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Both of these instances may require the sending of undergraduate Phi Psis to their institutions and the payment of their expenses for a year, so that the chapters may be revived. Colonization, as we call it, is apparently the only solution in these instances.

Loyal and enthusiastic Phi Psi alumni in Tucson and the University of Arizona are seriously considering the formation of a local club of the Fraternity there, to petition for a charter of Phi Kappa Psi. At recent G.A.C's, there has been evident a real demand among our undergraduate chapters for extension, particularly in the South and Southwest. I believe that such an effort will meet with a cordial response from the Fraternity as a whole.


Amherst College is engaged in a wave of reorganization and post-war planning. A considerable element apparently is advocating the elimination of fraternities. The outcome will depend upon the attitude of the alumni of Amherst College, and action, if taken, will be in the next few months.

Missouri Alpha, which has published a remarkably fine chapter news letter during the war, but has been inactive on the campus, is reorganizing for a very active rehabilitation campaign. Craig Ruby, Mo. Alpha '16, well known basketball coach and personnel director, is the new President of the chapter house corporation, and with the cooperation of Orson Lee and other well known alumni is actively preparing for a revived chapter.

So it goes. These have been strenuous times, but through it all Phi Kappa Psi continues to move forward. We ask your continued help and cooperation. As the war news gets better, we can more easily visualize a stronger and better Phi Kappa Psi, worthy of the thousands of Brothers who are fighting overseas.

Very fraternally yours,

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD.


Harry S. Gorgas, President.

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