



NORMAN FRANK KIMBALL

Thesis: *Investigation of the Flow of Air in Pipes.*

Omega Lambda

Tau Beta Pi

Radical X

Sphinx

Armour Branch, A. S. M. E.

Marshal, Junior Week (3)

Lead, Junior Play (3)

Associate Editor of Integral, '10

Assistant Editor Senior Class Book

Advisory Editor Fulcrum

Usher, Commencement, 1911

Wisconsin is noted for two great men, Bob LaFollette, and "Norm" Kimball. Owing to the fact that La Follette's sphere of action has been a trifle broader than Kimball's in the past, we give the names in the above order, but we must confess that we have doubts as to its correctness. Like LaFollette, Kimball is a red-hot insurgent at all times and is always after somebody to get them to reform. Like all truly great men his early history is shrouded in obscurity, but we have after much hard labor extracted the facts that he was born in Oshkosh, and that he prepared for Armour at the Wisconsin State Normal School.

"Norm's" chief diversions in the past have been sailing, ice-boating and last but not least "fussing." As regards the latter we regret to state that he has over-looked a cardinal principle "In numbers, there is safety" and consequently has lost his freedom, but in this case we can imagine nothing more pleasing. Oh, yes, we overlooked a very important diversion, working on the Armour publications. He has helped run every publication in school except the Armour Engineer, sacrificing to the 1910 Integral, a year of school. That this was the cause of his lost year is conclusively shown by his membership in Tau Beta Pi. In order to give the class of 1912 the benefit of his experience, he accepted a job on the Senior Class Book after much persuasion. He was one of the factors for success in our famous Junior Week, as he ran the dance, and it was quite a dance, be-lee-eve-me.

Kimball was one of the charter members of Omega Lambda and has helped considerably in raising the fraternity to its present high standing. While he has had his hands full getting Canman to do any work on their thesis, the product is very creditable. And in conclusion, we venture the prediction that if originality, back-bone and a sense of humor are any aid in the world's battles, "Norm" will rise high in the engineering profession.