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Due to variations in methods of collegiate administration The Archi in endeavoring to obtain the scholastic averages for all the chapters in their respective colleges and with one another, still finds that all do not use the same methods of scoring or marking, nor do they all do it at the same time.

The Registrar at Illinois reports Atheneum's record of 3.209 the first semester of 1927-28 and one of 3.308 the second and to place sixth among the professional fraternities on the campus.

At Michigan, the Dean of Men's annual report shows Iktinos 17th (with an average of 73.5) among twenty-two professionals where the average was 76.1 and high was 80.5. The scale of grading is E-85 and C-70. This is an improvement for Iktinos for the preceding year they ranked last with 69.2.

All Grades Not Ready
Ohio State will not make the averages for 1927-28 public until November. 

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WRIGHT OF MNESICLES
DIES IN LOUISVILLE

It was only in the last issue of The Archi that we chronicled the serious illness of Stewart Vern Wright, Mnesicles '19, in Louisville, Ky. We are now obliged to relay to the Fraternity the word which came from Harvey M. King, Mnes. Ex '18, to the effect that Stew was taken to his Maker Monday evening, Sept. 24th, 1928, from his home at 1337 Lydia place. Brother Wright had suffered with tuberculosis for 15 months.

Funeral services were held at the Fourth Ave. M. E. Church, South of Louisville, and interment took place at Gilmore City, Iowa. The body was laid beside that of his father. "Stew" was born at Dennison, Minn., June 25, 1897, the son of John and Farrankop Wright. He graduated from the Canon Falls (Minn.) High School in 1913, entering the University of Minnesota in the fall of 1915.

It was on Feb. 20, 1917, that he was pledged to Alpha Rho Chi, and May 5 of the same year that he became a full fledged member. In the spring of 1918 he served as W. A. A. Prior to graduation in 1919 he was elected to both Tau Beta Pi and Tau Sigma Delta.

Following graduation he joined the force at the office of C. H. Johnston, St. Paul, Minnesota's state architect, where he remained until he went to Louisville over two years ago to work with Brother King, who is secretary-architect for the M. E. Church South Extension Board. Those of us who have worked with him knew him as a thorough, painstaking craftsman with whom it was a pleasure to work.

It was July 30, 1921, that Mabel E. Davis became Mrs. Stewart Vern Wright, and on Sept. 17th, 1923, their only child, Stewart V. Jr., was born. Stew was intensely proud of his son, so much so that he was recipient of a good deal of good-natured raillery. However he was good natured about it and plunged along even as he did when he lost money in the Capital Trust Co. failure in St. Paul which had him worried over the home he was paying for at the time.

The very sincerest sympathy of the whole Fraternity is felt for his loved ones by those who knew and respected "Stew."
ed in 1880 the university now has a student body of nearly 13,000 students.

Los Angeles, the seat of U. S. C., is the largest city west of the Mississippi, with the exception of St. Louis, and in 1920 was tenth in population in the United States, is situated on the Pacific coast 140 miles northwest of the Mexican boundary; 350 miles southeast of San Francisco and 482 miles from that city by rail. It is connected with the centers of the country by three transcontinental lines, the Southern Pacific, the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and the Union Pacific lines. Steamship lines connect it with San Francisco, other Pacific coast ports and the leading harbors of the world.

You've All Heard of Climate

Covering an area of 365 square miles, Los Angeles, stretches from the mountains to the ocean. The water front, about 20 miles from the heart of the city, is united to the main city by a strip of land annexed by popular vote in 1909. The business district is situated at an altitude of 300 feet above the sea; and the beauty of the surrounding region, with its orange groves, and the Sierra Madre mountains immediately to the north is justly famous. If not before Graham McNamee made them so at the time of the Trojan-Notre Dame game last fall.

The climate is mild, equable, and salubrious, and attracts large numbers to the city and surrounding municiipal districts, some 200,000 Eastern tourists visit Los Angeles annually. The temperature rarely falls below freezing and usually varies between 44 and 60 while the lack of humidity prevents excessive discomfort from occasional high temperatures.

The business section of the city is built up. Water supply is regularly laid out, and is provided with a system of electric lighting that has won for Los Angeles recognition as one of the best lighted cities in the world. The architecture of private residences frequently bears the stamp of the Spanish mission style, which is also reflected in some of the public buildings. The bungalow type of home is characteristic.

Spanish Influence Prevalent

Los Angeles has 27 parks with an area of about 4,110 acres. Griffith park, a hilly area on the north side of the city, contains over 3,000 acres. There are numerous fine boulevards, botanical gardens and a large zoological garden. The playground department operates a modern municipal camp, swimming pool and playground in the mountains near the city which has been copied, but the Federal government in its national parks. The city has a number of country clubs, and a million dollar system of the Santa Monica railroad. Several commercial air fields have been built.

Among the prominent buildings in Los Angeles are the Federal buildings, City Hall, County Court House, Catholic Cathedral, Blanchard Art Gallery, and the Mission at San Juan Capistrano.

From The Editor's Mail Box

Wherein We Recount Things and Thoughts

Which Come To Our Attention.

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And the Movies of Course

Leading industries in the Los Angeles area are petroleum refining, slaughtering and meat packing, food products, printing and publishing, foundry and machine shop products, lumber and timber, railroad shop and construction repairs. The soil of the districts in the northern and western parts is rich in petroleum, and the mining interests of Southern California have their center in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles is the center of America's motion picture industry. In and near the city are some 30 studios and eight miles northwest is Universal City entirely given over to the motion picture business. This settlement covers about a thousand acres and has practically every type of scenery within easy reach, while its equipment includes every possible accessory for the production of all types of pictures.

Owing to its railway and harbor connections, Los Angeles is a distributing point for a large area. Fruit growing and oil-refining interests have an extensive trade. There is a large coastwise trade with Oregon, Washington and the northern part of the state, Los Angeles Harbor being the largest lumber import port in the world. An outer harbor with a breakwater about two miles long has been constructed.

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Ohio Home in Indiana

Another Ohio man from whom we had heard which was new to us was Lot H. Green, Ex 26, who married Mary Virginia Stevenson, Bethany College, Ex 28, June 26, 1926. By the way, Mary Jane was born Sept. 9, 1927. Lot H. is now draftiing for J. Edwin Kopf & Decry, Indianapolis architects.

During the past few months Marvin R. Patterson, Anth. Ex 28, has been filling time cards and drawing pay from Rovery, Danely & Smith, Urbana architects. We expect to see Burr one of these days when we visit the office as well as Duke Strong, our former W. G. E. Oh yes, Burr is drafting too.

"Have been away on vacation since receiving your inquiry. Have nothing of interest to add about myself at this time."

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time. Tried to find Phillips and Sutton while in New York last week, but couldn’t locate them.” Looks like Andy and Chuck had an explanation to make to So Whitten. George H. is married (Irene Spiker, Wis. ’22, Aug. 26, 1925) and is employed as a draftsman for McNally & Quinn, Chicago.

Zent Writes Before Storm
It was before the last terrible storm in Florida that we heard from L. Dale Zent, Anth. ’24, and we have not heard since. We trust that Dale and his folks escaped the wrath of the storm at Palm Beach. “The northern papers have published so much about Florida that I didn’t think it necessary to write. Ha, Ha. Well, really we have had some hard knocks, with booms, banks, storms and more banks, but we still have health and plenty of good old Florida sunshine. The Atlantic with its Gulf stream too handy isn’t bad either.

“The work here is extremely fascinating. I am sure you would enjoy seeing our houses. If you ever get down this way don’t forget to pass me up without a visit. This goes for the growing ranks of A P X too. Success to you in your work.” This was the first we had heard from Dale after his marriage to Miss Gladys A. Judson at South Bend, Nov. 29, 1923. Brother Zent is located in the Wyeth buildings.

From Cass Garns, Anth. ’26, Indianapolis comes the following: “Just back from a sojourn in the country, brushing up on my animal life, as it were. Nothing ever happens in this neck of the woods, with the exception of a $2.00 raise in salary. We have several of the boys home for the summer, but they will soon be gone again I believe.

“I suppose you know that Hougen has moved his family back to La Crosse, Wis., and I think he’s entering the insurance game. Had a letter from chuck Sutton the other day and a card from Bill Fraser from Nice, but outside of that I haven’t heard a word from any of the other Dear Damn Brothers. Maybe it’s my time to write them. Keep on sending The Arch. It’s a life saver.”

Hartwell, Schmidt and Overend
It was not until we heard from Godfrey Hartwell, Anth. ’18, recently that we knew that he was now operating his own office as an architectural engineer, giving service in structural and heating matters. When we first heard of Squeek he was an engineer with Lorentz Schmidt & Co., architects, headed by Lorentz Schmidt, Anth. ’13. The latter organization is now known as Schmidt, Boucher and Overend, Overend being H. G., Anth. ’17.

Lorentz and H. G. have their office on the 11th floor of the Brown Bldg., in Chicago, while Squeek is at 603 of the same street. It was April 4, 1923 that Brother Hartwell married Miss Margaret Baldwin, A. P., U. of Nebraska. The Hartwells have two children, Joyce Mary (June 20, 1924) and Richard (Jan. 18, 1926).

Among the boys who stepped off in double harness this summer was Orrin K. Griffiths, Iktinos ’26. The ceremony took place June 27th, and the girl in the case was Miss Mildred E. Buchner. “Mim.” Griffith is employed by Albert Kahn, Inc., as a draftsman, and the newly-weds reside in Fondson.

Rindge Writes from Grand Rapids
We had not heard of Otis D. Coston, Dem., ’23, since he graduated. Since then he has acquired a helpmeet in the person of Lucine Hamilton, who became Mrs. “Odie,” Dec. 1, 1927. Congratulations.

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However, for 1926-27 Deietaetrios ranked sixth among ten professional and tenth among 64 fraternities on the campus. Their point average for 1926-27 was 2.371, the preceding year it was 2.413.

Meniscus of Minnesota had a bad year for 1927-28. They ranked last of six engineering fraternities and 33rd among 42 professionals with a point rating of 9.69 where 1.287 was the average. However, in the engineering college, of the six fraternities only two were above the average.

At the University of Virginia the registrar had not made up the scholastic record of Kallikrates chapter. Andronicus of the University of Southern California placed 29th among 31 fraternities on the campus. The average standing was .750, with actives at .772 and pledges at .698. These figures were for the first semester of 1927-28.

Chapters Must Raise Grades
From the Kansas State A. C. registrar comes the data that Paeonia rated 22nd among 23 fraternities on the campus for the first semester. Their grade was 73.43. The previous year the chapter reports themselves as 11th on the campus.

Dionocrates of Texas is the best chapter, relatively, since they rate first on the campus in the professional and sororities at the University. The varsity average was 5.53 with our Texas brothers, having a mark of 7.21, where all grades are converted into terms of D. An A being equivalent to 1.462 d’s.

From Carnegie Institute of Technology came the word that since they class A P X as an honorary there their grades were not regularly computed, for Polykotytes cranked. When the registrar Oklahoma A. & M. wrote the grades for 1927-28 were not ready for release. However the previous year the chapter, through, reported themselves as third on the campus.

As The Fraternity enters the school year 1928-29 it behoves most of the chapters to swing the paddle or something on themselves and raise the grades, standards and all if Alpha Rho Chi is to maintain the rank it should in all schools. All the chapters now have all been higher in previous years, they should again climb.

Crowns both of you. Brother Coston gives his occupation as contractor. Location, Bessemer, Ala.

“Out in the way of news,” writes Warren L. Rindge, Ikt., ’17, from Grand Rapids. “Had a card from Memphis announcing that Dick Richardson (Geo. L.) has become associated with E. W. M. and Memphis. Also a card from Pasadena says that Dick Ware (Richard W.) has opened his own office as a structural engineer. All Jake here though not overly busy.”

“Swat” Rindge is in “furnitureville,” a member of the firm of Rindge & Rindge. The old boy and his wife (Grace Appel, Oct. 18, 1922) have two sons, Robert Warren, March 28, 1925, and William Anderson, Jan. 14, 1928, who is named for Swat’s father.

Mitchell In Oil Game. Says He
Then there is Bob Mitchell, Anth. ’28. Listen to him. “When I emerged from school this June I found the world (in the vicinity of Indianapolis) singularly cold to the obvious talents and accomplishments. So, that well known philanthropic organization, the S. O. Co. (Ind.) took me for better or for worse for the summer. You know—a big corporation architect.

“Some time in September I’ll probably drift toward Chicago and give them a chance at me, and if I come out alive I’ll relay the glad news to you, if any, and if not you damn well hope you will shed a tear over the memory of your fraternity brother Bob.”

S. F. McGowan, Mnes. Ex ’30, wrote us the last of July, the 29th to be exact. “I am leaving in the morning with the folks for a tour of eastern Canada and northeastern U. S. via the S. I. I am hoping, if all goes well, to return to school in the fall and finish the course. Go on Bob!”

Two Future Archi Prospects
C. Hudson Bacon, Dem. Ex ’26, the chap from Wisconsin, writes that he is teaching and is not yet married. It is at Lawrence Conservatory of Music that Hod is instructor of piano. In his letter he inquired of the whereabouts of Dean Aline and George Fraser. Dean is on the “who knows” list, while George is at the American Academy in Rome.

Sure and it was late in the summer that we learned of the arrival of Master William Louis Gauger in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Gauger in St. Louis. E. V. was Anth. ’23, and “the missis” was Miss Wissmith, that is, until Sept. 27, 1924.

Another future A P X man born during February was Richard Lee Johnson, on the 14th. The young man is the son of Bro. and Mrs. Tony Johnson, Mnes. ’24. Uncle Richard is Mnes. ’30. Mrs. Johnson was Helen E. Bystrom prior to June 10, 1925. Tony is an architect with Robert Messmer & Sons, Milwaukee.

Campbell Says He’s a Hick
Two years ago this October 11, Don Campbell, Mnes. ’21, was married to Miss Freda Masters and until recently
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we hadn't heard from him. But now he advises that there is nothing much of real interest; "we work, eat, sleep, play a little golf, etc. The A P Xers in N. Y. C. have formed an alumni chapter and hold a weekly luncheon every Monday at the Architectural league.

"I've s'een several Minnesota boys here. Harold Gilman and I see quite a bit of each other as does Ed Love and our respective wives. Saw Johnny Schwartz the other day, and as you know Hank Gerlach joined the N. Y. C. army recently. It's a good place to work and get fair money, but I'm a hick, Horace, and prefer a smaller city to live. We have no little troubles or blessings (as you wish), but have a new Dodge six and my best golf score is awful." Well, Don, ye editor has a little blessing in his home you know and another Iktinos brother heard from was Leon R. Snyder, Jr., Ex '29, who plans on returning to Michigan one of these days. "Have been attending Battle Creek college (in his home town) for two years. At present have my A. B. degree majoring in economics and have completed most all of the literary requirements, leaving only design and mechanical courses at Michigan. Expect to return next year after having had to withdraw because of home affairs. "Snide" is married, you know, to Edith Wynn are the 'employers'."

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At the Round Table

"Twas at the round table that the knights of old gathered to talk of the noble and woeful of their daily lives. The Round Table of Alpha Rho Chi is that place where the officers of the Grand Council meet with the chapter officers to that end that the business of the fraternity may be the better conducted.

With the close of the summer months, the Grand Council under the leadership of the W. G. E. has completed and printed the first Alpha Rho Chi Fraternity Handbook for Officers and Members. Upon completion the necessary copies were sent to the several chapters.

This handbook is published by the Grand Council and loaned to the chapters and members for their use and guidance in carrying out the Constitution and By-Laws of the fraternity. Additional and corrected pages will be furnished from time to time, and chapters and members holding copies of this book obligate themselves to keep same corrected at all times.

It is urged that all members familiarize themselves with the contents of the Handbook at the earliest opportunity and that the Chapter officers in particular give it their frequent attention. Ad-

 signer for architect Atkinson in Tulsa and still a couple of inches ahead of the proverbial wolf. Wes and his wife (Marguerite Musmacher) have one son, Wesley Jr., born Sept. 2, 1925. Wes, have you met up with any of the old boys or Theron brothers in Tulsa?

Banking Business Holds Fulker

It has been over two years since we heard from Vivian E. Fulker, Dem, Ex '24, of Troy, Ohio. In the interval Miss Martha Jackson became Mrs. "Viv" on the fourth of October, 1927. Brother Fulker forsooth the ways of architecture some years ago and now is a teller in the First-Troy National Bank & Trust Co. Yet, banking isn't so far removed from architecture at that, money builds.

The latest word from Carl C. F. Kressbach, Ikt. '25 A. E., is to the effect that he is living in Beantown and the vicinity thereof, including fair Harvard, and is now in the design department of Smith, Hinchman & Grylls, Detroit architects.

Surely there has been "Abie" Boyd, Auth. '25, from and of whom we haven't heard authoritatively since he graduated. Funny thing about some of these chaps we do not hear from once in a blue moon, with most of them it is the same thing. When they leave school they begin taking an interest in some of the finer interests of life. Just so with James A. himself. And as a result, Miss Martha Opal Clarke on July 14, 1928, became Mrs. "Abie." Congratulations!

Hope to Simplify Work

Form E-2, Directory Information, properly filled out and signed by the Chapter W. A. will be required along with fees, Certificate of Membership Order (Form E-1), and Badge Forms (Forms E-3) at the time men are initiated in order to give them a clear status with the Grand Council.

In the case of the existing pledges and actives who now have pink and yellow cards respectively in the Directory, it is desired to replace these cards with new ones of Form E-1. Therefore, when present pledges become actives, the new card is filled out and signed by the W. G. E. for the new Directory Card Form E-1 as well as new Form E-2. No attempt, at least for the present, will be made to replace the present alumni form E-2, a pink sheet, is used thereafter every time a man changes his status. In sending out the new forms the W. G. E. writes:

As you will note, it will be necessary now for the chapter to fill out the Directory Card Form E-1 only once instead of three times as heretofore. The new form will be filled out at the time a man is pledged and it will immediately become the permanent directory card for that man. The data required on the cards above the heavy black line should be filled out at that time, making sure to obtain signatures on the reverse side. Card (d) will be retained for the Chapter files and Cards (a), (b), and (c) should be sent at once to the W. G. E. The W. G. E. will have this information on file and it is added to the new Directory Information Form E-2 which should be signed and sent at once to the W. G. E. The W. G. E. will then add this information to the file cards and pass on to the Arch Editor who will do likewise. In the case of a change of address, the same procedure should be followed. You will note that there is a space provided on the back of the chapter card (d) for additional addresses.

The pages devoted to Constitution and By-Laws point out such cardinal points which need emphasis and special attention, such as the duties and obligations of the chapters in conducting of business with the Worthy Grand Estimator. These explanations tell when, how and why to use the directory forms and the importance thereof. Badge order forms, certificate of membership orders, and other forms are all carefully explained. Dues and fees are carefully outlined and summarized in a way that there can be no further excuse for a chapter officer saying, "I didn't know."

New Directory Forms Out

In this connection it is timely to relate that the W. G. E. the latter part of September supplied all the chapters with the new Directory Card Form E-1 and the new Directory Information Form E-2. The former is a white card taking the place of the pink, yellow and white cards previously in use. The white card now in use, E-1, is filled out to a certain point when a man is pledged. Then it is turned over to the W. G. E. who will issue it to the member as soon as it is completed.

And too J. A. is with Kelban, Hunter & Boyd, architects and engineers of Eldorado, Ark.

Writings of Milwaukee Men

Bro. Ai C. Flegel, Mnes. '27, whom delegates to the Charlottesville convention will remember, writes from Milwaukee, where he and his good wife Peggy are living. Hugh Eaton, Mnes., came to Milwaukee soon after school closed and is now working for Dick & Bancer. In August a certain young lady known as Miss Lucille Wright came to Milwaukee on her vacation. We are told they went to Waukegan and were married.

"They are now living on 20th street, Milwaukee, in the same apartment building with Wm. H. Edwards, who is also living in Milwaukee and working for Bro. Roy Papenhein, Mnes. '21. Bill Townes stopped off in Milwaukee on his return from Canada, saw all the boys and reported he likes our town. We understand that Bruce R. Church, Mnes.
cards (old form E-2, white cards) with the new forms.

It is the belief of the G. C. that the new forms will simplify the work of the chapters. Therefore, it is hoped that each chapter will co-operate in getting these forms into use with the least possible amount of confusion.

Ritual and Costume Data

The third item in the index pertains to the ritual and costumes and explains the duties of the W. A. and the Director of the Ritual as well as outlines the specifications and prices for costumes if purchased from the Fraternity dealer than the Grand Council. Under the heading of The Archi the duties of the chapter correspondent and rules for his guidance are outlined fully together with the schedule of deadlines for the year 1928-29. Observance of the contents thereof should remove every chance for an alibi from every chapter correspondent.

Relations with the Grand Council are explanatory and important, while the section devoted to The Worthy Estimator tries to put over to every member the very vital importance of the financial officer of the active chapter and his duties of office and fidelity to the rules thereof to the end that his chapter

may be a “going” concern rather than a financial failure.

What To Teach Pledges

Next in order is a splendid outline of suggested work in pledge study classes. The outline embraces twelve lessons and if followed thoroughly by an active chapter would result in better posted members when the pledge had become initiated. A well trained pledge should make an efficient member.

Suggested By-Laws follow for the chapter and alumni association which speak for themselves. Finally there follows a list of forms, all those now in use by the Fraternity in the conduct of its business. If the chapter officers will keep the Handbook in good shape and bound as it now reaches them they will always have a correct explanation of the use of all the forms and will know what to ask for when their supplies are out.

Brother Ely, W. G. A., and the members of the Grand Council deserve a great deal of credit for the completion of the Handbook which has been on the way for over a year. It represents much thought and study and if properly used by the active chapters should facilitate their relations with the Grand Council. A “clear status” and the chapter in “good standing.”

Under the program of The Archi for 1928-29 Chapter news is due in the hands of the editor the first of every month of publication. When no news appears for your chapter it means that your chapter correspondent has fallen down. In ample time for this issue word was sent to every chapter W. A. calling attention to this fact and to appoint a new correspondent if necessary.

ANTHEMIOS—ILLINOIS

Edward C. Cummings, Correspondent

Imagine our remorse on returning to school when we found that we would have to relegate our sacred and time-worn antiquities to the attic to make way for the luxurious furniture recently purchased by our alumni, praise the Lord!

Obituary

Iktinos Chapter regrets to announce the death of Jack on September 23rd. He was a good dog.

KALLIKRATES—VIRGINIA

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On September 24th the brothers of Demetrios, illlustrious and otherwise, rallied at the chapter house from their summer of work and play, or whatever. Since then rushing has been the all-absorbing interest of the entire chapter. We feel assured of a very strong pledge organization this year.

On our return, we found the house recently redecorated, even including the installation of a new number by “Crane” in one of our smaller but busier rooms.

On September 15th Miss Elsa Carolyn Gillham became the bride of our well-known brother, Clarence D. Badgeley,
POLYKLITOS—CARNEGIE

THERON—OKLAHOMA
Louis Williams, Correspondent

Slowly the boys gather in for another big year. With fourteen pledges so far we are anticipating lots of fun around the house with only ten old members to hold them down.

We are very sorry to lose one of our best boosters in Verle L. Amis, who has gone to University of So. California as head of the Design department.

Brother Amis was one of our most enthusiastic workers here in THERON chapter, and it will be hard to fill his place.

We are sorry to report the illness of Robert E. West, '26, who is fighting pulmonary tuberculosis in a sanitarium at Tucson, Ariz. Bob will appreciate a few lines from any of his old classmates.

Our Alumni chapter begins to function with the gift of a new set of silverware for the chapter house—and still we eat.

CHICAGO ALUMNI
H. E. Peterson, Correspondent

The first meeting of the Chicago chapter for the '28-'29 year was held Thursday evening, Sept. 27th, at the Hamiton Club.

An enthusiastic discussion of old and new business, and the annual election of officers, comprised the program.

Brother S. L. Teasore, THERON, was elected Alumni Architect and Bro. Dave A. Kendall, Anih, Alumni Scribe. Committee appointments were also made by the A. A., including Social, Music and Archi correspondent.

Summing up the opinions of the brothers for programs for the coming meetings, an exceptionally interesting year should be in line.

THE CALENDAR

Anthemiœ-Ouiversity of Illinois
Oct. 20—Indiana at Illiinds, Dad's Day.
Oct. 27—Northwestern at Illinois, Homecoming.
Nov. 3—Michigan at Ann Arbor.
Nov. 10—Butler at Indianapolis.
Nov. 17—Chicago at Chicago.
Nov. 24—Ohio State at Illinois.

Iktnios—University of Michigan
Oct. 20—Ohio State at Columbus.
Oct. 27—Wisconsin at Ann Arbor.
Nov. 1—Illinois at Ann Arbor.
Nov. 10—NAVY at Baltimore.
Nov. 17—Michigan State at Ann Arbor.
Nov. 24—Tennessee at Ann Arbor.

Demetrios—Ohio State University
Oct. 20—Michigan at Columbus.
Oct. 27—Indiana at Bloomington.
Nov. 3—Princeton at Columbus, Homecoming.
Nov. 10—Iowa at Columbus.
Nov. 17—Muskogee at Columbus.
Nov. 24—Illinois at Urbana.

Mnesicles—University of Minnesota
Oct. 20—Chicago at Minneapolis, Homecoming.
Oct. 27—Iowa at Iowa City.
Nov. 10—Northwestern at Evanston.
Nov. 10—Indiana at Minneapolis, Dad's Day.
Nov. 20—Haskell at Minneapolis.
Nov. 20—Wisconsin at Madison.
Kallikrates—University of Virginia
Oct. 20—V. M. I. at Lexington.
Oct. 27—Vanderbilt at Nashville.
Nov. 3—Washington & Lee at Charlottesville.
Nov. 10—V. P. I. at Blacksburg.
Nov. 17—Maryland at College Park.
Nov. 29—North Carolina at Charlottesville.

Andronicus—Univ. of So. California
Oct. 20—California at Berkeley.
Oct. 27—Occidental College at Los Angeles.
Nov. 3—Stanford at Los Angeles.
Nov. 10—Arizona at Los Angeles.
Nov. 10—Washington State at Los Angeles.
Nov. 24—Idaho at Los Angeles.
Dec. 1—Notre Dame at Los Angeles.

Paeonios—Kansas State A. C.
Oct. 20—Kansas U. at Manhattan.
Oct. 27—Oklahoma U. at Norman.
Nov. 10—Missouri at Manhattan.
Nov. 17—Iowa State at Ames.
Nov. 20—Nebraska at Lincoln.

Dinocrates—University of Texas
Oct. 20—Arkansas at Austin.
Oct. 27—Rice Institute at Houston.
Nov. 3—Southern Methodist at Austin.
Nov. 10—Baylor U. at Waco.
Nov. 17—Texas Christian U. at Ft. Worth.
Nov. 20—Texas A. & M. at Austin.

Polyklitos—Carnegie Inst. of Tech.
Oct. 27—Pittsburgh at Pitt Stadium.
Nov. 10—Georgetown at Allmy.
Nov. 17—Notre Dame at South Bend.

Theron—Oklahoma A. & M. College
Oct. 20—Marquette at Milwaukee.
Nov. 3—Oklahoma U. at Stillwater.
Nov. 10—West Virginia at Morgantown.
Nov. 24—Ohio University at Stillwater.
Nov. 28—Tulsa U. at Tulsa.

PLEDGES DROPPED

The W. G. E. should be promptly notified when the chapters drop the names of pledges from their rolls. Use Form E-2.

Andronicus—University of So. California
Wherrett, Robert C., '31, (left school), 1007 Monterey Rd., Los Angeles.

NEW PLEDGES

Not until the W. G. E. receives Form Directory Card, Form E-1, for the fraternity directory from the active chapter does a man's name appear in this, the official list of the Grand Council.

Andronicus—University of So. California
Knapkeb, El., '22, 2504 S. Bronson Ave., Los Angeles.

GRADUATES

Theron—May 21, 1928
Braulio, Oscar, '23, 1802 Med and Prof.
Elide, Amanillo, Tex.
Brown, Hugh W., '28, 702 N. Aydelotte St., Shawnness, Ohio.
Dory, Cecil J., '28, Chaney, Okla.
Flood, Harold E., '28, Newkirk, Okla.
Altus, Okla.
Reubling, Harold L. '28, 1632 Dorchester Ave., Muscogee, Okla.
Summer, Guy E., '28, R. R. No. 4, Neosho, Mo.

Addresses Wanted for These:

Anthemiœ—Illinois
Battles, Deon D., '23, 407 Frye St., Peoria, Ill.
* Bergman, Gayle M., '25, 7500 Jefferson Ave., Kansas City, Mo.
* Guinney, Howard G., Ex '27, 1121 Grandview Blvd., Sioux City, Ia.
* Helms, R. K., '26, 5633 Kenmore Ave., Chicago, Ill.
* Joline, Carl, '21, 1034 W. 35th St., Los Angeles
* Kendall, David A., '24, 3231 Vayette Ave., Chicago
* Lackey, K. L., Ex '24, 751 Boston, Ind.
* McCune, Howard A., Ex '24, Greenacres, Wash.
* McRostie, William M., '23, 255 W. 97th St., Chicago
* Riddick, Calvin E., Ex '20, 532 No. College, Deseret, Ill.

Iktnios—Michigan
Barnes, Ernest H., Honorary, Europe.
*Battin, Howard H., '21, Shelton Hotel.
New York City
Chamberlain, Leo M., Ex '24, Kentland, Ind.
Du Boff, Donald B., Ex '23, Tuscon, Ariz.
Herrick, Ralph R., Ex '21, 21 South End.
Morse, Frederick L., '24, 3160 Pine Grove Ave., Chicago
Olsen, Russell P., Ex '22, Sheboygan, Wis.
Williams, Geo. H., '24, 414814 Normal Ave.
*Wilson, John R., '21, 1020 Lake Shore Blvd., Sautee, N.Y.
*Young, Geo. F., '23, 19 Phillips St., Boston

Demetrios—Ohio State
Mathias, Clarence A., '17, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.
Murray, Wm. F., '10, 410 W. 28th St., Los Angeles

Mnesicles—Minnesota
Anderson, E. E., Ex '23, Rush City, Minn.
*Andersen, Milton L., '21, 206 Lake Shore Bend, Oakland, Calif.
FROM THE MAIL BOX

While we are thinking of Minnesota men. There is an Anthemioues brother who is a native to St. Paul who has just opened his office for the general practice of architecture in the Advocate building, Chelalis, Wash. Yes, you guessed it, Fred G. Rounds is the man. Rosie has left his position as Associate Professor of Architecture at the State College of Washington to take over the office of J. de Forest Griffin, A. I. A., who has moved to Los Angeles. Fred is also an A. I. A. member and a brother in Tau Beta Pi.

While we were pleased to have a note from Mrs. Verna Gambrel West from Welch, Okla., we were sorry to have the news it contained about her husband, Robert E. West. "Bob is in Clarks Rest Home, 1614 E. 1st St., Tuscon, Ariz., with a fairly bad case of pulmonary tuberculosis. He has been there since July 18th, and we do not know how much longer he will have to stay."

"The doctors were taking an X-ray of his kidneys the last I heard to see if they were affected too. Before going to Tuscon Bob was employed as a designer and draftsman by Witt, Seibert & Halsey of Texarkana, Texas. "Our sincerest sympathy is with Bob and his "best girl" in this fight. Bob is a charter member of Theron."