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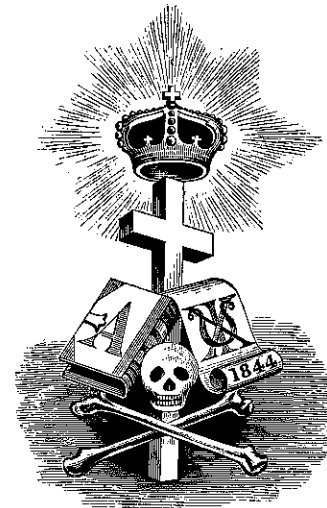
WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY in 1844 had about one hundred and thirty students and a scholarly faculty, presided over by the majestic Dr. Olin, a graduate of Middlebury, a ripe scholar and a successful president. College fraternities found in Dr. Olin a master advocate. During his presidency, Psi Upsilon founded a chapter at Wesleyan in 1843, and Chi Psi in 1844. There was no opposition from the faculty, no persecution or misunderstanding.

The first secret society at Wesleyan was the Mystical Seven, founded about 1837. Its membership was limited to the magic number, seven, and in 1844, excelled as writers and speakers. Following the Mystics in 1837, came the Eclectics, or Phi Nu Theta, a local society represented largely by its alumni in the Methodist ministry. Psi Upsilon entered in 1843, but its members were at that time somewhat clannish and lacking in breadth of college spirit.

While these societies did not ignore the social element, they still did not make it prominent; hence, there was clearly room for an organization which would give prominence to sociability. The three societies had their usual quota of men, one taking seven; therefore, numerically considered, there was ample room for another.

Not neglecting intellectual and moral qualifications, but insisting upon sociability, Alpha Alpha of Chi Psi was founded. The nine founders consisted of two seniors, one junior, four sophomores and two freshmen. The leading spirit in the organization of Chi Psi at Wesleyan was Elbert G. Roberts of the class of 1846 and the initiation of the founders was in his room. Certainly not a very imposing arrangement for so important an enterprise.

A hall was secured on the east side of Main Street, the third house from College Street; two Chi Psis from Union College gave the starting word, and early in the year 1844, Alpha was fairly launched on a successful voyage. An unbroken career of

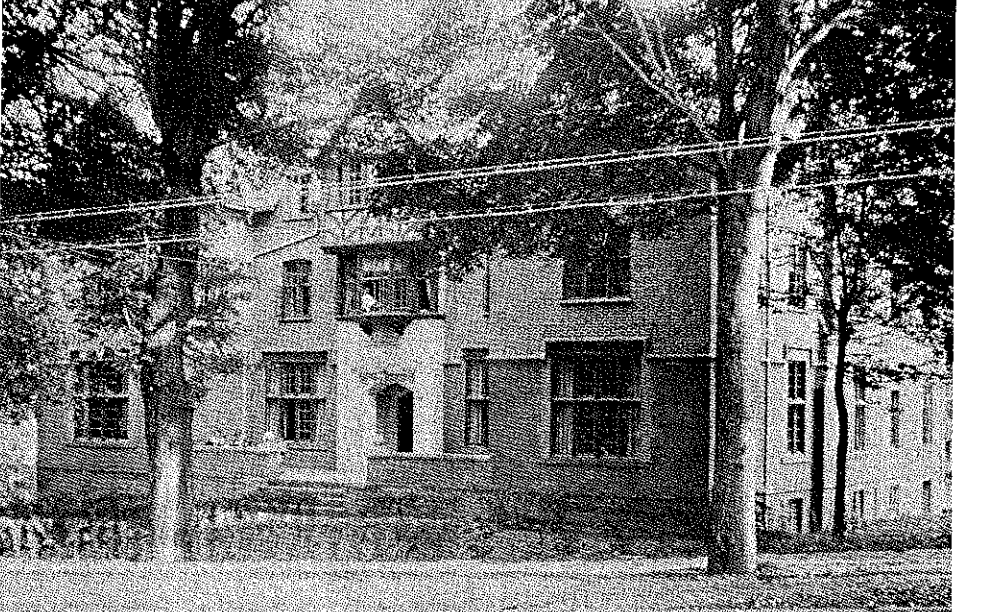


prosperity followed for nearly two decades. It was, however, a very select body of men and seldom numbered over a dozen. This fewness of numbers undoubtedly made the bond stronger and no other fraternity on the Hill was so closely united.

In the middle of the fifties Alpha secured a new hall on the corner of Center and

Main Streets. There were two rooms, the more pleasant of which was fitted up as a sitting-room. It contained three sofas, half a dozen chairs, a good carpet, a center table and several pictures. But the most imposing article of furniture was a great elevated throne built by one of our early members, who had learned the trade of a carpenter, and where his "High Mightiness" used to sit. Here this little band of Brothers gathered every Saturday evening for their weekly meetings, which were quite informal, although the solemnity of the meetings was never neglected. The other room was somewhat smaller and was used as an office, where the constitution and other Fraternity documents were kept.

For the privilege of occupying these meager quarters Alpha paid Messrs. Hayden and Loveland the generous sum of \$30 per annum. Hayden and Loveland were the owners of the building and incidentally were proprietors of a grocery on the ground floor, the savor odors of which were ever present in Alpha's rooms above. The other expenses consisted of a small initiation fee, occasional



The Lodge of Alpha Alpha of Wesleyan University at 200 Church Street, Middletown, Connecticut.

special taxes and light and fuel. One load of wood was a sufficient supply for the winter, while about six quarts of whale oil furnished the light for the whole year, for kerosene had not yet come into use.

The condition of the Alpha in 1859 may be noted from the following extract from a letter to Brother R. B. Maclin of Alpha Epsilon:

"Wesleyan University
"18 February 1859.

"Dear Brother,

"We are flourishing of course, like all genuine Chi Psis, for they have got it in 'em. Manliness, 'grit,' scholarship, and joviality are the elements. We number fifteen picked men, with just enough ministers to give us stability and character.

"Yours in the Bonds,
"Horace W. Parmenter."

The beginning of trouble for the Alpha

arose in a revulsion from the spirit of exclusiveness which had before existed and which revulsion now manifested itself in a determination to increase the numbers. The increase tended to loosen the close bonds of friendship that had hitherto existed and to allow the accession of some undesirable material. The spring of 1863 saw the culmination of these effects and the fall of the same year brought on the crisis. The period from 1860 to 1863 had been a glorious one for Chi Psi at Wesleyan. Chi Psi stood at the very front among Wesleyan fraternities, and she was in this position when the trouble viewed.

In the spring of 1863 some of the members became a little too "fast," bringing discredit upon themselves and upon the Alpha, and finally resulting in the expulsion of one man from college and the Fraternity for crime and the resignation of another from

college. When college convened in the fall the associates of these two men, who had left the previous spring, associates to the number of two or three, presented serious obstacles to the immediate success of the Alpha. In the cultivation of freshmen in the fall of '63 the Alpha was very unsuccessful owing to the opposition of these same men and this, added to the previous trouble, was such as to further intensify the bad feeling between some of the members. Discouraged and disheartened at the evident decline of Chi Psi from a proud position in the college, the members determined upon disbandment. So it was that Alpha, numbering nineteen men in October, 1863, gave up her existence by sending her constitution and charter to A. H. Dean of Hamilton College, the then presiding officer of the Fraternity.

The suspension was in a certain sense a credit to the men of that time. There may

Wesleyan University

PROMINENT CITIZENS of Middletown and leaders in the Methodist denomination founded Wesleyan University in 1831. Middletown residents provided a thirteen-acre campus, two brownstone buildings formerly occupied by a military academy, and almost half the funds needed to begin collegiate instruction by that summer. Methodist conferences in New England and New York supplied the balance of initial funding, two-thirds of the original Board of Trustees, a president, and most of the original faculty and students.

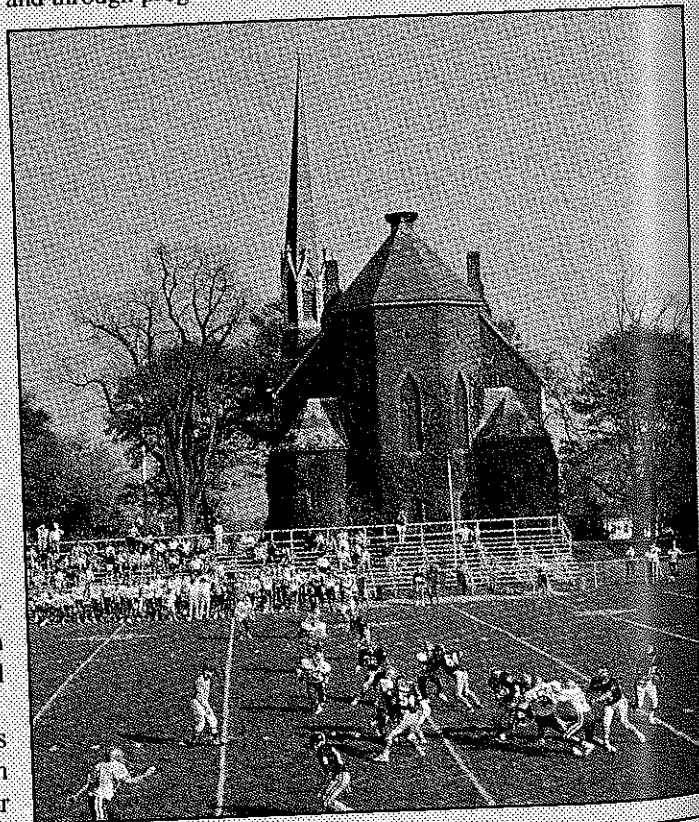
After several decades of support from local sources and the state legislature, Wesleyan developed closer denominational ties. In 1870 a revision of the original nonsectarian charter introduced the stipulation that the president and a majority of faculty and Trustees must be Methodist. Consistent with Methodist practice, coeducation began in 1872.

The faculty forged a professional commitment to research in the late nineteenth century. Recruitment of non-Methodist scholars began in 1888 with Woodrow Wilson, who taught history and economics for two years before moving on to Princeton. By 1900 Wesleyan had a widely-known and respected faculty, particularly in the natural sciences.

College and denomination began to drift apart in the early twentieth century. The trustees, increasingly drawn from alumni living in metropolitan New York and decreasingly associated with the Methodist Church, dropped the denominational majority stipulation from the charter in 1907 and ended coeducation in 1912. Wesleyan's identity as a small, male, New England liberal arts college reached its clearest formulation in the 1950s.

In the 1960s Wesleyan gained greatly augmented resources through the sale of American Education Publications, acquired in 1949, to the Xerox Corporation. This transaction enabled fuller

implementation of plans to become a "little university," with graduate programs in selected areas of strength. In the past three decades Wesleyan tripled its enrollment, doubled its faculty, and greatly enlarged the physical plant. At the same time the university increased diversity through a return to coeducation in 1968 and through programs to recruit and support minority students.



have been a lack of wisdom in their course but there was not a lack of integrity. They took that course, believing that it would prevent dishonor to the Fraternity at large, as well as their own Alpha in particular. Like the old Whig party, it died voluntarily rather than come to dishonor. It is to the further credit of the Alpha that its standing in college was such that when President Cummings of Wesleyan heard of the contemplated step he summoned the leading members to his room and remonstrated, asserting that the influence of Chi Psi was too healthy on college life to be dispensed with. But unheeding of this advice the Alpha persisted in its course and determined to end its career.

The history of Alpha Alpha by no means ends with the year 1863. The indomitable spirit of Chi Psi may have been in a dormant state, but it was not dead. Alpha was soon to be revived. Of the revival Edwin A. White, A'79, writes:

"Two or three months after the commencement of the fall term in 1875, and after the various societies had had their initiation, I received a letter from Dr. J. H. Churchill of the class of 1867, asking me to call and see him. I had never met the man and had no idea what he wanted to see me about, but I complied with his request and called on him. He informed me that he was a Chi Psi, and was very anxious to have the Alpha re-established in Wesleyan.

"I had not yet joined any fraternity, although I was being cultivated by two fraternities at the time. Dr. Churchill stated very clearly what seemed to him the advantages of Chi Psi over any other fraternity. His statement made quite an impression upon my decision in a few days. Having decided in favor of Chi Psi, I again called on Dr. Churchill and was pledged by him. Then I went to work among the non-members of fraternities in college. I found it up-hill work and was soon sorry that I had pledged myself, realizing what a task it was going to be, but having started there was nothing else for me to do but go on.

"After a little I was able to pledge one of my classmates and took him to Dr. Churchill. We wanted some upper-class men, but a poor freshman could not do much with them. All I could do was to investigate and report to the doctor whom I thought to be the best men in the several classes and get them in touch with him. He finally succeeded in

getting two men from the then junior class, Wharff and Hammond. Later I succeeded in getting another freshman and also two sophomores. After we had the promise of seven members the matter was brought before the general Fraternity and consent was given by a vote of the Alphas in the spring of 1876.

"The then presiding officer of the Fraternity gave Alpha the following charter:

"Governed in every respect by the constitution of the Chi Psi Fraternity, I now declare a petition granted by said Fraternity to I. H. W. Wharff, C. D. Bimsee, G. H. Hammond, H. Perry, E. A. White, and... students of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Connecticut; and its seeming advisable, I have requested Alpha Chi of Amherst college, Massachusetts, by a committee to organize these men into an Alpha of the Chi Psi. Said Alpha shall be recognized by the Fraternity as Alpha Alpha reorganized. By vote of the Fraternity.

"Willard R. Cary,

"11 May 1876

"Middlebury, Vermont."

"Wharff of '77 and Perry of '79, my classmate, went to Amherst and were initiated there, and then came back and with the help of some of the members of Chi, the rest of us were initiated into Chi Psi. I was not able to go to Amherst as I had been chosen a member of the 'varsity crew, and under training, and no member of the crew was allowed to break training and to be absent from daily practice on the river, so Perry of my class was sent in my place."

Thus was Alpha Alpha awakened into new life. The next year eight freshmen were initiated, and Alpha was again enjoying the pleasures of life and love and devotion. The members stood high in college activities, especially Wharff, who was treasurer of the rowing association and president of the class day exercises; and White, who was stroke oar and captain of the crew in his senior year, and Commodore of the Navy, graduating with Pi Beta Kappa and Special Honors. Scholarship was in fair condition. The Alpha had rooms at the time on the second floor of a building on the east side of Main Street about three doors south of College Street, nearly opposite where the old post-office used to be.

The period immediately following was devoted to the perfecting of the local organi-

zation, so much so that it seems the Alpha for a time was neglectful of its obligations to the general Fraternity, a condition which within a few years reacted to the harm of the Alpha. In 1889 the Alpha Alpha Literary Society was incorporated. This was the first definite organization of the alumni and was due in large part to the efforts of F. T. Garretson '46, Abram Avery '48, E. H. True '55, E. B. Sanford '65, and Howard Perry '79, nobly assisted by many of the younger men. It was during this period that the Alpha moved into the Foss House, its first real Lodge, one where the members could room and board.

During the early periods and for a decade more the chief part of the meetings seemed to be devoted to literary and oratorical exercises, and very little time to the welfare of the Alpha or the men themselves. Today the contrary is true. Perhaps after all the change is not so much one in the Lodge room as it is in the use and purpose of the Fraternity.

Toward the end of this period, in 1887, the Alpha was weakened by some internal dissension, necessitating the expulsion of four men of the class of 1889. The delegation of 1892 came in at this time. It was strong in numbers and well balanced, and did much to again turn the tide toward prosperity. In 1893 the Alpha moved from the Foss House to a new home, now known as the Greystone, near the corner of Main and College Streets. This home was occupied by the Alpha for about ten years. Within a few years after this move the Alpha and the alumni began to realize that if Chi Psi was to maintain herself as a force in the college community she must be housed near the campus. With this realization came the movement led by S. F. Jayne '56, C. D. Woods '80, and E. G. Derby '83, for the location and Lodge which the Alpha now occupies.

The local conditions during this period seemed to be improving and certain it was that alumni interest was on the increase. With the help of these improved conditions the Alpha was soon to wage a four year fight for her existence. In 1898 a movement was started to revoke the charter of Alpha. This fight was carried on through four conventions and was won each time by Alpha. Of necessity, much ill-feeling was engendered, but withal, the trouble infused new life and spirit into the alumni of the Alpha and in reality proved to be a blessing in disguise. In

1897 the Literary Society had purchased a lot across from the campus. The charter agitation led to renewed efforts upon the part of the alumni for a new home for the Alpha, and as a result of these efforts a new Lodge was formally opened on February 22, 1904.

Chi Psi's new home gave fresh life and renewed enthusiasm to the undergraduates. They were now as well located as any fraternity in Wesleyan. The years following this move were ones of progress for the Alpha. Each year saw the Alpha growing in numbers and influence. A strong senior delegation in 1909 brought the Alpha to her rightful position in the college community.

The installation of the late President Shanklin in the fall of the same year was a turning point in the history of the college as well as that of the Alpha. Under his leadership, not only were the material resources of the college immensely increased, but the enrollment soon reached the maximum of 500 set by the board of trustees, and the scholastic standard was constantly raised.

With the attainment of outside prestige the Alpha's attention was turned to the perfection of internal organization. In the spring

of 1910, John K. MacDonald Jr., AΔ'07, the Fraternity Visitor, spent some time in Middletown and this visit did much toward reorganization. It is hardly too strong to say that the internal strength which the Alpha has quite consistently maintained subsequently, dates from this time. In the fall of that year an exceptionally strong delegation was secured. Through their college courses the members of this delegation pushed forward these principles of reorganization, and during their senior year, Alpha occupied unquestionably the strongest position on the campus.

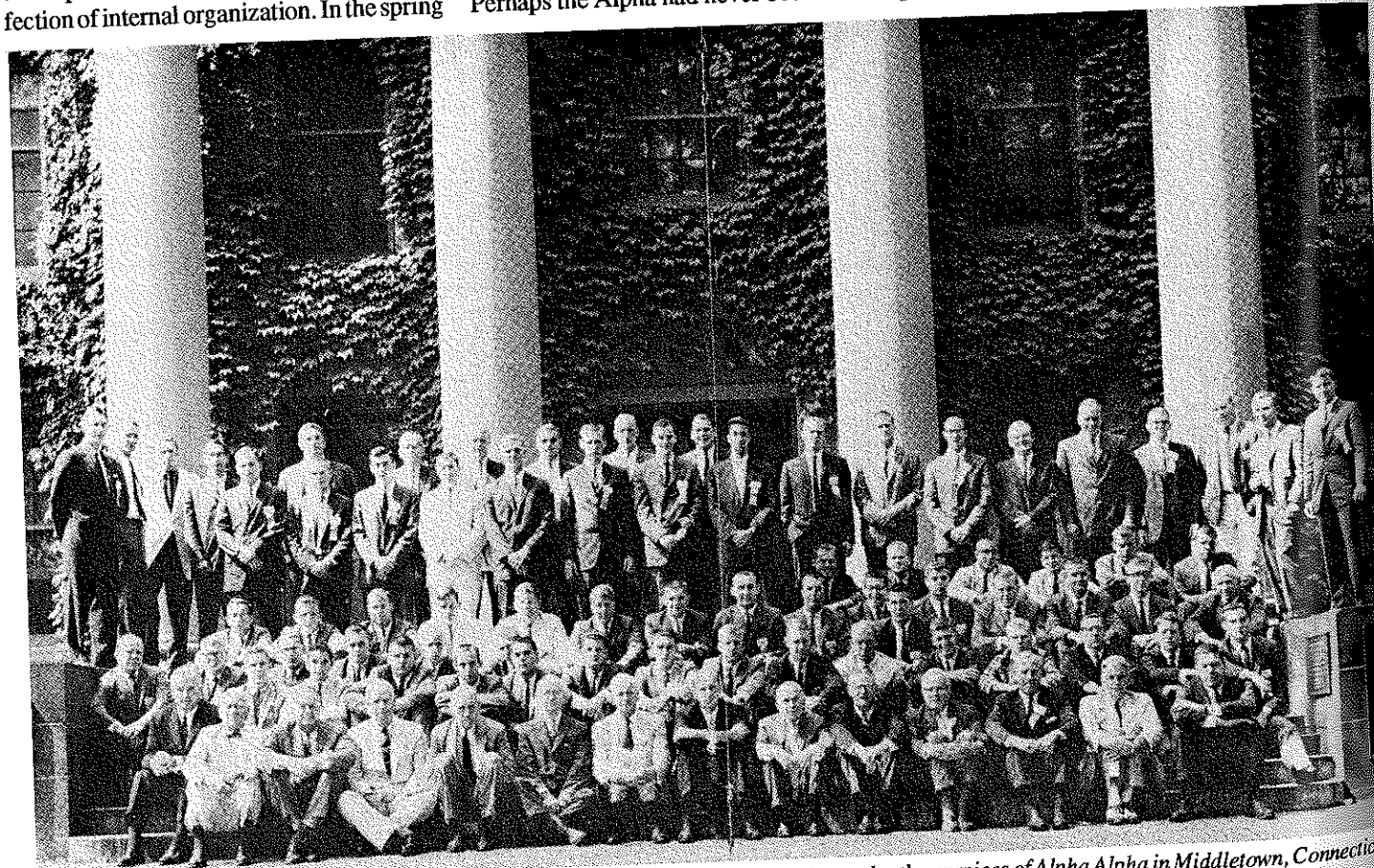
The progress noted above was put to a test in the spring of 1912 when the Lodge was partially burned at a loss of \$6,000. This trial reemphasized the fact that the progress in the life and spirit of the Alpha had been real. It was a spur to new enthusiasm and what in the spring was a burned and dilapidated Lodge by fall had been turned into a new and better home.

The prosperity laid in 1910 and earlier on the sure cornerstone of internal strength continued up to the outbreak of the war. Perhaps the Alpha had never been as strong

as in the fall of 1917. But, small in numbers compared with the other fraternities on the hill, yet sending a larger proportion of her members to the war, it was inevitable that this should be a trying period for the Alpha and that the close of hostilities should find her comparatively weak and disorganized.

The work of reconstruction was carried out along the lines of 1910 and subsequent years, and while the progress was slow it was sure. Two indications of this are very evident. First, the completely remodeled Lodge was occupied in February, 1927. With an investment of one hundred thousand dollars Alpha provided herself with a most fitting home and assured herself of equal physical equipment with any other Wesleyan fraternity. Second, the award of the Thayer Trophy to Alpha in 1928. This award gave the stamp of approval to Alpha by the national Fraternity and recognized the fact that Alpha had built herself into one of the strong Alphas of the Fraternity.

The foregoing is the account of Alpha printed in the *Catalogue* of 1929. It is probably the work of several hands, and parts of it at least must antedate that publication by



The ivied walls of the old Wesleyan campus were the background for the 120th Convention under the auspices of Alpha Alpha in Middletown, Connecticut.

many years. It is a picture of struggle and vicissitude over a long series of years, of a sudden breaking into light and life in the twenties and attaining a very apotheosis in the Thayer Trophy award of 1928. But this is as over-simplified as an Horatio Alger story of a poor boy making good and gives only a half picture of a way of life that was in some respects peculiar even in its own day and may be worth a look by the undergraduate of today. Perhaps one who entered Alpha in the Middle Years of 1909 is well placed to judge of the spirit and temper of both of those ages.

Of struggle and vicissitude there was great plenty; but it was not the result so much of inept management and failure as of a principle that actuated the Alpha for fifty years, namely, that the undergraduate body should be small. From the beginnings until the early twenties the undergraduate Alpha was small. And it was small in a day that knew large chapters. The leading chapter at Wesleyan had a membership of 75 while Alpha probably had never exceeded 25 up to that time and didn't until the days of her prosperity began. This policy was based neither on an inability to get members nor an unwillingness to share the precious privileges, but on a principle laid down somewhere along the line and strongly held that no larger group could retain the friendly intimacy possible to that small number. Subsequent history seems to prove that doctrine unsound; but it would be well to consider what we had in those dark Middle Ages: We had considerable privacy for one thing, as the Lodge was large and the freshmen lived out; and although it came at a high price and we could ill afford it, it was worth what it cost. Above all else we had leisure, as the group was too small to be of account in campus politics and the pressure to do something around the college was almost entirely lacking. No doubt much "material" in the crowd was not exploited for activities; but we had time for study and talk, for hiking in the hills and going on the river. There was not the slightest complacency about this, and we were perhaps more excited than the average of undergraduates when some energetic member distinguished himself. We were neither elegant like some others, nor muscular like still others, and were just an average and commonplace group of boys as could possibly be found in those days, in fact there was little there that would not have disturbed a

present-day Fraternity Visitor to his very soul; but the fact remains that could I guarantee for my own sons in their college days the same kind of peaceful life in an atmosphere as distinctly intellectual, I would consider no effort or expense too great to provide it.

That now such a place is no longer to be found is the result of factors beyond the control of the average layman: The automobile for one thing with its destruction of the isolation that made such a college as Wesleyan possible, and more specifically the modern desire to keep colleges abreast of life, to make the life there comparable in the minutest detail with the adult life on the outside.

These factors plus the sudden access of fortune to the college and the growing pressure of the national Fraternity to make all Alphas conform to the same pattern accounted for both the strength and weakness of the Alpha before the war. They encouraged her in 1927 to build a larger Lodge than her small group of alumni could afford and to enlarge the undergraduate membership to support it. With this came some success. She took what was considered her rightful place among the influential fraternity chapters at the college, is even argued by some to be at the top of the heap, has many college honors, has regular berths in the old honor societies, and although handicapped by a relatively small alumni body back of the twenties, swims strongly with the current.

These little New England colleges of the period before 1920 must seem complete backwaters to the members of large, bustling universities; but it must not be forgotten that some of the character of our Fraternity as evidenced in the quaintness of its private language (Lodge, Alpha, etc.), its conservatism in all matters pertaining to dress, insignia, flags, and the like, and its general lack of show-off—elements on which its distinction chiefly rests—have been given to it by these old and comparatively obscure Alphas.

This view is in part pure nostalgia for the good old days; but it is also in part a settled conviction that a college should not properly be contemporary society in miniature and that the very wealth that has made it such should be better used to protect undergraduates from the distractions of ordinary life. And the history of Alpha provides a pattern of a sort.

The above words were written by Robert S. Telfer '13 for the Centennial Catalogue. Now to bring the story to the present:

The Chi Psi Centennial celebration was attended by twenty-four actives and alumni from Alpha Alpha. The entire Lodge was planning to attend as a body when the disappointing news came that the annual sub-freshman weekend was to be held on the same date. The following account of the Centennial was written by either S. F. Mann '43 or J. W. Kiermaier '43 who were both in attendance:

"At the Centennial we were soon embraced in the spirit of brotherhood and friendship which knits together the twenty-five Alphas of our fraternity. From the start we realized that we were not among strangers, but among Brothers united by a common feeling of pride and reverence towards Chi Psi... The Centennial Convention had more than achieved its purpose of not only honoring the past, but promising us in the Bonds a future of greater and stronger brotherhood."

In the fall of 1941, the lodge was a strong group at Wesleyan; sponsoring many gala social events, winning several intramural sporting championships and placing many Brothers in honor societies. The Brothers of Alpha Alpha could not have realized that their lives and the lives of many others around the globe would soon be changed by the chaos that was to be the Second World War.

Chi Psi was represented well by the Brothers of Alpha Alpha during the war. Alpha Lodgers served their country in all branches of military service. Many returned to carry on the traditions of brotherhood at the Alpha. The names of those who did not return are remembered with the other Brothers who "gave their lives that the life they loved might endure for others." The Brothers of Alpha Alpha who paid the greatest price for their country and the ideals they believed in during the Second World War are as follows: Thomas W. Burnett '05, Robert F. Alden '30, Horace G. White Jr. '33, William H. Merritt Jr. '35, Sanford W. Carhart Jr. '41, Ralph P. Bridges '46, and Robert A. Keeney '46.

During the war, the Alpha was rendered virtually dormant, but in 1946, the seven returning Brothers, along with strong alumni support, reactivated the Alpha with the same fervor demonstrated in the fall of 1941. Edwin May '46 summarizes, "The Lodge never looked better here, and I know that the ap-

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pearance brought gasps of amazement from many of the returning vets... We are out to regain the Thayer Trophy, lost in '28, I believe. It has been a long time since we won it."

Because of the war, the centennial celebration of Alpha Alpha had to be postponed two years, but on 23 June 1946 the celebration was finally held. The banquet culminated in an address by Paul F. Douglass '26, then president of American University, in which he challenged the Brothers to continue with the great strides they had been making before the war.

The Brothers of Alpha did not have to wait long to regain the Thayer, for in 1947, at the Convention held in Ann Arbor, the coveted award was returned to the Lodge at Wesleyan. During subsequent years the Thayer remained beyond their reach, although the Alpha qualified for finalist status on several occasions.

Throughout the early to mid-1950s, the Alpha was plagued with two nagging problems that could not seem to be eliminated. The Alpha was faced with many financial shortcomings, and for several years it operated at a loss. The alumni support that was so strong only a few years earlier was weakening. These problems continually frustrated the undergraduates, but nothing was done to alleviate them successfully.

During the late 1950s and early 1960s, the Alpha began to improve its situation slightly, but these improvements were not enough to ensure a strong Alpha during the latter part of the 1960s. In 1969 the Alpha was forced to suspend dining operations because of the deteriorating kitchen. This factor, along with other conditions in the Lodge, brought about the need for a major capital campaign in 1971. For various reasons the campaign was met with minimal success, and the problems faced by Alpha Alpha continued into the 1970s.

The progress of the Alpha was uneven, and the Vietnam War era saw membership at lower levels than normal. Morale was low, and the condition of the Lodge deteriorated. During the summer of 1977, thieves broke in and removed the oriental rugs and valuable furniture pieces. Just before the beginning of the 1978-79 school year, the Lodge had to be closed so that major repairs could be undertaken during that school year. Due to the enormity of the project and leins on the

property, the corporation was forced to sell the Lodge to the college (with an option to buy back at market value later).

So in the fall of 1978, members were forced to find housing in other than the Lodge. With members scattered around and beyond campus, it was a most difficult time for the Alpha. The attitude of some on campus was turning against all-male fraternities. Frank P. Lamonica Jr. '79 and a few other Brothers were heroic in their efforts to keep the group together. And when the Lodge reopened in the fall of 1979, there was an active Alpha ready and eager to move back in. An eating club was quickly reestablished, in large part thanks to the efforts of F. Van S. Parr Jr. '29 and a few other alumni who rallied around to keep the Alpha going with moral and financial support.

Frank Lamonica was awarded the Stanley J. Birge Award at the 1979 Convention in Ann Arbor for his dedicated service in keeping the Alpha together during very difficult times.

In the early 1980s, just as the Alpha began correcting some of its internal problems and trying to improve its situation at Wesleyan, a strong wave of anti-fraternity sentiment put Chi Psi and all other all-male fraternities on the defensive. As this sentiment progressed, certain influential feminist groups resented Chi Psi's control of the Lodge, which they regarded as a centrally located college-owned residence hall, one to which they were denied access.

In 1987, under the direction of then Wesleyan President Colin Campbell, the school issued a report entitled "The All-Male Residential Fraternities at Wesleyan." This report recognized the positive benefits which Wesleyan fraternities provided historically to its male members, but that these benefits to men caused inequality for women. According to this report, "The time has come for the all-male residential fraternities to admit women to full membership." Unlike other Northeastern schools that took similar stances, Wesleyan did not force its fraternities to admit women. The Wesleyan administration felt that the best resolution to this matter was through persuasion, or as President Campbell put it, "Moral Swasion."

After years of moving away from the National Fraternity, the Brothers of Alpha Alpha have made great strides in redirecting themselves and assuring that their future is

preserved at Wesleyan, although this decision is not entirely up to them. They have demonstrated financial stability by paying off their debt to the Central Office. Most importantly, they are conducting their rituals and traditions in the true spirit of the Fraternity and are currently developing stronger alumni relations, the key aspects of their future survival.

In 1989, F. Van S. Parr '29, then #7, Robert Dearth '66, then Vice Chairman of the Educational Trust, and current and past members of the Central Office staff visited Dr. William Chace, current Wesleyan President, at the Lodge to discuss mutual issues of concern. At the meeting the parties resolved little, except to make assurances that the dialogue would remain open and free. Later, President Chace decreed that Wesleyan University would offer no support to all-male fraternities; He was not clear, however, on his definition of support.

In 1990, Wesleyan University announced that, effective in January 1991, it would "end formal ties with four all-male fraternities that have declined to coeducate since first called on to do so in 1987." (Others were Beta Theta Pi, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and Psi Upsilon.) The mandate stopped short of a ban, as students would not be forbidden from joining private organizations, although Chi Psi is the only one of the four with a lease on University-owned property. Tension seems to have eased somewhat at this writing, but the future for fraternities in general and Chi Psi in particular at Wesleyan is far from certain.

It is imperative that the undergraduates and alumni discuss earnestly their aspirations to buy back the Lodge before the deadline. Only time and the resiliency of the Alpha Alpha alumni will determine if the Lodge is returned into the hands of Chi Psi. Thus at this writing in 1991, Alpha Alpha prospers in a chilling, uncongenial atmosphere.

Alpha Alpha has been blessed with a great many loyal and devoted alumni, six of whom have been presented Chi Psi's Distinguished Service Award: H. Seger Slifer '11 (who transferred to Michigan and was also Epsilon '12), Frank Harder Ryder '00, George D. Ryder '02, Carlos Bent Ellis Jr. '22, Ferdinand Van Siclen Parr Jr. '29, and George Washington Ray III '54.

-Walter C. Williams, 1991

CHI PSI FRATERNITY

ALPHA LISTINGS

Alumni of CHI PSI FRATERNITY ALPHA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, 1844

CLASS OF 1843

Charles David Burritt**
b. 05/20/1823, Ithaca, NY; 1843 BS Wesleyan, 1845 AB, 1855 MA; d. 05/07/1856.

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Philip Olmstead Hyatt**
b. 01/15/1822, Ridgefield, CT; 1844 AB Wesleyan, 1849 MD Berkshire Med. Clg.; d. 07/07/1851.

CLASS OF 1845

William Newton Brown**
d. 1881.
Jonathan Goodier**
b. 02/06/1822, Herkimer Cnty., NY; 1845 AB Wesleyan, 1848 AM; d. 07/31/10.

CLASS OF 1846

John Bommer**
Perry G. Childs**
b. 12/04/1826, Cazenovia, NY; 1846 AB Wesleyan; d. 07/16/1893.

Francis Thomas Garretson**
b. 05/26/1826, Rhinebeck, NY; 1846 AB Wesleyan; Brother R. L. Garretson II; d. 07/04/18.

John Binney Gould**
b. 04/07/1824, Hull, MA; 1846 AB Wesleyan, 1849 AM; Brother T. L. Gould; d. 12/29/08.

Lewis Frederick Pelton**
b. 02/13/1828, Westfield, MA; 1846 AB Wesleyan, 1849 AM, 1851 MD NYU; d. 09/17/1883.

Elbert George Roberts**
b. 10/14/1824, Cornwall, CT; AB Wesleyan; d. 07/24/1889.

Edwin Cowles Rushmore**
b. 08/07/1824, Hempstead, NY; 1846 AB Wesleyan, 1854 MD NYU; d. 02/04/1885.

Seth Loring Sprague**
b. 08/25/1825, Duxbury, MA; 1846 AB Wesleyan, 1849 MA, 1850 MD Harvard; d. 03/25/1897.

Frederick Mason Stone**
b. 09/12/1825, Wayland, MA; d. 03/20/1897.

CLASS OF 1847

Gustave Arvilién Breaux**
b. 12/28/1828, LA; d. 1911.

Samuel Finley Jones**
b. 08/04/1827, Marlboro, CT; Wesleyan; d. 09/26/1891.

Edward Spalding Lippitt**
b. 09/17/1824, Woodstock, CT; 1847 AB Wesleyan, 1850 AM; d. 05/03/12.

Cornelius W. LaFayette Morrow**
b. 08/16/1824, Paterson, NJ; 1847 AB Wesleyan, 1847 Yale Theol. Sch., 1857 AM Wesleyan; d. 02/24/1895.

CLASS OF 1848

Abraham Avery, Jr.**
b. 11/15/1824, Wilbraham, MA; 1879 AM Wesleyan; d. 04/03/1893.

Jonathan Johnson**
b. 1824, Newbury, VT; 1854 AM Wesleyan; d. 08/15/1894.

Charles Wesley Remington**
b. 07/25/1829, Fitchburg, MA; d. 1886.

Daniel Wooster Stevens**
b. 05/05/1822, Walden, VT; 1848 AB Wesleyan, 1851 AM Wesleyan; d. 06/23/1878.

CLASS OF 1849

Joseph Albert Bailey**
b. 08/17/1823, Middletown, CT; 1849 AB Wesleyan, 1850 Newton Theol. Inst., 1851 Rochester Theol. Sem.; d. 05/11/1873.

John Edwards Bradshaw**
b. 12/14/1828, Charlotte, VT; 1849 AB Wesleyan; d. 10/02/1850.

James Thaddeus Fountain**
b. 10/06/1829, Middletown Point, NJ; 1849 AB Wesleyan, 1852 AM, MD Columbia; d. 01/12/08.

John Catlin Holabird**
b. 01/18/1829, Winchester, CT; 1849 AB Wesleyan; d. 05/28/1853.

Jacob LaGrange McKown**
b. 05/02/1830, Albany Cnty., NY; 1849 AB Wesleyan, 1852 AM, 1870 DD Union; d. 05/02/1879.

James Avery Skilton**
b. 01/13/1829, Troy, NY; 1849 BNS Rensselaer Poly.Inst., 1863 LLB Albany Law Sch.; Brother J. A. Skilton, C.C. Skilton; d. 02/19/04.

Daniel Freeman Tompkins**
b. 07/06/1824, S. Orange, NJ; Wesleyan, 1849 LLB Harvard; d. 12/26/05.

Isaac Newton Tourtellott**
b. 07/10/1822, Thompson, CT; Wesleyan, 1849 AB Brown Univ.; d. 10/31/1890.

CLASS OF 1850

Theophilus Bradbury Chandler**
b. 03/28/1826, E. Woodstock, CT; 1853 AM AB Wesleyan; d. 06/20/1866.

Thomas Lincoln Gould**
b. 10/13/1827, Norton, MA; Brother J. B. Gould; d. 09/23/1847.

Thomas Benjamin Pearson**
b. 09/28/1827, New York, NY; 1850 AB Wesleyan, 1853 AM; Brother J. B. Pearson; d. 11/06/1857.

William Samuel Strudwick**
b. 05/06/1830; Wesleyan; d. 07/09/07.

John Bullock VanPetten**
b. 07/19/1827, Sterling, NY; 1850 AB Wesleyan, 1853 AM, 1889 PhD Syracuse; d. 10/31/08.

CLASS OF 1851

Ebenezer Treat Alling**
b. 10/26/1827, Orange, CT; Wesleyan, 1851 AB Brown, 1854 AM; d. 01/30/17.

William Ross Belding**
b. 01/21/1820, Troy, NY; Wesleyan; d. 09/14/1886.

James Bayles Pearson**
b. 09/26/1829, New York, NY; 1851 AB Wesleyan, 1854 AM Wesleyan, 1858 Union Theol. Sem.; Brother T. B. Pearson; d. 05/29/17.

CLASS OF 1852

Nathan Disbrow Bangs**
b. 01/17/1834, New York, NY; 1852 AB Wesleyan; d. 09/14/1881.

William Bibbins Hall**
Charles Talcott Ransom**
1852 AB Wesleyan; d. 04/09/1888.

CLASS OF 1853

George Washington Rider**
b. 07/00/1831, Salisbury, MD; Wesleyan; d. 11/00/05.

Julius Augustus Skilton**
b. 06/29/1833, Troy, NY; 1855 MD Albany Med. Clg., 1856 AB Wesleyan, 1861 BNS Troy Poly.Inst.Phys.; Brother J. A. Skilton, Brother C. C. Skilton; d. 02/20/04.

CLASS OF 1854

Gurdon Gallup Bronson**
b. 1830, Marblehead, MA; Wesleyan, 1854 AB NYU; d. 07/28/1857.

Jacob Whitbeck Brown**
1854 AB Wesleyan; d. 08/19/1863.

John Hill Collin**
b. 02/24/1835, Len, MA; Wesleyan; d. 1887.

William Henry Hollis**
b. 11/30/1830; 1854 AB Wesleyan; d. 02/07/1881.

Erasmus Darwin Leavitt**
b. 03/23/33, Croydon, NY; 1854 AB Wesleyan, 1870 MD Harvard, 1874 AM Wesleyan; d. 11/29/09.

Daniel Marvin, Jr.**
William Ryson Mulford, Jr.**
b. 02/18/1833, Sag Harbor, NY; Wesleyan; d. 07/07/1864.

William Augustus Smith**
b. 05/27/1834, Brockville, ON; 1854 AB Wesleyan, 1880 DD Garrett Biblical; d. 09/30/1887.

CLASS OF 1855

James W. Clayton**
Wesleyan; d. 03/00/1880.

Andrew Jackson Coe**
b. 09/15/1835, Meriden, CT; 1855 AB Wesleyan; d. 02/25/1897.

Benjamin Augustus Hughes**
b. Bermuda; Wesleyan, 1857 MD Clg. of Surg.; d. 04/00/1859.

Andrew Merwin**
b. 05/12/1836, Brooklyn, NY; 1855 AB Wesleyan; d. 03/27/09.

Charles Candee Skilton**
b. 07/03/1835, Troy, NY; 1855 AB Wesleyan, 1858 AM Wesleyan; Brother J. A. Skilton, Brother J. A. Skilton; d. 12/08/1815.

Edward Hyde True**
b. 03/20/1836, America, NY; 1855 AB Wesleyan, 1858 AM, 1859 Berkeley Div. Sch.; d. 07/18/07.

CLASS OF 1856

Austin Gardner**
b. 07/02/1826, Bozrah, CT; Wesleyan, 1860 Hartford Theol. Sem.; d. 03/03/11.

Samuel Ferguson Jayne**
b. 1823/1834; Wesleyan, Harvard Inst.; d. 06/30/04.

John Alvin Putney**
Wesleyan, 1856 Dartmouth; d. 05/21/1865.

Sidney Davis Stocking**
b. 1835, Bridgeport, CT; Wesleyan; Brother C. H. Stocking; d. 07/22/1872.

CLASS OF 1857

Daniel Delos Brewer**
b. 03/22/1833, Wilbraham, MA; d. 03/16/1817.

Newell Fitch Nichols**
b. 03/05/1831, Vienna, NY; 1857 AB Wesleyan; d. 01/14/00.

Charles Henry Sewall**
1857 AB Wesleyan, 1860 AM; d. 11/27/1880.

CLASS OF 1858

Asahel Coe Eggleston**
b. 09/04/1834, Guilford, NY; 1858 AB Wesleyan, 1860 AM Wesleyan; d. 01/22/16.

George Newman Falley**
b. 01/02/1837, Fulton, NY; 1858 AB Wesleyan, 1861 AM; d. 05/15/1886.

Francis Fessenden**
b. 03/18/1839, Portland, ME; AB Bowdoin, Harvard; Brother J.D. Fessenden, Brother W.H. Fessenden, Brother S. Fessenden, Nephew T.A.D. Fessenden; d. 01/02/06.

John William Hoyt**
b. 03/27/1839, Sag Harbor, NY; 1862 AB Wesleyan.

Charles Henry Stocking**
b. 04/15/1837, Norwalk, CT; 1862 AM Wesleyan; Brother S. D. Stocking; d. 09/03/10.

CLASS OF 1859

Frederick Shepard Barnum**
b. 02/03/1837, Bethel, CT; 1859 AB Wesleyan, 1862 AM; d. 03/28/11.

Walter Stevens Cushman**
b. 12/16/1837, Philadelphia, PA; 1859 AB Wesleyan; d. 07/20/1898.

Joseph Leland Morse**
b. 05/04/1837, Wilton, ME; 1859 AB Wesleyan, 1862 AM; d. 06/18/05.

Horace William Parmenter**
b. 08/24/1839, Lowell, MA; 1859 AB Wesleyan; d. 04/16/1876.

CLASS OF 1860

Robert Lauder Mathison**
b. 06/20/1839, Middletown, CT; 1860 AB Wesleyan, 1880 AM; Father E. T. Mathison; d. 12/31/18.

Seymour Augustus Smith**
b. 10/06/1837, Fairfield, NY; 1860 AB Wesleyan; d. 10/28/1862.

Daniel Kimball Stetson**
b. 11/05/1837, S. Scituate, MA; Wesleyan; d. 11/26/14.

William Tallman Worth**
b. 09/05/1834, Nantucket, MA; 1870 AM; d. 06/13/03.

CLASS OF 1861

Nathaniel Lindsey Briggs**
b. 04/01/1841, New York, NY; 1861 AB Wesleyan, 1866 AM; d. 03/26/1893.

Benjamin Sherwood Gurnee**
b. 10/19/1837, Haverstraw, NY; 1861 AB Wesleyan, 1864 AM; d. 02/02/03.

Wilbur Fisk Piper**
b. 06/09/1838, Jacksonville, IL; d. 07/14/22.

Daniel Warren Raymond**
b. 03/16/1833, Litchfield, NY; 1861 AB Wesleyan, 1867 AM; d. 03/14/10.

Richard Seaman Williams**
b. 04/04/1841, Searingtown, NY; 1861 AB Wesleyan, 1864 AM; d. 04/15/1896.

CLASS OF 1862

Henry Martin Blake**
b. 11/29/1836, Monmouth, ME; 1862 AB Wesleyan, 1865 AM, 1869 MD Bellevue Hosp.Med.; d. 04/07/12.

John Merrill Caldwell**
b. 08/29/1839, Rockland, ME; 1862 AB Wesleyan, 1865 AM, 1890 DD Mt. Union Clg.; Brother A. Caldwell; d. 03/12/29.

George Douglass Sargeant**
b. 03/17/1840, Lynn, MA; d. 07/31/1894.

David Henry Sawyer**
b. 06/27/1836, Foxcroft, ME; Wesleyan, 1885 AM Wiley Univ.; d. 10/03/21.

CLASS OF 1863

Charles Albert Barnard**
b. 05/07/1842, Augusta, ME; 1863 AB Wesleyan; d. 07/06/22.