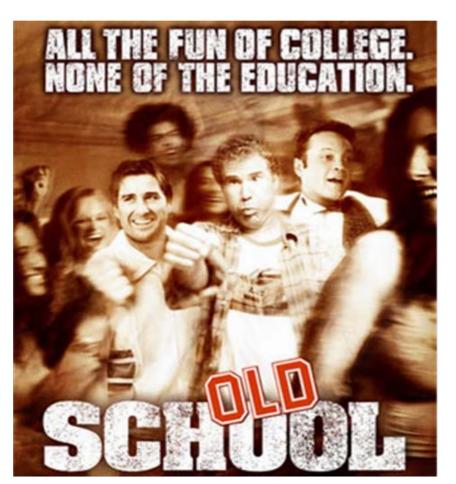
#### The Establishment of Fraternities at Georgia Tech



#### by Emily Beck & Meg Morris



#### Dr. Isaac S. Hopkins

- 11-0-111
- Tech's first President
- Previously President of Emory College at Oxford, GA

STATISTICS PLAN

 $\bullet$  Made honorary  $AT\Omega$  at Emory

## Alpha Tau Omega

- Beta Iota Chapter
- Founded at Tech in 1888
- Colors: Old Gold and Sky Blue
  - Flower: White Tea Rose
  - Founded in Richmond, Va
    - Sept. 11, 1865
- 1<sup>st</sup> chapter at Virginia Military Institute

Alpha-Tau Omega Fraternity.



Georgia Beta lota Chapter.

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ALPHA TAU OMEGA FRATERNITY

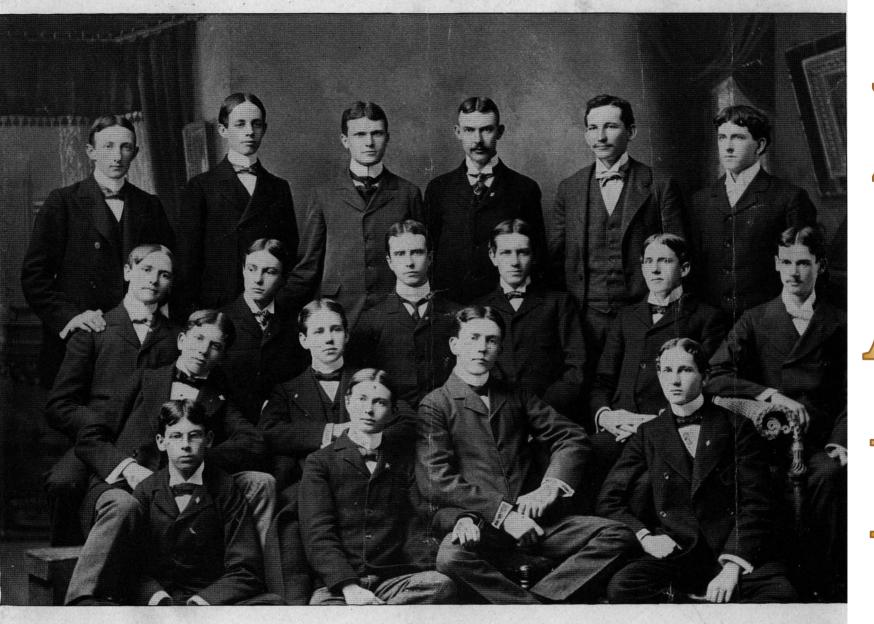
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## Sigma Alpha Epsilon

- Georgia Phi Chapter
- Founded at Tech in spring of 1890
  - Colors: Purple and Old Gold
    - Flower: Violet
    - Founded in Tuscaloosa, Al
      - 1856
  - 1<sup>st</sup> chapter at Univ. of Alabama

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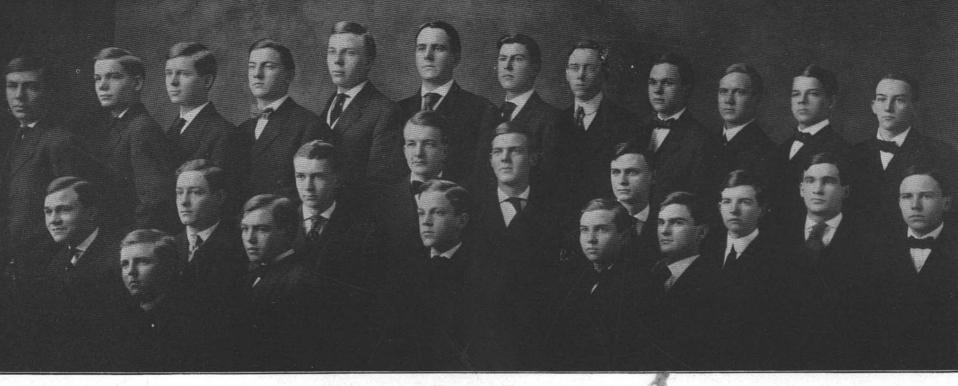
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### Kappa Sigma

• Alpha Tau Chapter

Founded at Tech on Oct. 5, 1894
Colors: Maroon, Old Gold, and Peacock Blue

Flower: Lily of the Valley

Founded in Charlottesville, Va

1867

• 1<sup>st</sup> chapter at Univ. of Virginia

# Founding of KapSig

**Discovery of correspondence** 

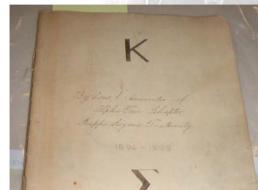
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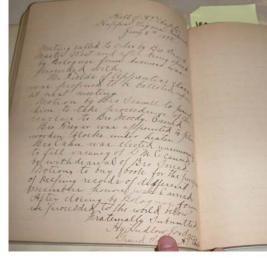
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"...A good southern frat..." Confusion with founding dates

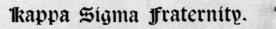
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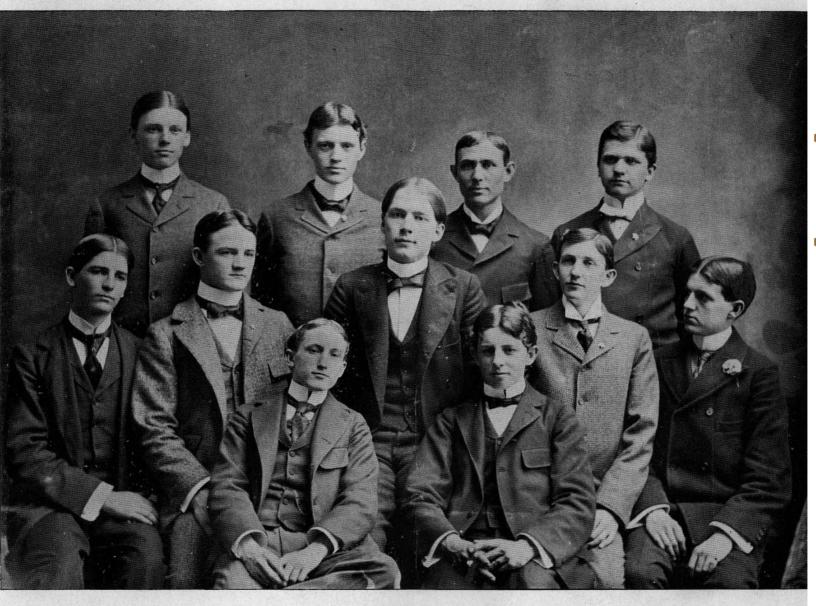


## Minutes log for KΣ dating 1896-1898 The original charter for KΣ













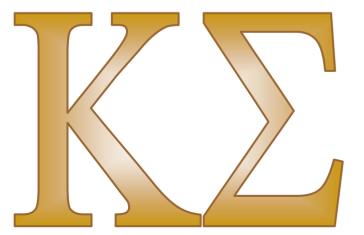
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KAPPA SIGMA FRATERNITY

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#### Sigma Nu Kappa Alpha Phi Delta Theta

# And More Fraternities...

#### Pi Kappa Phi Kappa Alpha Sigma Chi Phi

1904



1904



The Skull House

Alpha Nu Chapter
Founded at Tech on January 15, 1904
Colors: Black and Gold
Founded in Philadelphia
1867

• 1<sup>st</sup> chapter at Univ. of Pennsylvania



## Fraternity Life



# Neetings

• Friday or Saturday Nights

• "Leaves and Permits"

#### • Strict rules

Houses and House Rules

- Most houses where I-75/85 now stands
- Served as meeting place then grew into a dormitory

• Hate Week

Pledgeship

- Rolling Pledgeship and Initiation
  - Short pledge periods

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Washington Seminary

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- Strict social rules
- Combined fraternity parties

# Rivalries

• Intramural baseball and football

• "The Frats get more and more sorry as they multiply..."

• Fights between Fraternities

#### • Baseball

Varsity Sports

- Football
- Time Commitment

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Well it's Up with the White and Gold, Down with the Red and Black

ΑΕΠ ΑΦΑ ΑΤΩ ΒΘΠ ΧΨ ΔΧ ΔΣΦ ΔΤΔ ΔΥ ΚΑ ΚΣ ΛXA  $\Phi\Delta\Theta$ Greek Community  $A\Gamma\Delta$ FIJI ΦΚΨ  $AX\Omega$ ΦΚΣ  $A\Xi\Delta$ ΦΚΤ  $\Phi M$ ΦΚΘ **International Fraternity Council ZTA** ΦΣΚ & Panhellenic ПКА ΠΚΦ  $\Psi Y \Sigma X \Sigma N \Sigma \Phi E TKE \Theta X \Theta \Xi ZBT$ 

#### Homecoming



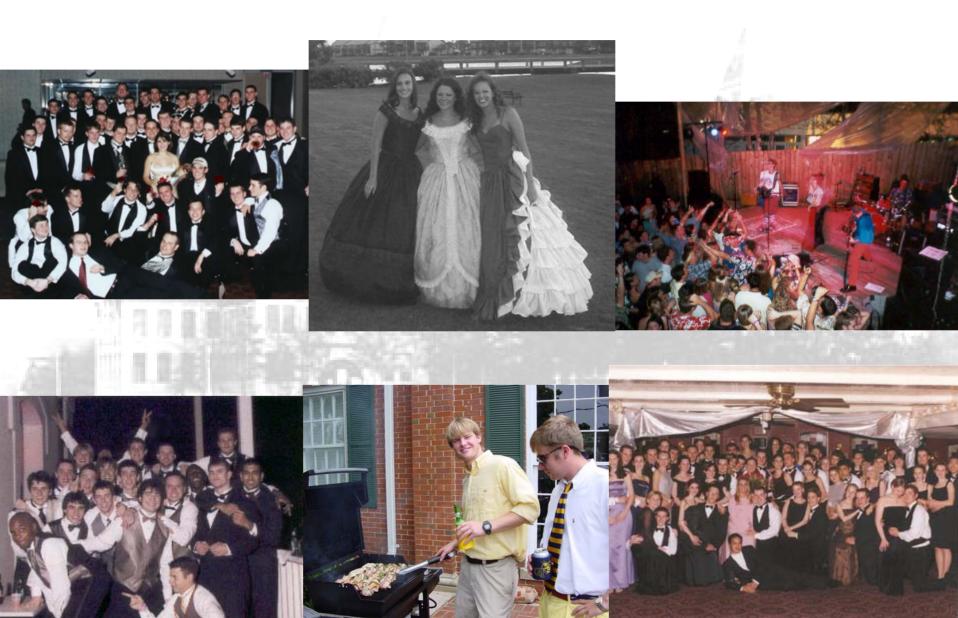












#### Philanthropy















Georgia Beta fota Chapter.



