



In December, 1920, Omega Lambda was busily engaged in preparing a petition to the Grand Lodge of the Theta Xi Fraternity for a charter as a chapter of that Fraternity. The petition was completed, and a copy sent to each of the active chapters in the Fraternity. However, due to some misunderstanding, the petition did not reach the Grand Lodge in time for them to appoint an investigating committee to visit us, and make their report before the annual convention of 1921. The petition, however, was brought up at the convention and was tabled until the convention of 1922, due to the fact that an investigation had not been made.

We immediately got in touch with the Grand Lodge, and they assured us that an investigating committee would be appointed as soon as possible, and that they would visit us some time before the close of the year. The committee was appointed, and they visited our chapter house on November 18, 1921, and their report sent in to the Grand Lodge of the Theta Xi Fraternity.

A supplement to our first petition was then prepared and sent to all of the chapters of the Fraternity. The convention was held on February 24 and 25 at Pittsburgh, and Omega Lambda was granted a charter by the Theta Xi Fraternity along with the Pi Pi Rho Fraternity, which was a local at the University of Illinois.

The next step, of course, was our installation, and to accomplish this, we sent five of our men to Mu Chapter of Theta Xi at Iowa State College. These men returned and with the assistance of several of the Theta Xi Alumni in Chicago, our entire chapter as well as a number of our alumni were installed, and we were officially in the realms of one of the strongest national college organizations, and from this time on, will be known as the Alpha Gamma Chapter of the Theta Xi Fraternity.

