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## EDITORIALS

### OFF AGAIN, BOYS

Here's the first issue of the GARNET AND SILVER for 1928-1929 and we're off on another year, a year which will be crammed full of fraternity life, fraternity social events, and the fiftieth national convention. And all of these things will be mixed in with the activities of other organizations of which we may be members.

In the early 1870's, two leading colleges, Harvard University and Yale University, started a football, or rather an athletic rivalry, a rivalry which has grown to be one of the most famous in college athletic history.

In 1879, a group of fellows in New Haven, Connecticut, started a society, and today little *Alpha* Chapter has swelled into a national fraternity consisting of seventeen active chapters, chapters which are scattered in many parts of the country.

The spirit of good fellowship and brotherhood which prompted *Alpha*

Chapter to start and develop our fraternity must not diminish, and it is up to us, the actives rather than the alumni, to keep increasing the power and strength of our fraternity by our wholehearted interest and support. This can be helped materially by each chapter by

1. Keeping its National Debt clear,
2. Selecting the right men to carry on the colors,
3. Giving personally of our best efforts for the success of our own chapter and the National Fraternity.

BARRETT ROBERTS,  
*Editor-in-Chief.*

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### CHANGES — LIKE US?

Without question all those who have ever seen any previous issues of the GARNET AND SILVER will notice the great change in the appearance of this issue. During the last two years we published the magazine in 8½ x 11 size, mimeographed on

one side of plain white paper and wire-stitched between two sheets of cover paper. The front cover was hand-drawn by one of our brothers, "Barney" Tucker, *Nu*, to whom we owe great thanks, and the inside of the back cover contained a mimeographed advertisement of the L. G. Balfour & Co. The issues ran from twenty to thirty-five pages and were quite bulky. The compiling of each issue was a task which took the combined efforts of nearly the whole chapter for two nights and sometimes longer, and the mailing was awkward to handle and very expensive.

This method was necessary under our old system of financing from

hand to mouth, but the National Convention of 1928 very wisely provided a definite means of financing this publication.

Under this new arrangement we feel justified in changing our style, so that you now have a compact, easily read magazine, produced at only slightly more than those of previous years. We believe that this is a great deal better than the old way, but the question is, do you? We won't know if you don't tell us, so grab a piece of stationery and let us hear from you.

DONALD RICHARDSON,  
*National Secretary,*  
For the National Board.

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### COMPLETE IT!

'Tis what we finish — not what we begin —  
By which we rise;  
To try is good, but not enough whereby  
To gain the prize.  
We win by what we *do* — not by the thing  
We meant to do;  
'Tis where we stand — not where we ought to be,  
That makes our view.

For power is given everyone to be  
The man he would;  
A mere intent will count for naught, though it  
Be fine and good.  
But effort must be followed by work  
Accomplished, done;  
For only by completed tasks is life's  
Great victory won.

— *Selected.*

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## Messages from the National Officers

The editorial staff has invited me to add a word or two to this, our first issue.

This is a most significant time and occasion. First of all, we are celebrating this, our Golden Jubilee year. Second, we are opening the second half of our centenary year of existence. We should all strive to bring greater respect and strength to GAMMA DELTA PSI which has done so much to make us all better men.

The correspondence this fall not only from all chapters, but from the individual member as well, shows that the interest in the 1929 convention is running higher than ever before. The National Board announces with pleasure that our host chapter, *Alpha Gamma*, is making elaborate plans for this conclave. I hope every chapter has selected a committee to arouse enthusiasm among the alumni to plan and attend this most memorable event. Already some chapters are preparing to charter busses, perhaps combining with a nearby chapter. *Nu* Chapter hopes to have at least one private car from Boston. Come on, you other chapters from other points, beat them if you can.

As a closing shot, while still greater things are in the air, your National Board feels that GAMMA never was in a more flourishing condition, and we congratulate you.

EDWARD J. STEWART, JR.,  
*National President.*



Once again GAMMA DELTA PSI, under the leadership of Brother Stewart, has entered into another year of activity. This year will especially be a momentous one in

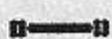
the history of the fraternity: it is the Golden Jubilee Year of GAMMA DELTA PSI. Meditate on how our organization has grown from the time of its foundation at the Hill House High School of New Haven, Conn., to the present day when its mantle of brotherhood unites all in a common bond from the Atlantic to far beyond the Great Lakes. Surely we should give thanks to those brothers who in the past carried forward the spirit of GAMMA to the brothers of today.

Our predecessors in GAMMA DELTA PSI deserve a tribute. This tribute will commemorate our fraternity's fiftieth anniversary and will be in the form of the National Catalogue. Since 1910, an interval of eighteen years, we have not had a supplement to the Second National Catalogue, and it is my greatest desire that 1929 will bring into actual existence the Third National Catalogue of GAMMA DELTA PSI.

At this time there are a few chapters that have not as yet sent in their completed reports, namely: *Eta*, *Sigma*, *Zeta*, *Alpha Iota*, and *Alpha Kappa*. Of the following chapters, *Alpha Gamma*, *Alpha Eta*, and *Psi*, I have partly completed reports and hope that in the very near future to receive the balance of the data. A few of these chapters have answered my letters and have promised that the reports will be completed in a short time, but the others have remained silent. I sincerely thank those who have written for their fine coöperation, and I wish that the others would immediately give me an accounting of their progress. In unison there is strength, brothers, so let us all pull

together to complete our work on the Catalogue by the next issue of the GARNET AND SILVER.

GORDON W. LEWIS,  
*National Vice-President.*



In writing the few words that I want to say to you all — both alumni and actives — at this time, I hope you will pardon me for repeating things that I have said before. And yet I believe so strongly in them that I feel justified in saying them again.

Days come quickly and go still faster; some of you are now in the alumni ranks, some are undoubtedly enjoying preparatory and college education, and some are now upper classmen in high school, "taking it out" on the poor lowly initiates.

Wherever you are, I hope you still have GAMMA DELTA PSI in your mind and heart, and are carrying with you the true meaning of the fraternity — that spirit of true brotherhood. This "spirit of brotherhood" is intangible to a great degree, and yet in a material way it means

1. Be honest with yourself and your fellow neighbors.

2. Live an upright life, such as your parents would have you live and such as you would want any children of yours to live.

3. Remember the other fellow, help him all you can, and in return you will discover, perhaps surprisingly so, that you will be helping yourself also.

4. Take an active part in any organizations you may join — don't be a looker-on.

5. And last, but not least, remember your earliest connection

with a fraternal organization — this fraternity of ours. If you are now an alumnus, do not drop out of the picture. Acknowledge by all the aid you can your thankfulness for a helping hand when you were just an innocent, immature school lad. If you are still in the high school ranks, give all you can to your brothers, as this is the easiest way to aid and better yourself.

This is not meant as a sermon, but is "straight from the shoulder stuff." I have been out of high school now going on nine years (a young alumnus perhaps to some of you, but an old once-was to a good many), and I have seen Gamma Delts come and go. And when I say go I, unfortunately, perhaps, mean go in the real sense of the word. Some of the brothers who never took much active part in fraternity affairs dropped out of the picture quicker than a stone sinks to the bottom of a well; but those who were integral parts of the fraternity machinery still have the fraternity at heart. All can not attend active meetings, but alumni club gatherings and social gatherings of one sort or another find them talking of their days while an active, and this common bond of fellowship makes them better men not only amongst their intimate friends, but in the world of everyday business and social acquaintances.

Always strive for some ideal, no matter how small it is, endure the unpleasant things that arise out of your striving, but stick to it, and you'll find people will have a lot more respect for you, and you'll have a lot more respect for yourself.

DONALD RICHARDSON,  
*National Secretary.*

## Chapter Correspondence

ED. NOTE. — We are not reproducing word for word correspondence from all chapters. In some cases abstracts are taken from letters and information at hand.

### Alpha

We have gotten one new brother and are initiating three candidates now who will become brothers Thursday night (October 25). So far this year we have very prominent members, one brother is on the hockey team, two on the football team, three on the monitor squad, and one of these is assistant editor-in-chief of the *Sentinel*, our school paper. We are running a dance Friday, October 26, and so far everything is going fine. *Alpha* is trying its very best to make this year, GAMMA DELTA PSI's 50th anniversary, the best ever.

FRANCIS WHITE,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### Delta

*Delta's* outlook for this year seems very favorable; there are eighteen active brothers, and two pledges. Brother Thompson is on the football squad, and two others are on the reserves. Brother Terryberry is on the debating team, and Brothers Smith and Kassner, are managers of the football team.

After a great delay our rummage sale is going to get under way the twenty-fourth (November); it has been postponed twice, and therefore has caused us quite a bit of trouble.

Brother Paul Altman is President this term, and Brother Parker Terryberry, Vice-President; J. Muir, Recording Secretary; Ted Larned, Treasurer; and J. Adams, Corresponding Secretary.

JOHN ADAMS,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### Zeta

The example set by *Zeta's* past corresponding secretary, to the extent of always forwarding such newsy letters

for our publication, has established a standard which I am afraid I will be unable to continue. However, I will try my best to maintain the good example set by Brother Grogan.

*Zeta* Chapter held its first meeting of the year at the home of Brother Walters on September 15. There were eight active brothers present. However, four of the active brothers had not returned home from their summer vacation. We have five brothers who are serving their third year as active members in *Zeta* Chapter. We have pledged two men to date and expect to initiate them before considering additions to our ranks.

*Zeta* Chapter is well represented in scholastic activities in preparatory and high schools. Brothers Cook, Huntress, and Goat Webb are regulars on football teams. The writer will do his best to represent the fraternity on the basketball team. Unfortunately, several of our members have been compelled to drop their activities due to the rule against fraternities in Washington high schools. This has also handicapped us from getting three new members.

ALTON RABBITT,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

*Eta* No correspondence.

### Iota

We held our first meeting on September 29, the Saturday after school started, with ten brothers in the crescent. At the next meeting, however, three men who had been out of town were there, and we initiated three more on the thirteenth of October, so we now have sixteen brothers in the chapter.

We lost our first football game this year, but hope, with the help of some good practice to win the others, for we have some good material.

*Iota* started out this year with her treasury in better shape than it has ever been before at the beginning of

the season; and this, in spite of the large dance that we gave the last of June. We hope to be able to say as much all through the year.

At the end of each month Brother Jackson, our president, reads off the average per cent of each brother for the month. The senior class is in the lead, so far, but the other grades are close behind.

FREDERICK GRIFFITHS,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### *Lambda*

We have just admitted six new men, and we are pleased to say that they are worthy members.

Our treasury is rather low, due to the fact that we have just paid our debt. We also have some GAMMA men on the football field. Brother Humphrey is this year's captain, and, according to our coach, a good one, too. Brother Paquin plays guard. Brother Cullen is president of the graduating class, and Brother Carrem is vice-president.

In regard to the convention, I shall be there if I can possibly make it, and many of the actives are planning to go, since it is so near home.

The active brothers held a theater party last week, and it was a social success. Everyone who went said he had a good time. We hope to hold a dance sometime this term.

JOHN C. GOBEL,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### *Nu*

*Nu* started what appears to be a successful year with eight brothers in the crescent, three having been lost to the chapter by graduation. Two new brothers, Crews and Richards, were taken in about a month ago and have already shown a fine fraternity spirit.

We have kept up our standing both in scholastic and athletic activities at Brookline High. Brother Roberts is captain of the football team and Brother Glover is assistant manager. Brothers Gray and Glover

are likely prospects for the swimming team, and Brother Hagen-Burger is president of the senior class. Our youngest brother, Bert Richards, is captain of the freshman football team.

The chapter is planning to run a dance in partnership with one of the other societies at school, December 28. I might add that we are in the best of financial condition.

RICHARD CAVANAUGH,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### *Sigma*

We are entering into what will undoubtedly be the best year *Sigma* has experienced in some time. We now have sixteen active brothers in the crescent. Two pledges are about ripe for initiation and will be put through soon. We have five out of seven members of the Student Council at school.

Brothers Conover, Augspurger, and Neal are playing on the varsity football team of which I am captain, while Brothers Simmons and Smith are regulars on the soccer team.

You mentioned attending the fiftieth anniversary convention, and you may rest assured that *Sigma* will be well represented.

ELLIOTT H. McDOUGAL,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

*Chi* No correspondence.

### *Psi*

*Psi* opened what appears to be a most successful year with only six brothers back from last year. Soon afterwards, however, Brother Morck, who was a hold-over from the year before, was taken in.

At the start of the rushing season, *Psi* was right on the job and landed eleven fine pledges. In fact, *Psi* has established itself as the leading fraternity in school, which is quite a job, as there are seven different national fraternities represented. Many of the pledges and brothers are playing on the school athletic teams.

The second initiation of the year came on November 3, and Brothers Lutz and Newman were added to the crescent. At this time *Psi* has nine actives and ten pledges.

*Psi* wishes to take this opportunity to wish all the other chapters a most successful year. As this is our golden anniversary, all the chapters *should* have a big year, the best ever.

BILL MARKS,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### *Alpha Gamma*

No correspondence except convention information.

### *Alpha Zeta*

We have for some time been inactive, but now we have a good bunch, all of whom have their hearts and souls back of GAMMA. At the present time our financial condition is quite low as we have spent everything for a dance we are putting over this Friday, November 26.

CHARLES S. DOVEY, JR.,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### *Alpha Eta* No correspondence.

### *Alpha Kappa*

As this is only my second week as a member of GAMMA DELTA PSI, I cannot give you a very accurate estimate of *Alpha Kappa's* prospects for '28 and '29 as compared with other years. *Alpha Kappa* has pledged to pull herself out of debt by '29, and we shall not fail (note determination), so watch us burn up the road to prosperity. We are planning to have a Fall party in the next few weeks and expect that that will help. If any of you brothers have any bright ideas on how to get an Alumni interested in a Christmas party, they will be welcome, as that is our principal worry at present.

GORDON CODY,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

### *Alpha Lambda*

The chapter has held two meetings (from letter dated November 13) and things are running fairly smoothly now. Both *Alpha Lambda* and *Alpha Gamma* are looking forward to the golden convention. *Alpha Gamma* held a dance which was well attended by our brothers. The report was favorable.

RAY H. BURK.

### *Alpha Omicron*

Is it necessary for each chapter to have a post office box? Such will cost our chapter ten dollars per year, and we feel the money could be spent in a much more profitable way. We were upset by some of the new by-laws passed at the last convention. Our chapter has at present twenty members, all up and coming and filled with the spirit of a good GAMMA DELTA, but even at that we find it hard to keep up on our dues to the National Board as do a good many other chapters. Our chapter was not represented at the last convention because of the lack of funds. With these new by-laws our chapter may be looked upon as a certain absentee from all but the conventions held near home. It is impossible to pay all that is asked and still have some money left for the use of the chapter.

Our chapter's catalogue is complete and in the hands of Brother Deane.

HAROLD K. REMINGTON, JR.  
*Corresponding Secretary.*



Mr. Miller: "Been taking some long trips? I see you've gone about 12,000 miles in two months with the new car."

Mr. Schoenfield: "No, the 2,000 miles is the distance I have covered on business and pleasure. The other 10,000 I've driven looking for a parking place."

— *Wroe's Writings.*

# Contests and Prizes

## SUBSCRIPTIONS

In past years there have been two prizes offered for subscriptions based on the totals of both active and alumni subscriptions from each chapter, but as each active member is automatically a subscriber this year the contest is of a different nature. There will only be one prize offered and that is for the **GREATEST NUMBER OF ALUMNI SUBSCRIPTIONS SENT IN.**

The prize is offered by the National Board with the comment that if any of the very young chapters should make such an excellent showing that, while its figures were lower than the first place chapter, its record was exceptional due to a small number in its alumni body, it would not be overlooked when it came to awarding prizes. This, then, gives everyone an incentive to go after subscriptions. It is extremely gratifying to us to have received already thirty alumni subscriptions from *Delta* Chapter. This is a stint that will make some of you chapters get busy pronto. The contest closes with the printing of the third issue.

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### FROM ONE WHO KNOWS

If you don't feel just right,  
If you can't sleep at night,  
If you moan and you sigh,  
If your throat feels dry,  
If you don't care to smoke,  
If your food makes you choke,  
If your heart does n't beat,  
If you're getting cold feet,  
If your head's in a whirl —  
Why not marry the girl?

## MAGAZINE CONTRIBUTIONS

This contest is open only to the active members of each chapter and provides for a prize for each of the successive issues, three prizes in all.

The prize is offered to that brother who submits the best contribution to the magazine, whether in the form of poetry or prose. The contribution must be original, and the prose article may be fiction or non-fiction. The scope of the contest is broad, and it should offer a wonderful opportunity for some of our brothers to show their talents, talents which will rank with those of our athletic heroes.

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### HE'D BEEN THERE

A proofreader was fired because he made no attempt to correct the following: "Mr. Gulp our leading merchant sails for Argentine next week. He will make a two-day stop-over at Cuba."

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### HEARD AT THE CHRISTMAS PROM

Daughter: "Dad, I'll bet you never saw dancing like this before."

Father: "Yes, I did once, but the place was raided."

She: "I just love your cigarette holder."

He: "Why, I never use one."

She: "Oh, don't be so dense."

She: "Will you love me always?"

He: "Well, honey, I've loved you all the ways I know."

# National Board Section

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(Not Yet Decided Upon)

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# BULLETIN

As provided by the Convention of 1927 all the regular bulletins from the National Board will be published in the GARNET AND SILVER. Even though each member of the active chapter is a subscriber to the GARNET AND SILVER *it is the prescribed duty of the Corresponding Secretary of each chapter to read the bulletin at the next chapter meeting following the receipt of the issue.*

Our best wishes for a prosperous and successful year are extended to every chapter. We ask your earnest and sincere coöperation with the National Officers in their endeavor to see that the routine work of the fraternity is carried on in a business-like and efficient manner.

We are enumerating below as briefly as possible a number of points each chapter should check up on and other points of interest.

## CONSTITUTIONS

Be sure to learn and note the new changes which we sent you recently.

## RITUAL

Use the regular authorized ritual at all initiations. Each man who has a part should thoroughly familiarize himself with his part even to the extent of memorizing it. Remember that a good impression on the new member is a big start in the right way.

## NATIONAL JEWELER

The back page lists the fraternity emblems, etc. Each corresponding secretary has been sent a Balfour Blue Book which contains all de-

tailed prices and information. Your treasurer has an order book. Make him use it for you.

## CERTIFICATES OF MEMBERSHIP

These are on hand and can be had by applying on the regular order blanks. Be sure to give the member's correct name, number, and chapter. Price \$2.00 each.

## CHARTERS

If you have n't one and want one, let us know. Be sure you tell us the correct names of all the schools from which you are authorized to draw members, together with the year your chapter was chartered.

## ACCOUNTING SYSTEM

Use this in the correct way and you will find it will keep your accounts straight and probably save you money. A loose-leaf binder should be used to hold the sheets.

## NIRVANA CHAPTER

*Nu* Chapter is custodian of these records. Keep them informed of any deceased brothers.

## RING COVER

Each chapter was sent one of these last year. They are for your file of National Board Correspondence and GARNET AND SILVER issue. Dust it off and make use of it.

## GARNET AND SILVER

Give it your support. Send all the news and urge your alumni to send notes of interest about the older brothers.

## OFFICIAL STATIONERY

Last year we adopted official fraternity stationery and samples were sent to all chapters. We have had only a small demand, mostly from two chapters. We are negotiating for some slight change of paying for boxes in quantities less than five and will report later on this.

## CHAPTER ROBES

We are now in a position to supply regulation robes at \$3.50 per robe plus the cost of transportation in sending them. Write us for more definite information if desiring them.

## CATALOGUE

A full report will be given in our next issue. There are still some chapters who have not made their reports. Get busy between now and our next issue. This is important.

## CONSTITUTION HIGH SPOTS

We request that you refer to the following parts of the Constitution.

1. Policies VII, XI.
2. Article III, Secs. 13 and 15.
3. Article VII, Sec. 6.
4. Article XI, Secs. 20, 21, and 22.

## ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

The new Article VII, Sec. 4, is in effect. We expect an immediate reply from each chapter stating its standing on this point for the coming year. Don't make us write you two or three times. Read this section and write us regarding your position.

## ANTI-FRATERNITY LEGISLATION

We want your reports and comments on any serious legislation affecting your chapter.

## PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

The National President is the Treasurer, not the National Secretary. Plan to pay your regular quarterly bills promptly. If your back accounts are too large for a single payment, send in small amounts weekly. You will be surprised to find you will be out of debt in no time.

## STATEMENT OF CHAPTER INDEBTEDNESS

Next issue will contain a full report on each chapter's financial standing. There is plenty of time between now and then to collect your dues and pay your bills.

## DISTRICT DEPUTIES

Each corresponding secretary should get in touch with his deputy. Make him be of use to you. *And* each deputy should at least write the chapters in his district once a quarter. No visiting expense will be paid without sanction from the National Board. Consult constitution pages sent you for complete details.

## INFORMATION

Call on us at any time for any information you want to know. We'll be glad to advise you.

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In the old days, if anybody missed a stage coach, he was contented to wait two or three days for the next.

Now he lets out a squawk if he misses one section of a revolving door. — *Bottles.*

## QUARTERLY REPORT RECORDS

NATIONAL SECRETARY'S NOTE. — We are listing below some interesting data gleaned from our quarterly reports. Those chapters not listed here are those who have not sent us a report. Let us hope they will realize that they are not doing their duty by those who have sent theirs in. No doubt some of the facts, particularly those in connection with total number of active members, may be different now from the original report, but next issue will show the changes.

Chapter	No. Actives	New Members	Meeting Night	Financial Condition	Correspondence Record
ALPHA	7	1	Thursday — weekly	Fair	Fair
DELTA	18	6	Friday — bi-monthly	Good	Good
ZETA	12		Bi-monthly	Behind in payments to National Board	Good
ETA	7	1	Friday — weekly	Not too good.	Needs attention
IOTA	16	3	Saturday — weekly	Excellent report but owing too much to National Board.	Good
LAMBDA	9		Tuesday — weekly	Low but practically no debts.	Needs attention
NU	10	2	Saturday — weekly	Good	Good
SIGMA	16		Friday — weekly	Behind in payments to National Board.	Needs attention
PSI	7	1	Sunday — weekly	Fair	Good
ALPHA GAMMA	12	3	Wednesday — bi-monthly	Weak for the Convention Chapter. Must improve.	Good
ALPHA ZETA	18	2	Tuesday — bi-monthly	Very much behind to National Board.	Good
ALPHA ETA	19	9	Tuesday — weekly	Behind in payments to National Board. Collections of outstanding debts would straighten this out easily.	Excellent
ALPHA KAPPA	12	2	Thursday — weekly	Same position as <i>Alpha Eta</i> . Get busy on your collections.	Good
ALPHA LAMBDA	12	7	Thursday — bi-monthly	Fair	Needs attention

### NOTES

1. There are no reports in from *Chi*, *Alpha Iota*, or *Alpha Omicron*. Get after your corresponding secretary.
2. The comments under "Financial Condition" and "Correspondence Records" are not to be considered wholly as criticisms as the present situation may be different from the original reports, but be sure that this condition has been changed if it is not listed above as complimentary.

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Mayme (on crowded trolley-car): "Wotcha got in that package, Sadie?"  
 Sadie — "One o' them portable radios."  
 Mayme — "Chee! If yuh can tune in 'The Star Spangled Banner' maybe we can git a seat." — *Life*.

## PRELIMINARY CONVENTION DATA

*Alpha Gamma* Chapter, of Montclair, New Jersey, have notified us that the dates of the 1929 National Convention are April 4, 5, 6. Be ready to advise them as soon as you can just how many from your chapter are going.

We are listing below some of the committees already formed and under way.

### *General Committee*

GORDON FINDLAY, *Chairman*

#### Actives

HOOFNAGLE, *President*

JONES, *Treasurer*

#### Alumni

SMITH, *President*

BETTIS, *Treasurer*

All other committee members

### *Finance Committee*

#### Actives

JONES

#### Alumni

BETTIS, *Chairman*

FOWLER

LING

### *Entertainment Committee*

#### *Banquet*

#### Actives

H. CLUTHE

ALLWORTH

LANE

#### Alumni

SMITH, *Chairman*

OSBORNE

LONGBOTHAM

### *Transportation and Housing*

DENNISON

MAY

GERMAIN

DADD, *Chairman*

KLEMANN

### *Meetings Committee*

JACKES

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BODDINGTON

### *Correspondence*

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