Webster Chapter opens its headquarters on the mezzanine floor and during the entire Convention offers refreshments to all PADs. Blackstone Chapter have their headquarters on the second floor and hold open house at all hours.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION opens with the photographers being much in evidence. The Supreme Officers are now reporting on their charge of the last four years. To the assembled delegates, the men who make the wheels of PAD go around, these reports are most interesting, for they are the story of the trials and difficulties, and eventual accomplishments of our Fraternity throughout and over the Depression. And then the Chief Tribune makes just a little different report. Then the disheartening news is brought to the Convention, that one of its Past Supreme Justices, Thomas P. Octigan, has just undergone an operation. How Tom loved to be at a National Convention. At this time, the Chairman of the Program Committee, Raymond R. Stern (Magruder) presents every one at the session with a souvenir program of the 23rd Biennial National Convention.

Thomas J. Brown, Justice of Story Chapter, invites all and sundry to Story Chapter House after the session, and before the banquet, for some liquid refreshment.

SEVEN P. M. The ladies of the Convention are gathered for their reception, with Mrs. Allan T. Gilbert as the gracious hostess. Brothers William J. Nealon (Story), Herbert J. Engel (Webster) and Wally Born (Blackstone) are taking care of the cocktails. The party had been announced as for the ladies only, but, of course, men would intrude. However, hats off to the loveliest couple of the Convention. Mr. and Mrs. Burton Dull (Hammond) had been married but a day before, and are spending their honeymoon at the Con-

vention. A long life and a happy one! The ladies adjourn to the roof of the Seneca Hotel for dinner and cards, with Mrs. George E. Fink in charge.

AND IN THE DRAKE HOTEL, after much cajoling and threats, the Fraternity at last sits down to the Convention Banquet. David F. Root (Magruder) and Elmer M. Million (Harlan) help round up the gang. The Drake had made the supreme gastronomic effort and the members loudly applauded the attempt. In fact, some of the Chicago members applauded the effort so loudly that they did not get over it all evening. A. Stanley Olin (Webster) furnishes the music. Webster Chapter has some acts of entertainment. But for entertainment unique, Blackstone Chapter cops all prizes. In Streets of Paris costumes the undaunted Blackstonians reach new heights in the musical world. And then the introductions at the Speakers' table. Past Supreme Justice George E. Fink introduces the Justice of the Chicago Alumni Chapter as the toastmaster of the evening. The usual defenses are offered by the offending toastmaster. We hear from the Supreme Vice-Justice and the Supreme Secretary. Some two hundred of our Brothers, unable to attend the Convention for various reasons, are thoughtful enough to send in their regrets. Their names are read to the assembled Banquet. Presented are the Supreme Historian, Lawrence R. Lytle; Supreme Editor, Earl H. Hatcher; Brothers Dwight H. Green, William S. Culbertson, Joseph A. Carey, and all Past Supreme Justices. A year before the Convention the Chicago Alumni Chapter had offered an Alumni Key to the man in each of the Chapters in Illinois with the highest scholastic standing. These keys are now awarded to the fortunate men. The reception of the Supreme Justice, Allan T. Gilbert, by the hundreds of Brothers present, must have been very gratifying to him, and in some measure a reward for the effort he put forth in the last four years

for Phi Alpha Delta. And then the speaker of the evening. A member of Clay Chapter at the University of Kentucky, attending his second Convention—the first as a delegate from his own Chapter, and the second as the honored Speaker at the 23rd Biennial National Convention. What an inspiration for every young man in the audience—a man who had made two trips to Washington, D. C.—the first one riding the rails to see Centre College down Harvard, and the second one as a Representative in the Congress of the United States. Brothers in Phi Alpha Delta, allow me to present Congressman John Young Brown.

SO MANY OF OUR MEMBERS had arrived at the Convention just before the Banquet. What glad receptions—Some of our Chicago Judges, Francis J. Benda, J. William Brooks, and William E. Helander (Fuller); John H. Lyle and James P. Harrold (Webster); Jay A. Schiller and Emmet F. Byrne (Story). Magruder Chapter had other representatives in Walter F. Dodd, Deneen F. Watson and Carus S. Icenogle. What a wonderful time that night after the Banquet with Peter D. Giachini (Clay), Robert E. Owens (Hammond), Eugene Vincent Clark (Calhoun), and Homer A. Dodge (Benson). Hour after hour—honestly I hope I never miss a National Convention as long as I live, just to have the real joy of living, that we had that Thursday night.

FRIDAY MORNING. Nine P.M. Or was it just a little after? Anyhow, the second session of the Convention did get under way. And if it were a little late, I wonder why, or who cares. S. R. Pulaski (Story) and E. R. Branson (Webster) as the Faculty Reception Committee were on hand early to greet all members of faculties of the various schools.

THE LADIES, GOD BLESS 'EM. Brother Fred Corley (Webster), who left the

Law to become Vice-President and General Manager of Marshall Field's Department Store, has become the host, at his store, full of objects of wonder for the ladies. Of course, it may go rather hard on the old man's pocket-book after the ladies see the latest, but you know we do not have a National Convention every day. Thomas C. Hollywood (Fuller), Alvin B. Olson (Webster), and John E. Pedderson (Blackstone) send the ladies off for a tour of the store, and a luncheon and style show, preceeding the trip to the Fair.

AT THE DRAKE the Convention is hearing the reports of its many Committees. District Justice Paul Parsons introduces Professor J. V. Masters of the University of Alabama. David O. Mathews (Reese), John B. DeLaney (Blackstone), Charles E. Lane (Taft) and Eugene M. Runyard (Ryan), Justice of the Illinois State Association, addresses the Convention. Once more that Chairman of the Convention is breaking in to tell you that busses are waiting outside the Hotel, and you had better hurry as the luncheon at the Chicago Bar Association will be getting cold.

THE LARGEST CROWD that ever sat down to a luncheon at the Chicago Bar Association is gathered on this memorable occasion. George L. Quilici (Story) and James Thorpe (Blackstone) have everything well in hand. The Bar Association has thoughtfully printed the menu of the day on Purple Cards with letters of Gold. Past President of the Bar Association, Mr. Charles P. Megan is welcoming PAD, not alone as a group of good lawyers, but as fine fellows as well. Corporation Counsel of the City of Chicago, Brother William H. Sexton, has, as he expresses it, the pleasant job of welcoming on behalf of the City of Chicago, and as a Brother as well. Judge Arthur J. Tuttle (Campbell) is

to be the speaker of the day, and to do honor to this admirable Brother of ours, his College Fraternity, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, has sent a delegation. Nice gesture! And then the Supreme Justice is presenting Brother Tuttle. Your scribe has been attending luncheon meetings at the Bar Association for years, but never in all that time has any speaker held an audience as did our own Brother Tuttle. More of him later in the afternoon.

THE BUSES ARE WAITING for us on LaSalle Street. R. D. Beckett (Blackstone), Harold C. Adsit (Fuller) and Harold F. Scovel (Story) see that every one is loaded. To the North Gate of the World's Fair. A short walk across the Avenue of Flags, and Brother Harry E. Rice (Blackstone) the Commodore of the fleet at a Century of Progress, has his entire fleet waiting for us, to take the entire Convention—Ladies included—for a boat trip around the lagoons to see the entire fair, and then deposit us at the Court of the Hall of States for the Phi Alpha Delta Day Celebration at the Fair. I guess Harry is just an example of the fact that a fellow just never gets over being a PAD. Incidentally, when Harry E. Rice was Justice of Blackstone Chapter, he initiated Allan T. Gilbert.

NBC AND ALL AFFILIATED STATIONS in the United States of America! From the Court of the Hall of States the Convention is to broadcast the program of Phi Alpha Delta at the Fair. How sweetly the quartet comes on the air with "Phi Alpha Delta Sweetheart." What a lovely song for a grand Fraternity. The Supreme Justice is introducing the Honorable Arthur J. Tuttle, Judge of the Federal Court from Michigan, to speak to all PAD's everywhere on this great day in the Fraternity's history. He is followed by another of our distinguished brothers, the Honorable William S. Culbertson of Washington, D. C., who has served his country, and

well, in so many important positions. Is not pride just a little justifiable, when we see the product of PAD. Perhaps, "True to Thee, Phi Alpha Delta" takes on a little different shade of meaning as the quartet brings this delightful half hour of a National broadcast to a close. Judge John H. Lyle (Webster) announces that several of the villages of the Fair, will be pleased to throw their gates open to all PAD's on this great day. Henry L. Chatroop (Marshall) has several clients who wish to be host as well, including Buck Rogers and his great show.

A HURRIED VIEW of the Wonders of the Fair, and then to the Hall of Science where the Trustees of the Fair, have thrown open their own lounge to us, for a reception and cocktail party. Charles D. Woodruff (Marshall), Paul E. White (Blackstone), Edwin A. Robson (Story) and Theodore J. Beck (Campbell) are everywhere, seeing that all are introduced. Governor Henry Horner of Illinois, drops in for a few minutes to renew friendships with many of the lawyers that formerly practiced before him in the Probate Court.

ONCE MORE GENIAL HARRY RICE has his boats waiting for us, and away to Merrie England. Those that do not use the boats, parade down the broad avenues of the Fair, with a Scottish Kilty band leading the way. Robert H. Co-bean (Benson), Stephen A. Thomas (Blackstone), Justin H. McCarthy (Story) and Merle Lyon (Marshall) organize the parade. All over the Fair by this time are large signs welcoming Phi Alpha Delta. What a time there was in the Red Star Inn that Friday nite at dinner.

NINE P.M., AND THE FRATERNITY SONG FESTIVAL and Beer Drinking Contest is about to get under way at Old Heidelberg Inn on the Fair Grounds. James H. Turner (Marshall) takes charge of the entertainment and things move very rapidly. No one seems to

know when this party broke up. Frank J. Kelly (Taft) and Elmer M. Million (Harlan) lead the singing.

SATURDAY MORNING, August 25th. The ladies of the Convention are taken for an automobile trip along the North Shore. Mrs. Charles G. Koepke, Mrs. Dwight H. Green, and Mrs. Thomas P. Octigan are hostesses. Arthur E. Boroughf (Marshall) Charles G. Nichols (Blackstone) and John J. Flynn (Story) help arrange the transportation. To the many members in Chicago who so kindly donated cars, our thanks. Luncheon is served at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, with a few lazy hours spent on the Beach Walk afterwards.

HANG ON TO YOUR HATS BOYS, here we go again! Philip G. Brennan (Story) the acting Marshal of the Convention, is having difficulties this morning rounding up the delegates to have the session under way. Assisting him are Edwin L. Bennett (Webster) R. Hosken Damon (Ryan) and Paul Manning (Blackstone). The committees continue their reports. The proceedings are interrupted while Frank B. Murray (Blackstone), a charter member of the fraternity addresses the convention. Leon T. David (Holmes) also speaks at this session.

LUNCHEON ON SATURDAY, and the entire hotel buzzes with the business that is to come before the Convention this afternoon. The committees are holding hurried meetings in order to complete their work. John R. Snively (Magruder) enlivens the opening of the afternoon session. Then Carl A. Dahlberg (Dunbar) lets loose with the report of his committee, and the resolutions are put through in record time.

THEN COMES THE HIGHSPOINT of the

entire convention. What an ovation, as Past Supreme Justice, Thomas P. Octigan, who two days before had been operated on, comes from the hospital to attend the convention! Even in this hardboiled gathering, there were a few eyes that were not entirely dry, as Tom showed what the fraternity had meant to him.

EDWIN A. HALE (WEBSTER) is in charge of the exemplification of the Ritual of the Fraternity, and demonstrates a model initiation. The Convention Chairman tells the convention to please hurry up, as the room has to be put in order for the Convention Ball of the evening. The Chair sets him down pronto.

FOR A BRIEF MOMENT—quiet. Allen J. Oberding (Webster) is reading the list of those Brothers who have gone on, since the last Convention. “—the Fraternity of Brotherly Love—in triumph or in trial—in life or in death—.”

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOLLOWS, with the nominating speeches curtailed. The candidates are led to the platform, and each says just a few words. The Convention is pleased with the results of the election. Bill Culbertson says, “if this honor had been mine twenty years ago, it would have gone to my head—today, it goes to my heart.” Dwight H. Green, affectionately known as Pete, is elected Supreme Vice Justice, one of the most vigorous and respected lawyers in the country. What would the Fraternity ever do without Frank M. Ludwick as Secretary? Affable Albert L. Schweitzer (Lawson) is elected Supreme Historian, after twenty-five years of service to the Fraternity. The great loyal service of Frank E. Rutledge (Webster) is rewarded by electing him to the newly created office of Supreme Alumni Advisor. Lyman P. Wilson (Marshall) is likewise honored by election to the office of Supreme Faculty Advisor. For the office of Supreme Marshal, I can only say,

I hope I may be fortunate enough to keep pace with my fellow officers.

CONGRATULATIONS, felicitations are in order. Amid laudatory speeches, the 23d Biennial National Convention is brought to a close.

WOULD IT BE ENTIRELY AMISS here to mention Miss Mary R. O'Brien? For months before the Convention she has labored for the success of the gathering. We won't recount all the work she performed, but tonite, for the Convention Ball, she has dates for all the out of town delegates. Blind dates are usually sort of scary things, but delegates, I ask you—Were the dates OK?

AND THE BALL ITSELF. Really, it was wonderful, and a lovely way to wind up a great Convention. A. Stanley Olin (Webster) furnished the music from nine till three. “Phi Alpha Delta Sweetheart” was the theme song, and it was played so often we hope every one knows it by this time. A thousand people danced to the delightful music, a thousand people had a grand time all over the Drake Hotel that night. Every one was at their best.

ALL GOOD THINGS have to come to a close, and so with this Convention. You sort of get to know everybody after living, working and playing with them during the days of a Convention. The goodbyes are not so good, except there are future Conventions to look forward to, and we hope to see a good many of the boys this winter at some of the Chapters.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 26TH. The newly created Supreme Board is meeting. The meeting is frequently interrupted by departing Delegates, coming to say goodbye. Caswell Crebs (Ross) has to say so long to the Southern Cal crowd, as he is registering at Illinois this year. Edward J. Lesko (Watson) says so long for a few days,

as we are to join him at Milwaukee, at the American Bar Convention.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE E. FINK kindly invite the crowd that is left Sunday nite, out to their home for a Buffet supper, with the injunction that there are to be no goodbyes.

BACK TO THE HOTEL, and a few of us sit around, with ghosts positively jumping out of the corners.

TO THANK EVERY ONE that helped in the Convention is almost impossible. I would have to mention too many names. I will, however, pick out just a few. To the Supreme Justice, for the privilege of serving the Fraternity as Con-

vention Chairman, my heartfelt thanks. To Raymond R. Stern, for his issues of the Dictum and the Convention program—a fine job. To John L. Sunde and Charles Washer who stuck at that Registration Desk for three days—we just could not have done without you. To Charles K. Koepke, who was with me every minute of the day and night, taking all the work he could on his own shoulders—well. I expected that of Gus. And to all and sundry who helped by their efforts, their kindly interest and their wonderful and inspiring presence, I sincerely thank you, and hope you enjoyed the 23d Biennial National Convention half as much as I did.



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Summary of the Report of the 23rd Biennial Convention

The Twenty-third Biennial Convention of the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity was called to order at the Drake Hotel at noon, August 23rd, 1934, by Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert.

Brother Dwight H. Green, United States District Attorney, delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by Past Supreme Justice August A. Rendigs, Jr.

Convention Chairman, William M. O'Shea welcomed the delegates, distributed convention programs and announced in detail the convention program.

The Supreme Justice announced the appointment of convention committees as follows:

AUDITING COMMITTEE:

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Al Verrilli (Calhoun)
George Stout (Taft)
Henry Chatroop (Marshall)
Leon T. David (Holmes)
John J. Nangle (Benton)

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James Harrold (Webster)
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George E. Fink (Story-Campbell)
David O. Mathews (Reese)
Wm. S. Culbertson (Calhoun)
Frank L. Fawcett (Ryan)
John Snively (Magruder)
Thomas Constable (Rapallo)
James D. Gray (Watson)

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Stephen D. Griffith (Willey)
Frank J. Kelly (Taft)

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Henry Chatroop (Marshall)
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William M. O'Shea (Webster) Chairman.

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Albert Cunliff (Clark)
Cecil Emery (Webster)

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NATIONAL PAD CELEBRATION COMMITTEE:

J. D. Brown (Morgan) Chairman.
Elmer Million (Harlan)
William M. O'Shea (Webster)
Joseph Wheeler (Ross)
Chas. E. Long, Jr. (Taney)

STATE ASSOCIATIONS COMMITTEE:

Frank E. Rutledge (Webster)
 Charles E. Woodruff (Marshall)
 Ernest Pett (Ryan)
 Paul Parsons (Morgan)

PER CAPITA TAX AND LIFE

SUBSCRIPTION COMMITTEE:

George G. Stout (Taft) Chairman
 Judge Arthur J. Tuttle (Campbell)
 Hawley Todd (Chase)
 Wilson Keeler (Knox)
 Harold Bolton (Green)

POLITICAL POLICY COMMITTEE:

John J. Nangle (Benton) Chairman.
 Homer Dodge (Benson)
 Leon T. David (Holmes)
 Jos. Carey (Taft)
 John D. Carmody (Taft)

REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE:

Raymond R. Stern (Magruder) Chairman
 Eugene V. Clarke (Calhoun-Livingston)

Following the singing of "True to Thee, Phi Alpha Delta," the convention recessed for luncheon.

The Credentials Committee reported the following delegates as entitled to be seated at convention, and upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, the report of the Credentials Committee was accepted and the delegates ordered seated:

Merrill Strieby, Robert H. Cobean, Benson Chapter.

Byron Dye, Robert Henry, Benson Chapter.
 Miles J. Seyk, Richard C. Swander, Blackstone Chapter.

Amory Underhill, John Duss, Brewer Chapter.

Hawley Todd, Chase Chapter.
 Hugh Wilson, Clark Chapter.
 Wm. J. Wiggington, Clay Chapter.
 Harlan Larson, Phillip Lovrien, Cole Chapter.

Carl Dahlberg, Dunbar Chapter.
 Richard J. Gardner, Fletcher Chapter.
 George R. Sullivan, Fuller Chapter.
 Harold Bolton, Green Chapter.
 W. Burton Dull, Hammond Chapter.
 Elmer M. Million, Harlan Chapter.
 Phillip Carmody, Hay Chapter.
 E. H. Richmond, Jefferson Chapter.
 C. Wilson Keeler, Knox Chapter.
 Charles D. Woodruff, Marshall Chapter.

M. Wattson, Mitchell Chapter.
 J. D. Brown, Morgan Chapter.
 Wilbur L. Johnson, Reese Chapter.
 William T. Nute, Joseph Wheeler, Ross Chapter.
 Raymond R. Stern, Magruder Chapter.
 Hugh F. Oldenberg, Ryan Chapter.
 John M. Miller, Staples Chapter.
 Thomas J. Brown, Story Chapter.
 Willard R. Brown, Sutherland Chapter.
 George G. Stout, Taft Chapter.
 Hamlett Harrison, Charles E. Long, Jr., Taney Chapter.
 Jean Morony, Temple Chapter.
 Edward J. Lesko, Watson Chapter.
 Allan J. Oberding, Webster Chapter.
 M. Harold Dwyer, Wilson Chapter.
 August A. Rendigs, Jr., Cincinnati Alumni Chapter.

Henry Chatroop, Chicago Alumni Chapter.
 Leon T. David, Los Angeles Alumni Chapter.

Thomas W. Contable, New York City Alumni Chapter.

James D. Gray, Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter.
 Albert L. Schweitzer, St. Louis Alumni Chapter.

Earl H. Hatcher, Topeka Alumni Chapter.
 William S. Culbertson, Frank J. Kelly, Washington D. C. Alumni Chapter.

H. H. Groom, Birmingham Alumni Chapter.

Frank L. Fawcett, Milwaukee Alumni Chapter.

Paul Parsons, Alabama State Association.
 John R. Snively, Illinois State Association.

The Supreme Justice introduced the following members of the Supreme Advisory Board:

Past Supreme Justice Paul C. Meier.
 Past Supreme Justice John Doyle Carmody.
 Past Supreme Justice George L. Stewart.
 Past Supreme Justice August A. Rendigs, Jr.
 Past Supreme Justice Frank L. Fawcett.
 Past Supreme Justice George E. Fink.
 Past Supreme Justice John J. Nangle.

He announced that Past Supreme Justice Thomas P. Octigan was prevented from attending by reason of the fact that he was in the hospital.

The Chair announced that the next order of business would be the reports of Supreme Officers, and the following reports were presented, accepted and approved:

REPORT OF SUPREME JUSTICE, ALLAN T. GILBERT

"Dear Brothers:

Four years ago, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, the 22nd Biennial Convention of PAD elected the National Officers who appear before you at this convention. We are to render a report of our activities during that period to the delegates here assembled and through them to the Fraternity at large.

It is needless to comment upon the difficult times our nation has gone through. PAD, being a national organization with chapters spread from one end of the United States to another, experienced all the troubles that any healthy national association experienced during that period.

THE CHAPTERS

There appeared upon the roll of chapters at the 22nd Biennial Convention 48 active chapters. During the four year period we added only one chapter, Roger Taney, at Southern Methodist, and the charters of 6 chapters were recalled and the charters suspended by the Supreme Board—Calhoun, Holmes, Keener, Lamar, McReynolds and Ruffin. This leaves us today with 43 active chapters. There is very little opportunity of ever reviving Calhoun principally because of the attitude of the school in controlling and planning its extra curriculum work for its students. There is very excellent reason to believe that the other five chapters mentioned will be revived this fall, with Williams Chapter a possibility, which would bring us up to the same figure as first mentioned—namely 48. I believe I express the opinion of the Supreme Board when I state that the five chapters mentioned are considered temporarily suspended.

FINANCES

The Supreme Secretary will, of course, give you the detailed financial information as well as furnishing an

audit of the accounts. Considering that the first year of this administration enjoyed about a normal income of approximately \$12,500 and that last year that income dropped to \$7,000, we speak with pride when we show a gross income for the year ending June 1, 1934, of \$9,000. Deficits of \$1641.16 for 1932 and \$1632.46 for 1933 appear on the audit. Surpluses appear amounting to \$2271.60 for 1932 and \$1590.21 for 1934; \$5270.88 as owing from the active chapters and \$485.00 from alumnus chapters; cash in bank \$3463.56 plus claim against Bank of Hollywood of \$958.45. All bills paid, with the exception of an item of approximately \$6,000, which is due and owing the endowment and for which sum the Supreme Board has executed a demand note.

The \$9,000 gross for the year 1933-34 ending June 1st is in spite of a reduction in per capita taxes from \$7 to \$5 and the assumption on the part of the Fraternity of the first installment of the life subscription to the Reporter. The reductions were made in order to assist in lightening the load on the active chapters. Another item which I should like to call to the attention of the convention is that neither the per capita taxes, initiation fees or alumnus chapter fees, to my knowledge, have been raised for over 12 years and I believe that that statement would apply to the years immediately following the war.

It was the determination of the Supreme Board that there should be no curtailment of the functions of the national organization. We felt that during the distressing times we were called upon to make greater efforts in contacting the chapters. Thus all of the chapters were visited by a National or District officer or their representatives

in 1932. It is your Supreme Justice's humble opinion that at least ten chapters were saved to the Fraternity through these visitations.

Each year of the four years brought a wider scope to our national activities which meant additional labors to the Supreme Secretary's office. There has been no curtailment of any of the work of the national organization. Everyone has contributed to the readjustment of expenses to the end that we more than balanced our budget in 1934.

If it had been possible to collect a major portion of the indebtedness that is due us from the active and alumni chapters we would indeed have a brilliant report for this convention. Your supreme officers, however, in considering the individual cases dealt with them as they thought would serve the best interests of the Fraternity. The enforcing of the obligations in a great many instances would have met with failure and would have in addition occasioned the abandonment of the chapter. As it is, a short time will undoubtedly see a major portion of these accounts collected. The amendment of the constitution permitting the certification of the name of the brothers that have been in arrears to the Supreme Board, and the authority placed in the Board to expel upon 30 days notice, has accelerated collections. Upon expulsion, that part of the chapter indebtedness representing money due from the brothers expelled on account of per capita taxes and initiation fees is credited on the account of the chapter with the National Organization. This, I believe, is the avenue through which the eventual rehabilitation of the chapters can be brought about, but it must be borne in mind that for the present this means considerable reduction in revenue to the Fraternity. However, it needs the most exacting cooperation from the chapter officers in promptly taking advantage of the amendment.

REPORTER

At the Milwaukee convention we had a most interesting time selecting the editor for our magazine. We elected a most successful one in Earl Hatcher of Topeka, Kansas. With the cooperation of the Supreme Board and Brother Washington, he completely reorganized the set-up and name of our magazine. However, he was such a successful brother that he found his duties at the practice would not permit him to carry on the active work of editor. Upon consultation it was decided to place the editing and printing of the magazine in the competent hands of our Supreme Secretary for a trial. The first few issues proved beyond peradventure of a doubt that it was more efficiently and more economically handled than ever heretofore. Upon a careful study of the task of editing such a magazine, it is very patent that it is such a task that busy practitioners at the bar cannot handle without too great a sacrifice. An analysis of the costs will show that we are now producing a better magazine at considerably lower cost than we have ever heretofore experienced.

During this convention, you are to consider an amendment to the constitution abolishing the office of Editor and adding this national function to the duties of the Supreme Secretary.

The REPORTER, in my opinion, is easily rated the best legal fraternity magazine in the country, and the Supreme Board feels that this is one of the accomplishments which carries out the mandates of the 22nd Biennial Convention at Milwaukee.

FRATERNITY EXPANSION

As has been reported to several conventions in succession, there are really very few places in the United States that are available and desirable for the installation of a chapter of Phi Alpha Delta.

During the past four years, we have installed but one chapter, that at Southern Methodist University at Dal-

las, Texas, Roger Taney Chapter, which was installed in May of 1932. We feel that this has been a step in the right direction and the chapter has certainly proved to be worthy of the confidence that we reposed in it.

There have been many inquiries but in most instances we have discouraged petitioning groups to go to the expense of presenting their petitions. I am leaving to the Supreme Secretary the details of this situation to be brought out at the time that will be most propitious for its consideration.

It seems that we might some day investigate:

Boston University
University of Pennsylvania
New York University
University of Oregon
Syracuse University
University of Indiana
University of Texas
University of Montana
University of Georgia
University of South Carolina

The field of chapter rehabilitation would seem to present a fertile field for strengthening our position. Brother Masterson, who has long been the Dean of the University of Idaho at Moscow, is going to the University of Missouri and it is my personal hope that our brothers in St. Louis will take advantage of his coming and revive the charter of Lawson Chapter.

CHAPTER REHABILITATION

We have had in our existence a number of chapters which, for one reason or another, have been suspended or temporarily held in abeyance. During this administration a great deal has been done toward getting groups together to take up those charters.

Without going into details, it would seem that there was a real possibility of bringing to life again this fall:

Holmes Chapter at Leland Stanford
Keener Chapter at Emory University
Lawson Chapter at University of Missouri.
Williams Chapter at University of Oregon.
Fish at Mercer University (12 good men pledged and will be initiated as soon as school opens.)

Whether or not any further effort should be made to revive the following list is something for this convention to consider:

Lamar at University of Mississippi.
Livingston at Columbia.
Lurton at Vanderbilt.
McReynolds at University of Tennessee.
Rapallo at New York University.
Ruffin at University of North Carolina.

Fraternity expansion and chapter rehabilitation really go hand in hand. Your Supreme Board has felt that as a general principle no chapters should be encouraged other than those at Class A Law Schools and in such Class A Law Schools as had a sufficient enrollment to insure a good sized chapter.

HONORARY MEMBERS

Your Supreme Board has pursued the policy of approving the election of less honorary members to membership that has heretofore been customary. It has always been felt that Phi Alpha Delta is so well established that as a general proposition the need for such members is passed, and that such initiations mean unnecessary competition with those of our active men who are increasingly coming up through the ranks to positions of distinction. Honorary members have only been approved where upon petitions of the chapter it is shown that the election of such member would strengthen the faculty or particularly assist in the local prestige of that chapter.

DIRECTORY

Upon the authorization of the 22nd Biennial Convention your supreme officers entered into a contract with Martindales Law Fraternity Directory Corporation. Pursuant to that contract our Supreme Historian Lawrence Lytle and our Supreme Secretary cooperated in the publishing of a new directory in December of 1932. There was little or no expense connected with the issuance of that directory, Martindales assuming all risk. Martindales sold some \$18,000 worth of bold face listings and books. However, evil times fell upon

the country and it is my understanding that hardly a 50 per cent collection was made. The details of this will of course be contained in the Supreme Historian's report.

Under the Martindale contract, it was provided that at Martindale's option they might publish a new directory in 1934. A certain date, I believe July 1st, was set for the exercising of that option. Thus far, Martindales has refused to proceed with the new publication. We have cooperated even in attempting to assist them in their collection of the sum still owing, your Supreme Justice sending out some 500 letters to this end, but with little success.

It is unfortunate that this situation exists but we are not alone in our predicament. It is my understanding that Phi Delta Phi, who has a similar contract, has been forced to publish its own directory.

This convention should consider the advisability of further negotiating with Martindales on the publication of a new directory forthwith. A long interval between publications means a great loss in accuracy and additional cost of publication.

The directory is a valuable asset to our Fraternity and should be carried on. Perchance it should be added to the duties of the Supreme Secretary under the supervision of the Supreme Historian. Among other accomplishments, this administration has completely revised the membership roll and have one now which we believe is accurate and will be kept up to the minute.

However, no supreme officers can insure accuracy without the cooperation of the membership. The errors that appear are due almost entirely to the failure of some of our members to report their change of addresses. This will more and more be eliminated with the creating of a closer contact with the Alumnus.

REDISTRICTING AND THE DISTRICT JUSTICES

It has been felt for some time that our districts were too few and hence too large to adequately serve the best interests of the Fraternity. It is practically impossible for some of our Districts' Justices to visit the chapters of his district without expending an unreasonable amount of time. In addition, the cost to National being too great it was out of the realm of possibility for an active practitioner to have business that would call him to the various cities in which our chapters are located. This is an important item to consider in view of our limited means, the budget providing scarcely enough for one visitation in the off convention year for National officers.

There will be presented to you an amendment suggesting approximately eleven districts which at a glance at the map will show a closer coordination in community of interest and geographical location.

I must commend the District Justices for their cooperation with the Supreme Board during the past administration. With the difficult times, we all know the sacrifices that must be made from personal duties in order to serve any organization.

NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

This strictly comes under head of the Supreme Vice Justice's duties. He will report to you as to progress along this line. The majority of the Alumni Chapters have interesting reports in spite of the difficult times.

This is one function of our Fraternity's work that must be maintained and publicized so that we can more and more act as the employment agency for the established lawyers, in turn benefiting the newly graduated.

One fact should certainly appeal to the employer and that is that they are gaining an employee who has been selected as a member of an organization that attempts to evaluate its members

on a combined basis of scholarship and personality.

NATIONAL PAD NITE

At the Chicago Alumni Chapter outing at Nippersink in 1933 the genial convention Chairman Bro. Bill O'Shea proposed that we inaugurate a National PAD Nite with a nation-wide radio hook-up. Most of his listeners were a bit dubious about the successful management of such an occasion. However, Bill, with his usual enthusiastic energy and perseverance, proceeded and we all know the result. I am going to leave to him the reporting of the details and suggestions for the future. National PAD Nite we hope will be an annual affair and one through which we hope will bring an increasing cooperation from an alumni.

ALUMNI DEVELOPMENT

Phi Alpha Delta has been most fortunate in having a man as its Supreme Vice Justice who has been particularly adept at contacting our Alumnus. I believe that he has added better than ten Alumni Chapters to the rolls. He conceived the idea of forming State Associations and with the assistance of Past Supreme Justice Fink and District Justice Parsons formulated the original plan. How well the idea has worked out you will gain from his report.

Brother Rutledge has laid the foundation for the chartering of a member of other Alumni Chapters and has done a great deal toward contacting hundreds of brothers not already members of Alumni Chapters.

It is my earnest hope that through the continuation of work such as Brother Rutledge is carrying on and through functions such as National PAD Nite and with the cooperation of the active chapters, we will eventually see the Alumni of our Fraternity assuming a goodly portion of the financial necessities of the fraternity.

We have endeavored to have the Chapters keep up their alumni address lists—contacting the individual mem-

bers of their Chapter. We have endeavored to have alumni organize to cooperate with the several Chapters. I might say in passing that in a great many instances, it has been alumni groups that have assisted materially in rehabilitating chapters that had need of such help.

The Alumni group is growing larger each year. They should take a material part in carrying on the work of Phi Alpha Delta.

CHAPTER VISITATION

Immediately following the convention in Milwaukee our good brother, Ludwick visited several chapters on the way home to California. Your Supreme Justice visited Benton, Green and Benson on the way to meet our Supreme Editor to plan for the revising of our magazine. Several other chapters were visited that fall by the Supreme officers, but only those chapters that were insecure in their positions because of the smallness of the groups or those that had serious financial difficulties.

The fraternity weathered the storm fairly well in 1930, 1931 and little visiting was done that fall. In the spring of 1932 the decision as to the holding of a convention that year had to be made, as members of the chapters were in arrears to the fraternity and our financial position did not seem to warrant the holding of a convention in the summer of 1932 in Los Angeles as was originally planned at Milwaukee. As a matter of fact it was decided by the Supreme Board to hold a board meeting in Chicago in the fall and have a Supreme officer or their representatives personally visit all of the chapters immediately following the board meeting.

Brother Rutledge visited certain chapters—your Supreme Justice made about 14—and our Brother Secretary had a list of some 22; so all of the chapters were visited.

It was on this trip that Brother Ludwick had his fateful accident which almost cost him his life. He was laid

up for several months, but through it all, he directed the work of the fraternity so that we carried on as usual. I have always regretted that our finances were not in such a condition that we could have reimbursed him for some of the terrific expense which this accident, in line of duty, occasioned.

During this administration, we celebrated Frank's Tenth Anniversary as Supreme Secretary. Only those who have been closely associated in National work can appreciate the contribution to our progress and growth that Frank has made. It is really useless to attempt to enumerate them. We should not forget in our commendations the great assistance that Marie Ludwick has given Frank and the benefits that have thereby come to the Fraternity as a whole. We have really had two people serving us in the capacity as Secretary and we have indeed been fortunate.

A question of a convention in 1933 was next under consideration and if anything the distress of the Chapters was greater than in 1932. A vote was taken by mail of the Chapters and it was practically unanimous for further postponement. At the Supreme Board meeting held in Chicago in August of 1932 the new amendments which have already been recited were proposed including reductions in per capita taxes, initiation fees and the proposal for expulsion of delinquent members by the Supreme Board. These amendments upon submission to the chapters were approved and the fall saw a great revival in a number of the Chapters. Some visitation was had that fall but principally through trips made by Supreme Officers on business therefore with little expense to the Fraternity.

From my experience, I would suggest that there be as much chapter visitation by Supreme and District officers as the national budget can stand. Most of it should be done immediately following the opening of school, so that the officers will be properly instructed and the rushing season properly planned.

SCHOLARSHIP

We have been fortunate in having a scholarship committee chairman who has taken his work seriously. Brother Lyman Wilson, Professor at Cornell University, has done remarkably well. In cooperation with our Supreme Secretary, prizes were gathered, principally through payments for advertisements in the REPORTER, and awards were made with competition throughout the United States. The details of the awards will be made through the report of the scholarship committee. This is a work which should be continued. The raising of scholarship standing in all of our chapters is a most worthy cause.

CHAPTER MANUAL

One very excellent thing came indirectly, if not directly, as a result of Brother Ludwick's incapacity. It had been the experience of your Supreme Board that many of our Chapters were not conversant with the functions of a chapter and the duties of its officers. In some cases they even lacked the background for properly approaching prospective members. The need for a Chapter Manual was long felt.

During Brother Ludwick's convalescence, he prepared the material which was published as the March 1933 number of the Reporter. It contains, among other things, the National Constitution and By-Laws, a model set of by-laws for the Chapter, a history of our Fraternity, standards of American Bar Associations, material for rushing, lists of prominent Alumni. Sufficient copies were made to supply all initiates and we have had very favorable comments from a number of the Chapters. The material should be added to and a chapter manual should be continued as a permanent part of our administrative work.

LIFE SUBSCRIPTIONS AND ENDOWMENT FUND

There will be reported to this convention by Brother Fink the completion of a trust agreement and the depositing

of the assets of the endowment fund with the Northern Trust Company in Chicago—under that trust agreement.

Our Brother Supreme Secretary has prepared a comparative analysis of payments of life subscriptions in installments and I think we are very fortunate in having Brother Tuttle with us who had so much to do with the setting up of the endowment fund for the Reporter. This convention must give some serious thought to how this fund shall be collected.

Collections to date do not seem to be working out satisfactorily. The committees on the Reporter and Life subscriptions should carefully set up the program for the coming years, giving due consideration to the financial stringencies of the present time.

IN CONCLUSION

Your Supreme Officers could spend considerable time in regaling you with stories of heroic rescues of Chapters even among those who are in good standing today. . . . Cases of banks failing not only taking national funds

but Chapter funds and individual members deposits. The changing of pre-legal requirements in some cases have cut enrollments at some law schools so that initiations have fallen.

In most cases the Chapters have reduced their fees, the national cooperating with the cut in per capita taxes and the crediting of the first installment of life subscriptions. Phi Alpha Delta for the last four years, the last three particularly, has battled on to keep its full strength. Personally I feel that if it had not been for the loyal cooperation of hundreds of brothers in whose hearts flamed the real spirit of Phi Alpha Delta, we would not be reporting to you the strong virile National organization that we are, the leading active law fraternity of the world. Having been tested in the fire of the past few years, we can all lift our heads, and, with pride, carry on to greater heights of success.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLAN T. GILBERT,

Supreme Justice."

REPORT OF FRANK E. RUTLEDGE, SUPREME VICE JUSTICE

"In this report, will cover the activities of the Vice Justice since the last national convention in Milwaukee. The following subjects will be discussed:

1. Alumni Chapters.
2. State Associations.
3. Employment Bureau.
4. Active Chapter Inspections.
5. Alumni Chapter visitations.

1. ALUMNI CHAPTERS

At the present time, there are twenty-two chartered alumni chapters, most of which have been functioning in good shape during the past few years. Those which have been especially active are the following: Chicago, New York, Birmingham, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, Pittsburgh, Seattle, Washington, D. C., Salt Lake City, St. Louis, Topeka.

The following alumni chapters have been slipping a little and need attention at the earliest possible moment on the part of District Justices. Any of the delegates at this convention who come from these cities, are urgently requested to cooperate with the alumni chapter as soon as they return home, trying to put new life into it: Atlanta, Dallas, Detroit, Kansas City, Madison, New Orleans, Oklahoma City, San Francisco, Minneapolis-St. Paul.

Recent reports from the following alumni chapters will be of interest.

CHICAGO: This chapter has been very active, with an average of 100 attending every meeting. They maintain an active employment committee, placing over 100 PAD's in law offices during the past year. I must not overlook the honor given last February to

Brother George E. Fink, to whom PAD certainly owes a great deal. Without him, our organization would not be where it is today. Golf tournaments have been held as well as the week-end summer outing during July. On National PAD night in January, a formal ball was held with approximately 1000 present. They have a daily luncheon table in the Chicago Bar Association building. Their Justice, Brother Bill O'Shea has been very active in making our convention this year such a success. They deserve a great deal of credit for operating so successfully.

NEW YORK: This chapter has shown a steady increase in membership and attendance during the last year, with brothers from 20 active chapters. Their headquarters are in the Inter-Fraternity Clubs Building. Regular monthly meetings are held and a Judge or prominent attorney invited as guest speaker. Each month, a luncheon is held. There is a summer outing and this year it included a golf tournament, yachting trip and dinner.

CLEVELAND: Monthly luncheons are held at which various prominent alumni discuss interesting legal subjects. Brother George S. Myer, Ohio's Secretary of State, was a recent speaker. He was a national officer from 1916 to 1919. A spring dance was held this year with an attendance of about 75. Between 30 and 40 are present at their monthly meetings.

CINCINNATI: Monthly meetings are held with an average attendance of about 20. A successful Founders Day Banquet was held this year with active and alumni members present. The National PAD Night celebration was very successful, 85 being there, among this number being Brother Howard Bevis, Justice of the Supreme Court of Ohio.

PITTSBURGH: Regular monthly meetings are held and the guest speaker is always a Judge or prominent attorney.

Approximately 60 couples attended a dinner dance this year at the Harvard-Yale-Princeton Club. Golf tournaments take place in the summer.

ST. LOUIS: This chapter has gone forward with great strides. They assisted in two initiations at Champ Clark chapter at Washington University. The degree team was made up of members from Clark and the Alumni Chapter. Judges are invited to speak. The National PAD Night celebration was very successful. During the past year, between 25 and 30 new members have joined. They have been very active in the affairs of the St. Louis Bar Association.

SALT LAKE CITY: This chapter holds an annual meeting the night before the sessions of the Utah State Bar Association. Members from all over the state attend, the last one attracting 75. PAD is becoming stronger each year mainly, I believe, through the alumni chapters of which we hope to see more added to the fold during the next few years.

There are still many cities where an alumni chapter would be successful and very helpful to the nearby active ones. It is to be hoped that all delegates present will assist in this alumni chapter development in the future.

2. STATE ASSOCIATIONS

The development of State Associations is almost in its infancy and has great future possibilities towards strengthening PAD throughout the country. We have organized in six states and PAD's in 11 more are cooperating and doing their utmost to form such associations. The idea is to give men living in small towns an opportunity to keep up their affiliation with the national body and have representation at our national conventions. The continuance of this all important activity should be carried on in the future by the next administration in a most aggressive manner. A good foundation has now been laid.

3. EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

I am very sorry to say this department has not been able to make the showing hoped for, due to business conditions. We have been seriously hampered in this work, although each year just before graduation time, the Justice of each active chapter receives a letter requesting the names of those who want help in obtaining a position through the fraternity.

4. PERSONAL ACTIVE CHAPTER INSPECTIONS

Since the last convention, your Supreme Vice Justice has personally made chapter inspections of the following active chapters:

Wilson, Ithaca (3 times).
Blackstone, Chicago.
Fuller, Chicago.
Marshall, Chicago.
Story, Chicago.
Webster, Chicago.
Hay, Cleveland.
Jay & Taft, Washington, D. C.
Chase, Cincinnati.
Watson, Pittsburgh.
Willey, Morgantown, W. Va.

It was interesting during these inspections to see the interest shown by the members.

5. ALUMNI CHAPTER VISITATIONS

During this administration, have visited the following alumni chapters: Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati, New York, Pittsburgh.

I am proud to be a member of the

New York Alumni Chapter which I assisted in forming in 1910. Brother Jack Carmody was also one of the charter members and organizers. By the way, it is in the best shape financially of all the alumni chapters, having a sizable bank account.

In addition to the above activities, also attended a meeting in Cincinnati in connection with the publication of our present Directory. At this time, want to compliment Brother Larry Lytle for his excellent work in connection with it.

I trust that from this report you will have a better insight into the work of this national office. It takes ones time nearly every week end to answer the large accumulation of mail and many thousands of letters emanate from this office during the administration. I can assure you, it has been a great pleasure to have served our organization and especially to have worked with two other members of the Supreme Board, Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert and Supreme Secretary Frank M. Ludwick. No one realizes more than I just how important they have been during the past few years, in holding our fraternity together as they have, through their untiring energy and loyalty.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. RUTLEDGE,

Supreme Vice Justice."

REPORT OF FRANK M. LUDWICK, SUPREME SECRETARY

"Phi Alpha Delta again assembles for convention in Chicago. Not since 1919 have we met here in this city, famous in the history of the establishment and growth of our fraternity. As then we have just passed through a crisis in our fraternity life. Then we had just gone through the war period, during which our Fraternity, from the standpoint of administration, practically ceased to exist, and the officers elected here in 1919 were confronted with the task of gathering together the strands and weaving them into a strong

and lasting rope. How well that was done is now a matter of history.

In some respects the period covered by the last administration was probably a more difficult one than that existing in war time. We have been confronted with constantly increasing difficulties experienced by our chapters in maintaining their membership and managing their finances; with a steadily decreasing national income and at the same time a more urgent necessity for the careful supervision in order to maintain our national position and strength.

The first year of this administration passed about normally, but from that time on the effects of the depression were appallingly felt and your Supreme Board was confronted with the necessity of deciding whether or not to dig in and let things slide, or whether to struggle on in the face of all obstacles, without the curtailment of any of our essential functions. May I pause at the outset of this report to pay tribute to our Supreme Justice, Allan T. Gilbert, for his outstanding leadership, his cheerful optimism and tireless energy in guiding the affairs of our Fraternity through this critical period. I am indeed thankful that before the time came for him to turn over his stewardship the crisis had passed, Phi Alpha Delta had weathered the storm and was again driving forward to greater accomplishments and glories. Our gratitude to him can only be expressed by enshrining him in our affections with those other men whose sincerity of

purpose and vision have placed Phi Alpha Delta in its present position.

The Supreme Justice has ably outlined in his report the present condition of the Fraternity and the outstanding events of the present administration. The Supreme Vice Justice has recounted the progress of our Alumni Chapters with which he has so splendidly worked for the past seven years. There remains but little for me to report except upon the important subject of finances. Realizing how tiresome a voluminous report of statistics may be I shall content myself with reporting only a few comparative figures, which I hope will give you a general idea of our financial affairs, referring you for further data to the certified audit of my books and accounts which is attached hereto and made a part of this report. The figures which follow cover receipts and disbursements beginning with the school year 1930-31 and carry on through the close of 1933-34.

<i>Receipts</i>	<i>1931</i>	<i>1932</i>	<i>1933</i>	<i>1934</i>
Initiation fees	\$ 4,747.00	\$ 3,931.00	\$2,953.50	\$4,437.50
Per capita tax	3,653.00	2,915.00	2,199.66	2,229.85
Life subscriptions, Reporter	1,282.00	1,387.00	1,151.50	829.50
Magazine subscriptions	982.80	293.00	510.55	348.00
Endowment Fund	1,051.05	924.50	8.00	.....
Chapter inspection .....	.....	.....	.....	607.16
Chapter installation .....	.....	.....	.....	37.80
Chapter supplies .....	.....	.....	.....	23.88
Jewelry rebates	541.82	304.85	212.79	339.10
Fines	130.00	145.50	15.00	5.00
Interest bank deposit	59.46	62.37	26.61	4.10
National birthday donations .....	.....	.....	.....	221.35
	\$12,447.13	\$ 9,963.22	\$7,077.61	\$9,083.24
<i>Disbursements</i>	<i>1931</i>	<i>1932</i>	<i>1933</i>	<i>1934</i>
Supreme Secretary salary	\$ 2,100.00	\$ 2,100.00	\$1,925.00	\$1,600.00
Supreme Secretary Office Expense	1,450.75	1,650.85	1,466.36	1,252.20
Supreme Officers Expense	843.39	705.97	741.27	503.44
Supreme board meetings	134.58	683.00	284.97	436.73
Printing and Stationery	201.05	235.16	168.36	219.81
Postage and express	222.98	347.44	163.84	291.83
Telephone and Telegraph	190.17	245.01	295.65	300.11
Chapter inspection	559.30	1,282.58	921.90	297.17
Chapter supplies	641.47	276.24	203.36	89.31
Chapter installations	1.50	451.45	153.26	.....
Chapter extension .....	.....	.....	.....	25.00
Magazine expense	3,074.69	2,930.16	2,417.64	1,887.71
Endowment Fund .....	.....	.....	.....	25.00
Bar Association meeting .....	.....	.....	.....	25.00
Directory Expense	484.30	397.13	199.72	7.50
National Birthday expense .....	.....	.....	.....	482.22
Furniture and Fixtures	271.35	299.07	75.26	.....
	\$10,175.53	\$11,604.06	\$8,710.07	\$7,493.03

You will note from the above a substantial decrease of income from the school year 1930-31, during 1931-32 and 1932-33 and a very encouraging increase for 1933-34. This latter increase being practically covered by initiation fees, which almost doubled that of the previous year. The coming year should show a further increase from the source and a corresponding increase from per capita taxes. Your attention is further called to the fact that while we have experienced a substantial increase in income for the year 1933-34 over the preceding year, the same period shows a further decrease in expenditures, this being accounted for mainly through a decrease in the compensation to the Supreme Secretary, a saving in his office expense, a reduction in the Supreme officers' expense and a very substantial reduction in the cost of the official magazine. In regard to the last item, we would like to point out that whereas we expended the sum of \$3074.69 for three issues during the school year of 1930-31, in 1933-34 we expended only \$1887.71, without, we believe, sacrificing in any way the quality of the publication.

The 1930 convention in Milwaukee amended the by-laws to provide for life subscriptions to the official magazine at the price of \$9.00 payable in three installments of \$3.00 each, the first at the time of initiation and the remaining two on November 1st of the two years following thereafter. As you know, about one year ago the Supreme Executive Board submitted a further amendment to the by-laws waiving the first installment on men who were initiated during the past school year, which amendment was adopted. Experience has proven that it is practically impossible to collect the second and third installments under this plan, as the following statistics will show:

- 15% pay life subscriptions in full.
- 25% pay two installments.
- 56% pay one installment.
- 4% pay nothing at all.

As you will learn from the report of Brother Rendigs, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Endowment Fund, a trust has been created for the purpose of the deposit and investment of our Endowment Fund, the income from which is paid to the Supreme Secretary to be expended on the publication of the magazine. You will note also from his report that the Fraternity is indebted to the Endowment Fund in the amount of \$5,938.50, which we have been unable to pay, due to the fact that we have outstanding accounts receivable from active chapters in the amount of \$5270.88, the amount of \$485.00 from alumni chapters and \$958.45 remaining unpaid on a total possible loss of \$1900 through the failure of the Bank of Hollywood which happened during this administration. In addition substantial items have been charged off as uncollectible or through settlements with delinquent chapters. Had we been able to collect the amounts above mentioned, totaling \$6714.33, we would, of course, not be indebted to the Endowment Fund. It is contemplated that the note given to the Fund will be paid out of the general funds as rapidly as our income will permit.

In closing this report I cannot give too much credit to the National, District and Local chapter officers, who have worked so arduously and co-operated so loyally during this difficult period and who have made possible this splendid report on our financial condition. The trials and difficulties which we have gone through both as an organization and individuals have undoubtedly renewed our appreciation of, and taught us to cherish more deeply, the friendships, associations and brotherly love which I believe sincerely cannot be found to such an extent elsewhere than in Phi Alpha Delta.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK M. LUDWICK,
Supreme Secretary."

REPORT OF LAWRENCE R. LYTLE, SUPREME HISTORIAN

"Prior to our last convention in Milwaukee the need for a new Directory of the Fraternity was keenly felt, inasmuch as it had been several years since the last edition was published. Realizing that the cost of publication was almost prohibitive, negotiations were entered into by the Supreme Board with the Martindale Law Directory Company with the idea in view of having this company publish a new edition. These negotiations led up to an offer by the Martindale Company, which was submitted at the Milwaukee Convention, and the Supreme Board was authorized to enter into a contract in accordance with the offer made.

Immediately after the Convention the Supreme Board and your Historian had several conferences with the representative of the Martindale Company, which finally resulted in the execution of a contract which provided that the Martindale Company would publish the Directory and would take care of the distribution of the same. The contract further provided that the Fraternity would be paid a certain percentage on all sales. The Fraternity was not to be charged with any expense whatsoever.

Inasmuch as the Martindale Company had been in the business of publishing law directories for many years, and by reason of this fact had facilities to correct our membership list in so far as practicing attorneys were concerned, it was the general feeling that the new Directory could be made quite accurate. However, the Martindale Company had no facilities for furnishing the correct addresses of those members of the Fraternity who are not in the active practice of the law, nor did the Master file in the office of the Secretary provide this information in a great

many instances. Your Historian, therefore, felt that some effort should be made to bring up to date the Directory of all the members of the Fraternity, and he, therefore, adopted a plan for accomplishing this result. Each State was split up into districts and a member of the Fraternity located in each of the districts was selected as a key man. Lists of members living in these districts, according to the most recent address available to the Fraternity, were sent to these key men for correction. At first it was dubious as to what result we might accomplish from this method, but it was very gratifying to find that ninety per cent of these key men responded with fully corrected lists. Through this method many men were located who had been "lost." After all of these lists were in and the information forwarded to the Secretary, who in turn forwarded it to the Martindale Company, there still remained a considerable number of members whose addresses were uncertain or unknown. To these cards were sent enclosed in an envelope with return address. On the card we sent out the last known address, and asked the person to verify it. If the card did not reach him it was returned to the Post Office Department, but in the majority of cases it was forwarded to the member and the card generally returned by him. In this way several hundred members were re-located.

Your historian has gone into detail concerning the method used for the sole purpose of emphasizing the fact that the Directory was made as accurate and complete as was possible, for it was recognized that the value of the Directory lay almost entirely in these essentials.

The new edition of the Directory was distributed during the first part of the year 1933, and a careful examination of the book will show that this edition was at least one of the best ever published. Some mistakes, of course, crept in, but it is our opinion that with succeeding editions it can be made practically 100 per cent perfect.

This brings us to a consideration of future editions of the Directory. The Martindale Company, in its contract, reserved an option to publish four more editions of this Directory, one edition to be published biennially. It seems that a special sales force was put to work by the Martindale Company for the sale of this Directory and bold-faced listings therein. Under the spell of the sales campaign many of our members subscribed for special listings and for a copy of the book itself, but we regret to say that after the books were delivered many of our members for various reasons failed to pay for the same. This situation was perhaps due partly to the general condition of the times and partly to the methods employed by the salesmen of the Martindale Company. Many complaints have reached your Historian from members who subscribed for special listings, that the salesmen had advised them when canvassed that only a limited number of

persons in any particular town would be accorded the privilege of having a special listing in the book, and in most instances the salesman stipulated a certain number, which proved to be much smaller than the actual number which appeared in the published book. These members complained that this reduced the advertising value of a special listing to them, and therefore, refused to pay for same.

Whatever the reasons of the subscribers for failure to pay, the Martindale Company claims that as a result, the publication was made at a considerable loss to it, and has definitely advised that it would not take advantage of its option to issue future editions.

A great deal of time and effort was naturally expended by the offices of your Secretary and your Historian in correcting the roster of our membership. These corrections were made in the Master file in the Secretary's office.

It is recommended that the Supreme Board consider ways and means of publishing a Twelfth Edition in 1935 or 1936 inasmuch as the Martindale Company has definitely advised that it would not take advantage of its option to make future publications.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE R. LYTTLE,

Supreme Historian."

REPORT OF EARL H. HATCHER, SUPREME EDITOR

"Following my election as Supreme Editor at the 1930 convention, a special effort was made by your National Officers to build up a magazine which would be of interest to the membership and creditably represent the standing which our organization has and deserves.

In an effort to cooperate with the officers I found myself confronted with several difficulties:

The local printing facilities were not sufficient to properly handle the printing of the magazine.

The expense of handling the detail work separate and apart from the office of the Supreme Secretary was excessive.

The time required to collect material and supervise the publication of the magazine was not available to a young attorney.

Five issues of the magazine were published from Topeka. The general conditions did not justify the annual convention for the following years, and so to assist your Supreme Editor in overcoming the difficulties confronting him the publication of the magazine was transferred to Los Angeles and placed under the supervision of the Supreme Secretary.

I believe you will have noticed a material improvement in the magazine since that time. The Supreme Secretary has the best printing facilities available. The material which should go into the magazine has a natural tendency to work into his office. A large part of the magazine's detail preparation can be handled by his assistant, and the expense materially reduced. In my judgment this is the only efficient method of handling the publication.

I, therefore, highly recommend the adoption of the proposed amendment

to our constitution to provide for the publication of the magazine through the office of the Supreme Secretary.

I wish to thank you all for the co-operation which you gave me, and I can now assure you that any effort which you put forth in behalf of the Fraternity will be more than repaid by the many new friends which you acquire in the course of your efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL H. HATCHER,
Supreme Editor."

Chief Tribune John J. Nangle, in reporting verbally that Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert had so efficiently conducted the affairs of the Fraternity during his administration that it had been unnecessary to refer any controversies to the Board of Tribunes, provided considerable entertainment and amusement for the delegates with his usual sparkling wit.

REPORT OF AUGUST A. RENDIGS, JR., CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

"Report covering period of August 1, 1930, to August 1, 1934.

Cash on hand as of August 1, 1930:

Savings Account	\$4,677.04
Checking Account	103.20
Total	\$4,780.24

RECEIPTS

Interest of Savings Account	\$ 541.08
Interest on Land Trust Certificates (last half of 1930, all of 1931, 1932, 1933 to August, 1934)	950.00
Galveston, Texas, Sanitary District Bond—coupons (last half of 1930, all of 1931, 1932, 1933, to August, 1934)	1,086.90
Taft Chapter—payment of principal on account loan 1931 and 1934 (no interest paid)	750.00
Topeka Alumni Association—principal payments on account loan.....	800.00
Topeka Alumni Association—interest payments on loan.....	460.00
Proceeds of sale of 5—\$1000 Galveston, Texas, bonds maturing 1/1/32, plus interest....	5,125.00
Total	\$9,712.98

EXPENSES AND INVESTMENTS

1930

Sept. 17	A. A. Rendigs, Jr., Convention Expenses.....	\$ 70.20
Oct. 30	A. A. Rendigs, Jr., Telegram, Los Angeles.....	1.20
Oct. 30	Frank M. Ludwick, Premium on Bond.....	12.50

1931

May 1	Second National Bank, Safety Box	2.00
Dec. 4	Frank M. Ludwick, Net Income	962.04

1932

Jan. 4	Title Guarantee Securities Corporation, for purchase of 5—\$1000 Galveston, Texas, School bonds plus accrued interest	4,770.83
Jan. 13	A. A. Rendigs, Jr., Expenses Inspection Trip to Washington, D. C.—Taft and Jay Chapters.....	81.31

May 6	Second National Bank, Safety Box	2.00
Nov. 17	A. A. Rendigs, Jr., 3 telegrams.....	3.03
Nov. 17	Frank M. Ludwick, Net Income.....	538.15
1933		
June 12	Second National Bank, Safety Box.....	2.20
Nov. 27	Marian W. Lanier, Stenographic Services	5.00
Nov. 27	Frank M. Ludwick, Net Income	607.16
Dec. 21	Robert Showers, Chicago, Illinois, purchase of 5—\$1000 Sanitary District Bonds	3,700.00
June 7	The Northern Trust Company, Chicago, Illinois, according to depository agreement	1,894.12
July 10	A. A. Rendigs, Jr., Money advanced in cash: Second National Bank, Safety Box, Railway Express Agency for shipment of securities, and one telegram	9.17
Total	.....	\$12,660.91

RECAPITULATION

Receipts	\$ 9,712.98
Expenses	12,660.91

ASSETS

Five \$1000 Galveston, Texas, 5% Public School Bonds of 1929, Series A. $\frac{1}{4}$
 Five \$1000 Land Trust Certificates, Davidson Bldg., Sioux City, Iowa, 6% Ground Rent.
 Five \$1000 Sanitary District of Chicago $4\frac{1}{4}$ % Bonds, due May 1, 1935.
 Second Mortgage from Topeka Alumni Association, unpaid balance of principal amount \$3,000.
 Agreement of Guarantee in the sum of \$1500 signed by 30 individuals of Washington, D. C., guaranteeing payment of loan to Taft Chapter; net balance due on said loan \$750.00 and interest.
 Promissory note executed by Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity, dated December 1, 1933, amount of said note, \$5,938.50.
 Cash on deposit The Northern Trust Company, Chicago, Ill., \$2,015.12.
 Cash on deposit in Savings Account, Second National Bank, Cincinnati, \$392.17.

REMARKS

The Galveston, Texas Public School Bonds were purchased in 1931 because of the maturity of five Galveston, Texas, Municipal Bonds which had been purchased some years ago. The present market on these bonds is approximately 90 to 95 so far as I can ascertain and I am assured that there is no possibility of default in payment. This investment is therefore secure, in my opinion.

The Sanitary District Bonds of Chicago were purchased on recommendation of Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert after much consideration. The purchase was made considerably below the face value of the bonds, and it is anticipated that upon maturity a profit of approximately \$1300 will be realized on this purchase. These bonds mature in 1935.

The Davidson Building Land Trust Certificates are ground rent certificates. Up until about a year or so ago they had never defaulted in payment of interest, but conditions were such that they did default. However, adequate measures have been taken and they have

now resumed payment of interest on a somewhat lesser basis. It is difficult to obtain a market quotation on same, but it seems that they are in the neighborhood of 40 to 45, which is said to mean little and is the result of the fact that ground rent certificates are not particularly in the favor of the public at this time. However, it is not anticipated that there will be any loss on these certificates.

The unpaid balance on the second mortgage from the Topeka Alumni Association is apparently secure. This organization made its original loan in October, 1929, and reduced the amount of said loan by the payment of \$1000 over a period of time. They are prompt in the payment of interest and extremely cooperative in every way. Lately, they have been having a little difficulty, but it is anticipated that payments on the principal will be resumed shortly.

The note from the Fraternity of approximately \$5900 was delivered direct to The Northern Trust Company and did not pass through the hands of

the Trustees of the Endowment Fund. In this connection I might say that it was deemed advisable by the Supreme Board and the Trustees of the Endowment Fund to appoint The Northern Trust Company of Chicago, Illinois, as depository for the funds; and the transfer of securities and the cash on hand was executed under date of June 8, 1934. At that time, for reasons which it is not necessary to go into, it was deemed advisable to retain a small cash balance in the savings account in the Second National Bank of Cincinnati, which balance today amounts to \$392.17. However, upon the election of a new Board of Trustees for the Endowment Fund, I believe that this money should be turned over to The Northern Trust Company, as, in my opinion, the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the National Endowment Fund to be elected by this Convention should be a Chicago man. This, because of the fact that The Northern Trust Company of Chicago, Illinois, has now been chosen as the depository for the trust fund.

I have refrained from comment relative to the loan to Taft Chapter. This loan originally was for \$1500 and was made October 15, 1930. It was with extreme difficulty that we were able to obtain partial repayment of the principal, but the amount of the loan has now been reduced to \$750. No interest has ever been paid on this loan, although interest was provided for at the rate of 4 per cent. To secure this loan, however, we have a written guarantee signed by 30 individuals of Washington, D.C., with personal liability limited to not exceed \$200 for each individual. This written guarantee, in my judgment, is more than adequate to provide for the balance due on the

principal of said loan and the interest, but I recommend that the new Board of Trustees take vigorous and effective steps to collect the balance due on said loan, together with the accrued interest, without further delay.

To summarize, I might say that the National Endowment Fund of this Fraternity came through the depression in good shape. So far, we have not suffered the loss of a single dollar from the funds, and I do not believe that we shall suffer any loss of any kind. It is my judgment that the fund should be conserved as much as possible as a financial back-log for the Fraternity. I also recommend that the new Chairman of the Board of Trustees be a Chicago man, as previously stated.

Respectfully submitted,
AUGUST A. RENDIGS,
 Chairman, National Endowment Fund."

Past Supreme Justice George E. Fink, Chairman of the Committee on the Endowment Fund, reported that pursuant to instructions an agreement had been duly executed with the Northern Trust Company of Chicago designating it depository for the deposit and investment of the funds and securities in the National Endowment Fund.

The Convention adjourned until 10 o'clock Friday morning, August 24th.

Friday Morning

The meeting was called to order by Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert.

Following announcements by the efficient convention chairman, William M. O'Shea, the following committee reports were accepted and approved by the convention:

**REPORT OF PAUL C. MEIER,
SECRETARY, SUPREME ADVISORY BOARD**

"To the Twenty-third Biennial Convention of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity:

Your Supreme Advisory Board, composed of the Past Supreme Justices, beg to report that in conformity with the Constitution, Laws and Usages of the Fraternity, they have met for the purpose of hearing, and advising with, such brothers and officers as might desire to confer with the Board in executive session on any matters relating to the policies and practices of Phi Alpha Delta, and as a result of such conference we recommend the following:

We note in the reports submitted to this convention by the Supreme Officers, a tendency to compare the various years of the present administration relative

to receipts and disbursements, and we approve such tendency and recommend a system of auditing that shall be uniform from year to year and shall compare each year with every other year of each administration reporting, and with at least two previous administrations.

We also recommend that similar meetings of this Board be held at the close of the last session on the first day of every convention, and that all delegates and officers who feel a desire to discuss any matter whatsoever pertaining to the good of the order, consider themselves invited to confer with this Board in executive session.

For the Board,
PAUL C. MEIER,
Acting Secretary."

**REPORT OF ALBERT A. VERRILLI,
DISTRICT JUSTICE, EASTERN DISTRICT**

"In reporting on my activities as Eastern District Justice for the period covering October 1, 1930, to August 23, 1934, may I state at the outset that it was a distinct pleasure and privilege for me to act as such District Justice, and my only regret is that I was unable to devote more time than I did to this important office.

In summarizing the activities of the Chapters, may I make the following observations concerning the various Chapters:

Calhoun Chapter began to disintegrate in 1930 as a result of the new plan of housing of law students, which has affected not only Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity but the other two Fraternities at Yale Law School, namely Phi Delta Phi and Delta Theta Phi. As a result of this new housing plan, there is no Law Fraternity at Yale University at the present time, either National or Local. I am reliably informed that

the local Chapters of Phi Delta Phi, Corbey Court, has disbanded and Delta Theta Phi broke up in 1929. While I personally regret the loss of a Chapter at Yale University, yet if the men attending do not feel the need of any such affiliation, the interests of Phi Alpha will be better served by not having such a chapter there. If we cannot have a strong one, I believe in not having any at all.

The New York Alumni Chapter is very well organized and meeting regularly, and is doing good work in New York. I understand that the Washington Alumni Chapter is also well organized and progressing.

With respect to Livingston Chapter, which has been dormant prior to this administration, several attempts have been made to rehabilitate the same, but it has been almost impossible to get together a sufficient number of desirable applicants for membership to our Fra-

ternity. I have not lost hope with respect to rehabilitation of this Chapter and I expect that during the coming year, through the cooperation of Brother Professor Gifford, that Livingston Chapter may be rehabilitated.

With respect to Woodrow Wilson Chapter at Cornell University, I understand that it is in good condition.

With respect to John Jay Chapter, at the time of my last inspection, it seemed to be in good condition and its membership was of a very high caliber, particularly in view of the fact that it was composed of evening students.

With respect to Taft Chapter, at the time of my last visit, it seemed to be in good condition with the exception of some slight financial difficulty from which it has emerged satisfactorily.

As a result of correspondence had

with Chase Chapter, I believe that it is in good condition.

I desire to take this occasion to express my sincere appreciation of the very generous cooperation on the part of Brother Gilbert, Supreme Justice, and particularly Frank E. Rutledge, Supreme Vice Justice, in making my work an easier task, and without the assistance of Frank M. Ludwick, Supreme Secretary, my task would have been absolutely impossible.

In closing may I state that I again appreciate the honor conferred upon me in the appointment of this important office, and I trust that my services were not in vain. I shall certainly do my utmost in any way to advance the interests of Phi Alpha Delta.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT A. VERRILLI,
Eastern District Justice."

REPORT OF PAUL PARSONS DISTRICT JUSTICE, SOUTHERN DISTRICT

"The Southern District comprises all chapters located in the following ten southern states: Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, Tennessee, Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana.

The Southern District embraces the following active chapters: Brewer, at Stetson University; Clay, at University of Kentucky; Fletcher, at University of Florida; Jefferson, at University of Virginia; Martin, at Tulane University; Morgan, at University of Alabama, and Staples at Washington & Lee.

The Alumni Chapters in the Southern District are Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans, and the State Alumni Association at Birmingham.

Alabama is completely organized,

having an active Chapter at the University there, Morgan, with forty members and a delegate present, Mr. Brown; Birmingham Alumni Chapter with fifty members, with a delegate present, Mr. Groom; Alabama State Alumni Association with 200 members, with a delegate present, your speaker, and your Southern District Justice from Alabama and Dr. Masters of the law faculty of the University of Alabama are also present.

As Southern District Justice I have made 22 inspections and visits to active and alumni chapters in the Southern District—14 official and 8 unofficial—traveling some 6000 miles and handling a considerable volume of correspondence. I have inspected one petitioning group and attempted to lay a

foundation for a chapter at Duke University.

I have found your National officers extremely efficient, competent, sympathetic, capable and sincere and our Fraternity to be in safe hands.

In conclusion I will state that from my experience and observations as Southern District Justice, I as an individual PAD, most earnestly recommend more Alumni activity and the adoption

of all constitutional amendments intending to aid and encourage such activity.

It has been a most delightful pleasure to serve the fraternity in this capacity and I invite you, one and all, to visit me or make my offices headquarters any time you are in Birmingham.

I thank you.

PAUL PARSONS,
Southern District Justice."

REPORT OF ERNEST H. PETT DISTRICT JUSTICE, NORTHERN DISTRICT

"Generally the state of affairs of the Northern District at the time of this convention is good. At times during the past three years some very dark spots existed, particularly on the financial side of the individual Chapters. All Chapters in the District, excepting one (Corliss) have pulled through thus far. The outlook for the future is much better than it has ever been in the past three years, because the experience gained by the respective chapters in handling their problems has fitted them to cope successfully with these problems in the future. It is pleasant to report the present generally good condition of the District.

In the Chicago area, most of the credit for what has been accomplished in this district, goes to our good Supreme Justice, Allan Gilbert, and his Chicago co-workers, such as George Fink, Bill O'Shea, and a number of others. These brothers visited, checked up, and pepped up Chapters in the Chicago section. I am indebted to them for their good work. I am most appreciative to all the Chicago Brothers for promoting, and partially financing this great convention held here in Chicago in the Northern District.

Outside of the Chicago area, I made a visit a little over two years ago to Cole Chapter, Drake University, at Des Moines, Iowa, at a time when that Chapter was about ready to disband. Not

only was that Chapter suffering from financial troubles and membership, but at the time of my visit the boys were being quarantined for smallpox or something just as bad. I, nevertheless, made my visit and recommendations, and am pleased to report that Cole Chapter again took heart and before the close of that school year had placed itself in good standing and has remained so ever since.

About a year ago, another visit was made to Mitchell Chapter at the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis. This was the first official visit made by a representative of the National Chapter to Mitchell Chapter. The brothers were most appreciative of the visit. I enjoyed meeting them all. They were carrying on very well, but had not had enough contact with the National Chapter. It was explained to them that lack of finances and not lack of interest was the reason. In addition to making a visit to the active chapter, I helped promote the organization of an Alumni Chapter for the Twin Cities at that time. Shortly after my visit the petition for an Alumni Chapter was filed and granted. I also promoted the organization of a Wisconsin State PAD Chapter, which meets in connection with our State Bar Convention. The first meeting of the State Association was at Oshkosh, Wisconsin, in the summer of 1932. The State Association meetings

will become more and more important as the brothers become more accustomed to the idea of having a PAD meeting at the time of the State Bar Convention. There is a decided place for a PAD meeting at every State Bar meeting. Our Supreme Vice-Justice, Frank Rutledge, should be encouraged and commended for his untiring work in promoting State Associations. On PAD night, meetings of importance and consequence were held at Chicago, at Iowa City, Milwaukee, Madison, Wis-

consin, and at the Twin Cities. Bill O'Shea deserves congratulations for promoting PAD night and is assured of the cooperation of the Northern District in promoting further PAD nights.

Personally, I want to thank all the National Officers for their intense interest and enthusiasm in PAD nationally, and in the Northern District particularly.

This report is respectfully submitted.

ERNEST H. PETT,

Northern District Justice."

REPORT OF THE REVOCATION AND REHABILITATION COMMITTEE

"The following are the recommendations adopted by this committee sitting in duly authorized assembly, these recommendations being made with the cooperation and under the advice of our Supreme Secretary, Frank Ludwick:

The first recommendation is that the incoming executive officers take no immediate steps toward revoking the charters of present suspended chapters. The end of the depression apparently is in sight, and due to this fact it seems best that the word "revocation" be forgotten in favor of the word "rehabilitation." In other words, it appears advisable to this committee that these suspended chapters be given a chance to work out their difficulties before there is a thought given toward revocation. If such action is taken we believe that these chapters will come out of their present condition stronger than ever before.

In particular we recommend that the national officers and this convention extend every chance to the following suspended chapters, in the belief and the hope that they will be able to pull through:

Keener Chapter at Emory University
Livingston at Columbia University
Fish at Mercer University
Williams at the University of Oregon
Holmes at Stanford University
Corliss at the University of North Dakota

However, the committee further recommends that the National officers keep a watchful eye on the following: Gunter Chapter at Colorado University, Hughes Chapter at Denver University and Kent Chapter at Idaho University.

The committee further recommends that as the situation now stands, the two suspended Chapters of Garland at Arkansas and Calhoun at Yale remain suspended. Both chapters are dead and there is little hope for their revival.

This committee has deemed it to be fitting and proper to make a few recommendations concerning "rushing," since that is linked so closely to the problem of rehabilitation. Probably one of the greatest helps in this field would be the framing and codifying of a set of suggestions on "rushing" which would increase the efficiency of the particular chapters in this work. The committee recommends that such a pamphlet be prepared and sent out to the various chapters, so that when the "rushing" season starts, their members will not "be in the woods" but will have a certain set path to follow which will lead to results.

It is further suggested that the chapters keep in close contact with their alumni, work out a system of cooperation between the two whereby the alumni help the chapters in contacting

prospective pledges, and in the other details of rushing.

Many other recommendations could be made but most of the delegates are as familiar with them as this committee. Each chapter has its own special problems, and these can be worked out by its own members, under the guid-

ing hand of the national chapter. All that is needed is a lot of push and enthusiasm to go out and get men that are fit to represent Phi Alpha Delta.

Respectfully submitted,
**REVOCATION AND
 REHABILITATION
 COMMITTEE."**

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EXPANSION

"There being several outstanding schools in which Phi Alpha Delta is not represented, the committee on expansion submits the following report, and hopes that if the Fraternity so cares, it may through careful and thorough planning place a chapter in several of the schools.

We feel, however, that our Fraternity should take definite action in regard to this matter. We have a wonderful opportunity in several of the schools, and hope that our fraternity in the near future will show these chapters on its roster.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY:

Phi Delta Phi, Gamma Eta Gamma and Sigma Delta Kappa are now represented.

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY:

Highly recommended by Brother Stout, Gamma Eta Gamma on the campus.

CREIGHTON, OMAHA:

Gamma Eta Gamma, Delta Theta Phi on the campus.

DETROIT UNIVERSITY:

Gamma Eta Gamma and Delta Theta Phi on the campus.

DUKE UNIVERSITY:

Phi Delta Phi on the campus. It is sincerely hoped that a chapter will be installed.

LOUISIANA STATE:

Phi Delta Phi and Gamma Eta Gamma.

LOUISVILLE:

Sigma Nu Phi. Recommended by a brother from Clay.

LOYOLA, CHICAGO:

Delta Theta Phi, Sigma Nu Phi.

NEW ORLEANS:

Delta Theta Phi, Sigma Nu Phi.

MARQUETTE:

Delta Theta Phi, Sigma Nu Phi.

MARYLAND:

Gamma Eta Gamma. Highly recommended by Brother Stout.

MONTANA:

Phi Delta Phi.

PENN:

Phi Delta Phi. Not recommended.

RICHMOND:

Delta Theta Phi, Sigma Nu Phi

ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY:

Delta Theta Phi. Recommended by Bro. Nangle.

SOUTH CAROLINA:

Phi Delta Phi.

SOUTH DAKOTA:

Phi Delta Phi, Delta Theta Phi.

SYRACUSE:

Phi Delta Phi.

TEXAS:

Phi Delta Phi, Delta Theta Phi.

Respectfully submitted by your Committee on Expansion.

R. J. GARDNER,
 Chairman."

Upon motion duly made, seconded and carried the Supreme Secretary was instructed to submit to the Chapters of the fraternity a list of schools recommended as possibilities for expansion, with the request that the Chapters immediately indicate their approval or disapproval of such schools in the event satisfactory petitioning groups could be obtained.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

"We, the following members of the Auditing Committee, duly appointed at the convention do hereby make the following report:

That we have carefully examined the books of accounts of the Supreme Secretary, the annual audits made by various certified public accountants of the books of account of the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity from 1930 to date; upon such examination and auditing of said books of account, we find that the same are in a good condition, properly set up, and in a business-like

manner. The audits of the public accountants are very complete in every detail, and apparently correct.

It is the recommendation of the Auditing Committee that the books of accounts be accepted by the Convention as in good order, and that the audits of the accountants be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

JEAN MORONY,

Chairman;

ALBERT A. VERRILLI,

GEO. G. STOUT,

JOHN J. NANGLE."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE DIRECTORY

"Your committee on the Directory desires to report that it has carefully considered the value to the Fraternity and the need for publication of new editions of the Fraternity Directory.

The Committee is unanimous in declaring that the Directory is essential to the proper functioning of our Fraternity in carrying out its avowed purpose of fostering an exchange of law business between its members. Recognizing the fact that the value of it lies in its accuracy, your committee feels that an edition should be published at regular intervals.

The difficult problem before your committee, therefore, was to devise some means of publication which would not demand too great an expenditure of Fraternity funds for this purpose.

It is our opinion that the Martindale Law Fraternity Directory Company has facilities both in obtaining accuracy and in actual publication that are unequalled, and if another contract could be had with this Company whereby the Fraternity could issue a new edition at a small cost it would perhaps be wise to adopt this means. It is practically certain that Martindale would not consider another contract such as that under which the Eleventh Edition was

published and such a contract would probably not be desired by the Fraternity if the same methods of distribution were used. However, if a contract could be executed, by the terms of which the Martindale facilities for collecting information and for printing could be utilized at a low cost to the Fraternity, such a method would be advantageous.

It is therefore recommended that those in charge of the Directory in the new administration contact the Martindale Company to learn if a plan might be evolved to carry out the above suggestions.

It is further recommended that failing to reach any satisfactory conclusions with the Martindale Company, a plan be considered whereby at regular intervals an edition of the REPORTER be devoted to the publication of a geographical list of members of Phi Alpha Delta. We have had no opportunity to learn whether this is feasible from a cost standpoint. However, we do feel that such a plan would have some distinct advantages. First, it would serve the main purpose of a Directory in that it would give our members an up-to-date, accurate list of brothers residing in the different communities of our

country and would therefore facilitate the exchange of business. Secondly, the Directory would have a wider circulation and as a probable consequence would increase the use of the Directory for business purposes. Thirdly, the cost to the members of the Fraternity would be only nominal instead of being, as under the methods of publication used in the past, more or less costly. Lastly, it would perhaps stimulate the circulation of the REPORTER in that more of our alumni would probably subscribe to the REPORTER in order that they might receive the Directory. Such an increase in subscriptions would be, for obvious reasons, highly desirable.

Respectfully submitted,
LAWRENCE R. LYTLE,
 Chairman;
HUGH F. OLDENBURG."

Brother Raymond R. Stern submitted an elaborate and complete report on re-districting which report is not printed here since the results will appear in the amendment to Section I of Article XI of the Constitution.

The Convention adjourned until ten o'clock A. M. on Saturday, August 25th.

Saturday Morning

The meeting was called to order by Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ALUMNI DUES

"Your Committee on Alumni Dues herewith reports with pleasure the results of their deliberations:

Upon first blush this assignment compared with other assignments, seems an ordinary or minor one, but upon due and mature reflection it is readily discernible that it is one of the most important and vital ones as respects the well being of the fraternity.

We find that our present membership is made up of 43 college chapters and 22 alumni chapters. The report of our esteemed and worthy Secretary revealed the fact that the finances in the last few years have materially diminished and that this material reduction was in a great measure attributed to our financial depression, but we note with much pleasure and satisfaction that the last year has shown some improvement in face of the fact that there were reductions in the dues and assessments. An examination of the record shows some active chapters faring much better than others—some have had to borrow from the National Chapter to sustain themselves, while others have just barely struggled along. We should have a definite and secure financial structure

and to that end, this committee attempts to arrive at some happy medium.

The principles of Phi Alpha Delta enunciated at our altar should forever prevail in the hearts of the brothers who have gone out into the avenues of life. We have approximately 15,000 members of which over 14,000 are alumni members. The Fraternity publishes a magazine second to none that is or should be the medium or factor of cementing or keeping together the spirit of our Fraternity, and it is in that respect and particular that the financial assistance from the Alumni becomes of vital importance. The somewhat uncertainty of the college chapters towards the payment of their various dues and assessments is a matter to be considered. It is understood, of course, in this plan suggested by this committee, that the college chapters do not be relieved of their responsibility altogether, but should do their share to sustain the financial structure and well-being of the Fraternity, on the other hand, it should be the privilege and honor of the graduate Phi Alpha Delta to keep aglow the spirit and prosperity of his Fraternity, by such financial assistance

as is needed to perpetuate the same.

We find, therefore, that approximately \$12,000 to \$15,000 would adequately provide for the mechanics of the Fraternity, and in that respect and particular the suggestion and recommendation is made that each alumnus donate or contribute the sum of \$1.00 a year, which will provide ample funds to sustain the magazine and the other activities of the Fraternity. Whatever then is collected by way of dues and assessments from the various college chapters can be kept in a separate and distinct fund, or placed in any such fund as might be deemed advisable in the discretion of the Supreme Board. Such a plan would provide the neces-

sary finances, and this committee heartily recommends that this convention adopt such a plan of definite alumni dues and in that connection the suggestion is made that the Supreme Secretary prepare and send to each alumnus an appropriate letter setting forth this plan, and in that respect and particular we are confident that the same will result in and effectuate a stable and secure financial method of operation for the Fraternity.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT L. SCHWEITZER,
Chairman;
CECIL EMERY,
A. E. CUNLIFF."

REPORT OF STATE PAD ALUMNI ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE

"Whereas, this fraternity in the year 1933 at a Supreme Board meeting adopted a program for the establishment of State PAD Alumni Associations meeting in conjunction with the respective States Bar Association Conventions; and

Whereas, the program thus far has been successful in the organization of nine State Associations and ten are in the process of organization; and

Whereas, the general purpose of said State Organizations is to give to all members wherever located in a State an opportunity to keep alive an affiliation with the National Chapter and obtain representation therein, all without dues as to said State Associations to the National Chapter;

It is now Resolved that this convention hereby approves the action and

work accomplished and gives thanks to all who participated therein, especially Brother George E. Fink, Past Supreme Justice for the conception of this plan and Brother Paul Parsons, Southern District Justice for organizing in Alabama the first State Association of PAD.

Resolved further that the next administration of PAD be and hereby is urged to aggressively carry on and continue the present program and recommendation as hereby made to enlarge and intensify the same in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. RUTLEDGE,
Chairman;
PAUL PARSONS,
CHAS. D. WOODRUFF,
ERNEST PETT,
LARRY LYTLE."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FUND

"Your committee has checked over the accounts of the Chairman of the National Endowment Fund and find them to be true and correct in every respect.

The committee has considered the investment policy of the Board of Trustees and the restrictions set forth in the trust agreement concerning same and approve said investment policy.

The committee notes an indebtedness due the National Endowment Fund from the treasury of the fraternity amounting to \$5938.50 and specifically recommends that this indebtedness be liquidated at not less than \$1500.00 a year.

The committee further recommends that at least one member of the Board of Trustees to be elected at this convention shall be a Chicago man because of the location of the depository in this

city.

The committee notes with considerable satisfaction that a conservative valuation of the securities and cash on hand as of this date amounts to approximately \$25,600.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. HENRY,

AUGUST A. RENDIGS, Jr.,

C. WILSON KEELER,

Chairman."

REPORT OF JEWELRY COMMITTEE

"Your committee has had two very interesting proposals submitted to it both of which require definite action at this convention.

In order to more intelligently understand these matters, it is necessary to explain some of the official jewelry and insignia of this Fraternity.

When a candidate is pledged to a Chapter, he is entitled to receive a pledge pin and on his initiation either the plain or jeweled pin of membership. These latter pins are worn during active membership. On graduation from law school the member becomes an alumnus and is entitled to wear an alumnus key.

The first proposal was submitted by Blackstone Chapter. That Chapter has called your committee's attention to a condition not uncommon in many Chapters. A justice of a chapter will end his term while only a Junior in school, that is with still a year to attend before he is entitled to wear his alumnus key. A great many chapters present the retiring justice with some small token of their appreciation for his work and activity. Since in that case just outlined he is not entitled to an alumnus key, there is a great need for some official jewel as used in other fraternities and lodges to present to the retiring justice. Many chapters honor him with a guard, others with similar tokens.

Blackstone Chapter has prepared a

Past Justice Key which they have officially adopted and given to their two last retiring Justices. Either Benton Chapter or one of the Kansas Chapters has also done the same. Some of the Chicago Chapters have also adopted it. Most of the delegates have, at this convention, seen this Past Justice key and have signified their approval of it.

The next proposal was submitted to this committee by Ross and Willey Chapters as previously outlined, on initiation a member receives either a plain or jeweled pin, at his option. On graduation from law school he may purchase an alumnus key. Because of the relatively short use of the pin and the apparently unnecessary expense, some members, and even entire chapters do not purchase the pins. No official emblem of the fraternity, consequently, is worn during active membership.

Ross and Wiley Chapters and several other Chapters, as a result, have requested the establishment of a membership key to be worn at the option of the initiate instead of the active membership pin and the alumnus key.

Because of the activity in both of these matters your committee has not been able to reach a decision on either of them. The members submitting these proposals have requested definite action and a positive decision thereon by this convention before adjournment.

Respectfully submitted,
MILES J. SEYK,
 Chairman;
WILLIAM T. NUTE."

Note: The above report covering as it did two separate items they were con-

sidered and voted on separately, the result on the question of the approval of a Past Justice key being 40 yeas and 36 neas, and on the question of permitting the optional use of a badge or key, the vote was 24 yeas and 40 neas.

REPORT OF THE CHAPTER MANUAL COMMITTEE

"We of the committee assembled together consisting of Brother Harrison (Taney), Brother Todd (Chase) and Brother Dye (Benton) highly recommend to the convention the continuation of the Manual.

We understand that every man should receive a copy of this Manual at his initiation. We feel that if expenses are such as to make this plan not feasible, then to give a certain percentage such as 1/3 to the Chapter and to see that each officer receives one.

This committee feels that as the Directory has been mentioned to be combined with the Manual, we have taken that under consideration and feel that such an action would be undesirable, as the Directory, as we see it, should be published annually, while the Manual should be published subsequent to each convention. Secondly, the Directory must be kept up to date, while the Manual should only be revised subsequent to each convention. Thirdly, we feel that the Manual is primarily for the active chapters, whereas, the Directory is primarily for the alumni. Fourthly, the REPORTER is the logical solution

of providing each alumnus with a directory with the life subscription.

Respectfully submitted,
BYRON DYE, Chairman;
HAWLEY TODD,
HAMLETT HARRISON."

Earl Hatcher, chairman of the magazine committee stated that it was the opinion of his committee that rather than to submit a written report that suggestions in reference to the improvement of the magazine should be made from the floor. Brother Constable, of New York City Alumni Chapter, proposed that the Editor of the magazine refuse to accept professional cards from those members who are not in good standing as members of the Alumni Chapter of the city in which they live, provided there was such an alumni chapter in their city. The proposal was rejected. Brother Snively proposed that the Alumni Chapter Directory be eliminated from three of the quarterly issues of the magazine and the use of this space for alumni news or advertising, and after some discussion the matter was referred back to the magazine committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

"During the year of 1932-33 a system of scholarship awards was established. Under that system arrangements were made that the law book publishing company for which advertising space was obtained paid the REPORTER by valuable law books. The law books were selected as to their usefulness to practicing attorneys.

Two forms of awards were given for scholastic standing. One was an individual award and the other a chapter award.

In ascertaining the winner of the individual awards the Deans of all law schools where our fraternity has chapters were requested to certify the name of the fraternity member making the

highest rank in scholastic attainment during his period in the law school. Candidates were then required to submit an article on some legal subject of their own selection, such article to contain not less than 1500 nor more than 2000 words. The articles were then submitted to the scholastic committee and awards made based upon the quality of the articles submitted.

Under the Chapter award system, the Deans of the various law schools where our fraternity has chapters were requested to certify the rank that the chapter as a group had to the average law school grade. The awards were made to Chapters holding the highest group average.

This practice was not continued during the school year of 1933-34.

One of the chief aims of our fraternity is to stimulate scholarship and improve the scholastic standing of its members that they may be better fitted for the practice of the profession which our fraternity represents.

We believe that the importance of a high scholastic standing can be impressed upon the active members of our fraternity by offering a prize of a material character as a symbol of the efforts which they have put forth and the appreciation which the fraternity has for their ability.

We believe that scholastic achievement should be recognized both as to the individual and to the chapter as a group.

However, in making the individual award we do not believe the best results will be achieved by granting it to the individual ranking highest in his scholastic attainment at the end of his entire period in the law school. If the advantages of scholastic attainment are to be impressed upon the minds of our active members the knowledge of this advantage should reach them during the early part of their school life. The purpose of these awards should be not only to

recognize one who has achieved a high scholastic standard, but also to encourage others to reach that goal. We therefore, recommend that the awards be made to the first year students, and then, if possible, the entire period in the law school.

We do not believe that the system of Chapter awards should be changed as that system heretofore referred to takes in the chapter as a group and covers each class in the law school.

In order to make this scholastic program successful, each chapter will have to be informed by the Secretary of the plan and they in turn will have to encourage their individual members to work for the awards.

We hesitate to make a definite recommendation that these awards be provided for by advertising through the *REPORTER*, as we may place a duty upon the editor which he cannot carry out. We also hesitate to make a recommendation that the awards be provided out of funds of the fraternity without being advised that the treasury can stand this additional expense. We therefore recommend that the Supreme Board be instructed to provide for the awards and that the awards be given to individuals and chapters selected under the plan heretofore set out.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD BOLTON,
Chairman."

Brother George Stout, Chairman of the Committee on Per Capita Tax and Life Subscription presented two alternative proposals on per capita taxes and on initiation fees and a great deal of discussion followed. For lack of space this report and the attending discussions are not set forth since the result appears in the amendments to the Constitution and By-laws set out elsewhere.

The Convention recessed for lunch, reconvening at two o'clock p.m.

REPORT OF NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

"An employment bureau is an activity much within the province of local Chapters because of the personal element that is largely involved. Accordingly wherever there are alumni chapters it is the recommendation of this Committee that the alumni chapters establish and maintain this service whereby the brothers who have knowledge of positions available or to be available may have them listed and where a file may be kept of the names of brothers who are or will be desirous of being placed.

This work has been carried on very commendably by some of the alumni chapters and should be developed and maintained assiduously. In those localities where there is no alumni chapter, it is earnestly recommended that brothers knowing of such vacancies list the positions available or to be available in the office of the Supreme Secretary and such listings be published in the next issue of the REPORTER, and meanwhile this information relayed to the Justice of the active chapter in the immediate locality.

Your committee therefore, to succinctly present its deliberations, concludes its report with the following resolution:

Whereas, it is one of the purposes

of Phi Alpha Delta to foster the welfare of its members in the pursuit of their vocations and this period of depression presents a particular opportunity for the members to exert themselves in this respect; and

Whereas, the Alumni Chapters and the magazine present facilities which can be utilized to further a fraternity employment system;

Your committee therefore unanimously recommends that the REPORTER carry a standing notice that any brother desiring employment should communicate with the National Secretary so that a resume thereof with or without his name as the applicant may desire, may be published in the magazine, and also likewise communicate with the Secretary of the Alumni Chapter in the City where he desires to be located;

And it is further recommended that every Alumni Chapter be urged to give active cooperation in soliciting its members to aid in the employment of members of the Fraternity.'

Respectfully submitted.

THOMAS W. CONSTABLE,
Chairman.

THOMAS L. BROWN,
JAMES D. GRAY."

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON POLITICAL POLICY

"Your Committee believes that the fraternity, in its conventions and group activities, should be absolutely free from so-called partisan politics. At all of its gatherings, the injection of politics should always be discouraged.

Another phase of the situation, as presented to the Committee, had to do with the question of how far the chapters, active and alumni, should go in assisting a brother PAD who is running for public office. It was felt by the committee that it would be a mistake for the fraternity to adopt any policy in this regard; that each community would have to deal with these situations in its own way.

The committee feels that PADs would go a long way to assist a worthy PAD who was running for public office. At the same time, in our zeal to render such assistance, we might be doing something that would prove to be a real detriment to a candidate from the standpoint of practical politics.

To sum up the committee's views, we are of the opinion that the fraternity should not formulate any political policy, leaving it to the best judgment of the members as to how they should proceed should they desire to help a brother Phi Alpha Delta who is a candidate for office.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. NANGLE,
Chairman."

The committee on Constitutional Amendments reported and the following amendments to the Constitution were adopted:

Article XVI of the Constitution was amended so that the article as amended reads as follows:

Sec. 1. (a) Every proposed amendment to this constitution shall be submitted to every Chapter of this fraternity by the Supreme Executive Board not later than the first day of April preceding the convention.

(b) Every proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to the Supreme Executive Board not later than February 1st preceding the convention, for submission to the Chapters as hereinbefore stated.

Section 2. The Supreme Chapter in convention assembled may amend or suspend this Constitution and/or any article, section or sub-section hereof, providing the proposed amendment has been properly submitted to the Chapters, by a two-thirds vote of the accredited delegates in convention.

Section 1 of Article VI of the Constitution was amended so that such Section, as amended, reads as follows:

"Sec. 1. How Elected—The Supreme Chapter in convention assembled shall choose from the members of this fraternity:

The Supreme Justice
The Supreme Vice Justice
The Supreme Secretary and Editor
The Supreme Alumni Advisor
The Supreme Faculty Advisor
The Supreme Historian
The Supreme Marshal
The Chief Tribune
Two Associate Tribunes
The Chairman of the Board of Trustees

Two Associate Members of the Board of Trustees, as the Supreme officers of this fraternity, each to hold office until his successor is elected and qualified.

Section 3 of Article VII of the Constitution was amended so that such Section as amended read as follows:

"Sec. 3—The Supreme Secretary—The Supreme Secretary shall keep all administrative and financial records of this fraternity; he shall be the keeper of the Constitution, By-laws and Great Seal of this fraternity; he shall have charge of all fraternity funds, (except the National Endowment Fund); he shall edit and publish the official magazine; and he shall perform such other duties as may be assigned to him from time to time by the Supreme Justice and/or by the Supreme Executive Board."

Article VII of the Constitution was amended by adding a new Section to be known as Section 4, and which reads as follows:

"Sec. 4 Supreme Alumni Advisor—The Supreme Alumni Advisor shall have the supervision of the organization of alumni chapters and State Alumni Associations and shall be in direct charge of their activities."

Article VII of the Constitution was amended by adding a new Section to be known as Section 5, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 5. Supreme Faculty Advisor—The Supreme Faculty Advisor shall have supervision over the scholastic activities of this fraternity and shall endeavor to procure the appointment of members of this fraternity as members of the faculties in the various law schools throughout the country."

Three additional amendments to Article VII of the Constitution were adopted for the purpose of correcting the numbering of succeeding sections.

Section 1 of Article VIII of the Constitution was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 1. Composition—The Supreme Justice, the Supreme Vice-Justice, the Supreme Secretary and Editor, the Supreme Alumni Advisor and the Supreme Faculty Advisor shall constitute the Supreme Executive Board of this fraternity."

Section 3 of Article VIII of the Constitution was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 3. Substitution—Should any member of the Supreme Executive Board be unable to attend a called meeting, the Supreme Justice may call another of the Supreme Officers of the fraternity as a substitute, in the following order, viz: Supreme Historian and Supreme Marshal."

Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 5. Delegates to convention. Each Active Chapter shall be entitled to have two delegates and two alternate delegates at convention. Each Alumni Chapter and each State Alumni Association of this fraternity shall be entitled to have one delegate and one alternate delegate at convention."

Section 1 of Article IX of the Constitution was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 1. Composition. The fraternity shall be divided into eleven districts which shall be numbered and contain all Chapters which are now or which may hereafter be located within the following boundaries:

- Dist. 1. The States of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana.
- Dist. 2. The States of Nevada and that portion of California lying North of the Tehachapi Mountains.
- Dist. 3. The States of Arizona and that portion of California lying South of the Tehachapi Mountains.
- Dist. 4. The States of New Mexico, Colorado, Utah and Wyoming.
- Dist. 5. The States of North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, and Wisconsin.

- Dist. 6. The States of Illinois, Michigan and Indiana.
- Dist. 7. The States of Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas and Missouri.
- Dist. 8. The States of Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.
- Dist. 9. The States of Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia.
- Dist. 10. The States of Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida and South Carolina.
- Dist. 11. The States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware.

The Credentials Committee presented an additional report recommending that the following delegates be seated, which report was unanimously approved and the delegates seated:

H. H. Groom—Birmingham Alumni Chapter
 Frank Fawcett—Milwaukee Alumni Chapter
 Paul Parsons—Alabama State Association
 John Snively—Illinois State Association
 Raymond R. Stern—Magruder Chapter

Section 1 of Chapter IX of the By-laws was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 1. Official Jewelry: The official jewelry shall consist of:

- (1) Pledge pin
- (2) Members badge
- (3) Alumnus key
- (4) Past Justice key
- (5) Past Supreme Justice key.

(a) The pledge pin shall be of gold with purple enamel field with the scales of justice superimposed in gold.

(b) The badge shall be of gold and made up with or without jeweled border—pearls or diamonds or both—and only the badge with the jeweled border may be made in two sizes; the larger size to be known as the standard or regulation badge, and the smaller size as the sister or dress badge.

(c) Each standard or regulation badge, whether plain or jeweled, shall be numbered on the back thereof and a record of such number and name of the member to whom presented or sold

shall be preserved by the Supreme Secretary.

(d) Official jewelry shall be secured only upon consent of the Supreme Secretary, who shall approve all orders for same.

(e) The official alumni key shall be worn only by the graduate members of the Fraternity, except that during the month immediately preceding graduation seniors may wear same.

(f) The official Past Justice key shall be a gold key of the same size and shape as the official alumni key, with a black enamel field with the scales of justice superimposed in gold in the upper right-hand corner, a gavel superimposed in gold in the left-hand corner and with the Greek letters PAD in gold across the field diagonally from the upper left-hand corner to the lower right-hand corner.

(g) The Past Supreme Justice key shall be of such material and design as the Supreme Executive Board may direct.

Section 1 of Chapter X of the By-Laws was repealed and sections 2, 3 and 4 renumbered: Sections 1, 2 and 3, respectively.

Section 1 of Chapter IX of the By-Laws was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 1. Active Membership Initiation fee. Every initiate to active membership shall pay to his Chapter an initiation fee, the amount of which shall be fixed by the Chapter, \$15.00 of which must be paid to the Supreme Secretary forthwith."

Section 3 of Chapter IV of the By-laws was amended so that such Section as amended reads as follows:

"Sec. 3. Active Membership, Per Capita Tax. Each Active Chapter shall pay annually to the Supreme Secretary a per capita tax of \$8.00 per member. Such tax must in the first instance be paid on November 1st following the college year in which the member was initiated, and on November 1st of each

ensuing year thereafter while the member remains an active member. Provided, however, that in the event the member shall remain in school for longer than two years following the school year in which he was initiated, the Chapter shall then pay annually for such member a per capita tax of \$5.00.

Section 5 of Chapter X of the By-laws was repealed and a new Section enacted in lieu thereof to be known as Section 4, which reads as follows:

"Sec. 4. Each member of this fraternity, upon initiation into his local active chapter shall be required to subscribe for life subscription to the official magazine of the fraternity, the price of such subscription being hereby fixed at \$9.00, \$3.00 of which is included in his initiation fee, the remaining \$6.00 being included in per capita taxes provided in Section I of Chapter IV of these By-laws. Upon payment of such amounts by the local Chapter to the Supreme Secretary he shall in turn deposit the same in a separate fund known as the Magazine Endowment Fund. In the event a member shall graduate or leave school before the total subscription price of \$9.00 has been paid through the collection of that portion of the initiation fee and per capita tax, he shall continue to pay direct to the Supreme Secretary \$3.00 per year until the total life subscription price of \$9.00 has been paid in full.

Upon recommendation of the Committee on Resolutions, the following Resolutions were unanimously adopted:

1. WHEREAS, the Alumni Chapter of Chicago, with William M. O'Shea as its Justice and General Chairman of the Convention Committee has so graciously and munificently entertained Phi Alpha Delta in its 23rd Biennial Convention assembled in this mighty and glorious city; and

WHEREAS, the following listed brothers,

Francis J. Benda	Rupert F. Bippus
Clarence N. Bergstrom	Harry A. Carlson
John C. Bloomington	Henry L. Chatroop
Hon. J. William Brooks	

James J. Cherry
 Eugene V. Clarke
 John B. Delaney
 James L. Donnelly
 George E. Fink
 Allan T. Gilbert
 Hon. Richey V. Graham
 Hon. Cornelius J. Harrington
 Hon. James P. Harrold
 Hon. William E. Helander
 Thomas C. Hollywood
 Hon. Edgar A. Jonas
 Charles G. Koepke
 Paul C. Meier
 Paul Moore
 Thomas P. Octigan
 Albert Peterson
 John C. Richert
 Theodore Richer
 Edwin A. Robson
 Hon. Jay Schiller
 Jay Stough
 John L. Sunde
 Hon. Dwight H. Green
 Howard Andrews
 Kress Culver
 Herbert Engel
 Herbert J. Ferguson
 Kenneth M. Fiske
 Lee J. Gary
 John J. Grealis
 Merle Lyon
 George McKibben
 William J. Nealon
 Robert Owens
 Glenn G. Paxton
 David Tallant
 James Turner
 Joseph Uhler

members of the Chicago Alumni Chapter graciously contributed to a guarantee fund for the entertainment of the visitors and to augment the general funds of the fraternity in order to assure the holding of this convention; and

WHEREAS, this convention has proved to be one of the most successful and enjoyable largely because of our cordial hosts' untiring attention and efforts;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Phi Alpha Delta voices its sincerest thanks and appreciation to the Chicago Alumni, the members of the various convention committees, and the individual guarantors for a most memorable occasion and wishes them even greater success and finer fellowship in the future than they have had in the past.

2. It is hereby resolved that Phi Alpha Delta in convention assembled, express its appreciation for and thanks to Brother Judge Arthur J. Tuttle of Campbell Chapter, whose earnest, sincere, and active interest in the growth and development of our fraternity has given us all renewed hope and faith in the possibility of the ever-growing influence of Phi Alpha Delta and renewed strength to push forward to the goal which lies before us.

3. Since our last national convention in 1930, to the best of our knowledge, the following members in Phi Alpha Delta have passed away:

Lawrence W. Ledvina (Ryan) Past Supreme Justice 1907-08. Died September 26, 1932.

Harry G. Keats (Blackstone). Died September 27, 1932.

S. L. Carlson (Webster).

E. W. Colby (Fuller). Died September 29, 1932.

Burleigh F. Spaulding (Corliss), Former Chief Justice of Supreme Court of North Dakota.

Paul D. Highee (Lawson) Judge Circuit Court-Missouri. Died October 1, 1932.

Walter C. Ownes (Ryan), Former Associate Justice of Supreme Court of Wisconsin—Honorary Member.

Lawrence DeGraff (Cole) Former Justice of Supreme Court of Iowa.

Christian Doerfler (Ryan) Former Associate Justice of Supreme Court of Wisconsin.

Andrew Y. Wood (Temple) Editor of State Bar Journal, San Francisco.

Ernest Smith (Benton) U. S. Government, St. Louis.

Clarence C. Majeski (Webster).

Paul C. L. Amoreaux (Blackstone).

John K. Murphy (Marshall).

Judge Oliner B. Jones (Chase).

George Harold (Chase).

Senator Thos. E. Walsh (Taft) Former Attorney General.

H. H. Guyer (Watson).

J. Peters (Taft).

G. F. Wells (Washington, D. C., Alumni).

Lincoln Hulby (Brewer) President, John B. Stetson University.

Resolved: that members of the fraternity take note of the above mentioned deceased members and hereby express its great loss suffered by the passing of these brothers.

Resolved: that our heartfelt thanks be extended to Chicago Alumni Chapter and the five active chapters of Chicago who are our gracious hosts, particularly to William M. O'Shea, Convention Chairman whose untiring work has added every possible comfort, joy and entertainment to the delegates; also to brother Harry Rice for his efforts toward making our day at the Century of Progress very enjoyable. Also on behalf of our ladies who we are informed have been pleasantly entertained by a committee of Chicago ladies headed by Mrs. Betty Gilbert, wife of our beloved Supreme Justice, Allan T. Gilbert.

It is our recommendation that the foregoing resolutions be accepted.

A telegram was sent to J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of Currency as follows:

'Members in Phi Alpha Delta at the convention regret that you cannot be here. Realize your manifold duties are such that you could not get away. Convention huge success.'

Respectfully submitted,

ALLEN OBERDING,

ROBERT H. COBEAN."

The convention recessed for lunch.

At two o'clock P.M. the convention was called to order by Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert, who announced the next order of business would be the model initiation, which was conducted in masterly fashion by the Chicago Chapters. Immediately following the initiation the convention was again called to order by the Supreme Justice

who announced that nominations were in order for the election of National officers.

The following officers were unanimously elected:

William S. Culbertson (Calhoun and Washington, D. C., Alumni) Supreme Justice.

Dwight H. Green (Holmes-Marshall, Chicago Alumni) Supreme Vice-Justice.

Frank M. Ludwick (Benton, Los Angeles Alumni) Supreme Secretary and Editor.

Frank E. Rutledge (Webster, New York Alumni) Supreme Alumni Advisor.

Lyman P. Wilson (Marshall) Supreme Faculty Advisor.

Albert L. Schweitzer (Lawson, St. Louis Alumni) Supreme Historian.

William M. O'Shea (Webster) Chicago Alumni) Supreme Marshal.

Allan T. Gilbert (Blackstone, Chicago Alumni) Chief Tribune.

John D. Carmody (Taft, Los Angeles Alumni) and John J. Nangle (Benton, St. Louis Alumni) Associate Tribunes.

Thomas P. Octigan (Blackstone) Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

James D. Gray (Watson, Pittsburgh Alumni) and August A. Rendigs, Jr. (Chase, Cincinnati Alumni) Associate Members of Board of Trustees.

Invitations for the next convention were received from Washington, D. C., and St. Louis, Missouri and other points.

A vote of appreciation and thanks to convention chairman William M. O'Shea was passed with rousing cheers.

Past Supreme Justice John J. Nangle delivered a glowing tribute to the retiring Supreme Justice, Allan T. Gilbert, for his unselfish devotion and tireless work in behalf of the fraternity during his administration.

The newly elected officers were installed by Supreme Justice Allan T. Gilbert and the convention adjourned sine die.

NOTE: We have attempted to set out above a true and accurate account of the proceedings of the 23rd biennial convention of PAD held at the Drake Hotel in Chicago, August 23rd, 24th and 25th. In the interest of economy a reporter was dispensed with, with the exception of the Saturday morning session when the committee on Constitution and By-Laws reported. In the absence of a reporter it was impossible to keep a complete record of the prominent members who were present and the many stirring addresses delivered, but we believe that the above report accurately sets forth the proceedings of the convention and will suffice. An account of the social activities and functions will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The Newly Elected Officers

It is impossible in the limited space available to give anything but a brief biography of the members of the Supreme Executive Board and National Officers, but in order that you may know something of them and their accomplishments we take pleasure in introducing them to you.

By an amendment to the By-Laws, the personnel of the Supreme Board was changed from three to five.

We present our new SUPREME JUSTICE, WILLIAM S. CULBERTSON:

BROTHER CULBERTSON was born in Greensburg, Pennsylvania, August 5, 1884. Early in his youth he removed to Emporia, Kansas, where he later attended the College of Emporia and also was a member of the staff of the Emporia Gazette, the newspaper made famous by William Allen White.

Brother Culbertson received his degree of Bachelor of Arts from the College of Emporia and later from Yale where he was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity. After receiving his A.B. degree at Yale he continued his studies in the graduate school and received his Doctor's Degree in Economics and Law in 1911. He also studied at the Universities of Berlin and Leipsig in Germany, and at Grenoble in France.

It was while Brother Culbertson was at Yale that he was made a member of Calhoun Chapter, Phi Alpha Delta. With him in the active Chapter at that time were Hon. J. F. T. O'Connor, now Comptroller of the Currency, Hon. Arthur Koontz of Charlestown, West Virginia, a distinguished attorney who, some years ago, was Democratic candidate for Governor of his State, and Hay Marshall Diggs, now Executive Assistant to the Comptroller of Currency in charge of Federal Deposit Insurance. These three outstanding representatives of Phi Alpha Delta have maintained an intimate relationship throughout the intervening years.

Brother Culbertson is held in high esteem as an outstanding expert on



economic subjects and the tariff. His was the plan which brought forth the establishment of the Federal Tariff Commission of which he subsequently became Vice Chairman. Later, he suggested the principles of the so-called "flexible tariff" with the result that it was adopted by President Harding and subsequently enacted into law as part of the Tariff Act of 1922.

During these years he had a very substantial part in the settlement of international problems in their economic phases. The investigation by the Tariff Commission in this field came under his immediate supervision. At the Arms Conference in 1921 he had charge of the economic studies and thereafter continued to work with Mr. Hughes, then Secretary of State, on various subjects relating to shipping, raw materials and the new commercial treaty policy.

During the years 1925 to 1928 he was Minister to Rumania, where he so distinguished himself that he was promoted to be Ambassador to Chile. This later post was of great importance during Brother Culbertson's incumbency. There was the visit of President Hoover, the stabilization of the nitrate industry, the settlement of the Tacna-Arica dispute between Chile and Peru—and the adoption and ratification of the Kellogg Anti-War Pact.

In October 1929 Brother Culbertson was instructed by President Hoover to represent him at the 4th Inauguration of President Leguia of Peru. He made the journey over mountainous and rugged country, 1760 miles each way, by plane.

All three of the countries to which Brother Culbertson has been accredited have conferred upon him their highest honors, and repeatedly expressed their appreciation of his services.

He has had conferred upon him the highest honors of many outstanding institutions of learning both in this country and abroad. Upon such an occasion at the Catholic University of Chile it was said of Brother Culbertson:

"In effect, the brilliant career of Mr. Culbertson in study, teaching and in his activities in government and diplomacy, testified to by the character of his works, is not only known and appreciated in his great country, but in literary and scientific circles of the whole world. Even though he is barely upon the threshold of the second half of his life, the scientific work of Mr. Culbertson is as fertile as that produced by superior spirits in an entire lifetime."

In addition to many volumes of important governmental documents and reports, he is the author of:

Alexander Hamilton, an Essay, 1911.
Commercial Policy in War Time and After, 1919.

Raw Materials and Foodstuffs in the Commercial Policies of Nations, 1924.
International Economics Policies—A Survey of the Economics of Diplomacy, 1925.

The first of these was his Doctor's thesis and won the John Addison Por-

ter prize at Yale. The volume entitled "International Economic Policies" has attracted particular attention both in the United States and abroad. It has been translated into Japanese.

Brother Culbertson was prominent in the leadership of round-table discussions at the Institute of Politics, Williamstown, Massachusetts, during the summers of 1922, 1923 and 1924.

He resigned recently as Ambassador to Chile and has resumed the practice of law at Washington. He has associated with him Brother Joseph A. Carey, Taft '15, formerly Supreme Vice Justice and Chairman of the Convention Committee in Washington in 1923. Brother Culbertson is a member of the Faculty of the Foreign Service School of Georgetown University and, upon invitation, contributed his services as an Industrial Adviser to the National Recovery Administration.

Phi Alpha Delta is proud to acclaim this brother who reached the highest diplomatic rank, the Ambassador of his country, solely because of his exceptional qualifications and his splendid record in other important posts in the public service—untinged by political or other influences. He has brought honor and glory not alone to himself, but to his Fraternity whose ideals he has exemplified by his private and professional activities.

SUPREME VICE-JUSTICE

DWIGHT HERBERT GREEN: Dwight was born in Ligonier, Indiana, (yes there really is such a place) located on the New York Central Railroad, 125 miles southeast of Chicago, on January 9, 1897, the son of Harry and Minnie (Gerber) Green. He attended public school and high school there and in the fall of 1916 entered Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Indiana, where he earned his letter playing quarterback on the football squad of 1915 and 1916.



He was shortstop on the baseball teams in 1916 and 1917. He left Wabash College before the end of his Sophomore year and enlisted as a private in the United States Army at Fort Benjamin Harrison. On December 1st, 1917, he was transferred to the Air Service, attended ground school at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, and was commissioned Second Lieutenant, Air Service, at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas in May, 1918, thereafter going through the instructors' school at Brooksfield, San Antonio, Texas. In July of that year he went to Mather Field, Sacramento, California as an instructor and continued as an instructor of flying until he was honorably discharged in January, 1919. He then matriculated at Leland Stanford University, remaining there until June, 1919, when he returned to Chicago working during vacation in the law offices of General Roy D. Keehn. In the fall of 1919 he entered the University of Chicago Law School and at the end of the first year in law school became a reporter on the Chicago Herald & Examiner and was correspondent for this paper at the university during his second year in law school. He graduated from the University of Chicago with the degree of Bachelor of Philosophy in 1920 and from the law school with a degree of Doctor of Jur-

isprudence in 1922. He then became associated with General Keehn and continued in such association until January 2, 1926, when he was appointed Special Attorney for the Bureau of Internal Revenue and entered the office of General Counsel at Washington, D. C. In April, 1927, he was sent to Chicago, representing that department, and one month later was appointed Special Assistant United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois in charge of income tax matters. It was in this capacity that he attained national fame in charge of income tax prosecutions against members of the notorious Al Capone gang, and successfully conducted prosecutions against Al Capone, his brother, Ralph Capone, Jack Guzik, Sam Guzik and Frank Nitti.

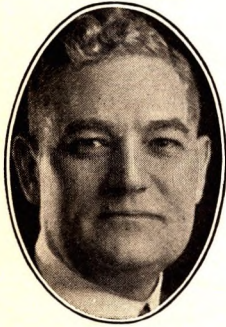
On August 17th, 1932, he was appointed United States District Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, and is still serving in that capacity. He has successfully prosecuted many cases against prominent politicians and public officials who have run afoul of the Federal laws, and is now engaged in prosecuting a lawyer and others who were in with the notorious Dillinger gang of gunmen.

He was initiated into Phi Alpha Delta by Holmes Chapter at Stanford University, and while at the University of Chicago served as Justice of Marshall Chapter for two years. At the National Convention in Kansas City in 1921, he was elected Supreme Historian and during his regime published for the fraternity one of its Directories.

Brother Green is a member of the American Bar Association, Illinois State Bar Association, Chicago Bar Association, Chicago Legal Club, Kappa Sigma, Union League Club, Knollwood Country Club, American Legion, "40 & 8" and the Masonic Lodge.

He married Mabel Victoria Kingston, formerly of Washington, D. C. in June, 1926 and has two daughters, Nancy age six, and Gloria age three.

SUPREME ALUMNI ADVISOR, FRANK E. RUTLEDGE: Frank has served 6½ years in the office of Supreme Vice-Justice, spending most of his time on the work which has now been transferred to his present office. A former Editor once said: "To write a suitable life work of Rutledge is about as easy as pulling ducks' teeth. Certain facts



stand out and cannot be hid, but the man's modesty is simply a vice. He goes ahead doing his job with quiet efficiency and he will talk about said job too, for his heart is full of it, but of himself. . . ."

At any rate, he was born in St. Louis, Missouri on May 9th, 1884. Attended law school at Smith Academy in St. Louis, later went to the Mohegan Lake Military School, Peeksville, New York, and graduated from the Chicago Law School in 1906.

He is married to a perfectly charming girl named Ann, has three children, two sons and one daughter, and resides in Pelham Manor, New York. During the last 20 years he has specialized in sales organization and sales management work, has made a special study of marketing conditions and practices and his work has familiarized him with every section of the United States and Canada. For a number of years he has been connected with the National Advertising Department of the Scripps-Howard Newspapers.

Frank's activity in Phi Alpha Delta started in 1904 as Clerk of Webster Chapter in Chicago. He was chairman of the Board of Tribunes in 1910 and 1911, Vice-Justice and Director and charter member of the New York

Alumni Chapter. He acted as Supreme Recorder for two years and was first elected Supreme Vice-Justice in 1928 at the Cincinnati convention. He is handsome in appearance, has a delightful personality and next to his family, Phi Alpha Delta is his passion. Ann says she sometimes doubts which comes first. The convention was not gambling when it elected him as Supreme Alumni Advisor as he has demonstrated his fitness for the work and his industry in that connection.

SUPREME FACULTY ADVISOR, LYMAN P. WILSON: Brother Wilson was born on January 21st, 1883 at Leslie, Clark County, Iowa. This important event occurred in a log cabin, but Lyman says he has given up all hopes of becoming president of these United States due to the shift to urban population.



He received the degree of B.S. from Knox College, Galesburg, Illinois, in 1904, and the degree of LL.B. from the same institution in 1924. He studied law at the University of Chicago receiving his degree of J.D. there in 1907. He was admitted to the Bar in Illinois in 1907 and immediately entered the practice there. He was elected City Attorney of Galesburg, Illinois in 1909 and again in 1911-12. In 1911 he be-

came Associate Professor of Law at the University of Idaho and in 1912 Professor of Law. He became Professor of Law at the University of Oklahoma in the fall of 1914, at George Washington University in 1920 and at Cornell University in 1921. During the summers of 1922, 1923 and 1925 he taught at the Law School of the University of Chicago and in the summer of 1924 at Columbia University Law School.

He has written numerous magazine articles and a collection of Cases on Torts (Callaghan & Co.—adv.). He was initiated into Phi Alpha Delta at Marshall Chapter in 1905, and is also an honorary member of Wilson Chapter, being the first honorary member to be initiated under the present Ritual for the initiation of honorary members. He was largely instrumental, if not entirely so, in the establishment of Kent Chapter at Idaho, Harlan Chapter at Oklahoma and Woodrow Wilson Chapter at Cornell. With Fink, Meier, Daly, Neltner, et al., he is one of the old guard of PAD. He claims that he was *thoroughly* initiated under the first ritual at a joint meeting of the five Chapters then in Chicago. He has taught nearly all the courses offered in the law school curriculum, but has given up hope of completing the circuit because of the rate at which new courses are spawning. We finally managed to get a picture of him and in transmitting it he said, "Photograph enclosed is a flattering portrait made by a man who did his damndest with the material at hand, but who could not quite pose a potato and get the picture of a peach." Which shows that in spite of all of his brilliant achievements he proves that a Law Professor can still have a sense of humor.

With Lyman as our Supreme Faculty Advisor, we can anticipate having all the law schools employing nothing but PAD instructors by the expiration of his tenure of office.

THE last member of your Supreme Executive Board, SUPREME SECRETARY AND EDITOR, FRANK M. LUDWICK.—And now what a spot you have me in.

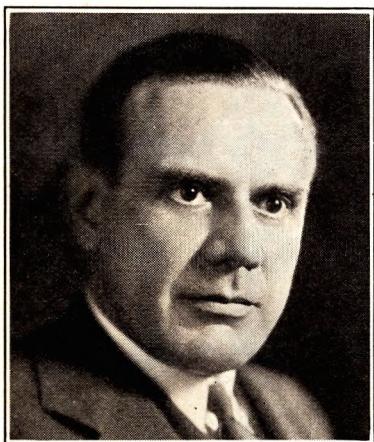
A Past Supreme Editor, in reporting my re-election as Supreme Secretary in 1930 started out with the, to me, somewhat questionable statement "We have set him again,"

and then commented further, "We had hoped to see Frank's hair turn grey in the service of the fraternity, but that is impossible—he is losing it too fast."

I was initiated in 1914 by Benton Chapter and was a delegate from that Chapter to the San Francisco Convention in 1915. Shortly thereafter I was appointed Justice of the Western District by Supreme Justice Stewart and held that office until October, 1920. I was elected to the office of Supreme Secretary at the Kansas City convention in 1921, and reelected at the Washington Convention in 1923, the *St. Louis convention in 1925* (Al Schweitzer please note), the Cincinnati convention in 1927, the Milwaukee convention in 1930 and the Chicago convention in 1934.



SUPREME HISTORIAN ALBERT L. SCHWEITZER: Brother Schweitzer was born on April 18, 1888, at St. Louis, Missouri. He attended public and parochial grade schools in St. Louis, graduating from McKinley High in January, 1908, in St. Louis. He matriculated at the University of Missouri, graduating from the Law Department with an LL.B. in 1911. Re-



SUPREME MARSHAL WILLIAM M. O'SHEA: The effervescent Convention Chairman was born in Chicago in 1903. Bill has demonstrated that he is one of the most valuable workers of the fraternity and characteristic of the type of man that spells the future of PAD. Two outstanding successes of 1934 are credited to his energy and enthusiasm, National PAD Night and the Convention.

He was educated at DeLaSalle University, Northwestern University (Commerce) and at the Chicago Law School. While at Law School he was president of every class throughout the course. He was initiated into Webster Chapter

turning to St. Louis he entered private practice and continued there until June, 1918 when he enlisted in the United States Navy, serving as navigation officer on different ships on overseas duty. In 1919 returning from the war he again resumed the general practice and on January 1, 1921 was appointed Assistant Circuit Attorney, serving in that capacity until January 1, 1923, when he became Prosecuting Attorney of the City of St. Louis. He was reelected to that office in November, 1926, thus serving as Prosecuting Attorney in that City from January 1st, 1923 until January 1st, 1931, when he again returned to the private practice of law. In 1930 he was elected Exalted Ruler of the St. Louis Lodge No. 9 of the B.P.O.E. In 1932 he served as Provisional Judge in Division No. 2 of the St. Louis Court of Criminal Correction.

He is a member of the Triple A Golf Club, Westborough Country Club, Missouri Athletic Association, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Boy's Club of St. Louis (that has to do with fostering the care and upkeep of the boys in the poorer section of the City). He is Justice of the St. Louis Alumni Chapter of PAD and was a delegate from such Chapter to the Chicago Convention. Al is a live wire if you ever saw one.



in 1927. The following year he was elected Treasurer of the Chapter, and in his senior year was Justice.

He joined the Chicago Alumni Chapter upon graduation in 1929 and has already served as Marshal, Treasurer and Justice.

His business interest is in representing the Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation Ltd., of London, England, in Chicago, in the writing of Surety Bonds. He also lectures at several Universities, in their Law and Commerce Departments, on the subject of Insurance and Suretyship.

BOARD OF TRIBUNES

CHIEF TRIBUNE, ALLAN T. GILBERT: We would like to devote a separate issue of the REPORTER to the record of our newly elected Chief Tribune. Perhaps we shall some time, but here are a few highlights.

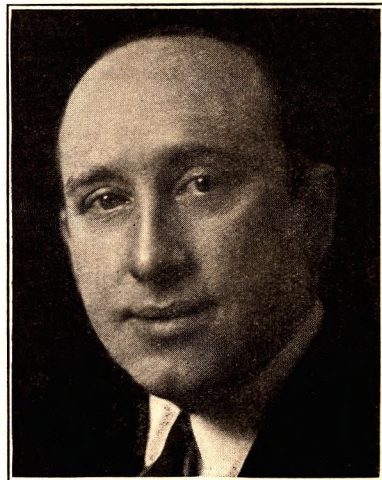


Allan was born December 2nd, 1894 in Chicago, Illinois, the son of Allan A. Gilbert, a practicing lawyer of Chicago from 1890 until 1925. He was educated at Douglas School, University High School, Wendel Phillips, Lewis Institute, Northwestern University, Kent College of Law. He married Elizabeth (Betty) Boyce of Chicago in 1922 and the father of two boys and two girls.

He is a member of the Chicago, Illinois State and American Bar Associations, Sons of the American Revolution, Past State Judge Advocate of American Legion, Department of Illinois, Illinois Member of National Rehabilitation Committee, American Legion, Dearborn Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M., Skokie Country Club, Kenilworth, Michigan Northwoods, Union League and Mid-Day Clubs and was recently elected as President of the Kenilworth Beach & Yacht Club. He resides in Kenilworth, Illinois.

He served in all the offices of Blackstone Chapter and in the Chicago Alumni Chapter. As District Justice of the Northern District he was elected as Supreme Marshall in 1923, Supreme Historian in 1925, reelected to that office in 1927, and Supreme Justice in 1930. His report to the convention, appearing elsewhere in this issue, illustrates in some small measure his splendid efforts on behalf of Phi Alpha Delta during his incumbency in office at a very critical period of time.

JOHNN J. NANGLE: A genial Irishman from Missouri, practicing law in St. Louis. He was born we believe in Kansas City, although we would not swear to this. He received his preliminary education at St. Mary's College, St. Marys, Kansas and graduated from the Kansas City School of Law. For some time he was Assistant Attorney for the Missouri Pacific Railway and moved to St. Louis while in their employ. He has practiced law in St. Louis for approximately eighteen years.



He is a member of Benton Chapter and was elected Supreme Vice-Justice at the St. Louis Convention in 1925, Supreme Justice at the Cincinnati Convention in 1927 and Chief Tribune at the Milwaukee Convention in 1930. In addition to his practice, he is an able and successful politician and is famous for his ability as an orator. I am sure that all of the delegates at the recent convention will agree that his report as Chief Tribune, entirely extemporaneous, was extremely eloquent and that the sound advice and instructions which he gave sank deep into the minds of his listeners. His love for the fraternity and his service has been long and constant. We wish there were more like him but that just could not be.

COLONEL JOHN DOYLE CARMODY: Talking about modest Supreme Officers, the other member of this Board of Tribunes is just about the limit. If anyone knows anything about his past, present or future they certainly did not get it out of him. I have known him well for a great many years but I do not know where he was born, nor



when; where he was educated, nor how. I do know that he practiced law in Washington, D. C. before the war, that he served brilliantly overseas as Lieutenant-Colonel and that he served in the Canal Zone until about 1924 when

he was transferred to Los Angeles, residing there for several years. He is now doing special work in Washington, D. C. and lives at the Raquet Club.

He was twice elected Supreme Justice of Phi Alpha Delta, and was at the helm during the greatest expansion period of our fraternity. As far as I know, he was the first National officer to visit all of the Chapters during his incumbency of office. The Colonel, (Jack to us) never misses a National Convention and his interest in the progress of the fraternity has never abated.

Board of Trustees

THOMAS P. OCTIGAN, CHAIRMAN: We regret exceedingly that we are unable to publish a picture of Tom Octigan, nor are we able to give you much information about him due to the fact that Tom has been seriously ill in the hospital in Chicago for several weeks. He left his bed in the hospital to spend a few minutes with us at the closing session of the convention and the ovation which he received was tremendous. We regret very much that he was forced to return to the Hospital.

Tom is a wheel horse in PAD starting in Blackstone Chapter in 1903. He was active in both Chapter and National affairs, his first National office being that of Recorder to which he was elected at the Sixth convention in Chicago on July 21st, 1905, at which time the fraternity was composed of eight Chapters. In May, 1906, he was elected as Supreme Justice, holding that office until May 11th, 1907. During his tenure of office the Chapter Roll was increased from nine to eleven chapters. In 1907 he was elected to the office of Chief Tribune, thereafter serving in the ranks until he was again elected as a member of the Board of Tribunes at the convention in Cincinnati in 1927; and in 1930 he was elected a member of the Board of Trustees of the Endowment Fund.

Tom has practiced in Chicago for 27 years. From 1916 to 1918 he served as a Captain in the Infantry. He has been with the Illinois National Guard for 10 years and has served on the staff of two Illinois governors.

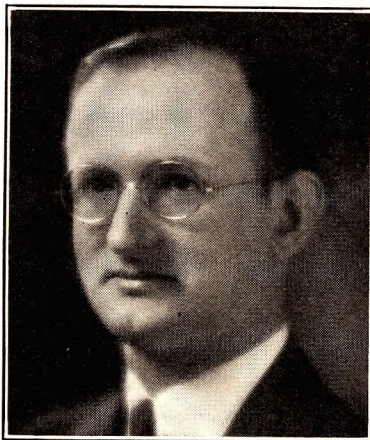
He is one of the best loved men in the fraternity and he has our sincere hope for a speedy return to good health.

AUGUST A. (GUS) RENDIGS, JR.—Gus was born on January 26, 1895, at Cincinnati, Ohio. He graduated from the University of Cincinnati Law School and did post graduate work at Harvard Law School. He is married, and has one boy. While at the University of Cincinnati he served as Vice-Justice of the Chapter and was delegate to the 1915 convention in San Francisco where he was elected Second Supreme Vice-Justice. He entered the practice of law in Cincinnati in 1917, and went to the First Officers Training Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison. His Commission, Second Lieutenant, Infantry. He went overseas as First Lieutenant in the 332nd Infantry attached to the Italian Army. Returning, he resumed the practice of law at Cincinnati, and has specialized in trial practice.

He was elected Supreme Justice at the Chicago convention in December, 1919, Chief Tribune in 1921 and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Endowment Fund in Washington, D. C. in 1923 and served continuously in that position until the recent convention in Chicago. He has rendered a great service to the fraternity and brought the Endowment Fund through the period of depression in remarkably good shape.

JAMES DUNLAP GRAY: Born June 10, 1900. Attended the public schools of Pittsburgh and Shadyside Academy. Graduated from Peabody High School June 27, 1919. Entered the University of Pittsburgh School of Economics in the fall of 1919. Grad-

uated from the School of Economics in 1924 with honor and degree of Bachelor of Science in Economics. Member of Beta Gamma Sigma, national honorary economics fraternity. Entered University of Pittsburgh Law



School in the fall of 1925. Initiated into David T. Watson Chapter of PAD, November 24, 1925. Served as treasurer and justice of Watson Chapter. Delegate of Watson Chapter to the Cincinnati Convention in December, 1927. Graduated from Pitt Law School in 1928. Admitted to the bar March 18, 1929. Since that time engaged in general civil practice with offices in Law and Finance Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. Helped organize Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter and served as the first justice of that chapter. Appointed organizer of Pennsylvania State Alumni Association. Delegate of Pittsburgh Alumni Chapter to the Chicago Convention.

The foregoing brief resume must indicate to you that the convention did well in selecting its new officers and I confidently believe that the fraternity will attain new heights during the coming administration under their leadership. I know that I, personally, deem it a great privilege to have the opportunity of serving with so splendid a group of brothers.

Convention Impressions

Into the office of the Supreme Secretary poured a great number of letters telling individual impressions of the National Convention. Too voluminous to be reprinted in full, a few high spots are selected.

■ MILES J. SEYK FROM BLACKSTONE CHAPTER . . . "Perhaps the matter that made the deepest impression with me was the gathering of the brothers from the entire United States and the opportunity of meeting with them and discussing their problems and difficulties. It broadened my knowledge of the vast scope of our Fraternity and revealed to me that the difficulties of my Chapter were small compared to those of many others. It gave me the opportunity of meeting PADs from the West, from the Gulf of Mexico, and from the East. Together we sat in convention with one thought in mind—progress for Phi Alpha Delta . . . good fellowship was prevalent throughout the convention . . . despite differences of opinion . . . jovialty at the banquet, at other affairs, at the business sessions. We did all the work the convention was required to do and yet had a lot of fun doing it."

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■ COLONEL WILLIAM J. WIGGINTON (CLAY) APPOINTED AS CHAIRMAN OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE . . . "To say that I enjoyed every minute of it would hardly express my appreciation for the undertaking of the Chicago Alumni and active chapters, not to mention the personal meeting of the various delegates and national officers of this great organization . . . the fraternity has started again on a greater period of development towards an ideal fraternity man and lawyer . . ."

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■ H. H. GROOM, BIRMINGHAM ALUMNI CHAPTER . . . "I consider the convention was a great success despite the dis-

tractions of the Century of Progress. I was particularly impressed with Brother O'Shea's activities . . ."

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■ ALBERT L. SCHWEITZER, ELECTED SUPREME HISTORIAN . . . "The outstanding and most important convention I ever attended . . . commend the delegates for the manner in which they approached the various subjects brought before the convention . . . no wrangling of any kind by anyone on any occasion . . . especially enjoyed meeting with so many older brothers whom I have not seen for some time. . . ."

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■ MERRILL STRIEBY FROM BLACKSTONE CHAPTER . . . "Outstanding are the plans to organize the State Alumni Associations and alumni organizations in the larger cities . . . re-districting the chapters and providing an up-to-date directory are decided improvements which will tend to bring about a more complete unity. . . ."

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■ AMORY UNDERHILL FROM BREWER CHAPTER . . . "The handling of the routine and events was a marvel to me. . . . I cannot say too much in praise of Bill O'Shea and his helpers. . . . Phi Alpha Delta is composed of the types and classes of men I am proud to call Brother. . . ."

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■ WILBUR L. JOHNSON FROM REESE CHAPTER . . . "I was particularly impressed with the size and strength of the national organization . . . the memory of the occasion will remain for many years. . . ."

■ ERNEST H. PETT, APPOINTED TO THE STATE ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE . . . "We were all hungry for a good PAD convention, and the Chicago brothers did not disappoint us. . . . The delegates attending appeared to be high grade fellows, interested and enthusiastic, and quite level headed. . . . PAD should move ahead with this type of membership. . . ."

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■ EARL H. HATCHER, FORMER SUPREME EDITOR . . . "Both the activities and business of the convention were so wonderfully timed that everyone was both entertained and busy. I recall one conscientious and industrious chap that worked in my room from 2:30 to 4 o'clock in the morning so that his report would be on time and properly prepared. . . ."

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■ JEAN MORONY FROM TEMPLE CHAPTER . . . "I shall never forget the gracious hospitality accorded us by the Chicago PADs and the friendliness of all who were so fortunate to be in attendance at the Convention and at its various affairs. . . . I was especially impressed by the remarks in Judge Tuttle's address. They were extremely timely and could oft be repeated to stimulate the efforts of all those who seek to enter the law profession. . . . I feel proud that I was selected to be a PAD. . . ."

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■ EDWARD J. LESKO FROM WATSON CHAPTER . . . "It was most gratifying for me to observe that in our brethren one finds the type of men who, along with being hard working, capable individuals, are also the most animated and congenial group that could be brought together. . . . Speaking of cordiality, camaraderie and the such, I cannot forget the hospitality, the warm heartedness, the fraternization with which the Milwaukee Alumni greeted and received all PADs who attended the American

Bar Association Convention. They did everything possible to make a person comfortable. The beer that made Milwaukee famous was showered upon us. The Smoker at the Schraeder Hotel was a real treat for the visiting firemen . . ."

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■ C. WILSON KEELER FROM KNOX CHAPTER . . . "It is a particular pleasure to know that I am associated with such men as Judge Tuttle, "Gus" Rendigs, Allan Gilbert, Frank Rutledge and Frank Ludwick. . . . The apparent high calibre of the college men represented was another thing that impressed me. . . ."

■ HAMLETT HARRISON FROM TANEY CHAPTER . . . "It was not difficult to report to the members of our chapter the business sessions, banquet, beer party and ball; but as yet no adequate means have been found to truly express that feeling instilled by intermingling with PADs drawn from every part of the country. . . . Every effort should be made to prevent again a lapse of four years between conventions. . . ."

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■ ELMER MILLION FROM HARLAN CHAPTER . . . "The high esteem in which our fraternity is held by the Chicago Bar Association was manifested by the luncheon held for us in their rooms and the warmth of the welcome extended to us. It made me conscious of the true worth of PAD. . . . I will remember the song fest at Old Heidelberg—the ovation accorded Allan Gilbert when he relinquished the gavel to his successor—the Sweetheart Song broadcast from the World's Fair over the NBC network—the appearance of Brother Octigan at the last day of the convention, attending despite a serious operation. . . ."

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■ HUGH WILSON FROM CLARK CHAPTER . . . "The friendly spirit that permeated the atmosphere throughout the entire convention was an especial inspiration for those of us attending for

the first time. We boys in school are proud of our distinguished alumni brothers. . . It is gratifying to find that the most eminent PADs are interested in us and anxious to help us with our problems. . . Brother O'Shea's artful planning of the program. . ."

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■ HAROLD BOLTON FROM GREEN CHAPTER . . . "I might write for hours upon the success of the convention. . . The ideas I brought back to my chapter I feel will be invaluable this year. . . I was amazed at the friendships formed through membership in this fraternity. In no case did the years seem to lessen the sincerity and closeness of those friendships. . ."

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■ CARL DAHLBERG FROM DUNBAR CHAPTER . . . "I certainly enjoyed meeting the men who control the destiny of the national chapter. They should be commended for their fine work. It will be my earnest endeavor to attend all future conventions. By the end of the business meetings I was so tired I could hardly attend the dance. . ."

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■ HAWLEY TODD FROM CHASE CHAPTER . . . "I never in my life had such a wonderful time. Indicative of the Convention spirit our local chapter has already arranged one of the greatest rushing programs we have ever had. . . It was a great pleasure to meet the national officers. . ."

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■ JOHN M. MILLER FROM STAPLES CHAPTER . . . "At the Convention I had the pleasure of learning that Phi Alpha Delta is the strongest and most active national legal fraternity in the coun-

try. . . Bill O'Shea overlooked absolutely nothing and made the Convention a huge success. . . There was never a dull moment."

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■ THOMAS CONSTABLE FROM THE NEW YORK ALUMNI CHAPTER . . . "It was a great and pleasant experience for me to attend for the first time the National Convention of Phi Alpha Delta. I was favorably impressed with the attention given the earnest work required, and at the same time marvelled at the social events and recreation."

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■ W. BURTON DULL FROM HAMMOND CHAPTER . . . "I returned home with a brighter outlook for all chapters after seeing the type of men and the organization behind our fraternity. . . I was impressed by the interest and enthusiasm shown by the alumni in their efforts to build up our alumni organization. . ."

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■ THOMAS J. BROWN FROM STORY CHAPTER . . . "I saw real fraternalism—fellowship—sincere and unaffected. I believe I saw a little bit of what Phi Alpha Delta means to Allan, to George, to Frank, to Jack and to all those others. I saw a type of men that made me most proud of Phi Alpha Delta and the law profession. . ."

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■ JAS. DOUGLAS BROWN FROM MORGAN CHAPTER . . . "We did not appreciate the real significance and size of our fraternity. The true worth of PAD is decided by the type of men interested in it. Our fraternity seems particularly blessed. . ."

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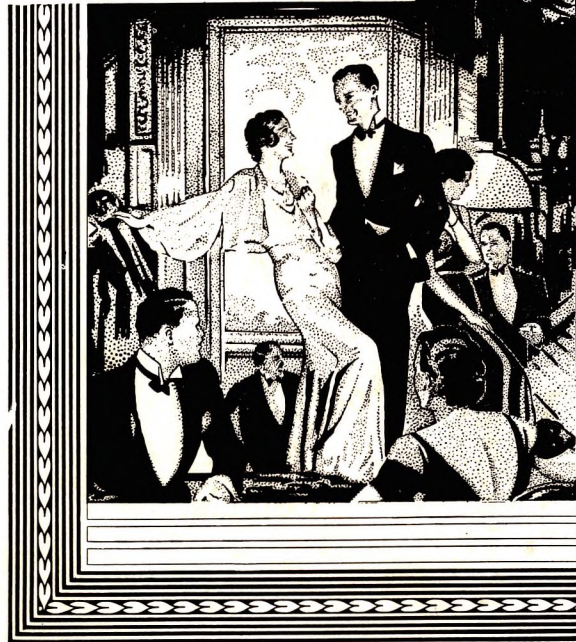


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