GREATINGS TO

DELTA SIGMA PI FRATERNITY

FROM

THE HANGARD CLUB

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA



Howard Colons

A PETITION

To the Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity, Clarence L. Fackler, President, 1502 Fisher Building, Chicago, Ill.

Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned members of the Hansard Club of the University of North Carolina, a duly accredited local body, conscious of the benefits accruing from membership in a national fraternity having the purposes and ideals of Delta Sigma Pi, and desirous of contributing to the advancement of your esteemed organization, establishing its traditions at the University of North Carolina and spreading its principles of business integrity, do respectfully petition the Chapters and Officers that a charter be granted us as a chapter of the Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity.

Signed at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, March 10, 1925.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

The University of North Carolina has the distinction of being the oldest state university in the United States, being chartered on the 11th of December, 1789, by the General Assembly. Building was begun in 1793, and the University was opened in 1795. The University is governed by a board of trustees elected by the Legislature and is free from sectionalism, sectarism or political control. The Governor of the State is ex-officio President of the Board of Trustees. The Constitution provides that "The General Assembly shall have power to provide for the election of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, in whom, when chosen, shall be vested all the privileges, rights, franchise, and endowments thereof, in any wise granted to or conferred upon the Trustees of said university. The General Assembly shall provide that the benefits of the University, as far as practicable, be extended to the youth of the state free of expense for tuition; also all the property which has heretofore accrued to the state, or shall hereafter accrue, from escheats, unclaimed dividends, or distributive shares of the estate of deceased persons, shall be apportioned to the use of the University."

The University is situated in the town of Chapel Hill, ten miles from Durham, and twenty-eight from Raleigh, in approximately the center of the state midway between the mountains and the sea, with sufficient elevation to insure healthful and pleasant working conditions. The region abounds in hills covered with magnificent trees, filled with springs and brooks, and with a profusion of mountain flowers. The campus is about sixty-eight acres, and is

one of the most beautiful in America. The University owns, contiguous to the campus, five hundred acres of forest lands, partly laid off in walks and drives. The present buildings of the University, about thirty-nine in number, range in age from the Old East dating to 1795 to the new buildings erected for the accomodation of the Academic and Law Schools. The buildings, together with equipment, are valued at \$4,374,914. A model central power plant provides heat, water and electric lights for all the buildings. The infirmary is a modern building completely equipped and under the direction of the University physician.

The generous appropriations for permanent improvements made by the General Assembly in 1921 and that of 1923 have made it possible to begin work on the development of the South Campus. There are now completed four new dermitories capable of housing four hundred and eighty students, a large building for the Department of History and Social Sciences, a similar building for the Language Departments, and a handsome building for the School of Law. A commodious building, one hundred ten by three hundred ten feet for indoor athletics, has recently been completed. Another group of dormitories is under construction, and the new building for the Department of Chemistry is under construction.

The University is organized into a College of Biberal Arts and seven schools, which have jurisdiction over degrees as follows: The College of Liberal Arts, Bachelor of Arts, and jointly with the School of Law, Bachelor of Arts and Law; the School of Applied Science, Bachelor of Science in Chemistry, in Geology, and jointly with the School of Medicine, in Medicine; the School of Education, Bachelor of Arts in Education; the School of Commerce, Bachelor

of Science in Commerce, Master of Science in Commerce; the School of Engineering, Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering and in Civil Engineering; the Graduate School, Master of Arts, Master of Science, and Doctor of Philosophy; the School of Law, Bachelor of Laws, Bachelor of Arts (jointly with the College of Liberal Arts); the School of Medicine, Bachelor of Science in Medicine (jointly with the School of Applied Science); the School of Pharmacy, Graduate in Pharmacy, Doctor of Pharmacy, and Pharmaceutical Chemist. The School of Public Welfare offers courses of professional training for social work and community leadership. In the Summer School are offered certain courses for regular University credit, as well as special courses designed primarily for the teachers of the State. There is an efficient Bureau of Extension, which serves the people of the State through the Faculty's services and certain material equipment of the University.

The college year is divided into Fall, Winter, and Spring Quarters of approximately twelve weeks each, and a Summer Quarter divided into two terms of about six weeks each. There are three recesses, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter.

The last decade and a half has witnessed a remarkable growth in the enrollment of the University. A few comparisons will show at a glance this steady increase:

	1908	1923
Baccalaurate degrees in the Academic Department Total degrees in zourse Undergraduate students Graduate students Students of Law Students of Medicine	57 90 509 25 83 86	134 222 1734 95 160 71
Students of Pharmacy	43	108

General Fraternities

Professional Fraternities

1850	Delta Kappa Epsilon
	Beta Theta Pi
	Sigma Alpha Epsilon
1858	Zeta Psi
1879	
1881	
1885	
-	Sigma Nu
1889	Sigma Chi
1893	Kappa Sigma
	Pi Kappa Alpha
	Pi Kappa Phi
7090	Theta Chi
7020	Delta Sigma Phi
1007	Delta Tau Delta
	Sigma Phi Epsilon
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	Kappa Pi (local)
1920	
2008	petitioning Phi Gamma Delta
	Chi Phi
1922	Gamma Delta
	petitioning Lambda Chi Alpha
1923	Theta Rho
	petitioning Phi Sigma Lappa
	Sigma Delta
	petitioning Delta Upsilon
	Phi Kappa Sigma
	Alpha Chi (local)

1905	Phi Chi
	Alpha Chi Sigma
	Kappa Psi
1919	Phi Delta Phi
1921	Phi Alpha Delta
1923	Alpha Kappa Kappa
	Phi Zeta Nu
	Phi Delta Chi
1925	Alpha Kappa Psi

Honorary

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1904	Phi Beta Kappa
1906	Sigma Upsilon
1910	Tau Kappa Alpha
1915	Epsilon Phi Delta
1919	Sigma Xi
1921	Alpha Psi Delta
1922	Nautilus
1923	Sigma Eta
	Omega Delta
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Class Social Societies

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Sophomore Minateur Sheiks "13"

Professional Clubs

Elisha Mitchell Scientific Society
North Carolina Historical Society
North Carolina Club
Philological Club
Der Deutsche Verin
El Centro Hispano
Le Cercle Francais
American Institute of Electrical Engineers
American Society of Jivil Engineers
Pharmaceutical Society
Economics Club
Hansard Club

Other Organizations

Stygians
Dialectic and Philanthropic Literary Societies
Glee Club
Orchestra
University Band
Guitar and Mandolin Club
Carolina Playmakers
Y. M. C. A.
The Coop and Cabin
The Grail
German Club
Satyrs

Publications
The Tar Heel (semi-weekly newspaper)
The Yackety-Yack (annual)
The Carolina Magazine (monthly magazine)
The Buccaneer (humorous)

HISTORY OF THE SCHOOL OF COMMERCE

Though certain courses of instruction in Economics and in certain business subjects have been offered for many years in the University of North Carolina, not until 1919 was there established a comprehensive, well-organized business curriculum. In that year, the Legislature, in conformity with the recommendations of the President and the Board of Trustees, enacted the legislation which resulted in the immediate organization of the School of Commerce. The School occupies a place in the University organization which is coordinate in standing and equipment with the College of Liberal Arts and the School of Applied Science.

The phenomenal growth of the South in the recent years has produced an imperative need for trained business men. The School of Commerce in a large sense is the expression of the University's desire to serve this special need of its own particular section. To this end substantial support has been accorded the School both by the University and the state as a whole. In consequence the School has been provided with a large corps of instructors, with spacious quarters in Saunders Hall, and thoroughly modern teaching facilities.

It is the purpose of the School of Commerce to provide its students with as thorough and scientific business training as it is possible to give within the range of the subjects which it attempts to cover. Its teaching policy assumes that such training should consist not only of the requisite understanding of the principles and methodology which govern the

organization and administration of typical business enterprises, but in addition an understanding of the problems and larger relationships of the economic organization as a whole. In his attempt to master the technical and the vocational aspects of business, the student is not permitted to lose sight of the social and cultural.

Wherever possible, the plan is followed of presenting the subject matter of the various courses from the viewpoint of the executive, always bearing in mind that the executive's field of interest includes the broad outside relationships as well as the internal administration of his business. Adherence to this point of view prevents confusion in the mind of the student, and enables him to place the problems and practices of business in their true perspective.

Within the short space at his disposal, the limit makes it impossible for the student to investigate in detail the entire field of business. It is therefore the policy of the School of Commerce to supplement the general survey which is required of every student with a more intensive study of that portion of the field which is of special interest to him. To this end there have been prepared for the student certain groupings of closely related courses. The groupings have been made in such a way as to correspond to certain major functions which must be performed in the successful administration of a business enterprise.

These functions may be designed as follows: (1) The administration of production; (2) management of personnel; (5) the avoidance or distribution of risk; (4) the management of finance; (5) marketing and selling; (6) dealing with problems

of transportation; (7) conforming with legal requirements; (8) handling the problem of accounting.

In addition to the eight groups of courses which have been constructed to conform to theses business functions, there have been provided three other groups. The first of these offers special study in the field of foreign trade. It is so devised as to be of value not only to those intending to engage in some branch of export or import trade, but also to be of material aid to those looking forward to careers in connection with the consular service.

The second of these special groups has been prepared in response the the rapidly growing interest in scientific municipal administration, and the widening opportunities for professional careers in the field of city management.

The third of the special groups is intended for those desirous of becoming teachers of commercial subjects. Among the preparatory and business schools of the South the need for well qualified instructors to teach business subjects is especially acute.

Speciaization in the manner here indicated does not begin until the Junior year. During the student's Freshman and Sophomore years, he is expected to follow a weal-defined path of study substantially similar to that pursued in the liberal arts courses. This requirement is based on the belief that a foundation of a broad cultural nature is necessary for for every type of business training. The first year's works consists of courses in English, Mathematics, History, Industrial and Commercial Geography, Economic Resources, and a modern language. In the second year are required courses in general Economics. Industrial History.

English and American Literature, together with courses in modern language and a modern science.

Even in the Junior year, each student, regardless of special interests, is required to take a certain basic system of courses, as for example, accounting, business organization, maney and banking, and principles and methods of modern government.

Additional requirements are courses in psychology, business law, and theories of economic reform.

The School of Commerce has proved to be one of the laggest schools in the University. It has enjoyed a continous growth since it was founded in 1919. The following statistics will give a clear idea of the increase in studentt enrollment:

1919-1920150	students
1920-1921280	11
1921-1922360	11
1922-1923446	H
1923-1924493	11
1924-1925499	п

The increase in student enrollment has been paralleded by a larger teaching staff. The reputation and popularity of the School of Commerce has attracted many leadind teachers from western and northern universities, so that the School has one of the best commercial teaching corps in the country.

The School of Commerce has attracted considerable national interest. Its rapid and sound growth has placed it among the leading collegiate commerce schools of the country. It recently had the distinction and honor of being elected to the Association of Collegiate Schools of Business, an organization composed of the leading commerce schools of the United States. This ranking gives the school much prestige so that it is now ranked with the leading morthern and western schools of commerce.

A definite step has been taken in being of direct aid to the business men of the state. The School of Commerce publishes the "North Carolina Commerce and Industry", a monthly commercial and business journal which deals with business problems confronting the business men of the state. This service is being received with great enthusiasm by the people of the state, and its scope of service has great possibilities.

The School of Commerce now occupies one of the entire floors of the new Saunders Hall. It is amply equiped with lecture rooms, laboratories, seminar rooms, and a large library. The Library contains pratically all the economic and business publications of recent years which may be of value to the student. An appropriation of \$1000 annually assures that the collection will be well-maintained and kept up-to-date.

Graduate work in the School of Commerce is rapidly increasing. The degree of Master of Science is conferred on those students who complete a minimum of nine full courses or their equivalent as approved by the Dean, a residence of one year, and the completion of a thesis which embodies the results of original research work on the part of the student.

HISTORY OF THE HANSARD CLUB

The Faculty and students of the School of Commerce have been aware for some time that there was need of and room for another strong professional commercial fraternity in the University. A need was felt for a fraternity which would promite the spirit of professionalism in business; something which would draw the commerce students closer together socially; a fraternity which would foster good scholarship and worthy attainment in the study of business.

On February 24, 1925, several of the outstanding students from the three upper classes in the School of Commerce met together for the purpose of organizing a club to petition the Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity. A definite organization was formed, an invitation to membership was extended to several more of the leading students in the School of Commerce. Officers were elected, and it was decided that the name of the organization should be the Hansard Club.

With our aim being to petition Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity, we set about to perfect our organization and to make ourselves worthy of the honor of being members of this fraternity. The entire Commerce Faculty heartily endorsed our plans and they pledged their support to aid us in getting a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi at this University.

The personnel of the Hansard Club is composed of the outstanding men in the School of Commerce. None of them are mediocre; all of them would be a credit to any commercial fraternity. In selecting the men, we have chosen those who have shown marked interest in the field of business activities, and who have also distinguished themselves in other activities on the campus.

The <u>Hansard Club</u> is fortunate to have in its organization two members of the Faculty of the School of Commerce: Prof. E. W. Zimmerman, Associate Professor of Commerce and Resources; and Prof. M. D. Taylor, Assistant Professor of Sales Relations.

John David Ross

Waterbury, Conn.

Born: Waterbury, Conn., January 7, 1902
Nationality: American Religion: Catholic
High School: Crosby High School
College Address: 108 "F" Dormitory Class of 1926
College Activities:
Circulation Manager of Carolina Buccaneer

Freshman Baseball Team

Ralph Harold Cain

Winston-Salem, N. C. Age 23

Forn: Winston-Salem N. C. March 1, 1902

Nationality: American Religion: Moravian

High School: Richard J. Reynolds High School

College Address: Chi Tau House Class of 1926

Other Organizations:

Forsyth Jounty Slub, U. N. C. Glee Club, (Pres.)

Chi Tau Fraternity (Pan Hellenic Representative)

German Slub

Robert Allen Fountain, Jr.

Fountain, N. C. Age 22
Born: Fountain, N. C. March 10, 1903
Nationality: American Religion: Presbyterian
Prep School: Oak Ridge Institute
College Address: No. 9 Pettigrew Class of 1925
Other Organizations:
Chi Tau Fraternity, Oak Ridge Club, Pitt County Club

Ralph Lee Asbury

High Point, N. C. Age 19
Born: Charleston, W. Va. April 13, 1905
Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
High School: High Point Righ School
College Address: Box 110 Carr Class of 1926
Other Organizations:
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College Activities:
Intra-Mural Athletics

John Ward, Jr.

Raleigh, N. C. Age 20
Born: Raleigh, N. C. June 17, 1904
Nationality: American Religion: Episcopal
High School: Releigh High School Woodberry Forest
College Address: Chi Tau House Class of 1927
Other Organizations: Chi Tau Fraternity

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Jesse Baxter Upchurch

Apex, N. J. Age 23 Born: Apex, N. J.

Nationality: American Religion: Baptist

High School: Cary High School College Address: Box 2012

Class of 1926

Other Organizations:

Wake Jounty Club (Treas.), Intra-Mural Athletics, Gamma Delta Fraternity (local) petitioning Lambda Chi Alpha

Frederick Pope Parker, Jr.

Goldsboro, N. C.

Born: Goldsboro, N. C.

November 28, 1902

Nationality: American

High School: Goldsboro High School

College Address: Box 885

Other Organizations:

Name and Clark Phi Society (Speaker)

Monogram Club, Phi Society (Speaker), Cosmopolitan Club

College Activities: Track Team

Llewellyn Phillips

Morehead City, N. C. Age 21
Born: Morehead City, N. C. May 25, 1903
Nationality: American Religion: Methodist
High School: Morehead City High School
College Address: 201 "J" Dormitory Class of 1926

Charles Walter Thomas, Jr.

Beaufort, N. C.

Born: Beaufort, N. C.

November 25, 1902

Nationality: American Religion: Methodist

Prep School: Oak Ridge Institute

College Address: 309 "D" Dormitory Class of 1926

Other Organizations:

Theta Chi Fraternity, Monogram Club, Oak Ridge Club,

College Activities:

Sophomore Class President, Captain Freshman Baseball Team, Varsity Baseball Team, Intra-Mural Athletics

Quincy B. Snipes

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Wilmington, N. C.

Born: Wilmington, N. C.

Nationality: American

High School: New Hanover High School

College Address: Chi Tau House

Chi Tau Fraternity, German Club

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Robert Lee Grubb

Spencer, N. C.

Born: Davidson County, N. C. September 19, 1905
Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
High School: Spencer High School
College Address: Box 110 Carr Class of 1926
College Activities:
Intra-Mural Athletics, Varsity Baseball Squad

Kearney Washington Crissman

High Point, N. C.

Born: High Point, N. C.

Rebruary 22, 1905

Nationality: American Religion: Baptist

High School: High Point High School

College Address: Box 26

Other Organizations:

Y. M. C. A., High Point Club, Carolina Buccaneer

William Henry Phipps

Rocky Mount, N. C. Age 17
Born: Durham, N. C. April 22, 1907
Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
High School: Oxford High School
College Address: 118 "F" Dormitory Class of 1927
Other Organizations: Granville Jounty Club
College Activities: Intra-Mural Athletics

Elwood Boyd Dixon

Edwards, N. C. Age 20
Born: Edwards, N. C. February 27, 1905
Nationality: American Religion: Methodist
Prep School: Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford, Va.
Collge Address: Theta Rho House Class of 1926
Other Organizations: Theta Rho Fraternity, Pitt County Club
Campus Activities: Intra-Mural Athletics

Robert Emmet Bryan

Newton Grove, N. C. Age 20
Born: Newton Grove, N. C. May 17, 1904
Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
High School: Newton Grove High School
College Address: 105 "G" Dormitory Class of 1926
Other Organizations: Sampson County Club, N. C. Club
College Activities: Push Ball Team

William Robert Maney

Waynesville, N. C. Age 16
Born: Waynesville, N. C. April 29, 1908
Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
High School: Biltmore High School
College Address: 213 "F" Dormitory Class of 1928

William Edward Jessup

Westfield, N. C.

Born: Westfield, N. C.

Rebruary 15, 1906
Nationality: American

High School: Kernersville High School

College Address: 34 Steele

Other Organizations: Chi Tau Fraternity

Latta Reid Johnston

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Charlotte, N. C. Age 25
Born: Mt. Holly, N. C. January 7, 1899
Nationality: American Religion: Methodist
Prep School: Bingham Military School
College Address: 306 "D" Dormitory Class of 1925
Other Organizations: Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity

Ernest Edward Roberson

Nashville, N. C.

Born: Nashville, N. C.

Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
Other College: Mars Hill College
College Address: Theta Rho House Class of 1926
Other Organizations: Theta Rho Fraternity, Nash County Club

Juluis Reid Thackston

Shelby, N. C.

Born: Rutherfordton, N. C. February 18, 1905
Nationality: American Religion: Baptist
High School: Shelby High School
College Address: 406 Grimes Class of 1926

M. D. Taylor

Assistant Professor of Sales Relations
A. B., Oberlin College 1921; M. B. A., Harvard University
Graduate School of Business Administration 1923.

E. W. Zimmerman, Ph. D.

Associate Professor of Commerce and Resources Bonn University, Berlin University, Munich University, Birmingham University, New York University.

James Edwin Griffin

Williamston, N. C. Age 22
Born: Williamston, N. C. July 26, 1902
Nationality: American Religion: Christian
High School: Williamston High School
College Address: Box 702 Class of 1925
Other Organizations: Gamma Delta Fraternity, Phi Society
College Activities: Freshman Basketball, Instructor in
Accounting Lab.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA CHAPEL HILL

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS AND COMMERCE

March 7, 1925

Mr. Clarence L. Fackler, President, Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity, 1502 Fisher Building, Chicago, Ill.

My dear Mr. Fackler:

I understand that the Hansard Club made up of students in the School of Commerce is petitioning you for the establishment of a local chapter of Delta Sigma Fi at the University of North Carolina. Lay I take the liberty of heartily recommending this group of students to your consideration. Recently a local chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi was established in the School of Commerce. There is certainly room for another chapter here. As a member of the faculty and as a member of Alpha Kappa Psi, I shall be very glad to see Delta Sigma Pi enter the University.

The petitioners are composed mainly of upperclassmen. There are four or five sophomores in the group. All of the men are representative students and constitute splendid timber for a professional fraternity. I do not think you will make any mistake in installing a chapter in this institution.

The School of Commerce has grown very rapidly. Starting six years ago, it has become one of the outstanding schools in the universities of the South. Our students need professional fraternities as a means of stimulating professional pride and professional spirit. I can certainly endorse the Hansard Club without a single reservation.

Yours truly,

Halter J. Matherly Walter J. Matherly

Professor of Business Administration

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHAPEL HILL

SCHOOL OF COMMERCE

March Ninth 19-25

Dear Mr. Wright:

It has come to my attention that a group of Commerce students in the University of North Carolina has organized the Hansard Club for the purpose of petitioning Delta Sigma Pi. As Acting Dean of the School of Commerce I wish to recommend this group to your favorable attention. Most of the boys who compose it are known to me personally and I can vouch for the presence of those qualities which should make them valuable members of Delta Sigma Pi and at the same time, enable them to secure from this National Fraternity the inspiration and the material benefits which it serves to impart. Recently there was established here a chapter of Alpha Kappa Psi. My opinion is that should Delta Sigma Pi act favorably upon the petition of the Hansard Club the presence here of the two chapters should be of great mutual benefit. A friendly rivalry which would naturally ensue should be a stimulus to greater interest and activity on the part of both. The officers of the University and the School of Commerce look with favor upon the installation of such chapters and will do everything in their power to encourage them in that great work of developing morale and breadth of purpose and social loyalties among the students of the University.

We therefore commend to you the Hansard Club, expressing the hope that it will soon become a part of Delta Sigma Pi.

Faithfully yours,

C. J. Murcheson

Acting Dean.

Mr. H. G. Wright, National Secretary, 1502 Fisher Building, Chicago, Ill.

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA CHAPEL HILL

DEAN OF STUDENTS

March 10, 1925.

National Officers of the Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity.

Gentlemen:

I am glad to write recommending your consideration of a petition of a local group for the installation of a chapter of Delta Sigma Pi at the University of North Carolina. The group concerned is a representative student group in matters of scholarship, general ability, and social standing. The University has had rapid growth within the last few years, and there has been an abundance of good material here for fraternities. The University administration is favorable to the entrance of new nationals. There is no anti-fraternity sentiment among the trustees, or in the State. The School of Commerce here is on a par with the best undergraduate schools in the country. I believe, from every point of view mentioned, you would do well to consider the petition.

Very truly yours,

rancis F. Bradshaw

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA CHAPEL HILL

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

14 March 1925

To the Authorities of the International Commerce Fraternity, Delta Sigma Pi.

Gentlemen:

I understand that a group of students at the University of North Carolina, known as The Hansard Club, is petitioning for a charter in the Delta Sigma Pi. I should like to say that the University of North Carolina would welcome the installation of a chapter in Delta Sigma Pi, and I feel confident that the standards of the fraternity would be in every way safe in the hands of this group of young men. I commend them to you without reservation.

Very truly yours,

President