



Literary Column

FAITH AND SIGHT

by Victor G. Mills

Today the mountain hides its face;
The clouds and mists have left no trace
Of that strong height to which each day
I lift my eyes the while I pray.

But yesterday the air was clear—
So clear that distant things seemed near.
The mountain stood in majesty,
Distinct against the Western sky.

So God at times is hid from sight
By mists of doubt or failing sight;
And then again He seems as real
As human friends whose touch I feel.

Lord, give me faith to keep always
The certainties of clearer days,
And when Thy face I cannot see
To know that Thou art still with me.

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And so we face a new year, a new world, a new life. And so our ship of hope, making its maiden voyage, sails away into the future. Shall we, like Paul, forget the past, and reach forth unto those things which are before? Shall we hold steadfastly in our hearts little stowaways of "sterling silvers" of the past which will keep in our memories whatever happy hours we have shared together?

It is my earnest hope that as we enter into the new year we will carry with us many of those "sterling silvers" which have made for happiness and an undying faith in the eternal truths. And so at this yuletide I greet you with a sincere good wish for a pleasant voyage into a life of peace and beauty, inspired by love. And with that wish I launch the ship of hope at this port of '47.

Sincerely,

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INITIATED INTO THE "ALPHA PHI ALPHA" FRATERNITY



Mr. Lynnwood Parker, student at the University of Nebraska, was initiated into the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity, Beta Beta Chapter, Lincoln, Nebraska, Saturday night, December 21, 1946 in Omaha, Nebraska.

Initiated along with Mr. Parker was Mr. Kenneth Love, of Omaha.

Mr. Parker has been active in civic and fraternal organizations in the city. He is a 32 degree Mason and was former Steering Committee chairman of the Central Social Action Committee of Lincoln. At present he is secretary of the Mens' Club of the Urban League of Lincoln.

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