

THE ALPHA DELT

Cornell University Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi

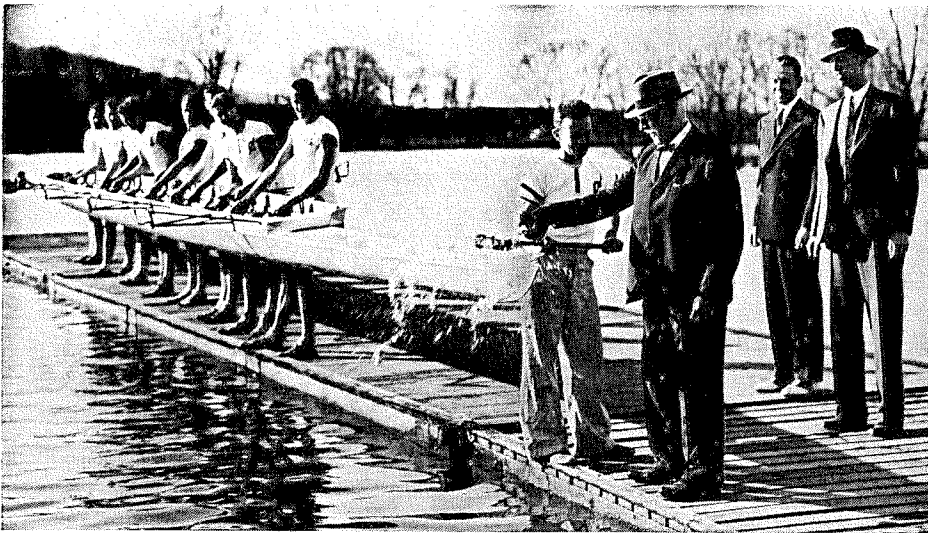
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Chapter Wants Names for Summer Rushing

A New Shell Is Christened



Cornell Alumni News

WHEN THE "SARATOGA '75" was christened recently, it was Coxy Larry Whitney who held the hammer over which Professor Emeritus A. W. Smith broke the bottle of Saratoga water. Apparently, everyone is very happy over the whole affair.

Five Seniors, All Varsity Lettermen, Will Leave

Alpha Delta Phi After Graduation on June 21

Five brothers are leaving the halls of Alpha Delta Phi this spring. Although a small class, they were an outstanding group, being active both in the chapter and on the Hill. All have won their letters in some sport.

To them is extended the best wishes of the entire chapter in their endeavors which will follow their graduation June 21.

Gets Law Degree

John J. Conway, Cohoes, N. Y. completed his first year course in law this year and received his prelegal degree from the arts college. A member of the golf team last year, he also belonged to Scabbard and Blade and was lieutenant colonel of the field artillery.

Robert J. McNamara, Ithaca, N. Y., has played varsity baseball for three years and captained the freshmen nine as well. He is a member of Sphinx Head, Ye Hosts and Kappa Beta Phi. Enrolled in the Hotel course and vice-president of the Hotel School Association, "Bibber" expects to enter that field after a short vacation.

Neff Earned Three Letters

Charles Y. Neff, who was enrolled in the Mechanical Engineering School, won his track numerals as a freshman and then followed through with three varsity track letters. Charlie was the smallest man on the squad this year, and Cornell adherents claim he won one race clearly, but was overlooked

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Personal Contact Is Being Planned

Chapter Members Will Visit All Boys Recommended During Summer Months

One again, summer is rapidly approaching, bringing with it another year's rushing problem. Alpha Delta Phi is planning to conquer this problem in the same fashion that it did last year—through an intensive summer campaign followed by a whirlwind fall pledging session.

Last year, the alumni body was largely responsible for success; this year the undergraduate chapter is again soliciting the same fine cooperation in recommending the names of boys who will be entering Cornell next fall and who should make good Alpha Delt material.

To Contact All Prospects

It is planned to contact personally all boys recommended during the summer months and acquaint them with Alpha Delta Phi and its present members. In a few exceptional cases, when the prospect is located too far from any of the brothers to be reached personally, Merton Gerhauser, rushing chairman, will write and arrange to contact them early during Rushing Week.

A card is enclosed for use in sending us your recommendations. It is important that you fill this out as quickly as possible in order that we may get in touch with the boys in the early summer. Under the keen competition that has developed in recent years, it is imperative that we learn of these boys as quickly as possible.

Scholarship Improving

Last year, the chapter stressed the importance of scholarship as an asset of a prospective rushee. That the alumni responded with the right kind of boys is shown by the fact that we are expecting our entire freshman

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William G. Luke, Jr. Editor

News contributions and communications to the editor are solicited at all times. Direct correspondence to the editor, Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity, 777 Stewart Avenue, Ithaca, N.Y.

Corporation Will Meet Sunday, June 20

Notices have been sent to all alumni that the Annual Meeting of the Corporation will be held at the chapter house Sunday, June 20, at 10:30 o'clock. At that time, four trustees will be elected and all other business that may come before the Corporation will be considered.

It is the earnest hope of the chapter that a large number of alumni will be on hand for this meeting. There are a number of questions that must be settled at this time, and the more representative the group, the more thoroughly will each situation be understood and acted upon.

Accommodations will be provided at the house for all who may be here for the week-end. The majority of the chapter will be on hand to make you welcome, and it is their sincere wish that many will be present.

Return All Blanks This Summer

Under the new editor, the ALPHA DELT will attempt to continue dispensing as much alumni news as previously, but to make this possible, the 460 associate editors must continue their good work.

If there is a "Who's Who" blank enclosed with this paper, fill it out and return it to the chapter house at once. This will enable us to get our records into shape during the summer months, and enable us to supply the membership with information concerning your whereabouts and activities.

A letter, too, elaborating on your work and recent meetings with other Alpha Deltas, will be most acceptable!

Charles H. Divine '12, who's living at 65 W. 111th St., New York City, reports that he's the author of several books and plays, but neglected to give their titles.

These Addresses will Complete Our Alumni Files

All but the few listed below are now receiving the ALPHA DELT regularly. We'd like to make sure that next year everyone would be located by the chapter. Will you study the list carefully and see if you can give us any assistance?

Rhodes C. Bromley '23.
Melville G. Brown '09.
Joseph T. Gilman '20.
Eugene B. Harter '23.
Alfred G. Miles '07.
Harry S. Rowland '06.
Victor A. Spangberg '24.
Joseph H. Taylor '27.
John Newton Wright '02.

Members Will Vacation In Scattered Sections

Members of the chapter will be widely scattered during the summer months, enjoying vacations and holding temporary summer jobs.

Whitney Boardman, whose home is in San Francisco, will spend the summer in Honolulu, while Wilson Foster, Norfolk, Va., is going to the west coast for several weeks.

Jake Perkins and Charlie Neff will take a trip to Europe to rest up after their strenuous four years as undergraduates. Bob Young will be playing with the Iriquois Polo Club at Lexington, Ky., for the summer.

John Dixon has accepted a summer position with the Bank of Manhattan, while Bill Luke will be with the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Co., Mechanicsville, N. Y.

IS MARINE ARCHITECT

George B. Drake, Jr. '28 is a marine architect and engineer at 17 Battery Place, New York City. He maintains his technical contacts as a member of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers, and relaxes semi-professionally as a member of the Cruising Club of America. He married Miss Catherine D. Wright in 1933; they're living at 152-23 35th Ave., Flushing, L. I.

IS OPHTHAMOLOGIST

Harold Gifford, Jr. '29 is an ophthalmologist, 1620 Medical Arts Bldg., Omaha, Nebraska. He recently moved to 4907 Davenport Ave., Omaha. Giff completed his studies at the University of Nebraska after two years on the Hill.

Chapter To Lose Five of Members; All Won Letters

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completely by the judges, who were watching the rest of the runners. He belonged to Majura and Red Key.

Jacob B. Perkins, II, Mentor, Ohio, was president of the chapter during the past year. He is graduating from the Mechanical Engineering School. He was the last man in the class to win the coveted "C," being awarded his this spring for his work with the 150-pound crew. He served on the Freshman Advisory Committee and belonged to Majura and Atmos.

Erbin D. Wattles, '37, Buffalo, served the chapter as vice-president during the past year. He was secretary of the Interfraternity Council and a member of the varsity hockey team, Red Key, and Majura.

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class back next year. It is now important that we acquire another class of boys who are capable of staying in school for four years.

Address all rushing correspondence to Merton F. Gerhauser, rushing chairman, Kinsman Road, Chagrin Falls, Ohio.

FARRAND CLASSES ORGANIZE

Two representatives, a man and a woman, from each of the sixteen classes which attended the University under Dr. Farrand, are urging the more than 20,000 alumni of those classes to contribute to this year's Alumni Fund as the most fitting way to honor Dr. Farrand on his retirement in June. By late May, the Fund had reached a total of well over 96,000, with the class of '10 leading in amounts and the class of '36 leading in the number of contributors.

WITH ADVERTISING FIRM

Henry W. Lowe '35 has the position of assistant account executive with Compton Advertising, Inc., 630 5th Ave., New York City. Hank, one time BMOH, is now living at 140 E. 46th St., New York City, and as yet, is unmarried.

Alumni Reunions To Be Held Here By Many Classes

Varied Program Should Attract
Many Alpha Delts for
June 18, 19, 20

Twenty-four classes are planning alumni reunions on the Hill June 18, 19, and 20. Included are members of '72, '77, '80, '81, '82, '83, '87, '92, '97, '99, '00, '01, '02, '07, '12, '17, '18, '19, '20, '21, '22, '27, '32, and '35.

A varied program has been arranged, opening Friday noon, June 18, with lunch in the Drill Hall and concluding with a Reunion Rally for all alumni in Bailey Hall at 9:30 Saturday night. Sunday and Monday will be filled with the customary Class Day and Commencement programs.

Dr. Farrand's Farewell

Outstanding event of the week-end will be Dr. Farrand's farewell talk at the meeting of the Cornell Alumni Corporation at 10:30 Saturday morning. As he is retiring this year, that will probably be the last time that the majority of alumni may hear the man who has guided Cornell through the past sixteen years.

Saturday afternoon, a pageant of old-time crews will be held at the boat house. This was started last year and proved very popular. It is expected that some classes will be represented by the entire crews who wore their colors in years gone by.

Alpha Delts Should Return

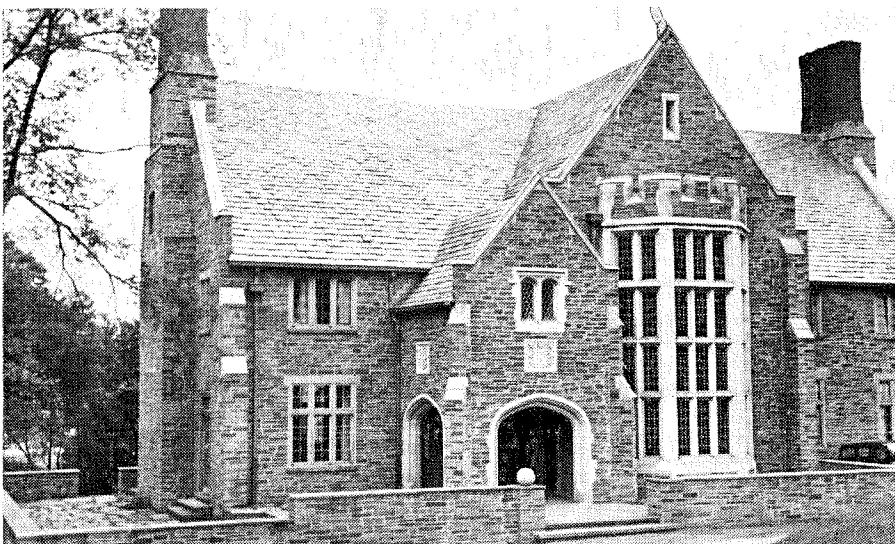
All Alpha Delts should plan to return for the week-end, whether or not their classes are holding official reunions. Indications are that there will be quite a number of alumni at the house, and many old friendships should be renewed at that time.

The Corporation meeting is vitally important this year, also, and it is hoped that a large number will be on hand to discuss the various important questions that will be raised at that time.

WITH N. B. C.

John M. Young II '28 is with the National Broadcasting Co., Merchandise Mart, Chicago. He was formerly located in Minneapolis. He's living at 536 Hinman Ave., Evanston, Ill., and writes, "I enjoyed the ALPHA DELT very much."

Your Reunion Headquarters



AS YOU PLAN your return for your class reunion, remember that the Alpha Delta Phi chapter house will be your real headquarters, for here you will see the men you once knew so well. The chapter is waiting to welcome you back for the week-end.

House Will Be Open For Summer School

The chapter house will be open during the Summer School session from July 00 to August 00. It will be in charge of the brothers who will be in school.

Accommodations will be available at \$20 for the six weeks for either alumni or others who may be planning to attend Summer School. Full information may be obtained upon arrival on the Hill.

Alpha Delts To Convene at Rochester Sept. 2-3

The annual convention of Alpha Delta Phi will be held on the river campus at the University of Rochester September 2 and 3. The Cornell chapter will be officially represented by Larry Whitney and Ralph Donohue.

Several other members are expected to be present, though, and it is hoped that a number of alumni will be able to attend. As Rochester is situated near the center of Cornell Alpha Delta Phi population, all attendance records should be captured by the Cornell chapter.

Hutchins '07 Manages Illinois Lumber Company

Carleton B. Hutchins '07 is manager and secretary of the Hutchins Lumber and Storage Co., Blue Island, Ill. He's living on 147th St., Midlothian, Ill.

"Hutch" came to the Hill after one year at Northwestern and received his degree in law here. He served the chapter as house manager, played baseball, and sang in the Glee Club. Today, he's a director of the State Bank of Blue Island and belongs to the Midlothian Country Club and the Jackson Park Yacht Club.

He has three children, Carleton, Jr., who is also an Alpha Delt, class of '34, Nancy Jeanne, and William, who should be getting around to Cornell in about two or three more years.

HEAR FROM FINCH '73

The chapter was delighted to hear recently from James W. Finch '73, one of Cornell's earliest Alpha Delts and now a retired lawyer. He's living now at New Canaan, Conn., and belongs to the Alpha Delta Phi Club of New York City. Too old for active service but anxious for a little excitement, Brother "Jimmy" served as an ambulance driver in the French Army in 1915 and 1916.

Quill and Dagger Gives Invitations To Smith, Rogers

Many Other Members are Honored
As Busy Spring Season
Draws to Close

Two brothers, Joslyn Smith and John Rogers, were named to Quill and Dagger, senior honorary society, in the recent spring elections. Jos has also been initiated into the Delta Club.

He is captain of the ski team for next year, and holds membership in several other honorary societies. John has been rowing Number 4 on the varsity crew this spring, and will undoubtedly occupy the same seat next year.

Whitney Is Coxy

As the picture on page one will testify, Larry Whitney has been coxying both the varsity and the junior varsity crews this spring. With Jake Perkins in the first 150-pound boat, Alpha Delts more than held their share of attention when the Cornell crews took to the water.

When Jake was awarded his "C" for his crew work, it marked something of a record for the house, for every one of the five members of the graduating class has won at least one letter in some field of sport. Baseball, golf, track, hockey, and crew were the five sports in which the five men participated.

Luke Gets Swimming Letter

Bill Luke was awarded his "C" in swimming at the Junior Smoker a few weeks ago. His specialty is the 100 and 220 free style.

Bibber McNamara will close his baseball career on the Hill when he appears against the Cleveland Indians in an exhibition game on June 14. Charley Neff was the outstanding 120-yard high hurdler on Jack Moakley's track team.

Next fall, George Bayley will serve as assistant coach of the 150-pound football team, it was announced recently. Although he will be only a junior, he was chosen for this position because of his first hand knowledge of the game, having played on the frosh team.

Bob Young and Mert Gerhauser have been playing polo all year, with Mert serving as first string substitute on the crack varsity.

Larry Wheeler did very well in the

Re-elected President



JOS SMITH, who just can't seem to let a month go by without collecting another honor or two, was recently re-elected president of the chapter.

George V. Bayly Elected Steward-Treasurer

George V. Bayly '39 was recently elected steward-treasurer by the chapter for the coming year. He succeeds Larned S. Whitney '38.

Joslyn A. Smith '38 and Harris I. Stanton '38 were re-elected to their offices of president and vice-president, and will continue to serve another term.

IN SCHENECTADY

Sherman G. Forbes, Jr. '35 is in the test department of the General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y., and is living at 104 James St., in nearby Scotia. At latest reports he was still unmarried.

120-yard high hurdles, receiving his numerals. Apparently, he will be ready to fill Charley Neff's shoes next year.

Chapter Records Deaths of Nesbit, William G. Ely '92

Nesbit Had Been Engaged in Steel
Business; Ely Had Retired
From Active Work

The deaths of Malcolm M. Nesbit '19 and William G. Ely '92 have been recorded by the chapter recently.

Brother Nesbit died in Louisville, Ky., April 23. His home was in Oakmont, Pa., and his business had been that of a salesman-engineer in the steel business in Pittsburgh for the past eighteen years.

Left Hill for War

He entered the University in 1915 and left two years later to enlist in the Naval Reserve Force. After three months he enlisted in the Royal Air Force and remained in Service in Canada and England until 1919. While on the Hill, he was made a member of Majura.

Although William G. Ely '92 died last June, information concerning his death came to the chapter only recently. He had been living in retirement in Schenectady since 1927.

Attended Brown

Brother Ely attended Brown University after graduation and received his PhD degree there. Soon after he joined the General Electric Co. at Schenectady. In 1902, he became manager of the contract service department and served in that capacity until his retirement.

His son, Robert G. Ely '26, 47 Maple Ave., Madison, N. J., is also a member of Alpha Delta Phi.

Paul H. Deming '94 Heads House Finance Corporation

Paul H. Deming '94, president of the graduate chapter of Alpha Delta Phi, heads the House Financing Corporation, 2136 Union Guardian Bldg., Detroit.

He was president of Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich., where he lives, for four years and at present is a member of the village council.

One of the most faithful to the Alpha Delta Phi, he will preside over the Corporation meeting Sunday, June 20.