HISTORICAL MEMBER PROFILE

Herbert B. Maw
Class of 1916

Herbert Maw was part of the third class inducted into The Beehive Club, in 1916. He played Niobe in the freshman play and Theseus in A Midsummer Night’s Dream. He was president of the Senior Class, staff on the Utonian (the university’s yearbook), and served on the prom committee. He was a member of Sigma Chi, the Open Forum Club, Barristers Club, and Forensic Club. He graduated from the University of Utah in 1916 in law and went on to graduate studies at Northwestern University.

Like many Beehive Honor Society members who preceded and followed him, Maw’s connection to the University of Utah continued beyond graduation. He returned to the U as a professor of speech and later served as the dean of men. While serving as dean, Maw became a state senator. He continued advancing in local politics, becoming president of the Utah State Senate and eventually the eighth governor of Utah.