

As Phi Kappa reviews her first year under *The Labarum* she finds many things accomplished for which credit is due her, and, on the other hand, many things which are yet to be accomplished before she can feel satisfied that she is putting forth her best effort for the Fraternity-at-large, and for Illinois.

In a semester marked with many distractions due to the excitement of enlistments, officers' training camps, back-to-the-farm movements, and what not, we were still able to maintain our equilibrium scholastically by securing second place among the thirty-two national fraternities at Illinois. We must take off our hats to Zeta Psi, who beat us by a tenth of a per cent. The chapter feels proud, however, to have on her roll the highest average student in the university. Brother Warner Rice, '20, claims this signal honor, having maintained an average of 96.94 for the semester.

Senior week this year lacked much of the gaiety and splendor common to the previous commencements. In the first place, the most noticeable omission was that of the senior ball from the week's program. Other small things which do much to make up a complete commencement week were also lacking, such as the senior-alumni baseball game, etc. Seven of Phi Kappa's men were graduated with the class of '17.