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## THE BUSINESS SIDE OF THE CONVENTION

According to the testimony of women who have attended other conventions of the fraternity, the Swarthmore Convention has never been equalled in point of attendance and business achievement. It was, in many ways, an epoch-making period in the history of Pi Beta Phi and it needs no prophet to predict that its influence will be far-reaching.

Viewing those pleasant days at Swarthmore in retrospect, it seems that the success of the Convention was due to two direct causes: first, the quality and serious purpose of the delegates; second, the influence and enthusiasm of the alumnae.

No one who was present at the organization of the Convention on Monday afternoon could have failed to be impressed by the personnel of the legislating body. The following days proved that the delegates were representative of their chapters in more than personal appearance. As the business problems arose, each girl showed that she had given much thought to the questions under consideration and the discussions brought out well-expressed ideas. The establishment of a loan fund, the continuation of a fellowship policy and the passing of new regulations relative to internal affairs all showed a progressive spirit. This was especially emphasized by the unanimous vote to admit three new chapters, on the last day of the Convention whose opening session had been marked by evidences of conservatism. The discussion of the extension policy called forth by the presentation of petitions on Tuesday morning was one of the most interesting events of the week. Certainly no one present will ever forget the dramatic moment when the successful petitioners from Oklahoma, Wooster and Wyoming, were received with cheers and songs by the joyous Convention.

There was no time during the week when the seating capacity

of the Convention hall was not taxed on account of the large number of visiting alumnae. Never in the history of the fraternity had the alumnae been represented as largely as at Swarthmore. The fact that a goodly percentage of them were mature women of affairs who were glad to stop for a moment in their busy lives to renew old associations and take a personal interest in the active life of the fraternity is, in itself, an argument in favor of such organizations.

Many of the active girls declared that no session interested them more than the meeting of the alumnae on Tuesday afternoon. Certainly none was more fruitful in its results. The address of Captain Hobson in regard to the mountain whites was both instructive and entertaining. It furnished the background for the proposition made by the alumnae of the Washington Alumnae Club that the alumnae of the fraternity be given power to found and maintain a school for the mountain whites to be dedicated on the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the fraternity, in honor of the founders of Pi Beta Phi.

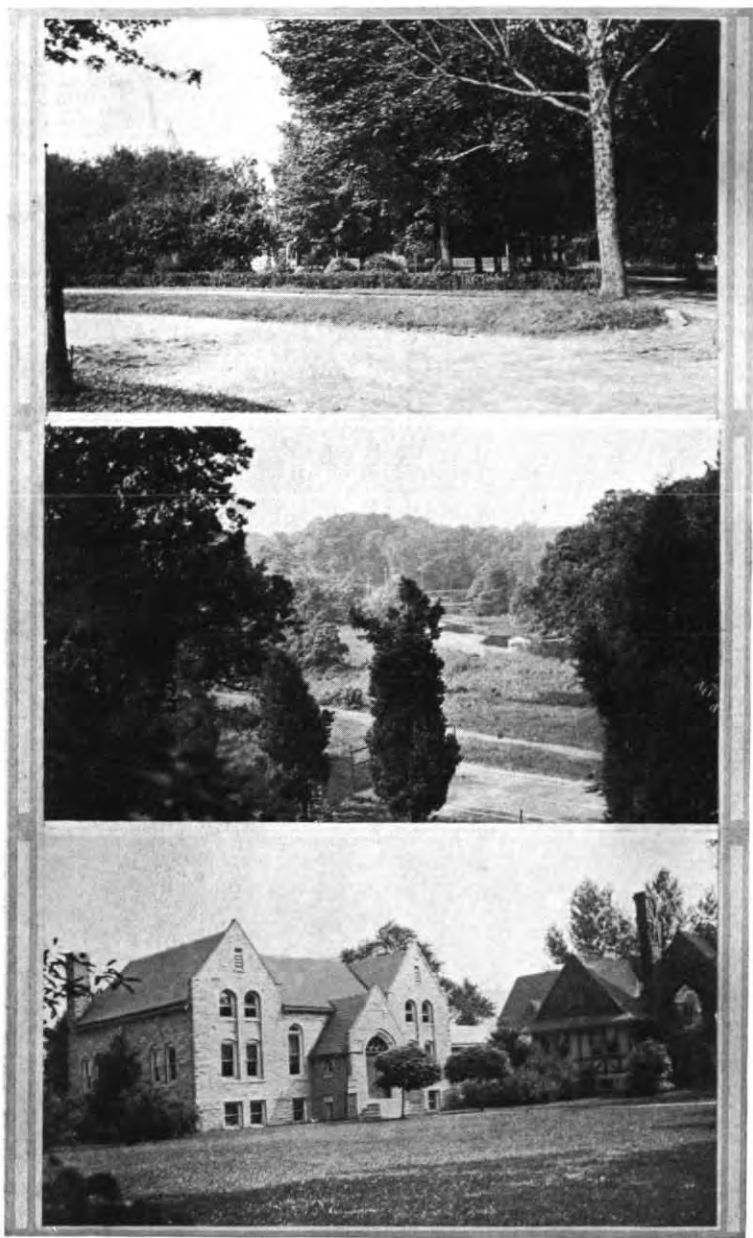
This proposition instantly became the chief topic of discussion in the dining-hall and on the campus and the idea met with such favor that it was not surprising that it was favorably accepted at the next session. To many, this seemed the most significant act of Convention and all realized the meaning of Miss Keller's words, "We have done a big thing in a short time."

An account of the business side of the Convention would not be complete without a word concerning its spirit. Good fellowship was the keynote of the entire week and, although spirited discussion was frequent and individual opinions were voiced with perfect freedom, there was no spirit of dissension and when the moment for decision came, all seemed willing to sacrifice personal feelings for the sake of general harmony.

Much of the success of the Convention from a business standpoint was due to "The Powers that be Efficient," as Miss Harris so happily described them at the banquet. It was only on account of the splendid management and arrangement of time and subject-matter on the part of the Grand Council that the Convention was able to accomplish so much in so short a time.

It was not, then, the rare good times furnished by the social side of Convention which were entirely responsible for the feeling of

CONVENTION AT SWARTHMORE



Strath Haven Inn among the Trees  
The wooded Ridge beyond Crum Creek where Pa. gave the Convention Picnic  
The Presbyterian Chapel where Convention Sessions were held.

OUR THREE HOSTESS CHAPTERS



Pa. A: Mrs. Branson, Beatrice Victory, Flora Boyle, Anna Pettit, Edith Bunting, Frances Darlington  
*Second row*—Edith Lewis, Eleanor Rittenhouse, Elizabeth Johnson, Emma Hamilton, Mary Sproul, Mary Ramsey  
*Third row*—Mrs. Jackel, Helen McCain, Mabel Stiner, Bessie Bew, Anna Campbell, Elizabeth Burton, Helen C. Marr, Annabel Potter, Deborah Ferrier, Alice Stover  
*Fourth row*—Mrs. Clement, Anne Pearson, Katherine Griest, Margaret Harned  
 Pa. B: Verna Whitaker, Olive Long, Susan Snyder, Dana Bower, Gretchen Radack, Frances Chaffee, Mary Harris, Mrs. Jackel  
*Bottom row*—Mrs. Theiss, Mae Jones, Mabel Johnson, Mildred Cathers, Florence Clum  
 Pa. C: Jeannette Stevens, Mary Leamy, Julia Woodward, Helen Burns, Margaret Whiteman, Eleta Witmer, Lydia Gooding, Marjorie McIntire

SOME CHAPTER DELEGATIONS AT CONVENTION



Neb. B delegation that won the attendance cup: Grace Salisbury, Florence Chapman, Zora Fitzgerald, Mrs. Johnson, Anne Stuart, Mrs. Chantry, Grace Shallenberger, Mildred Holland, Virginia Rogers  
Ill. E, with whom the next Convention meets: Gertrude Foster, Irene Brady, Mabel Cowdin, Elda Smith, Lenore Sterling, Edna Estell  
Our seven new girls, after hearing the good news: Esther W. Boyer, Pearl McCrory, Elsa Schlicht of Wooster, Inez McMillin of Oklahoma, Evangeline Downey, Mary B. Wilson, Jean Douglas of Wyoming.



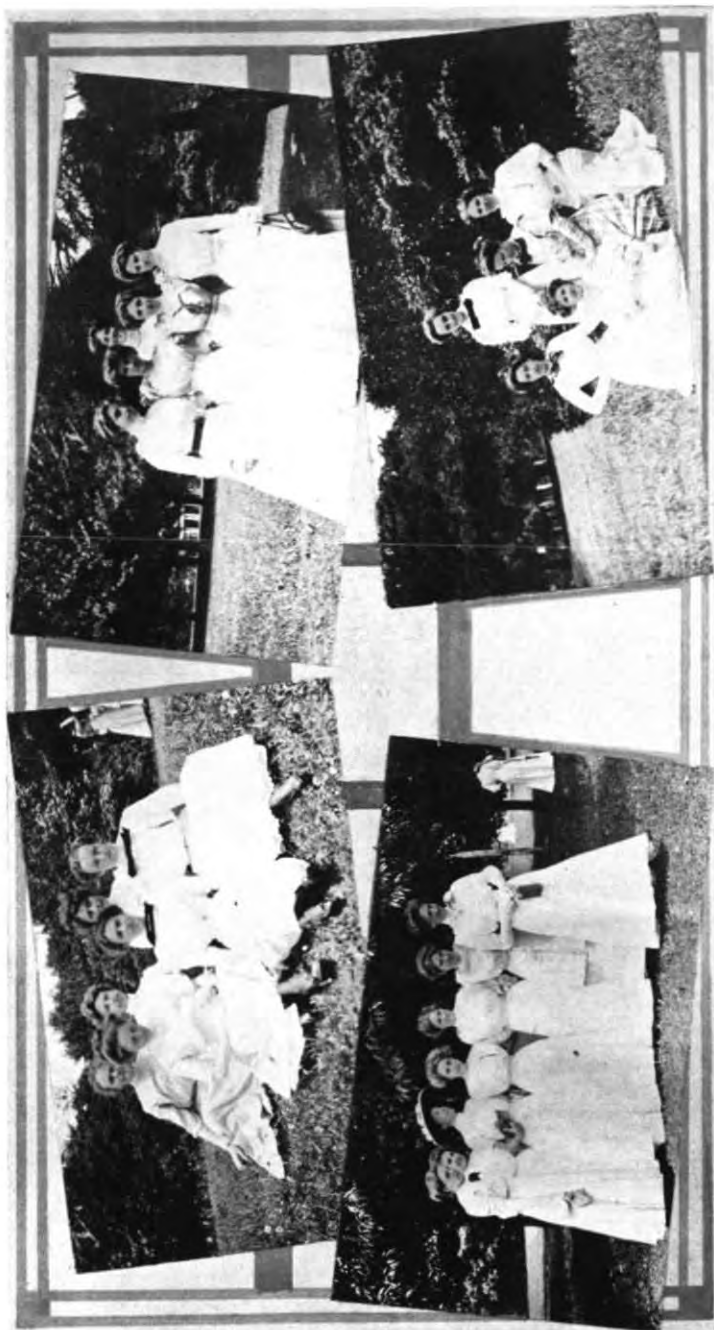
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D. C. A.: Hilda Beale, Marguerite Weller, Anna Browning, Emma H. Turner, Florence Frisby, Eleanor Jones  
*Bottom row*—Dorothy Smallwood, Lela Howard, Marie Tunstall  
 Mass. A.: Ruth Dennis, Jennie Allyn, Sarah Pomeroy, Mrs. Nickerson, Amy Wallon, Ethel Piper  
*Bottom row*—Blanche Charlton, Eugenia Goodwin, Mildred Hood, Marian Legg, Helen Barrett, Alice Perkins

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*Bottom row*—Lavinia King, May Keller, May Rider, Phyllis Hoskins  
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*Bottom row*—Juanita Brown, Beth Thomson, Ethel Leveridge, Lucy Landru, Mabel McCann, Eleanor Murtha

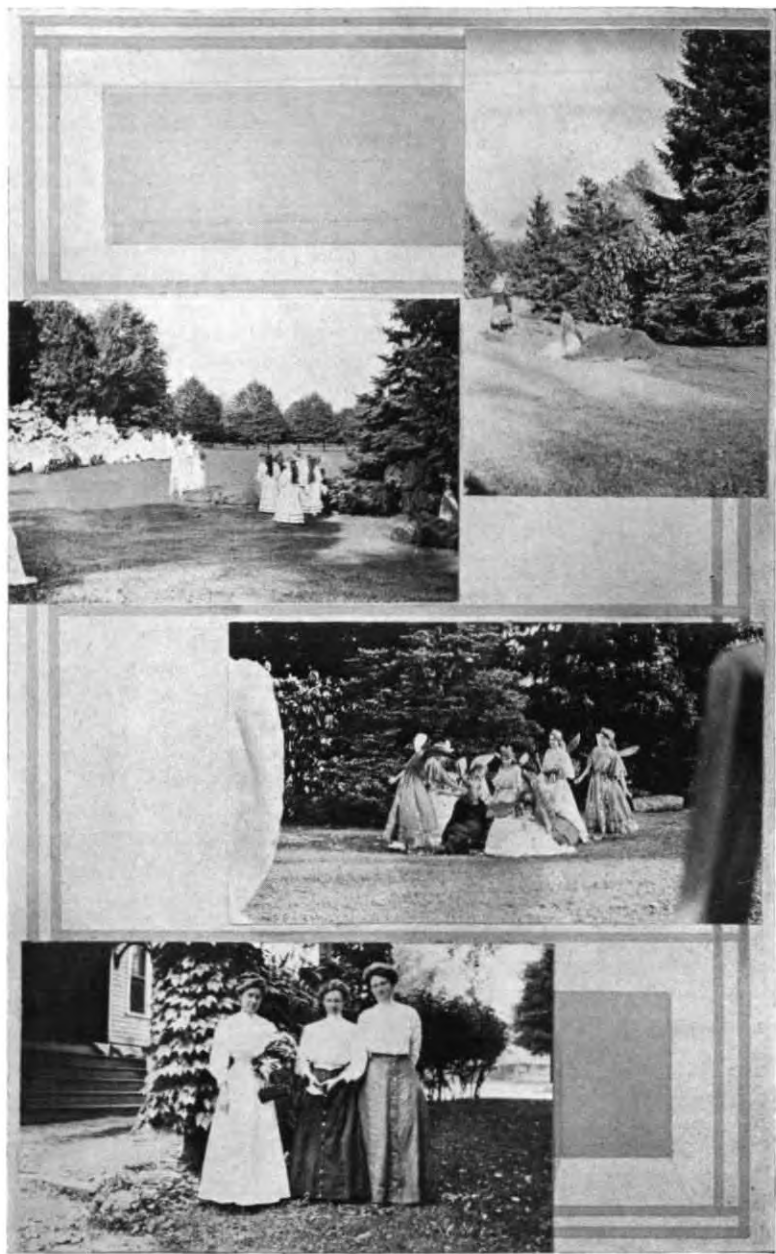
SOME CHAPTER DELEGATIONS AT CONVENTION



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*Bottom row*—Carrie Stroud, Margaret Glanding, Florence Robbins, Eva  
 Burlingham

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Three scenes from Pa. A's presentation of "Midsummer Night's Dream" on the Swarthmore campus  
May Keller, Mrs. Theiss, and Céleste Janvier of the Grand Council

regret when the moment for leave-taking came. Delegates and visitors alike went away with a desire to get another view of the business workings of the organization which is so dear to them and "We'll meet at Chicago in 1912," was the farewell heard on every side.

SARAH G. POMEROY, *Massachusetts Alpha.*

## THE SOCIAL SIDE OF THE CONVENTION

In the chapter correspondence in the April ARROW we read that the Louisiana Alpha girls were coming to convention—the older ones to see if any convention could compare with their own and the younger members to learn what a convention was like, anyway. Probably one of those motives actuated most of us and if we did not go away believing that the Twenty-first Biennial Convention was the best Pi Phi ever held it was not the fault of the three hostess chapters, Pennsylvania Alpha, Beta, and Gamma, nor was it through any lack of spirit on the part of the 52 delegates and 167 visitors.

We began to feel we were getting into a real fraternity atmosphere when, on the train from Philadelphia to Swarthmore, a Kappa spoke to us and welcomed us to the town. And a few minutes later at the Strath Haven Inn we found ourselves in the midst of legions of Pi Phis.

As the Inn was nearly filled with regular guests only the Grand Council and a few others were accommodated there, though meals were served to all in the dining-room. Most of us were housed in the various cottages of the Swarthmore Preparatory School about a quarter of a mile from the Inn. Being by ourselves and together in groups, in this way, was like a glorified house-party. This was especially true as regards the hour when quiet *finally* descended upon us!

About half way between the Preparatory School and the Inn is the Swarthmore Presbyterian Church, where, in the Chapel all business meetings were held. The room was just large enough and looked very festive after the Province Presidents had allotted to each chapter, suitable space for their exhibits.

Monday evening all gathered at the Inn and Pennsylvania Alpha entertained the Convention with songs, recitations, college skits and a Pi Phi medley. We were indebted to Mr. Scheibley, manager of the Inn, for the refreshments which followed. The very best part of

the evening was the way in which everybody "got acquainted" strenuously before, after, and between times and we separated for the night with old friendships renewed and many more begun.

Tuesday morning the rain awakened us and every one thought regretfully of the supper in the woods which was scheduled for that evening, but the sun came out and, about six o'clock, we met at the Inn and the Pennsylvania Gamma girls guided us down the valley, across Crum Creek and up to the thickly wooded ridge on the other side. Here we formed groups and heartily partook of supper, song, and general conversation. When finally the mosquitoes drove us home it was only to another form of party, continued in the parlors and on the porches as long as we could keep awake. I think many of us will long remember these informal moments of chat and silence when we learned what Pi Beta Phi means to our older and younger sisters.

There were no business meetings on Wednesday—it was all "social." In the morning the Convention picture was taken in front of the college library. All kinds of cameras were out in full force and willing subjects posed on all sides. There were thirteen delegations of five or more members and all these were photographed.

In the afternoon we again formed ourselves on the campus—for a surprise party this time. For, after a short reception Pennsylvania Alpha presented the fairy scenes from *Midsummer Night's Dream* in a little dell where the fairies certainly must live when visiting this part of the country. A splendid group of firs made an ideal background and property room and the musicians were also concealed there. A stand had been erected around the sides of a natural amphitheatre and there on the green Titania, Puck, Bottom and the fairies came to life before us. Anyone who has seen Puck climb the tree and peer out over the sleeping Titania while Bottom comes strolling around the corner, or who has witnessed the touching separation of Pyramus and Thisbe by the cruel Wall will readily agree that the Swarthmore campus is a long way off from this work-a-day world and also that in Pennsylvania Alpha, past and present, there is rare dramatic talent. However, when these same fairies began to introduce us to resident Kappas, Thetas and other friends and to pass very edible ice-cream and cake we all concluded that to be a Pi Phi and be at Convention was good enough for us.

It was a case of morning, noon and night on Wednesday, for that evening Pennsylvania Beta entertained us with a stunt party and



cookies shine at the Chapel. Among the best features were the hospital demonstration by Maryland Alpha; the college song and fancy dancing by New York Beta; the comical Mr. McGinty impersonation by Louisiana Alpha; the beautiful singing by Florence Chapman of Nebraska Beta; the fine march played by Lela Howard of Columbia Alpha (composed by herself and dedicated to Pi Beta Phi); the stately Roman costume-march by Vermont Alpha, and the delicious part-singing by Dema Harshbarger of Illinois Delta. After these and many more stunts cloths were spread on the floor and a paper bag, with the printing, "Cooky Shine by Pennsylvania Beta" was given each one. Upon investigation this proved to be full of good things. It was at this party that some one called for the Phi Beta Kappas and there was much clapping as twenty-two came bashfully forward.

One of the pleasantest social things about this convention was the presence, with us, of representatives of three petitioning groups. I have always heard that the banquet was the very grandest part of every convention, but I do not think that was the case this year, even though that was so successful in every way. I am sure we all feel that the most precious moment was on Thursday morning when these girls were brought into the hall and we were trying to sing the anthem. I guess a good many of us felt and learned more of Pi Beta Phi in those few minutes than we ever knew before!

The banquet at the Inn was a worthy ending to such a splendid Convention and the girls from Wooster, Wyoming, and Oklahoma shared it with us, for they were pledged before we sat down. The fraternity printer, Mr. Banta, very kindly presented the Convention with autograph books, with leather covers for the delegates, and between courses there were wild attempts to fill them up, nearly every one trying to use the office pencil! Mary B. Harris of Pennsylvania Beta acted as toast mistress and, if the Inn guests, seated around on the porch enjoyed this part of the banquet as much as we did they were well repaid for their close attention! Minnie Barry, Ontario Alpha responded to the toast "Our New Country"; Miss Keller spoke for "The Powers That Be," and in so doing managed to make the announcements that Nebraska Beta had won the attendance cup on the score of mileage, there being nine from that chapter present, including two Province Presidents, and that the next convention would be held at Evanston, Ill. A message from "The Youngest" came through Mary Shannon of Arkansas Alpha, while Florence

Metzner, California Alpha, spoke for "The Farthest from Home"—California Alpha and Beta and Washington Alpha. Miss Metzner said it is the hope of the coast chapters that five years hence convention may meet with them—but the Grand Treasurer looked more than doubtful!

The last two toasts gave us something to think about until the next banquet. Lois Janvier spoke for the "Last Hostess" and passed on to us the message of love and one-ness which the Louisiana girls gained at the last convention and Anna Campbell who responded to "The Present Incumbent" told of what this broader outlook and greater feeling of unity was already meaning to Pennsylvania Alpha. Surely, if we cannot echo every word of her speech, then Convention has done little for us. Every girl who was there must carry away with her deeper insight into, and hence truer devotion to Pi Beta Phi and each must seek to work out her ideals through service to those in college or out in the world with whom her lot is cast. It is peculiarly appropriate that we, the oldest and largest women's fraternity are also the first definitely to embody this idea of service for those less fortunate than ourselves. Our school is the best thing we did along the social line at the Swarthmore Convention.

SOPHIE PARSONS WOODMAN, *New York Beta.*

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## TOAST GIVEN AT THE CONVENTION BANQUET

Way down in the South a band of girls  
 Were happy and peaceful and gay;  
 Together they laughed and talked and played  
 And the good old world went its way.  
 They were so far off from other Pi Phis,  
 Their customs so different too,  
 That they thought all the other Pi Beta Phis  
 Didn't care what they'd think or do.  
 So they went in their own happy way  
 Content with their own little fuss  
 'Till some one said, "I'd like to know  
 If all Pi Phis are like us?"  
 "I hope they are not," said one old grouch,  
 "I pity the world if they be."  
 "Oh, I'd love them to be like us," said one,  
 "I'd just like to go and see."

And then we heard that Convention  
Was the way for us to tell—  
And excitement was hot and joy was high  
When Convention to our lot fell!

O the joy, the delight, the excitement, too;  
The secrets, the whispers, the fuss!  
The meeting of thirty-eight chapters  
To find they were just like us!

It made us feel big, for we felt our part  
In a band so great, so true.  
It made us feel small, for what were we  
In a great, noble band like you?

Now we never shall feel far off again  
We never shall feel that we  
Are different from all the other girls  
In our own fraternity.

The South has a message for you tonight,  
The South with its warmth and its dew.  
'Tis the message Convention brought to us,  
And we would give it to you.

We have read of the labor and sorrow and toil  
That might come in an author's life.  
We have heard of the bother and trouble with cooks  
That may come to the new little wife.

We know that teaching is sometimes hard,  
That society has its care;  
We are told that the plagues of a single life  
Are sometimes hard to bear.

We know that wherever the old sun shines  
There the shadows we shall see  
We are told that where there is never a pain  
No real joy can be.

So remember, that where the shadows fall  
The sun must be about;  
For we know the shadows never come  
'Till after the sun is out.

So whoever we are, whatever we do,  
Wherever the world may find us.  
Let's keep our faces to the sun  
And the shadows will fall behind us.

## REGISTER OF CONVENTION

The following members of the fraternity were in attendance at the Twenty-First Biennial Convention of Pi Beta Phi:

## DELEGATES

GRAND COUNCIL 1.—*President*, May Lansfield Keller; *Vice-President*, Cora Marlow-Kerns; *Secretary*, Elda L. Smith; *Treasurer*, Cèleste Janvier; *Editor*, Mary Bartol-Theiss..

*Historian*, Jeannette Zeppenfeld; *Cataloguer*, Helen Schaeffer-Huff; *Alumnae Editor*, Sarah G. Pomeroy; *Convention Guide*, Mary Cooper Johnson.

PROVINCE PRESIDENTS—*Alpha*, Anna Robinson-Nickerson; *Beta*, Kate Walker-Johnson; *Gamma*, Anne Stuart; *Delta*, Roberta G. Frye.

ALPHA PROVINCE—*Vermont Alpha*, Eliza H. Hart; *Vermont Beta*, Bertha A. Coventry; *Massachusetts Alpha*, Mildred Hood; *Ontario Alpha*, Minnie L. Barry; *New York Alpha*, Eva M. Burlingham; *New York Beta*, A. Dorothy Griffin; *Pennsylvania Alpha*, Anna F. Campbell; *Pennsylvania Beta*, Gretchen A. Radack; *Pennsylvania Gamma*, M. Eleta Witmer; *Maryland Alpha*, Phyllis C. Hoskins; *Columbia Alpha*, Hilda Beale.

BETA PROVINCE.—*Ohio Alpha*, Lillian Cronacher; *Ohio Beta*, Marjorie Beebe; *Indiana Alpha*, Ruth D. McCollough; *Indiana Beta*, Edna E. Hatfield; *Indiana Gamma*, Mildred Moorhead; *Illinois Beta*, Margaret E. Newman; *Illinois Delta*, Dema Harshbarger; *Illinois Epsilon*, Gertrude E. Foster; *Illinois Zeta*, Ada L. Baldwin; *Michigan Alpha*, Bess L. Kempf; *Michigan Beta*, Marguerite E. Reed; *Wisconsin Alpha*, Lisette Woerner.

GAMMA PROVINCE.—*Iowa Alpha*, Suzanne Gardner; *Iowa Beta*, Helen Thompson; *Iowa Gamma*, Josephine Hungerford; *Iowa Zeta*, Edith Shugart; *Minnesota Alpha*, Louise de la Barre; *Missouri Alpha*, Margaret B. Ross; *Missouri Beta*, Helen P. Shultz; *Kansas Alpha*, Lucile H. Wilkinson; *Nebraska Beta*, Grace Shallenberger; *Louisiana Alpha*, Frances Spriggs Raymond; *Arkansas Alpha*, Mary E. Shannon; *Texas Alpha*, Elizabeth Leftwich.

DELTA PROVINCE.—*Colorado Alpha*, Edna Pierce; *Colorado Beta*, Viola T. Pillsbury; *California Alpha*, Florence P. Metzner; *California Beta*, Elsie Ahrens; *Washington Alpha*, Bertha L. Bigelow.

*Vermont Alpha*, Rena I. Bisbee, Elizabeth Caswell, Eliza H. Hart, Carmen R. Walker.

*Vermont Beta*, Edith L. Carpenter, Bertha A. Coventry.

*Massachusetts Alpha*, Jennie B. Allyn, Helen D. Barrett, Blanche L. M. Charlton, Ruth P. Dennis, Eugenia L. Goodwin, Mildred Hood, Marian C. Legg, Winifred Hill-Maxfield, Anna Robinson-Nickerson, Alice E. Perkins, Ethel M. Piper, Sarah G. Pomeroy, Amy L. Wallon.

*Ontario Alpha*, Minnie L. Barry.

*New York Alpha*, Eva S. Burlingham, Margaret L. Glanding, Florence E. Robbins, Gertrude Skerritt, Carrie E. Stroud.

*New York Beta*, Anna Jackson-Branson, Juanita Brown, Julia H. Freed, Dorothy Griffin, Anna Holm, Florence E. Hubbard, Virginia King, Maude Klein, Lucy Landru, Ethel S. Leveridge, Mabel D. McCann, Eleanor Murtha, Dora R. Nevins, Anna F. T. Pettit, Beth Thomson, Edith Valet, Margaret Wood, Sophie P. Woodman.

*Pennsylvania Alpha*, Esther Barnes, Bessie Bew, Annabelle Boyle, Flora Boyle, Anna Jackson-Branson, Edith S. Bunting, Elizabeth Burton, Ada Graham-Clement, Hettie L. Coxe, Anna F. Campbell, Frances Darlington, Hazel L. Davis, Deborah Ferrier, Katherine Griest, Mary Hallowell, Margaret Harned, Emma F. Hamilton, Helen Lamb-Hull, Edith McCain-Jaekel, Elizabeth E. Johnson, Mary Cooper Johnson, M. Elizabeth Lamb, Edith S. Lewis, Helen McCain, Clara Boyle-McClure, Helen Marr, Anna E. Nichols, Anne N. Pearson, Anna F. T. Pettit, Annabel Potter, Mary Gutelius-Rambo, Mary Ramsey, Jessie T. Richards, Mabel Haines-Redrow, Eleanor Rittenhouse, Luretia Shoemaker, Ethel Griest-Snyder, Helen Spackman, Mary L. Sproul, Mabel Stiner, Dorothy Strode, Anna E. Stubbs, Maude Rice-Stuckert, Alice Stover, Edith F. Tracey, Elva Ash-Yeardsley, Helen Carrè-Turner, Elizabeth Pownall-Walton, Nora Stabler Worth, Beatrice M. Victory.

*Pennsylvania Beta*, Dana M. Bower, Anne Frances Chaffee, Mildred B. Cathers, Florence M. Clum, Helen J. Hare, Mary B. Harris, Edith McCain-Jaekel, Mabel E. Johnson, Mae E. Jones, Olive M. Long, Ruby Pierson, Gretchen A. Radack, Beatrice R. Richards, Mabel Gardiner Russell, Edna Seaman, Mary E. Seaman, Susan Snyder, Mary Bartol-Theiss, Verna A. Whitaker.



*Pennsylvania Gamma*, Anna M. Bacon, S. Helen Burns, Sara Marvel-Coles, Georgia Cranston, Corinne Gaul, Lydia M. Gooding, Helen Schaeffer-Huff, Edith M. Keiser, Mabel B. Kirk, Mary E. Leamy, Marjorie L. McIntire, Julia Morgan, Annie R. O'Brien, Jeannette Stevens, Margaret W. Whiteman, M. Eleta Witmer, Julia B. Woodward.

*Maryland Alpha*, Nellie E. Biehn, Leona Buchwald, Lois Arthur Claridge, Frances M. Dunning, Elizabeth Rogers-Ewing, Roberta G. Frye, Emily Hoskins-Gawthrop, Isabel Drury-Heubeck, Phyllis Cheever Hoskins, May L. Keller, Elizabeth F. Kellum, Lavinia Gertrude King, Estelle Martin, Mary Anne Porter, K. May Rider, Miriam Rupp, Josephine Wiley-Snyder, Edna L. Stone, Ada Virginia Weber, M. Alice Wood, Elsie M. Yount.

*Columbia Alpha*, Hilda Beale, Anna M. Browning, Florence E. Frisby, Lela Howard, Eleanor I. Jones, Dorothy Smallwood, F. Marie Tunstall, Emma Harper Turner, E. Marguerite Weller.

*Ohio Alpha*, Lillian Cronacher.

*Ohio Beta*, Marjorie Beebe.

*Indiana Alpha*, Esther Lillian Aikens, Jennie A. Coble, Ruth D. McCollough, Allah B. Mullendore, Emma Harper Turner, Jeannette Zeppenfeld.

*Indiana Beta*, Blanche Couk, Edna E. Hatfield.

*Indiana Gamma*, Jane Elizabeth Bigelow, Fanny E. Miner, Mildred Moorhead.

*Illinois Beta*, Margaret E. Newman.

*Illinois Delta*, Dema Harshbarger.

*Illinois Epsilon*, Blanche Irene Brady, Mabel P. Cowdin, Edna W. Estell, Gertrude A. Foster, Elda L. Smith, Mary Lenore Sterling.

*Illinois Zeta*, Ada L. Baldwin, Kate Summerwill

*Michigan Alpha*, Bess L. Kempf, Leila Ruth Soule.

*Michigan Beta*, Marguerite Ethel Reed, K. May Rider, Mary Bartol-Theiss.

*Wisconsin Alpha*, Ada L. Baldwin, Elizabeth Shepard-Lough, Lisette Woerner.

*Iowa Alpha*, Edna Irish, Suzanne Gardner.

*Iowa Beta*, Ada A. Proudfoot, Helen Thompson.

ARKANSAS ALPHA



*Top row*—Lillian Wallace, Bess Carnall, Barbara Davis-Olney.  
*Second row*—Dolph McCain, Margaret Stuckey, Madge Campbell, Mildred Gregg.  
*Third row*—Mary Campbell, Susie Moore, Josephine Dubs, May Pittman.  
*Fourth row*—Ruby Cotham, Jenny Morton.  
*Fifth row*—Lyta Davis, Hazel Gladson, Mary Shannon.  
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CALIFORNIA ALPHA



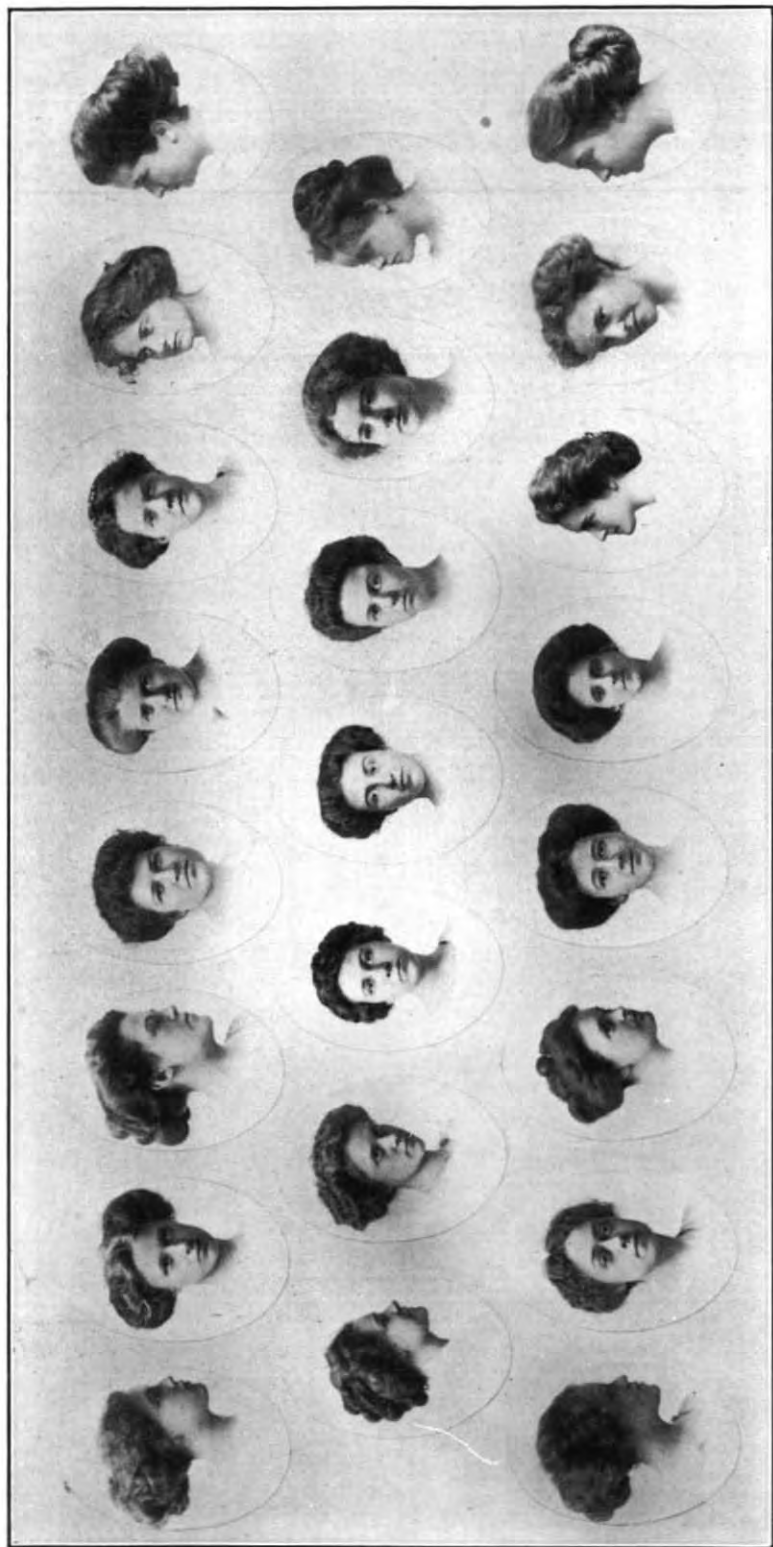
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*Second row*—Dorothy Alderton, Lillian Dunlap, Marie McClurg, Adele Huntsberger, Verna Marshall.  
*Third row*—Daisy Spencer, Bertha Sieber, Maude Maloney, Eva Clark.  
*Fourth row*—Olga Adams, Anna Guthrie, Isabel Noble, Frances Hall, Julia Moore.

CALIFORNIA BETA



*Top row*—Gladys Lewis, Georgia Dell McCoy, Leslie Manuel, Elsie Ahrens, Amy Swayne, Marguerite Thomas.  
*Second row*—Serena Maddox, Agnes Miller, Alice Hiestand, Hazel Donoho, Emeline Parsons, Juliet Bennett, Ethel Robinson.  
*Third row*—Beatrice Reynolds, Pauline Ruth, Florence McCoy, Edith Cook, Frances Dewar, Ada Cline.

COLORADO ALPHA



*Top row*—Electa Franklin, Louise Hart, Gertrude Thielen, Helen Waltemeyer, Alice Briggs, Carol Dier, Lela Haines, Edna Pierce.  
*Second row*—Theo Towns, Jeannette Owen, Katherine Leslie, Dorothy Chittenden, Eloie Dyer, Helen Scott, Pauline McKenzie.  
*Third row*—Myrtle Fallis, Louise Tourtellotte, Eleanor Leonard, Mildred Brigham, Helen Drake, Harnie Patterson, Helen Carney, Mary Morse.

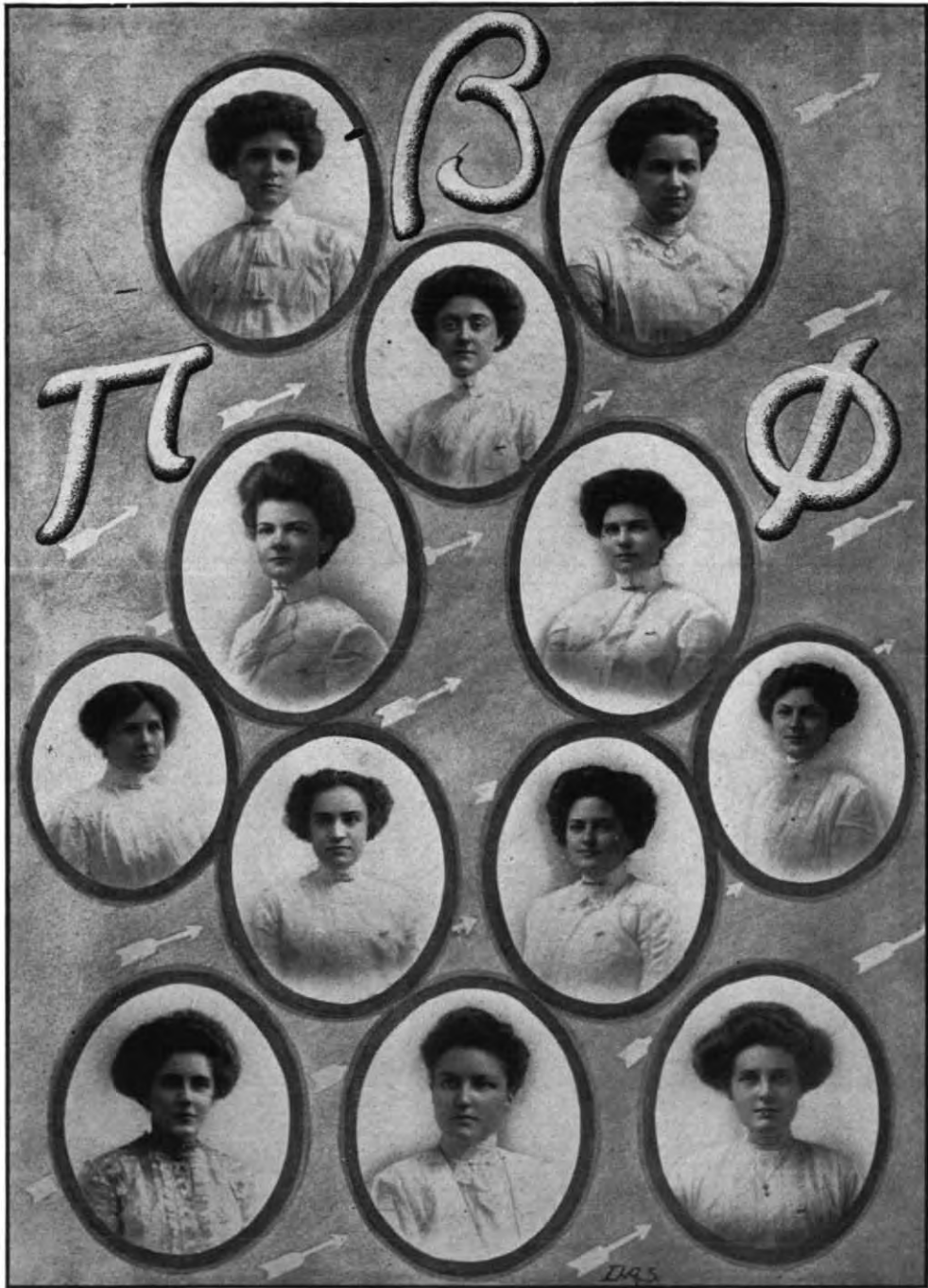
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 Second row.—Mary Biggs, Jessie Ford, Lorena Hocking, Grace Reed, Ula King, Helen Garst, Leila Mercer, Beatrice Teague, Faith Gilmore, Gladys Shackelford, Bessie Helwig, Elizabeth Fraser.

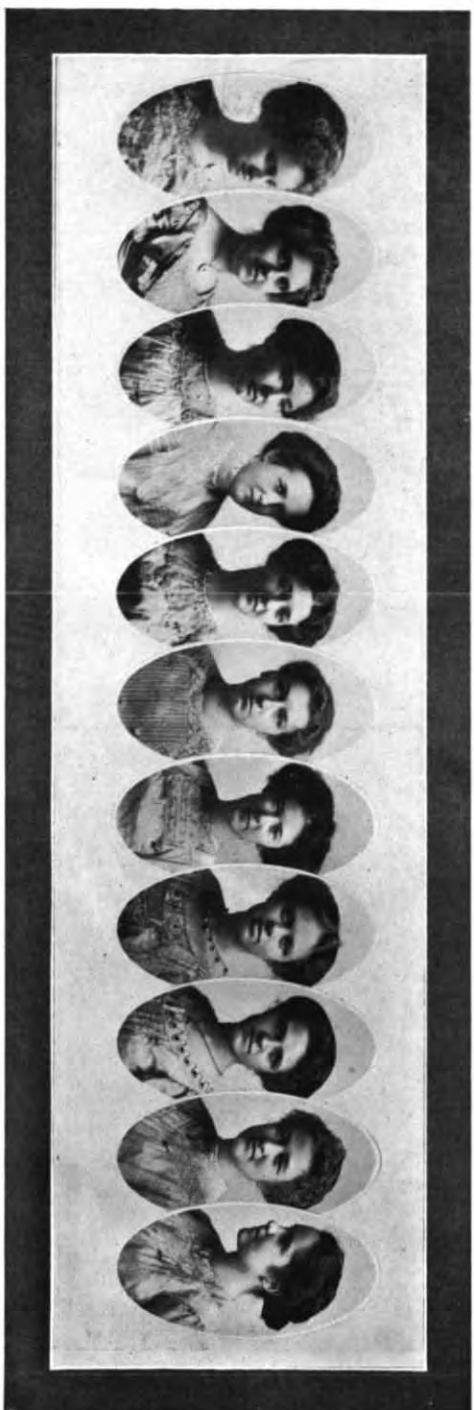


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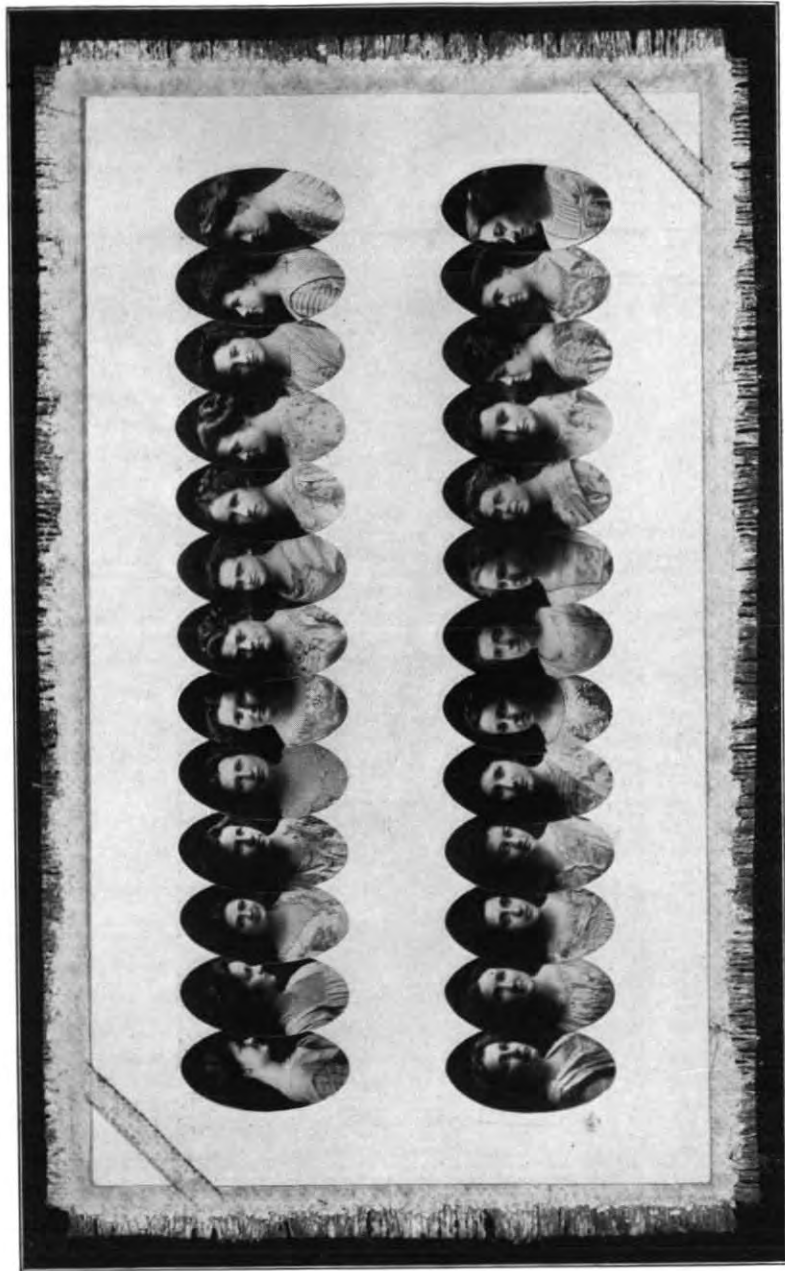
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Sixth row—Dorothy Smallwood, Eleanor Gannett, Marie Tunstall.

ILLINOIS BETA



Lucille Cravens, Ruth Chamberlain, Fern Townsend, Lenore Bland, Eleanor Gilmer, Margaret Newman, Lillian MacHale, Alice Cropper, Miriam Fisher, Mildred Mabie, Herma Wymann.

ILLINOIS DELTA



*Top row*—Winifred Ingersoll, Helen Ryan, Dema Harshbarger, Grace Hinchliff, Florence Hill, Gladys Van Patten, Irene Bridge, Mabel Bowers, Ruth McClelland, Mary Quillin, Martha Latimer, Helen Adams, Joyce McBride.  
*Second row*—Lottie Steele, Florence Crosby, Delia Spinner, Jessie Gaddis, Lois Potter, Marie Keefer, Grace Waterous, Flo Bethard, Helen Turner, Estelle Avery, Madge Blayney, Marguerite Sell, Ruth Diehl.

*Iowa Gamma*, Alda Heaton Wilson, Elmina Wilson, Josephine Hungerford.

*Iowa Zeta*, Julia Ellen Rogers, Elizabeth Shugart, Kate Summerwill.

*Minnesota Alpha*, Marie L. Anderson, Edna M. Brown, Louise de la Barre, Cora Marlow-Kerns, Edna Lampert, Loretto E. Newman, Irma Potter Smith.

*Missouri Alpha*, Margaret B. Ross.

*Missouri Beta*, Helen P. Shultz.

*Kansas Alpha*, Lucile H. Wilkinson.

*Nebraska Beta*, Edna Scott-Chantry, Florence Chapman, Zora E. Fitzgerald, Mildred Holland, Kate Walker-Johnson, Virginia N. Rogers, Grace M. Salisbury, Grace Shallenberger, Anne Stuart.

*Louisiana Alpha*, Carmelite Janvier, Cèleste Janvier, Lois Janvier, Jennie L. Rainey, Frances Spriggs Raymond.

*Arkansas Alpha*, Mary E. Shannon.

*Texas Alpha*, Elizabeth Leftwich, Hallette Searcy.

*Colorado Alpha*, Edna Pierce.

*Colorado Beta*, Faith W. Gilmore, Viola T. Pillsbury, Eleanor A. Rittenhouse, Mary E. Wallihan.

*California Alpha*, Florence P. Metzner.

*California Beta*, Elsie Ahrens.

*Washington Alpha*, Bertha L. Bigelow.

## REPORTS OF ALUMNAE CLUBS

## AMES ALUMNAE CLUB

The Ames Alumnae Club during the year has held regular meetings which have been for the most part of a social nature. The first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Mary McDonald Knapp in response to an invitation to dine with her. Nearly all of the members were there to partake of an excellent dinner and to join in singing college songs. A short business session was held and two new members were initiated, increasing our total membership to twenty. In December the club spent a very happy afternoon with Kittie Freed in her new home. In March Mrs. Norma Hainer Beach gave a dinner to the seniors of the active chapter and to the club. Plates were laid for twenty-eight and a very delightful time was spent.

At each meeting during the year the house proposition has been discussed but as yet no very great progress has been made. We should like very much to help the girls to purchase a chapter home, but to take the whole matter up by ourselves requires more time and energy than we feel that we have to give to it just now.

The Founders' Day celebration was a very delightful party followed by an excellent luncheon at the chapter house and was a most happy event for all who were present. A few of the newer members of the club have issued invitations for an evening entertainment on May 20 at which time they will present "A Candid Violet." All who hold the complimentary tickets are looking forward to the evening with much pleasant anticipation.

The last meeting of the club for the college year will be a picnic to which the active chapter and pledges will be invited.

LOLA A. PLACEWAY.

## ATHENS ALUMNAE CLUB

The work of the Athens Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club for this year has been mainly social. Our meetings have been held every month at the homes of various members. At these times half of our number served six o'clock dinner to the other half, after which we enjoyed a social hour together. Naturally the topic of the fraternity received a large share of attention and these meetings, we think, have served greatly to increase the interest among the alumnae, especially those members who have been out of college for some time and

somewhat out of touch with the workings of the chapter. Our first year under our new charter we count a most successful one and are looking forward with great pleasure to the opening of another year, at which time we hope to take up a more systematic line of work.

#### BALTIMORE ALUMNAE CLUB

The meetings of the alumnae club are held once each month from October to June at the homes of the members. The fall meetings are spent in the interest of Maryland Alpha. Two members from this chapter attend each meeting so in this way the alumnae may keep in touch with it. Until after initiation the meetings are interesting with discussions of the freshmen and plans for rushing. The initiation is held at the home of one of the alumnae and most of the club members attend. After the short business meeting each month there is a most enjoyable social time, as that is often the only time during the month when the busy Pi Phis can get together.

The membership of the Baltimore club is small. This year there were only twelve on our roll, but one or two others were able to come irregularly and the twelve attend faithfully. In this small number, however, five chapters are represented: Maryland Alpha, Pennsylvania Alpha, California Alpha, Indiana Gamma and Pennsylvania Beta.

The December meeting was almost wholly occupied with a discussion of Pan-Hellenic matters. Miss Keller reported on a Pan-Hellenic mass meeting which had been called at Goucher College. At that time was emphasized the importance of strict observance of rushing regulations as a means of arousing better interfraternity feeling.

The January meeting was devoted to a study of the constitution of the fraternity. The other meetings have been almost purely social. Besides the regular meetings the alumnae and active chapter have met for several pleasant occasions.

The alumnae club celebrated Founders' Day in a most enjoyable fashion. With Maryland Alpha we were invited to join with the Washington girls, active and alumnae, in a banquet on April 30 at the "Tea Cup Inn," the historic home of Bancroft. After a pleasant afternoon at Miss Stone's where we had the opportunity to become acquainted with Columbia Alpha informally, the two neighboring chapters of Pi Beta Phi,—Washington and Baltimore—



sat down together at the banquet table. We felt that the bonds which united us were strong indeed but imagine the feeling of pride which "warmed the cockles of our hearts" when Miss Taylor, as toast mistress told us, that in addition to the girls of Washington and Baltimore, there were present Pi Phis from ten different chapters and one alumnae club. And these were not chapters close by, either, but from such distant points as Texas, California, Seattle, Iowa, Illinois, and Vermont. We felt that we were indeed national, and when Mrs. Helmick, the wife of an army officer, told of meeting Pi Phis all over the world, we felt almost as if we were international.

Between the courses of the banquet, the old familiar songs of the fraternity rang out lustily, and later the toasts began, those from the Washington girls as hostesses, and from the Baltimore girls as guests. A pleasing innovation was a series of impromptu toasts from girls of the other chapters. The end of a happy, helpful celebration came in the toast of Miss Keller, who told something of the approaching convention and urged us all to go. To those of you who have never known the thrill of close association with other chapters, and the bond of fellowship which such association arouses, we say, with all sincerity, reach out to your nearest sisters and get together.

As soon as possible after initiation the alumnae club gave an evening party for the initiates at the home of Miss Keller. Most of the active girls and alumnae were present. In the early part of the evening the freshmen engaged in games befitting their years, while the more ancient and more dignified Pi Phis looked on. Later refreshments were served and the evening closed with the singing of Pi Phi songs.

In February two of the patronesses of Maryland Alpha, Mrs. O. Edward Janney and Mrs. Howard Lindley, entertained the Pi Phi alumnae and active and the other patronesses at the home of Mrs. Lindley. In April Mrs. Wilbur Van Zant, another patroness and Louise Van Zant, Maryland Alpha, gave an afternoon tea on their porch and lawn at Roland Park, for the club and Maryland Alpha. Are we not most fortunate in our patronesses who foster Pi Phi spirit by bringing us together so happily?

The latter part of May the alumnae club has for many years given an outdoor supper on the lawn at the home of one of the alumnae, for the Maryland Alpha alumnae back for Goucher Col-

lege commencement and as a farewell to the seniors and to the active chapter for the summer. Though we all meet a few days later at the annual banquet of Maryland Alpha and her alumnae. It was at this banquet last June that it was suggested that each alumna who cared to should give twenty-five cents each year, the money collected to be presented at the time of the banquet to the Maryland Alpha freshman having the highest yearly average. It was thought that this would not only encourage scholarship among the freshmen but also among the Pi Phis of the upper classes. It was also thought that in this way the alumnae could show their appreciation of good work done to keep high the scholarship of Pi Phis. The suggestion was well received and the first sum is nearly ready.

EDITH SPENCER LEWIS.

#### BERKELEY ALUMNAE CLUB

At the beginning of the college year, the Berkeley Alumnae Club thought that its best efforts should be used to assist the active chapter in its rushing, so a progressive dinner was given, each course being served in the home of an alumna. The homes were prettily decorated and the informality of going from house to house developed a very successful rushing affair. The alumnae have also helped the active chapter in entertaining at several smaller events at the chapter house.

At the first meeting of the year, Sue C. Hiestand was elected president; Florence Ziegenfuss-Briggs, vice-president; Mary Iglehart-Near, secretary; Elsie E. Howell, corresponding secretary; and Ora Lucas, treasurer. Meetings have been held on the third Tuesday of every month at the homes of the members.

The hopes of the Berkeley club and California Beta for building a chapter house for the latter are getting a firm basis of realism. A house building committee was elected with Edith White as chairman and stock is being issued. At the Founders' Day celebration, \$1,400 was raised. The Founders' Day celebration was of the nature of a cooky shine at the chapter house, the club furnishing the refreshments and the active girls, the entertainment. Cooky shines are always very successful affairs with us and this certainly was no exception as the feeling of good fellowship between the younger and older girls was very noticeable.

ELSIE E. HOWELL.

## BOSTON ALUMNAE CLUB

At the close of this year, the Boston Alumnae Club with a membership of fifty-four, looks back with much happiness to her meetings, and to her associations with the active chapter. Though not nearly all our members could meet regularly, as many are not living near Boston, our gatherings have been full of interest and pleasure.

After commencement in June, we had one meeting which we spent in sewing clothing for the Sunshine Society of which our club is now a branch. Twice through the summer months we enjoyed outings—one with Mrs. Anna Robinson Nickerson, at her summer home, the other at Hull, where we were entertained by Rena Bisbee. At this time and at our September meeting, we planned how we might best assist the active girls, as we try to have them feel that we are heartily interested in all phases of the fraternity life. For this purpose we invited them to enjoy a corn roast with us on the first Saturday after the opening of college in September. We gathered at the hospitable Wallon home in Roxbury and late in the afternoon repaired to a breezy hill-top, where amid the fun of roasting the corn and eating our picnic luncheon, we found opportunities to learn to know the active girls.

Soon after this came our October meeting, when we met with the active chapter in a rushing party. Initiation, and the banquet which is always held on that day, brought us together again in November; then, to complete those pleasant meetings with the younger girls, came our regular December meeting at the home of Mabel Whitcomb-Rider. This was the largest gathering of the year with the exception of the banquet, and we were especially happy to have with us two members of I. C., Mrs. Carver and Mrs. Bierwirth. The business session was devoted to a discussion and study of the constitution and to plans for our Sunshine work. After business, our hostess served a dainty supper for the active chapter and the alumnae. In the evening we enjoyed an entertainment by several of the girls, entitled "An Old Sweetheart of Mine."

Through the winter the meetings have been held regularly on the second Saturday of each month. April was a busy and pleasant month for us. At the regular meeting we elected officers for the coming year. On April 9 a musical was given at the home of Pro-

fessor Marshall in Brookline. The proceeds were contributed to the fund for the furnishing of the girls' assembly room at college.

We celebrated Founders' Day as usual, by a banquet, to which we invited the seniors. A number of Pi Phis from other chapters, and of the active girls were with us. After the dinner we enjoyed a programme of impromptu speeches, and at the close our province president, Anna Nickerson, made us very happy by her announcement of an honor which has come to one of our Massachusetts Alpha alumnae—the conferring of the Pi Beta Phi graduate fellowship for the coming year upon Sarah Gertrude Pomeroy.

Besides our own Sunshine work, the alumnae have contributed money for the chapter room furnishings, and have shared the expense of the piano for the room.

Our officers for this coming year are: Mary C. Galbraith, president; Amy Wallon, vice-president; Jennie B. Allyn, recording secretary and treasurer; Mabel Whitcomb-Rider, corresponding secretary.

We hope that all Pi Phis who are to be near Boston will give us names and addresses, and let us welcome them to our club.

MARION E. COBURN.

#### BOULDER ALUMNAE CLUB

The Boulder Alumnae Club organized in the fall with a membership of twenty-eight. Meetings have been held the first Wednesday afternoon of each month in the chapter room of the Pi Phi house and a number of called meetings have been held besides. At most of the meetings there has been an attendance of about fifteen. At a number of the meetings we have invited in the active girls and served refreshments. On March 30 we had a social meeting and cooky shine. Most of the girls were there and we had a very pleasant time.

We have been trying to raise \$2,500 to pay on the chapter house. Our fund is coming on well though very many of our alumnae have not been heard from. We have been working with the active chapter to try to put the house management on a more business like basis. We also helped with the Christmas bazar at the house—the alumnae having charge of the table of cooked food.

Our Founders' Day celebration was held on April 30 in connection with Colorado Alpha, Colorado Beta and the other alumnae of the state. The celebration was held here in Boulder. There was a

business meeting and social hour at the chapter house, followed by a banquet at the Boulderado. Sixty-four Pi Phis attended the banquet and Mrs. Briggs (Gerte Poyneer, Iowa Gamma) acted as toast mistress.

MAUD ELDEN BAIRD.

#### BURLINGTON ALUMNAE CLUB

The Burlington Alumnae Club has experienced a most delightful and helpful year in their work as an organization. Although the meetings have not been very frequent, each one has brought forth a large attendance and has been most enjoyable. We have twenty-one members in the club, and have a number of active college girls with us during their vacation. They always bring new life and zeal to us.

The club met to organize for the year's work at the home of Mrs. Clay Waite, in November, at which meeting the following officers were elected: president, Mrs. S. O. Thomas; vice-president, Mrs. Edna Uhler Gilman; treasurer, Sadie Burt; secretary, Katherine A. Lundgren. At this meeting it was decided by the club, to continue their interest in the beautiful Pi Phi room which we have furnished at the Burlington hospital, and to meet the annual assessments for maintaining the furnishings. Following the business session, an elaborate luncheon was served.

During the holidays, on December 28, our annual Christmas party was held at the home of Perle Hayden,—a home which was once the scene of a reception to the delegates of the national convention, when it was held in Burlington during the '80's. This event was indeed a pleasant one, for we had as guests, Mrs. Dorothy Schultz Crosby of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. Bertha Alexander Miller of New Hampton, Sadie Holiday of Waverly, Louise Adams and Leila Penrose of Iowa City, and Marie Minton, the latter a pledge of Wisconsin Alpha's. A programme in keeping with the Yule-tide was rendered, after which a banquet was served.

On March 5, Iowa Alpha chapter of Iowa Wesleyan University responded to our invitation to hold their annual initiation ceremony with us, and were guests of the club at the home of Mrs. Ethel Cowan Weibley. The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the ceremony, which initiated four young ladies into the mysteries of Pi Phi, was indeed impressive. A luncheon followed the initiation. This event has been one of the most pleasant of the year, as it brought us into close touch with an interesting active

chapter, and gave us the privilege of witnessing a "real initiation."

Founders' Day was celebrated on April 23, with Josephine and Sadie Burt as hostesses. A preliminary meeting preceded the banquet, during which Mrs. Thomas, a charter member of Iowa Alpha, our oldest chapter, gave a most interesting historical sketch of Pi Phi, and Katherine Lundgren read an article on "The Meaning of Pi Beta Phi." At the close of the banquet, the following toast programme was given, our president, Mrs. Jessie Donnel Thomas acting as mistress of toasts:

Toast mistress.....Mrs. S. O. Thomas, Iowa Alpha  
 "Let Fate do her worst, there are relics of joy,  
 Bright dreams of the past which she cannot destroy."

Greeting ..... Josephine Burt, Iowa Delta  
 "Come in the evening, or come in the morning;  
 Come when you're looked for, or come without warning,  
 Warmest of welcomes you'll find here before you,  
 And the oftener you come here the more we'll adore you."

"Once a Pi Phi, always a Pi Phi" ... Jessie Thomas, Iowa Zeta  
 The Wine Carnation .... Mrs. Cora Widick Lang, Iowa Delta  
 Our Target the Arrow Mrs Edna Uhler Gilman, Illinois Beta  
 "The touch of Nature's genial glow."

Auf Wiedersehen ..... Mrs. Louis Blaul, Kansas Alpha  
 "Est ist bestimmt in Gottes Rath  
 Dass man von liebsten was man hat,  
 Muss scheiden."

We had as guests on this occasion Mrs. Anna Crane Whiting and Mae Hills, of the Mt. Pleasant Alumnae Club.

Late in April, our club entered upon a little business venture by holding a food sale of home made delicacies in one of our most prominent city stores. The result of our morning's sales netted us twenty-five dollars for the benefit of our pet charity, our hospital room.

Death has entered the homes of several of our members this year, and in each instance, our sympathy was expressed to our sorrowing sisters by the wine carnations.

We feel that we have suffered a great loss by the removal of Mrs. Arthur Schramm to Seattle, where she is now at home at 426 Smith Street, Queen Anne Hill. KATHERINE ALICE LUNDGREN.



## CHICAGO ALUMNAE CLUB

The Chicago Alumnae Club has pursued the even tenor of its way the past year and feels that the interest of the organization is well sustained. In June, at the outing held on the beach at Evanston, we re-elected our officers of the past year, viz: Mrs. W. F. Bridge, Pennsylvania Beta, president; Katharine Miller, Iowa Beta, vice-president; Mabel Abbott, Indiana Alpha, treasurer; Dorothy Sass, Michigan Beta, recording secretary; Mrs. O. M. Schantz, Iowa Theta, corresponding secretary, and the three members of the executive board—Mrs. W. T. Spry, Illinois Delta, Mary O. Pollard, Vermont Alpha, and Hedwig Mueller, Illinois Epsilon.

The regular meetings were held as follows: The last Saturday in September with Lucy Hammond at the Tea House; the Friday after Thanksgiving at the College Club rooms; the last Saturday in September with Lucy Hammond at the Tea House; in January with Lucy Hammond at the Tea House; the Friday after Thanksgiving at the College Club rooms; the last Saturday in April at the Chicago Beach Hotel.

At the January meeting each member brought some piece of sewing which when finished was donated to different active chapters near us. Illinois Epsilon, Illinois Zeta, Indiana Alpha and Gamma, and Michigan Alpha received the products of our needles.

The Founders' Day meeting held April 30, at the Chicago Beach Hotel was very enjoyable. Thirty-eight Pi Phis gathered about the round tables laden with good things to eat and after doing them full justice listened to some very good talks. Mrs. Annabelle Lee Gault, New York Beta, of Evanston, spoke on the present day problems of Pi Phi and a discussion followed. Mrs. Inez Ulery McGuire, charter member of Indiana Alpha, talked to us on the way American school life appears to one who has been twenty years abroad. Mrs. McGuire has been a missionary to India for that length of time. Her talk was both instructive and interesting. Illinois Epsilon girls livened our meetings with Pi Phi songs throughout the afternoon. Katharine Miller was toastmistress and as always, was very bright and apt in her remarks.

Our next meeting is the June outing about the middle of June.

MRS. O. M. SCHANTZ.

## CINCINNATI ALUMNAE CLUB

The resident members of Pi Beta Phi in Cincinnati met at the Gibson House on Saturday, April 2, and completed the organization of an alumnae club.

The following officers were elected: president, Mrs. E. A. Kinsey (Susannah Miles) Kansas Alpha; first vice-president, Stella R. Koons, Ohio Alpha; secretary, Mrs. J. Ernest Carman (Gertrude Hancox) Iowa Beta; treasurer, Lucy Murdock, Ohio Alpha. The president, Mrs. Kinsey was an I. C. at the University of Kansas. Fifteen are enrolled and the club starts out with a promising future. Luncheon followed the business and social hour and at its close the club adjourned to meet the first Saturday in May at the Gibson House parlors at twelve o'clock.

GERTRUDE HANCOX-CARMAN.

## CLEVELAND ALUMNAE CLUB

So many of the members were out of town during the summer that our first attempt to get together was not until September 29. Mrs. Stone (Carrie Newell, Iowa Alpha) entertained the club that day. October 18 we left on an early car and were entertained at luncheon by Mrs. Bostwick (Kate King, Michigan Alpha) at her home in Chardon. At this meeting it was decided to talk with other alumnae clubs of the city about organizing a Pan-Hellenic association in Cleveland. Before this was done, however, we reconsidered the motion and decided that because our club was small and young we would let some older club take the first steps.

Owing to sickness and to the inability of so many of the members to be present, the meeting with Mrs. Belknap (Ruth Houseman, Ohio Beta) on November 17 at her home in Painesville was necessarily cancelled. March 9 the club met with Mrs. Charlesworth (Mabel McDill, Iowa Zeta) to consider plans for Founders' Day. We celebrated Founders' Day April 26. The club met with Miss Anna Campbell (Iowa Eta) at the Y. W. C. A. where a table was decorated by Miss Campbell in Pi Phi carnations and a meal was served especially for us. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed in visiting and reading letters of common interest, and in singing Pi Phi songs.

Our meetings of necessity are chiefly social inasmuch as we are not very close to any active chapter, and all our attempts at, or rather

hopes of, installing Pi Beta Phi at Woman's College of Western Reserve prove entirely futile. However we are ready to do anything we can to help Pi Phi and are very eager to make our club as large as it is loyal.

MARIE BELLOWS-McNITT.

#### COLUMBUS ALUMNAE CLUB

The meetings of the Columbus Alumnae Club are held at the homes of the different members every two weeks and are purely social. We assemble at about six in the evening and a "spread" of good things brought by the members is a feature of each meeting. Our chief aim seems to be "good fellowship" and a strengthening of "the tie that binds." A few of the meetings each year are attended by both the alumnae and active chapters. As we have the two chapters in Columbus we are ever anxious that they shall act in harmony.

We celebrated Founders' Day by a trolley ride to Groveport, a nearby village and by a dinner at Hotel Elmont in that place. The active and alumnae chapters combined for this celebration.

Although our club does neither literary nor charitable work we feel that it is very dear to us and that it helps each and all to live that higher life that is the aim of every true member of Pi Beta Phi.

MARGARET SUTHERLAND-FLYNN.

#### DENVER ALUMNAE CLUB

Our regular monthly meetings began in September and closed in May. The September meeting was, as usual, sparsely attended, the first meeting always being the smallest. It was devoted to preparations for Pi Beta Phi's entertainment of the Denver Women's Pan-Hellenic Club. The October meeting was also devoted to final arrangements for this reception, given at the home of Mrs. George Stidger to the 250 Greek women of Denver. The November meeting was devoted to a discussion of some definite line of work or amusement to be undertaken by the alumnae club with the avowed object of inducing a larger and more enthusiastic attendance. Out of a membership of 95 alumnae our average attendance was 20. At the December meeting a special committee presented various plans for trial at the succeeding meetings, and in accordance with that plan, our January meeting was a largely attended luncheon at a French café. The February meeting was a cooky shine and sewing bee at

the home of an alumna. The March meeting consisted of a farce written by Miss Florence Porter Robinson, formerly editor of the *ARROW*, and given by eleven alumnae for the rest of the club and their friends. This was followed by a spread and the entire thing was a huge success, Miss Robinson's farce being extremely clever. The April meeting was Founders' Day of course and the May meeting was an outdoor picnic.

As a summary of what we have accomplished I can truly say that the novelty of a different event for each month has been entirely successful and has put new life into a half-hearted club.

Founders' Day was this year celebrated in Boulder with Colorado Alpha, and consisted of an informal reception at the chapter house in the morning, a large noonday banquet at a hotel at which 57 were seated, and a matinee dance at the chapter house in the afternoon.

LUELLE T. CORBIN.

#### DETROIT ALUMNAE CLUB

We of the Detroit Alumnae Club hold our meetings monthly, at the homes of the members. We have a business meeting first, with perhaps a short programme or talks regarding subjects of special fraternity interest. Then the meeting becomes a social affair. The meetings are well attended, and a pleasure to all the members, who are scattered over the city and might lose touch with the girls and the fraternity, without them.

The purchase of the chapter house at Ann Arbor, its furnishings and decoration, still absorb most of our energies, as they have done for the past few years. With the papers signed and regular payments made on the purchase, we have reason to be happy over the results of our labors thus far.

It is a pleasure to welcome new Pi Phis, who are visiting or locating in the city.

LENORE SMITH-WILSON.

#### GALESBURG ALUMNAE CLUB

The Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club of Galesburg has held four meetings at the homes of different members, and will hold soon a fifth at which the election of officers for next year will take place. The first part of each meeting is devoted to business and the latter part either to sewing for the Pi Phi room in the local hospital or to conversation and music.

According to the Pan-Hellenic rules, until the sophomore year no one can be invited to membership in the two active chapters and no rushing or entertaining done. So this year has been rather quiet. We celebrated Founders' Day with the Illinois Beta and Delta chapters at a banquet at which eighty-two were present. A number from out-of-town were here—Among those were Mrs. Libbie Brook Gaddis, one of the founders, Miss Elda Smith, Grand Secretary, and Mrs. Kate Walker Johnson, our province president.

MILDRED TOLER.

#### INDIANAPOLIS ALUMNAE CLUB

On April 23 the Pi Phis of Indiana met at our most beautiful hotel, the Claypool, to celebrate the founding of the fraternity. Sixty loyal members responded to the roll call and it is desired and almost assured that those sixty will not miss another banquet. Did we have such a good time you ask? Indeed we did. How could we help it with Jessie Christian-Brown as toast mistress and so many other good speakers to inspire us. That we met in the same room where the National Convention sessions were held in 1906 added another incentive to make this banquet the "best ever." We had a harpist but he really wasn't needed for we enjoyed singing Pi Phi songs more than listening to any other music. Deep red carnations and ferns adorned the tables. Such gatherings can only result in much good for Pi Phi. "If we could have only created enough ginger to carry everybody to the convention," as a boy said of his fraternity banquet, we certainly would feel proud but even so we consider this the most successful banquet Pi Phi ever held in Indiana.

Our Indianapolis Alumnae Club has met the second Saturday in every month, during the winter. When the warm months come we have picnics which are always well attended. We have never taken up any definite work but are now talking of reading aloud beneficial books and then discussing them. In the fall we gave a Hallowe'en party for the active girls and their rushees. Later the club was entertained by the active girls with a Literary Tea.

Any Pi Phi who is in Indianapolis on the second Saturday of the month will find a hearty welcome at the club. MARY P. DAVIS.

## INDIANOLA ALUMNAE CLUB

The Indianola Alumnae Club meets the second Thursday of each month. We have a business session first; the rest of the afternoon is purely social.

We are to have a  $\Pi B \Phi$  reunion June 7 during commencement week. We have written letters to all former members of Iowa Beta asking them to visit us during that week and are expecting a large reunion.

On Founders' Day the active and alumnae chapters met at the home of Mrs. Dowell. The freshmen furnished the entertainment for the evening, which was a mock wedding of Simpson College and Iowa Beta. The remainder of the evening was spent in singing  $\Pi B \Phi$  songs and in enjoying a cooky shine.

ELIZABETH BROWN.

## KANSAS CITY ALUMNAE CLUB

The Kansas City Alumnae Club now numbers forty and it seems that each month we acquire a new member. Our meetings are held the third Saturday in each month so that the members who are teachers may attend. Our president appoints five hostesses for each meeting and they entertain with a luncheon at one of their homes. After luncheon we sew—as a rule for a hospital for women and children. By this means we not only try to accomplish some thing but we also have something in which to be interested.

We celebrated Founders' Day April 7 with one of our regular meetings. After luncheon instead of our sewing our hostesses surprised us with a very clever stunt show. We had planned to observe Founders' Day the week before but that was the day of the second annual luncheon of the Pan-Hellenic association and so we postponed our Pi Phi celebration. Last year a Delta Gamma organized the Pan-Hellenic association of Kansas City. We had such an enjoyable time at the first meeting that it was voted to make the organization permanent and the luncheon an annual event. At the meeting of April 30 the fraternities decided to observe as closely as possible the rules of the National Pan-Hellenic. Therefore a Pi Phi, Mrs. Fred Heryer (Loren Leslie) was elected president—I think it is a rule to have a member of the oldest sorority president the first year, the second oldest fraternity has the secretary and so on. The second year the secretary becomes president. Besides this social



meeting I have spoken of there is to be a business meeting during the year.

The Missouri-Kansas Football game is an annual Thanksgiving event here in Kansas City. The Pi Phis, like other fraternities, have a banquet the night before at which both active chapters from Kansas and Missouri State are present with the alumnae club. Almost all of the fraternities represented in each college celebrate in this way. Pan-Hellenic has voted to give an informal reception of some kind on Thanksgiving morning, in honor of the visiting university girls.

MARY REGENE BUCKLES.

#### LEWISBURG ALUMNAE CLUB

The Lewisburg Alumnae Club has met twice a term this year, and has had some very enjoyable meetings.

In the fall we entertained Bucknell chapter, at an "at home" at Mrs. Bourne's (Kate McLaughlin).

During the year we decided to extend our territory to include the Pi Beta Phis in Williamsport, and invited them to join the club. It has been a pleasure to have Mrs. H. P. Haskin, (Mary Ames of Maryland Alpha) in this way added to our membership.

Founders' Day we celebrated merely by attending the reception given by Pennsylvania Beta to the patronesses and alumnae. This affair was a most delightful one.

We are now making plans to entertain both the alumnae and the active chapter at a lawn party on Saturday, of commencement week.

The club has not undertaken a programme except such work as is required by the alumnae constitution. Rather have we been trying to "learn our wings."

The result of the year's work has been to make us feel much more keenly than we used to, that we still belong to the fraternity and owe her our allegiance.

GRACE SLIFER-DRUM.

#### LINCOLN ALUMNAE CLUB

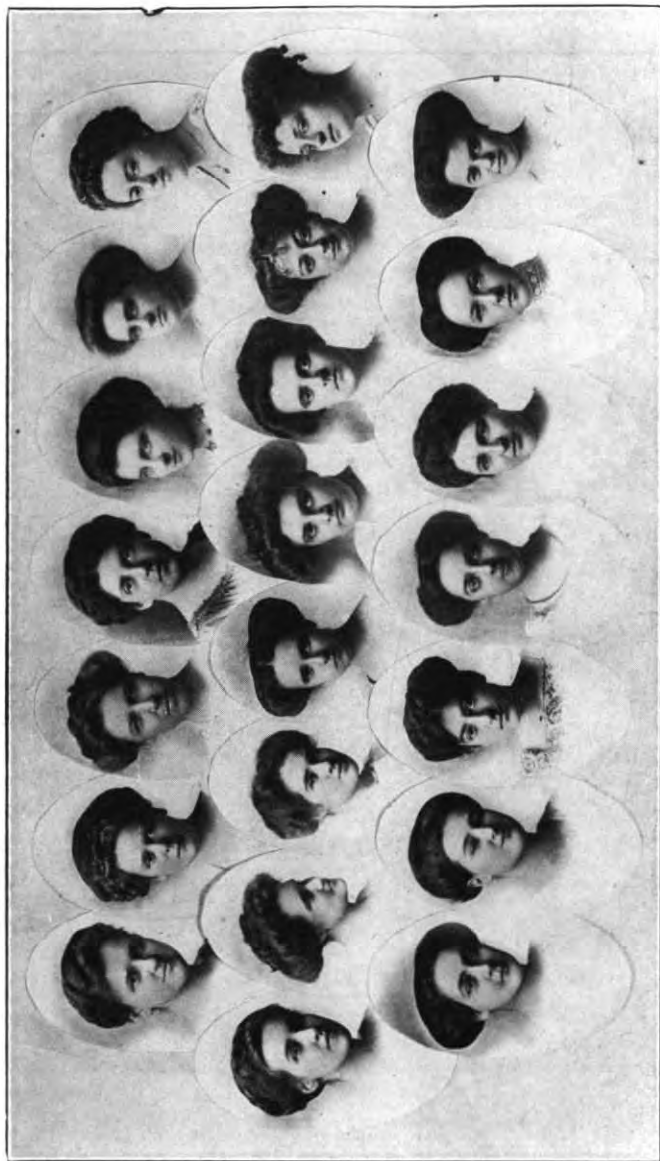
Our first meeting this year was held September 11 and, as it is our custom to give all or part of the rushing parties in the fall, our principal business was the discussion of fall rushing and the election of officers. Two of the parties were given by the active chapter and two by the alumnae. Those given by the alumnae were a musical at the home of the Misses Stuart and a play at Marie Talbot's. The

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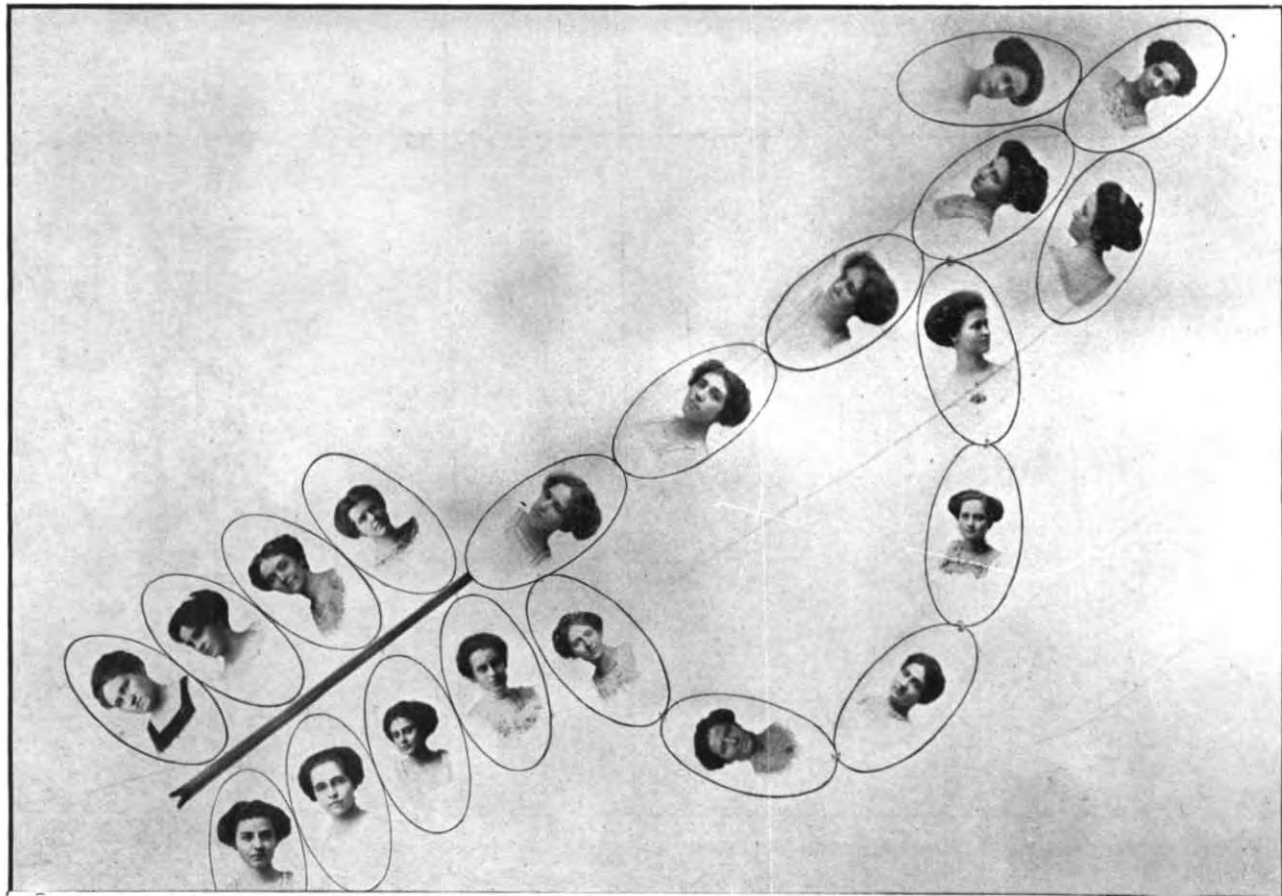


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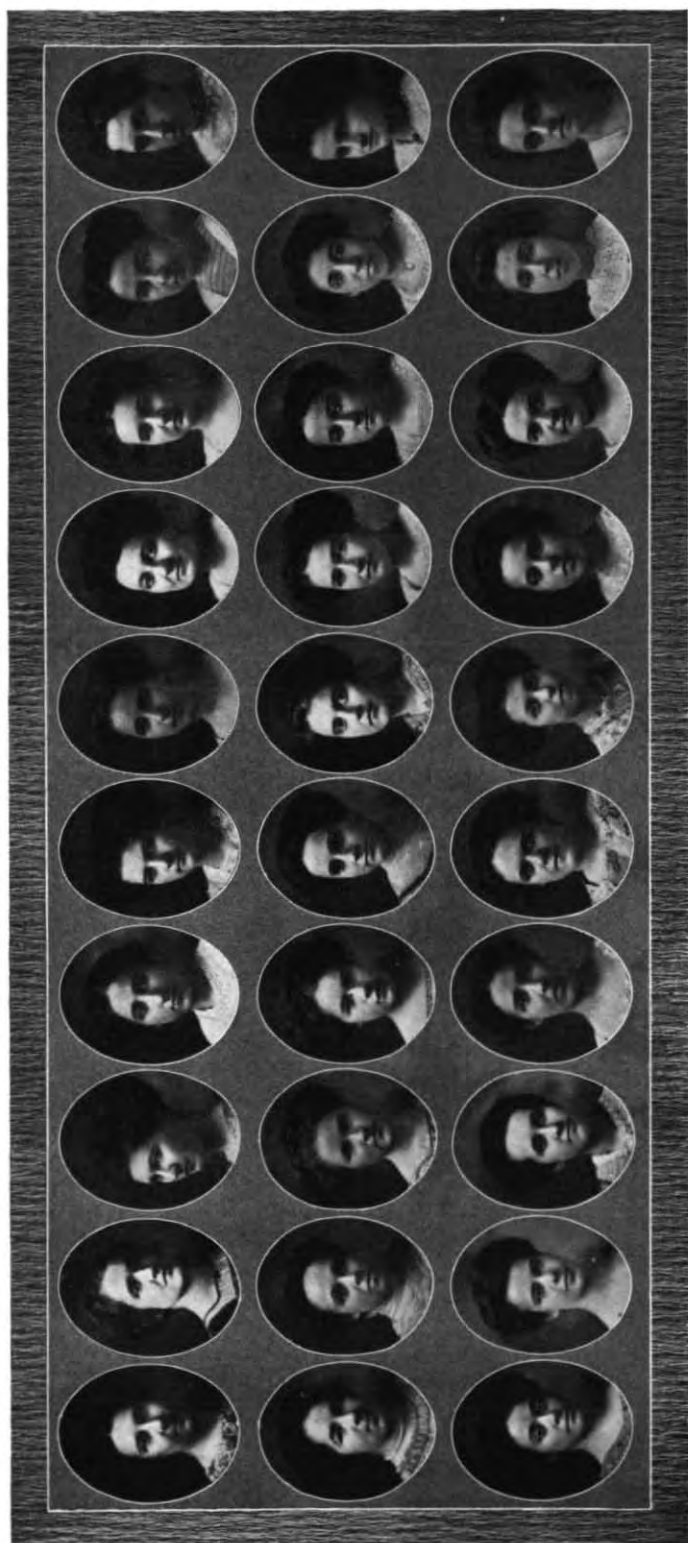


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Second row—Mary McClain, Helen Barnhizer, Marie McClain, Maude Davis, Mary Payne.  
Third row—Esther Aikens, Louise Carter, Mary Murphy, Aline Oldaker, Thomasine Allen, Hazel Deupree, Marie Wilson.  
Fourth row—Leah Jackson, Marjory Wnyl, Eunice Magaw.*

INDIANA BETA



INDIANA GAMMA



*First row, Left, top to bottom—Hildred Hughes, Mary Stilz, Agnes Tilson, Edith Rhoades.  
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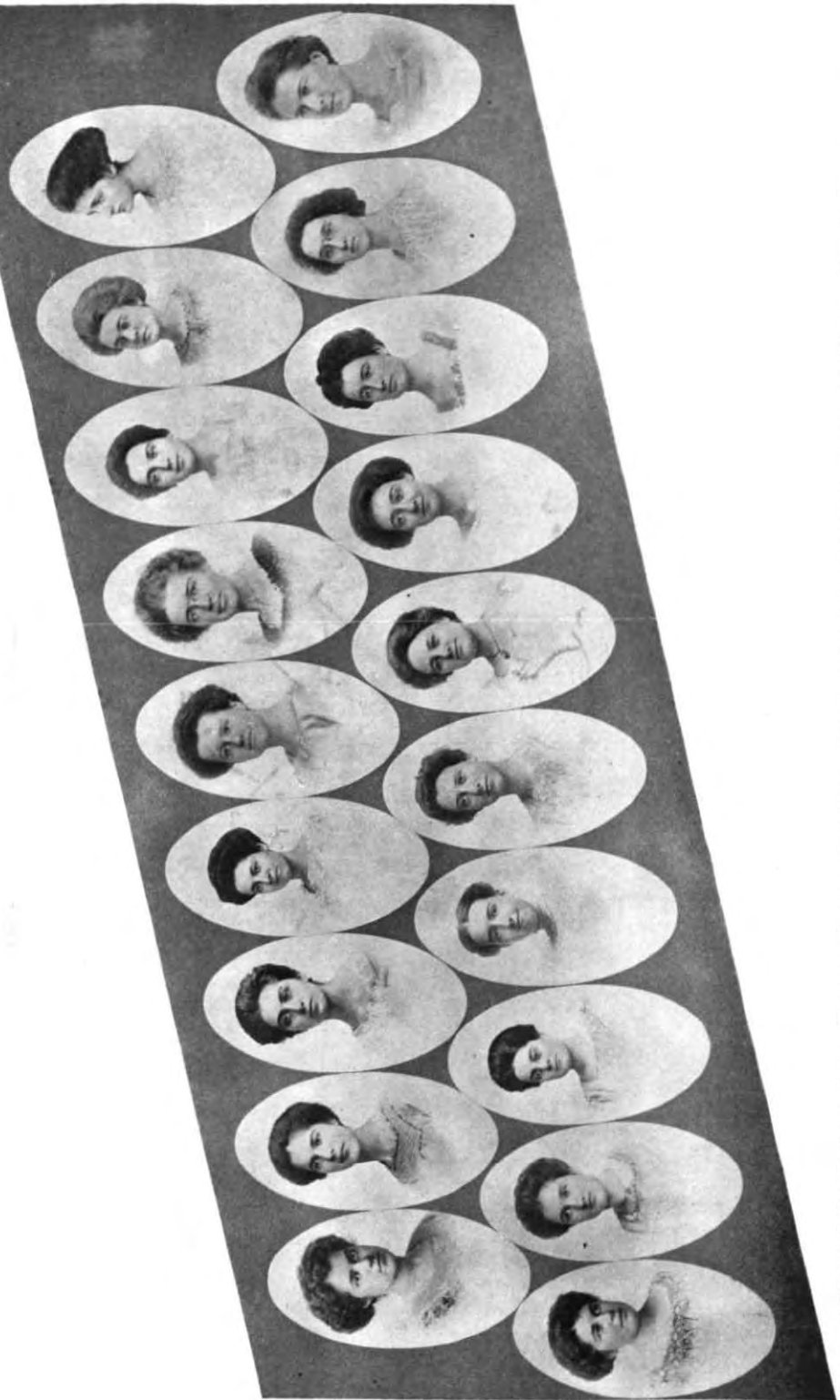


IOWA ALPHA



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IOWA BETA



Top row—Edith Beall, Ava Hathaway, Helen Thompson, Dessmond Clabaugh, Florence Schee, Edith Lisle, Gladys Smith, Edith Payton, Hazel Perley.  
Second row—Esther Antrim, Eva Hathaway, Jessie Houser, Bessie Tilton, Ruth Harp, Maide Baker, Margaret Pemble, Jessie Schee, Irma Walker, Ada Whitney.

IOWA GAMMA



Top row—Jones, Ahlbrecht, Wentch, Howe, Mirick.  
Second row—Weaver, Hungerford, Lacey, King, Mills.  
Third row—Reed, Everett, Brennan, Moore, Andre.  
Fourth row—Armstrong, Barrett, Chase, Storms, Wakefield.

officers elected were: president, Mrs. Vera Wattles Kirkpatrick; vice-president, Mrs. Mildred Hazelwood King; treasurer, Mrs. Edna Holland De Putron; secretary, Mrs. Margaret McLucas McAnulty; corresponding secretary, Alyse Swedberg.

At the meeting held September 29, it was decided to furnish a room in the new Y. W. C. A. building which is soon to be completed. To do this each girl agreed to earn five dollars in addition to what the club could earn. The money for the club was obtained by tying quilts for members and friends. And during the winter months we had two meetings each month instead of the one that is usual. The fact that we had a definite object to work for made each of us more enthusiastic and more careful to be present at each meeting. This is probably one of the reasons why the year has been so much enjoyed by all of us.

We had planned to have as many out-of-town Pi Phis with us as possible to help celebrate Founders' Day with a banquet at the Lindell Hotel. Cards were sent out to all Pi Phis in the state and several events were planned to entertain the visitors. Unfortunately there were several cases of smallpox in the university at this time and, a few days before the date set for the banquet, all public gatherings were forbidden to take place. Thus our banquet was postponed but we hope to have it soon although probably we shall not have as many present as usual.

At the last meeting of the club, two new names were added to our list, Marie Talbot and Nelle Bratt, both from Nebraska Beta.

ALYSE SWEDBERG.

#### LOS ANGELES ALUMNAE CLUB.

Our meetings for the year have included five luncheons, one of them being the luncheon of the Pan-Hellenic organization of Los Angeles. All were held at hotels or in the Y. W. C. A. building. In addition we have given a studio tea, a cooky shine, an evening reception on St. Patrick's Day and a week-end house party at the beach.

Our Founders' Day celebration was a garden party and cooky shine. The guest of honor was Mrs. J. E. Tutton (Lora Crothers) who attended Monmouth College with the founders of Pi Beta Phi and was initiated by them in the fall of 1872. In a very interest-

ing talk she told us of the personality of our founders and of their college life at Monmouth.

The alumnae club has enthusiastically joined in an effort to form a Federation of College Women's Clubs. In this it has been successful. The purpose of the Federation is to direct the efforts of the college women of Los Angeles in some definite philanthropic, social, or educational work, thus enlisting many who are not identified with our organizations of a social nature. We hope that the united efforts of our college women may result in definite good to our city.

And finally may I make a personal suggestion? In making a register of all Pi Phis in and around Los Angeles, to be kept in our Young Woman's Christian Association office, I found that the information regarding many of our Pi Phis was very incomplete. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the secretary of the active membership has, unless she is unusually persevering, but little information regarding alumnae when she begins her annual revision of the register. This has been my own experience. Would it not be a good plan to ask the coöperation of alumnae club secretaries in this? Surely much valuable information might in this way be secured for the catalogue.

NELL VALE-CORE.

#### MADISON ALUMNAE CLUB

Since organization in November 1908, our meetings have been held the first Saturday of every month during the collegiate year, with some member of the club as hostess. Election of officers took place in October. Adaline Brown-Bassett, (Mrs. Harry K. Bassett) 110 Spooner St., was made president; Mabel Bartlett Kropf (Mrs. Rudolph Kropf) 1031 Sherman Ave., vice-president; and Cora Norsman-Neckerman (Mrs R. J. Neckerman) 17 W. Doty St., secretary and treasurer.

During rushing week we entertained the active girls and rushees at an informal tea. The April meeting occurred at the home of our president, with Mrs. Bassett and Iva Welsh as joint hostesses. The active chapter, pledges, and ourselves made a total of fifty guests. Plans were made for a Founders' Day celebration to be held at a picnic ground across Lake Monona. But the day set was stormy, and on the theory that it is better to be a live coward than a dead hero, the picnic was postponed. At our June meeting the policy of the

club for the ensuing year was discussed. The present chapter house is inadequate, and it is our plan to sell the property and build.

Printed cards have been issued for our annual banquet June 18. All Wisconsin Alpha girls, not in receipt of same, will kindly mail their present addresses to the alumnae secretary. It is further suggested that the active chapter be notified immediately of all changes of address, in order that the record-book may be kept up to date.

CORA NORSMAN-NECKERMAN.

#### MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. PAUL ALUMNAE CLUB

The Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club of St Paul and Minneapolis has held six meetings during the past year. In September we met at the chapter house, into which the girls had just moved, and the time was spent in discussing their needs. We also elected officers for the year and made some minor changes in our constitution. In November it was decided to give our attention for a few meetings to becoming familiar with some of the different lines of philanthropic work in which certain of our alumnae are especially interested, with a view to identifying ourselves as a club with some definite object. It was felt that with so many members of diversified interests something was needed to hold us more closely together, and that as Pi Phis we should not be satisfied with social ends alone. At our next meeting Mrs. Emily Brooks Harrison, Illinois Delta, president of the Minneapolis Y. W. C. A., spoke on the work of the association in this city and in foreign countries. Mrs. Harrison had returned recently from a trip around the world and could speak from first-hand knowledge on both the local and the international aspects of this great organization. Esther Chapman, Minnesota Alpha, spoke with equal knowledge of its place and purpose in the state university. At the March meeting, we rolled bandages for the Visiting Nurses, and Mrs. Bessie Tucker Gislason, Minnesota Alpha, told of their good work. That month we were the guests of Mrs. Jennie T. Sedgwick, Nebraska Alpha, who gave us a delightful musical programme entitled "Music and Imagination." In April we met with Mrs. Florence Amble Reed, Minnesota Alpha. We occupied our time making baby dresses for the Minneapolis Maternity Hospital, and one of its directors, our club president, Mrs. Frances Jacobs Nickels, Minnesota Alpha, gave a talk on the noble work of that institution.



Founders' Day was celebrated on April 30 jointly with the active chapter by a banquet at Donaldson's Tea Rooms. There were about sixty in attendance. Esther Chapman proved a delightful toast mistress. The central theme was "Every Man's House is his Castle." The programme included these toasts: "Open House" (To all Pi Phis), Viola Lenning; "The Little Red Schoolhouse" (Our Pi Phi teachers), Elizabeth Foss; "The House" (To our active chapter), Lydia Cox; "The House that Jack Built" (To our Pi Phi brides), Juanita Day; "The Doll's House" (To our Pi Phi babies), Alice Ozias; and "Our Castle in the Air," Luella Woodke. There were songs and recitations, and informal talks by Mrs. Nickels, Marie Anderson, and Cora Marlow. We had as special guests Mrs. Minnie Newby Ricketts, former Grand Vice-President, Iowa Iota and Michigan Beta, Abbie Langmaid of Granite Falls, Mrs. Florence Johnson Collins of Austin, Mrs. Agnes Watson Miller of La Feria, Tex., Emily Holmes, Wisconsin Alpha, of Hudson, Wis., Helen Halloway, Nebraska Beta, of St. Paul.

The last meeting will be in June, probably with Mrs. Rilla Wyckoff Boynton, Nebraska Alpha. The time will be given to studying the constitution and especially the statutes pertaining to alumnae organization. During the summer months our regular club organization is suspended, and, as in past years, alumnae and active girls will meet together once in two weeks.

There are fifty alumnae in the Twin Cities, and we have had an average of twenty at our meetings. Our club has suffered some disorganization this year owing to what seemed unavoidable conditions. Next year we will surely do better and report some definite accomplishment, for to those of us who attend the club is a source of pleasure we would not forego, and we think that, once interested, all alumnae will feel the same.

JUANITA H. DAY.

#### MT. PLEASANT ALUMNAE CLUB.

Our meetings of the past year, which have been of a social nature, were held once every month. A great many of them have included our active Iowa Alpha girls. We feel that this coming together helps us both. We keep in touch with the live workings of Pi Phi and they feel that they have those who are interested in them and their work, and that the closing of college life is not the end of Pi Phi life.

We, with the active chapter, celebrated Founders' Day at the home of Nellie Wallbank and Mrs. Eliza Wallbank Palmer. An informal reception was held in the large hall and then all were invited into the parlors which had been transformed into beautiful banqueting rooms. A long table, decorated with fraternity colors, candles, and carnations, extended through the two rooms, at which about fifty Pi Phis were seated. Our alumnae president, Miss Wallbank, and active chapter president, Lavanda Gardner, presided at the table.

Instead of the usual toast programme, the chairs were pushed back and the guests were entertained by the play, "Ici on Parle Français," a one act farce by Thomas Williams. The cast, of three alumnae and four undergraduates, was as follows:

Major Ralton .....	Mrs. Frank Pyle
Victor Dubois, a Frenchman.....	Ullena Ingersoll
Mr. Spriggins, letter of lodgings.....	Vera Hassenpflug
Mrs. Spriggins, his aristocratic wife.....	Bertha Snider
Angelina, the daughter .....	Lavanda Gardner
Julia, the Major's wife.....	Mrs. A. L. Eaton
Anna Maria, a maid.....	Berna Holdeman

Miss Ora Shrader had charge of the play and the presentation disclosed not only the excellence of her training but also the unusual talent of each member of the cast.

We are now planning, besides our regular monthly meetings, to entertain our visiting Pi Phis and the active chapter during college commencement.

The coming year our meetings are to be more of a business nature, including a short time for "Story Telling," and a discussion of current events, followed by our usual social hour.

MAY HILLS.

NEW YORK ALPHA.

The New York Alpha of Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club meets regularly once in two weeks on Monday afternoons during the collegiate year. The club has twenty-two active members and they take their turns in serving as hostesses to the club.

The first meeting of the season which was our eightieth club gathering, was held at the home of the president, Louise V. Winfield. On this occasion the needs of the active chapter were discussed.

On September 22 the club entertained the active chapter and

rushees at a delightful four-course progressive dinner which was served at the homes of Louise V. Winfield, Martha Sibson, Anna Green, and Dora Millen. The most important question under discussion this year has been that of the chapter house. The building fund is slowly increasing. The patronesses, the active chapter and the pledges were entertained by the club at an informal coffee at the home of Aigrette Ingalls on October 18. A very successful cooky shine for the freshmen was given at the home of Leora Sherwood-Gray, on November 15. Jack-o' lanterns blinked from all corners of the garret where the "spread" was served.

The club's Christmas gift to the chapter house this year was a dinner cloth which was hemmed at one of the meetings.

The club is represented by Leora Sherwood-Gray on the chapter house committee. The president appoints one or two of the alumnae to attend the active chapter meeting each week, on Friday evening at half after seven. Among our prominent alumnae is Welthy B. Housinger, principal of Baldwin Memorial Girls' School, Nan Chang, Kiangai, China. To her we have sent small sums of money for her work.

A delightful cooky shine and miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Dora Millen, an April bride. On February 21 the president led the discussion of the constitution and policy of the fraternity by asking questions which had been prepared beforehand by a committee.

On March 19 the active chapter was entertained at an informal tea, and the annual alumnae dinner was given that evening at the home of Leora Sherwood-Gray. Red paper tulips and cherry blossoms were made by some of the members for decorating the home of the hostess. White carnations with dainty hand-painted place cards were the table decorations. Thirty alumnae were present at the dinner.

Founders' Day, April 28, was celebrated with a cooky shine at the home of Estelle Foote-Harvie, with the active chapter as our guests. Forty-five active and alumnae girls enjoyed the dainty spread. During the evening, various games were played.

The election of officers for next season occurs the last meeting in May.

GERTRUDE M. BAUER.

## NEW YORK ALUMNAE CLUB.

Since writing the annual report last June the secretary feels that the club has made steady progress. We have welcomed, this year, twenty-eight newcomers, most of whom became active members, and the attendance at our meetings, has greatly increased. This is partly due to the fact that, as more and more cordial and intimate relations exist between the club and the chapter larger numbers of the active girls attend meetings, thus increasing our enthusiasm and swelling our numbers. Then too, our carefully prepared programmes have made the meetings really worth while. The March meeting was the largest with thirty-nine present; and the May out-of-town meeting was the smallest with fifteen.

However, we have not yet interested all the Pi Phis living within a proper distance. There are one hundred fifty names on the catalogue and only a few more than one hundred have been heard from. We are further handicapped by the "fluctuating population" of a great city for the most active workers of one year may move away, or cease to be actively connected with the club. It is also trying to hear in June, that a Pi Phi has been studying all winter in New York and has made no effort to meet any Pi Phis. She would have been saved this effort and would have been given some good times if her chapter had only announced her coming in the ARROW personals so that we could have looked her up.

Last autumn the October meeting was held with New York Beta and we hope this will be an annual custom. Vacation reminiscences were recalled and Miss Rogers and Miss Woodman had many interesting Pi Phi experiences to relate.

In November the meeting was held with Mrs. C. H. Priddy (Clara Noyes, Massachusetts Alpha) in Brooklyn. Miss Julia E. Rogers of Iowa Zeta, our club president, recounted her experiences while coasting along the Florida Keys in company with Mr. A. F. Dimock the artist, who was making photographs of the leaping tarpon. The meeting was splendidly attended, proving that Brooklyn is not as remote as is sometimes thought!

The December meeting was one of the most enjoyable the club has ever had, for it was held at the home of Mrs. Luella Vance-Phillips, Nebraska Alpha, and Mrs. Vance-Phillips entertained us with a talk on miniature painting. She illustrated her descriptions of both porcelain and ivory work with her own paintings.

The election of officers and cooky shine took place at the home of Mrs. W. H. Lough (Bess Shepard, Wisconsin Alpha) in January. At this time Mrs. Lough was elected vice-president and Julia E. Rogers and Sophie P. Woodman were re-elected to the offices of president and secretary-treasurer, respectively. The active chapter was invited and the club members were especially glad to become acquainted with the initiates.

Mrs. Lough also entertained the club at the February meeting. Her friend, Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of the senator, gave a dramatic reading of the clever English play, "How the Vote Was Won." The play was very amusing, Miss La Follette charming and the afternoon altogether enjoyable.

The club is naturally very much interested in convention and the March meeting held with Sophie Woodman took up the history of the fraternity with special attention to the development of THE ARROW and to expansion.

The Founders' Day luncheon was held at the Hotel St. Denis on April 16. It was a great success. Mrs. Lough was chairman of the committee and Marion Stoner, Maryland Alpha, and Mrs. Raymond Hoobler (Madge Sibley, Michigan Beta) served with her. The following responded to toasts: Mrs. Florence Finch Kelly, Kansas Alpha; Pearl Archibald, Nebraska Beta; Mrs. Theiss, Pennsylvania Beta and Michigan Beta; Sophie P. Woodman, New York Beta, and Alta Anderson and Ethel Leveridge of the active chapter. Miss Rogers acted as toast mistress.

The May meeting was held with Mrs. C. H. Taylor (Alice Fisher, Massachusetts Alpha) in Yonkers. The club discussed the application of groups at Cornell, Wyoming and Oklahoma, with members of which the secretary has been in correspondence, and endorsed these three. The club went on record as being heartily in favor of conservative expansion. The club elected Mrs. Lough as delegate to convention. Miss Rogers and Miss Woodman also expect to be present.

SOPHIE PARSONS WOODMAN.

#### NEW YORK BETA ALUMNAE CLUB.

The Saturday before commencement the New York Beta Alumnae invited the active girls to a party on the roof of the Speyer School. The four seniors were given coffee spoons with the fraternity monogram. Gladys Bonfils, '10, announced her engagement

and there was pink ice-cream, so we had a fine time. Afterwards the alumnae had a short business meeting to organize for greater usefulness to themselves, and to the active girls. Abby Leland, '05, was made chairman; Sophie Woodman, '07, vice-chairman and Florence Hubbard, '04, secretary-treasurer.

#### OMAHA AND COUNCIL BLUFFS ALUMNAE CLUB.

The Omaha and Council Bluffs Alumnae Club has grown each year, until now we have a membership of thirty. The past year we have held regular meetings once a month on Saturday, with luncheon at one o'clock—the afternoon given over to business, study and discussion of fraternity affairs, and a social time. Before the holidays we got together a Christmas box for two poor families, devoting one meeting to sewing for them. And on Christmas Day we sent dinners to these families.

We have had two weddings among us this year, and for these prospective brides, Mary Wadsworth, Pi Beta Phi, scholar at Barnard, and Sarah Martin, Nebraska Beta, ex-'10, the club gave two kitchen showers.

Outside our social functions we have had some little study of the constitution, which we all needed and enjoyed. As a club we coöperate with Nebraska Beta and Iowa Zeta in every way possible. In summer rushing we are ready and willing to do our part.

Founders' Day was celebrated with an elaborate banquet at the Loyal Hotel. Twenty-three were present, including our four out-of-town guests: Miss Anne Stuart, president of Gamma province, and Zora Fitzgerald, Nell Bratt and Alice Wilcox, all of Nebraska Beta. One of our newest members, Mrs. Henry Cox, was toast mistress, and after three excellent toasts, we ended an enjoyable evening with the singing of fraternity songs.

We have made no definite plans for next year as yet, but we know that we shall maintain the standard of our club with added zest and enthusiasm for Pi Phi.

MARGARET PHILLIPPI.

#### PHILADELPHIA ALUMNAE CLUB.

The Philadelphia Alumnae Club held six meetings this year. Last October the executive committee of the club sent out to all members a printed list of meetings. We arranged to have some manner of entertainment at the close of the business sessions. And



in this way our meetings have come to be better attended. The November meeting was a business session. The December meeting was followed by a cooky shine which the active chapter at Swarthmore enjoyed with us. A musical followed the January meeting, and a Valentine party increased the attendance at the February meeting. The March meeting was devoted to a study of the history, the policy, and the constitution of the fraternity. Our last meeting was the May meeting which was followed by our celebration of Founders' Day. The active chapter at Swarthmore celebrated the day with us at a joint picnic supper in the Swarthmore woods. Our supper of sandwiches, strawberries, ice-cream and cake was spread upon the large flat rocks which overhang beautiful Crum Creek. At the conclusion of the meal we made the woods ring with Pi Phi songs until nightfall drove us back to college.

For several years we have been doing some philanthropic work. This has consisted in sewing for the Women's Surgical Hospital of Kensington, Philadelphia. At four of our meetings this past year we made bandages to be used at this hospital. And we have decided to sew for the same hospital next year. MARY L. SPROUL.

#### PITTSBURG ALUMNAE CLUB.

The Pittsburg Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club for the past year numbered twelve, with an average attendance of seven at the monthly meetings. The club is still in its infancy. Indeed this year we made our first attempt at holding more than the one annual meeting in commemoration of Founders' Day.

Founders' Day was celebrated by a luncheon. There were present ten Pittsburg Pi Phis and two guests, alumnae of Maryland Alpha: Erma Anderson of Decatur, Ill., and Marion Stoner of New York City. Toasts were given by two alumnae of Pennsylvania Gamma. Anna J. Spears spoke of the activities of Pi Beta Phi, and Kathleen M. Gooding spoke of her experience as a nurse. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Mary Anne Porter of Maryland Alpha, and secretary, Mrs. Eva Olin Copley of Kansas Alpha. An informal discussion of plans for next year followed. MARY ANNE PORTER.

## ST. JOSEPH ALUMNAE CLUB.

Last autumn four Pi Phis came together and decided that it would be a very desirable thing to have a Pi Phi club, and get together for good times such as we had enjoyed in college; thus organized, each member had an opportunity of choosing her own office—wherein the undersigned did not know what she was getting into. Since then we have met approximately once a month, enjoying being together to talk, sing, sew, and eat, in all of which directions we showed ourselves good Pi Phis. We were entertained several times in honor of Hilda White who was married to Mr. Walters in December and went to Portland, Ore., to live. In January the club had a delightful luncheon at the beautiful Robidoux Hotel, and had as a guest Margaret Phillippi, an Omaha Pi Phi. We were happy to discover about this time a sixth member for our club who had come to the city as a bride.

On Founders' Day our president, Mrs. Jones (Maud Miller, Missouri Alpha) gathered ten Pi Phis together with two or three others. Mrs. Phillippi, an I. C., gave a little talk on the origin of the fraternity, and on its existence as I. C. With guitar accompaniment all enjoyed singing fraternity songs. Delicious refreshments were served and all were loth to leave. Two of those present are now members of the club and we look forward to larger meetings when the girls come home for summer vacation. Our Mrs. Gaynor, the famous writer of songs, lives in St. Joseph, We anticipate with pleasure her return from Germany.

So far we have undertaken no study or work of that kind, but hope to help the nearest chapters in rushing, and also to make St. Joseph a place where Pi Phis will be glad to be, and where the name will be held high.

MARJORIE ADRIANCE.

## ST. LOUIS ALUMNAE CLUB.

The St. Louis Alumnae Club, after a long period of inactivity, met February 20 to reorganize at the home of A. Fred Becker, the former secretary. Since then the meetings, held on the first Saturday of each month, have been well attended. The club now numbers thirteen members, all enthusiastic and faithful. Thirty alumnae live in or near St. Louis and by September we hope to interest all of them, so that with the newly graduated seniors we should have a flourishing club. The meetings have been held at the homes

of different members, and have been given to organizing, to adopting a constitution, and to forming plans for another year. Founders' Day we celebrated with the active chapter which invited the alumnae to a spread in the chapter rooms. The bright faces, pretty decorations, and delicious dainties made all feel that it was indeed good to be there.

Both the alumnae club and the active chapter anticipate with keen pleasure the "*Naturfest*" to be conducted shortly in St. Louis by Miss Julia E. Rogers (Iowa Zeta). We shall be very pleased to meet her and hear her delightfully planned lectures. By the way we have another Julia Rogers in the active chapter.

EMMA ELINOR BETTIS.

#### TOLEDO ALUMNAE CLUB.

On April 4th, Mrs. John Kent Hamilton entertained the Toledo members of Pi Beta Phi at a beautifully appointed luncheon at the Toledo Club. The affair was in celebration of Founders' Day and was given at that time so that the girls in college who were home for their spring vacation might be present. We had a most delightful afternoon.

We now have eleven members, Helen Browning of Indiana Beta, Alice Du Bois and Ruth Saddler of Ohio Beta having this year been added to our numbers. We feel especially proud of our club since Mrs. Riggs and Mrs. Hamilton were both members of I. C. and the latter also at one time Grand Secretary of Pi Beta Phi, and now Mrs. Ben Johnson is president of Beta province.

To Mrs. Johnson recently came one of the highest honors to which a Toledo woman can aspire, for she was elected president of the Woman's Educational Club. This is an organization of 853 members and is the largest woman's club in Ohio and the second in size in the United States. Next year there are to be study classes in connection with each of its four departments, education and art, literature and drama, science and household economics, civics and philanthropy. And women who are not members of the club may, upon payment of a small fee, take advantage of these classes.

FLORENCE HUTCHINSON.

## WASHINGTON ALUMNAE CLUB.

The Alumnae Club of Washington (D. C.) has held five meetings during the year. On May 25th, 1909, a meeting was held for the election of officers for the ensuing year. A joint meeting with the active chapter was held on October 15th, at which arrangements were made for the season's rushing events, which included six functions between October 29 and November 11. On January 14th, 1910, a delightful social meeting was held at the home of Florence Frisby, at which there was an informal discussion of business. On January 30, a meeting was held, as a result of which the following motion (along with a letter of explanation) was sent to the Grand Council and to every Pi Beta Phi chapter and alumnae club: "Washington Pi Phi petition the Grand Council to convert the fund for the Fellowship for Graduate Studies into Loan Funds available for undergraduate Pi Phi, or failing Pi Phi applicants, the same shall be opened to undergraduate women students at large." The matter is to be brought up at convention. The last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. White, at which plans for the Founders' Day Celebration were made. A good, old-fashioned cooky shine followed the meeting, and was greatly enjoyed by all. A meeting is to be held on May 27 for election of officers for the year 1910-1911. As a whole the meetings have been well attended and interest in the work of the club has been active.

On the evening of April 30, Columbia Alpha—alumnae and active—gave its annual banquet in honor of Founders' Day. The celebration proved to be an unusually happy one, as the reunion brought together not only all Washington Pi Phi, but also as guests of honor, our Grand President, Dr. Keller, twenty-one of the active chapter girls from Maryland Alpha, several of their alumnae, and representatives from ten other chapters or alumnae clubs. The long table with covers laid for sixty-six, with decorations of greens and dark red carnations, and with artistic and distinctly original place cards, was a scene of brightness and animation. As at convention, California and Maine, Texas and Vermont, found themselves once more within speaking or at least waving distance. Between the courses as the banquet progressed, fraternity songs were sung with great enthusiasm. In addition to the songs, Lela Howard, Columbia Alpha's newest freshman, played one of her own compositions, a two-step—"The Arrow," which she has dedicated to Pi

Beta Phi. Ringing applause followed her contribution to the programme. In the midst of this atmosphere of enthusiasm, the moment for speeches arrived, and it was with wide-awake appreciation that we listened to the greetings from the various chapters represented. Dr. Keller gave us news of the coming convention in a way that fired every one present with a desire even keener than had before been felt, to go to Swarthmore for the last week in June. The banquet closed with the drinking of a toast to Pi Beta Phi, the singing of our favorite song, "The Wine and Silver Blue," and the giving of a rousing cheer for our guests of the evening.

As to what our club has accomplished;—as usual, our efforts have been directed toward the support of the active chapter, both in rushing and in financial assistance toward the payment of the rent for the chapter room. Our meetings have been more largely attended and more enthusiastic than for several years, and it is with a feeling of pride that we report this fact. In the way of tangible results, we perhaps have little to recount; yet surely the keeping alive of Pi Beta Phi loyalty and inspiration in a club as large and as widely separated in outside interests, is something of an achievement.

MAUD ESTHER MCPHERSON.

#### WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS ALUMNAE CLUB

The city of Springfield has for many years been a center for Pi Phis residing in the Connecticut Valley. In the past, a number of attempts have been made to organize an alumnae club, most noteworthy of which was the house party given by Mrs. Eli Helmick at the U. S. Arsenal, when her husband was stationed at that military post.

Until this year, attempts to form a permanent association had failed. On February 19, however, the fourteen Pi Phis who lunched together at Hotel Worthy decided to organize in a formal manner and immediately applied for a charter from the Grand Council. An account of this meeting was given in the April ARROW. Since then, two regular meetings have been held.

The second one took place on April 16 and the arrangements were made by the members living in Northampton. Ten Pi Phis enjoyed a delicious luncheon at "Boyden's" the famous lunch room, dear to the hearts of all Smith College girls—and afterwards were taken on a tour of inspection across the campus of Smith College.

The business meeting was held later in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Coolidge, the president of the club and the wife of the mayor of Northampton.

The third meeting, the last before the vacation season, was held on the top of Mt. Tom, during the afternoon and evening of May 21. Owing to the threatening weather, only seven members of the club were brave enough to gather on the mountain top but those felt repaid for their effort.

The business of the afternoon was a discussion of the topics to be considered at the Swarthmore Convention and the election of a new secretary. After the meeting which was held on the mountain side, the members adjourned to the piazza of the Summit House and ate their supper in cooky shine style.

Several members who have been active in the organization this year, will not be located near Springfield next year and the membership of the club will be somewhat reduced. Those remaining are anxious to know of any Pi Phis who expect to be located in the vicinity of Springfield, next year. As the club is located more than one hundred miles from any active chapter and as its membership, during the past year has been representative of eight different chapters, it is somewhat unique in its character. Its particular object is to stimulate the interest of those undergraduate members of the fraternity who may plan to complete their course at either Mt. Holyoke College or Smith College—both of which are located in the Connecticut Valley. This year, there have been three undergraduate members of the club and any Pi Phis who expect to be at either Mt. Holyoke or Smith next year are invited to communicate with the newly elected secretary—Anna J. Berry, 21 Dorchester St., Springfield, Mass.

SARAH G. POMEROY.

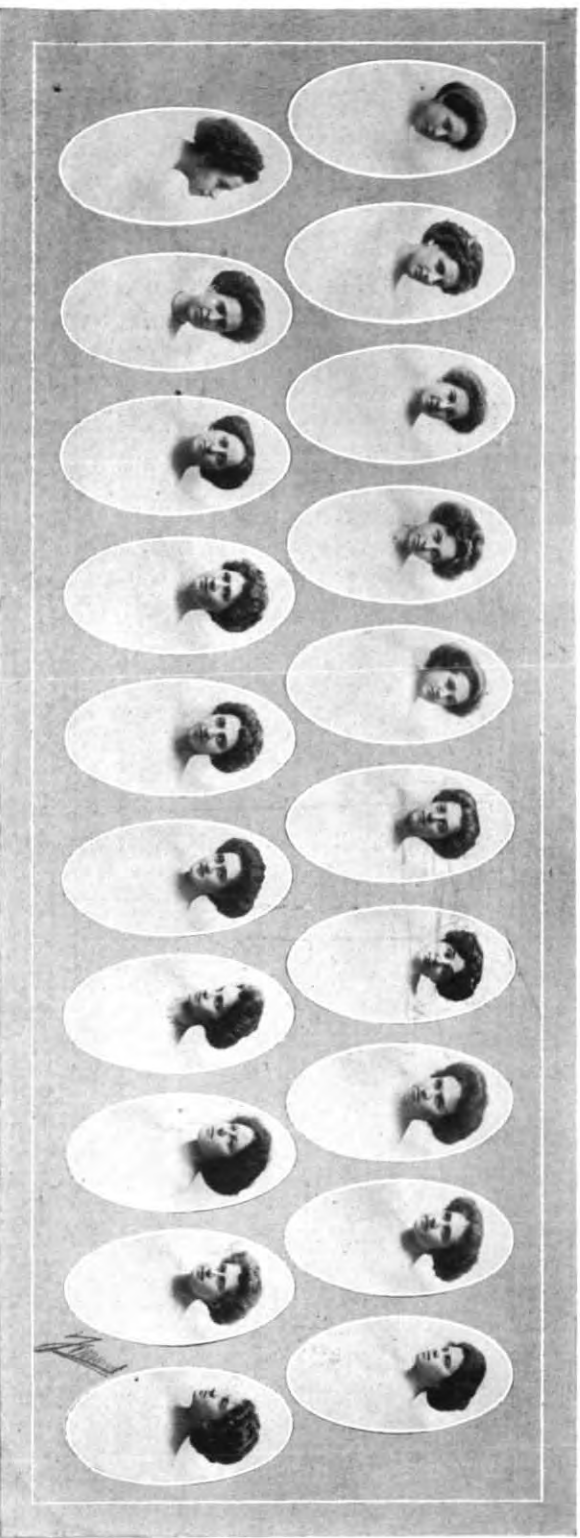


THE LAYING OF THE CORNER-STONE OF  
ILLINOIS BETA'S BUNGALOW

In the presence of a gathering of commencement guests, and an unprecedented number of her own private and particular clan, Illinois Beta, on May 30, laid the corner-stone of her new bungalow. For several years the bungalow topic has been idly discussed as a misty ideal which might possibly be realized far away in the future, if some unknown friend would obligingly die and leave the chapter a fortune. But this kindly person failed to materialize, and it occurred to some wise member that it would be perfectly possible to erect a bungalow without causing the untimely demise of any one. Four months ago, the active chapter and some of the alumnae held a council and formulated a plan which involved an appeal to all who had ever belonged to the chapter, as well as to the patronesses and a few generous friends. The response was most liberal, even from the members of the old I. C., who had left their college days more than thirty years behind them. As a result of those weeks of enthusiastic labor and open-hearted giving, the house is already well on the way to completion, and will be both finished and furnished when college opens in the autumn, if all goes as it should.

The ceremonies were brief, but full of enthusiasm and delight at this rapid fulfillment of the chapter dreams. Every one smiled, even the goat, who behaved in a most exemplary manner, feeling that he must "live up" to the bow of wine and blue which adorned his horns. He gravely illustrated the goat song, while it was sung by the chapter, by rising on his hind legs and eating the only extant manuscript of some one's extemporaneous speech, in lieu of the classic "old tin cans and shingle nails." Fern Townsend gave a short history of the fraternity, which was followed by an address in behalf of the active chapter by Lenore Bland, and one from the alumnae by Nina Harris-Hunter. Dr. Fisher then extended the welcome of the college, which was hospitably allowed us to build the bungalow upon the campus. We were fortunate in having among the guests of the afternoon, Mrs. Ella Boston Leib, Grand President of Alpha Xi Delta, who gave a friendly message of good-will on behalf of her fraternity. After the reading of a poem by one of the alumnae, Margaret Newman, next year's chapter president, performed the important ceremony of the afternoon—the filling of the box and sealing

IOWA ZETA



Top row—Helen Struble, Mae Wangler, Mary George, Marguerite Eastman, Edith Shugart, Mary Remley, Lillian Smith, Agnes Pfeney, Miriam McCune, Naomi Stewart.  
 Second row—Louise Adams, Elizabeth Brainerd (pledge), Mabel Nicol, Louise Cody, Stacey Turney, Ethel Calderwood, Edith Eastman, Lillian Noth, Edna Smith, Vera Wilcox.

KANSAS ALPHA



*Top row*—Lida Le Suer, Laura Pendleton, Maude Zoellner, Moneta Butts, Lucille Wilkinson, Ethel Houston, Helen Pendleton, Sylvia Abraham, Helen Burdick.  
*Second row*—Helen Pyle, Iris Calderhead, Lucie March, Tess Critchfield, Gertrude Blackmar, Imogene Dean, Ethel Morrow, Pearl Stuckey, Mary Darlington, Marie Willitt.  
*Third row*—Marian Ellis, Hazel Butts, Ava Hardecastle, Alice Johnson, Cornelia Hardecastle, Clare Jaedicke, Hazel Leslie, Edith Laming, Leota McFarlin, Agnes Evans.

LOUISIANA ALPHA



*First row, Left, top to bottom—Delphine Charles, Alice Beauregard, Frances Raymond, Carmelite Janvier.*  
*Middle row—Elise Urquhart, Elizabeth Clarke, Josephine Janvier, Catherine Rainey.*  
*Third row—Dorothy Sanders, Lilia Kennard, Lois Janvier, Francis Swartz.*

MARYLAND ALPHA



*Top row*—Harriet Rice, Leona Buchwald, Edistinga Biggs, Evelyn Nicholson, Louise Claridge, Elizabeth Kellum, Phyllis Hoskins.  
*Second row*—Amy Beck, Grace Lewis, Margaret Smith, Sara Porter, Ellis Garvin, Ada Weber.  
*Third row*—Elsie Young, Mary Weber, Blanche Lamberson, Kate Ernst, Carrie Upham, Grace Taylor, Marjorie Upham.  
*Fourth row*—Gretchen Schmidt, Frances Strader, Esthier Hubbard.

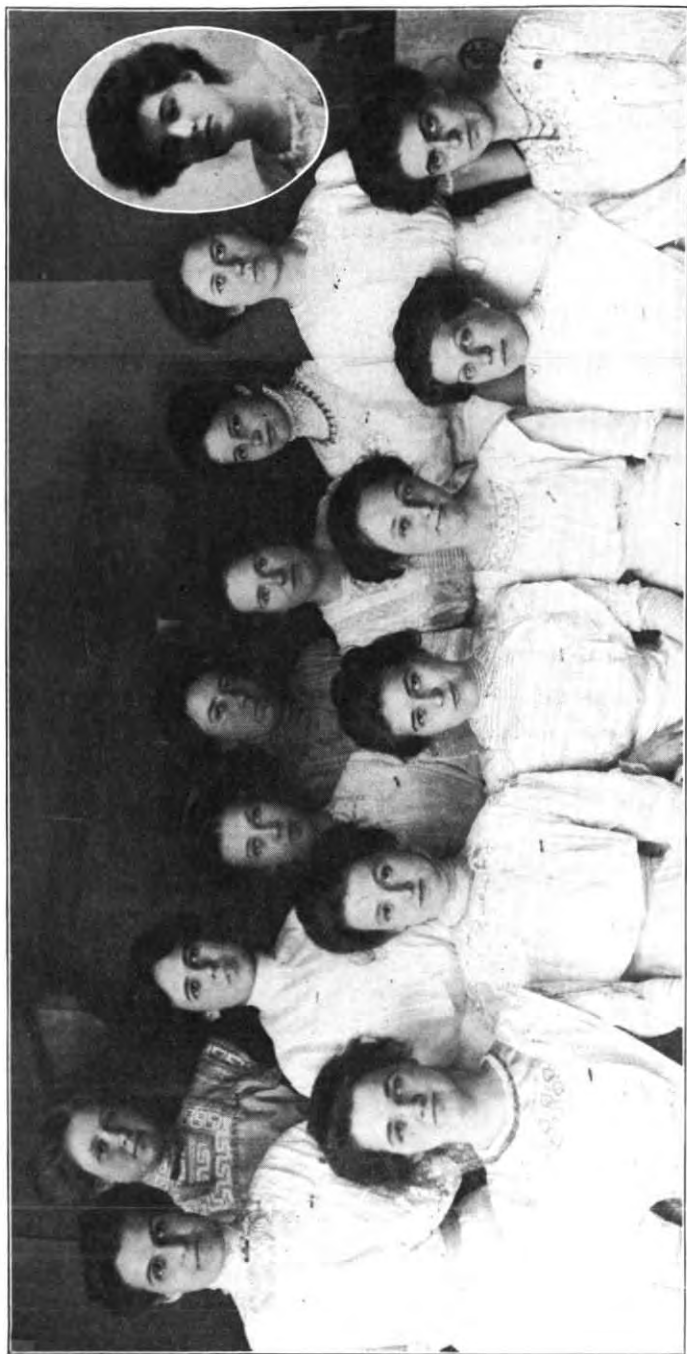
MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA



*Top row*—Dorothea M. Melden, '12, Sarah F. Anderson, '13, Mildred B. Skerry, '10.  
*Second row*—Mildred Aldrich, '12, Marion E. Morton, '10, Beatrice Whitney, '11, Mabel E. Searle, '13, Mildred Hood, '11.  
*Third row*—Marjorie E. Campbell, '13, Helen L. Brown, '10, Mildred E. Daniels, '10, Ruth W. Bartlett, '12, Eugenia L. Goodwin, '10.  
*Fourth row*—Mildred Whittemore, '13, Bessie E. Wheeler, '10, Georgia F. Bentley, '10, Gladys H. Norton, '13, Mildred P. Bates, '13.  
*Fifth row*—Annette F. Regnier, '12, Miriam J. Taylor, '12, Gertrude M. Jackson, '12, Bertha A. Carr, '11.



MICHIGAN ALPHA



*Top row*—Edna Tompkins, Gladys Cherrymann, Ruth Ford, Mella Van Meter, Esther Branch, Leah Stock, Alice Clarke, Lena Topliff, Bess Kempf.  
*Second row*—Marjory Whitney, Elsie Eggleston, Leithel Patton, Jane Whitney, Mae Grandon, Marian Cook.

MICHIGAN BETA



*Top row*—Lora Wright, Marchie Sturges, Belle Hetzel, Winifred Miller, Dorothea Lee, Sarah Waite.

*Second row*—Nellie Perkins, Ruth Bridge, Beulah Whitney, Charlotta Lindstrom, Marguerite Reed, Neva Hungerford, Gertrude Burbank, Kate Shepard.

*Third row*—Ellen McHenry, Ann Harding, Margaret Spier, Irene McFadden, Elsie Ziegele, Norma de Guise.

MINNESOTA ALPHA



*Top row*—Gray, Werdenhoff, Lenning, Randall, Griffin,  
*Second row*—Tisdale, Burness, Dunlap, Stiel, Dunlop, de la Barre,  
*Third row*—Brown, L., Byrnes, Laybourn, Smith, Kelly, Anderson, A. Ozias,  
*Fourth row*—Loomis, M. Byrnes, Cox, Robbins, Pettit, Lampert, Newman, M. Ozias.

of the stone. A motley array of objects went into that box, but the thing which produced the greatest mirth was a lock of the goat's beard, cheerfully contributed by its owner, as his little part in the day's celebration.

Those chapters that have not built houses have yet to know the joy which that afternoon's ceremony brought to Illinois Beta—those who have will appreciate our feeling when, in the dedicatory verses, we called the bungalow "Our House o' Dreams":

"Fill the stone with gathered treasure,  
Lay it straight, and firm, and true,  
Kindly Fate, with lavish measure  
Pours her gifts on me and you.  
Fair the past which lies behind us,  
Still more fair the future seems,  
Joyous years, which soon shall find us  
Happy in our House o' Dreams.

Built of hope and love and longing  
Now, at last, these walls shall rise,  
And 'twill set our mem'ries thronging  
As it stands 'neath sunlit skies.  
Winds of Heaven, touch it lightly,  
Sun, be tender with thy beams,  
Moon, O shed thy radiance brightly  
On our blessed House o' Dreams!

May it be our inspiration  
As the chapter grows and thrives,  
Dear abode, of love's creation,  
Fill with joy our college lives.  
And may year on year increasing  
As the future glows and gleams,  
Send its blessing, without ceasing,  
On our darling House o' Dreams!"

ETHEL CHAMBERLAIN.

## IN MEMORIAM

JESSIE JUNE-LESTER.

When Iowa Alpha received the April ARROW the alumnae notes of the chapter were read through tears. Before it came telling of the marriage on January 28 of Jessie June, ex-'10, to Mr. Frank West Lester we had received news of her death April 7. Jessie June was one of the most popular girls ever in college. She was happiness personified and the very sight of her golden hair brought good cheer to us all. A letter from her was received the day after the arrival of the sad news of her death. In this she made no mention of the fact that she was then in a hospital and was going to have an operation the next day.

We cannot realize even yet that we shall see her face no more. She is mourned by all—her Sunday School class of small boys, her college mates, and her college president.

IOWA ALPHA.

EMELIE POOLEY-MANNING.

Emelie Pooley-Manning died at her home in Klamath Falls, Oregon, Sunday, May 1 after a short illness, of pneumonia. She leaves a husband and two children, Elizabeth, aged six years, and James Wesley, aged five, to mourn her untimely death.

Emelie Louise Pooley entered Bucknell University in the fall of 1896 and was graduated with honor in the class of 1900. She was initiated into Pennsylvania Beta in her freshman year and was throughout her course a loyal Pi Beta Phi. After her graduation she taught successfully in Aiken, S. C., in Hammond, Ind., and in Cloquet, Wis. She was married in Chicago in 1903 to Mr. Horace M. Manning, attorney at law, and resided in that city until their removal to Oregon about two years ago.

An earnest student, a trustworthy friend, a loving wife and mother, she accomplished much in a few years. Hers was a noble life, quietly spent in devotion to her home and to the good of her friends, but its sweet influence was felt much more widely and will continue to spread although the life itself has ended.

L. F. R.

ALICE MACDOUGALL WARNER.

In the death of Alice MacDougall Warner, New York Alpha has lost a true and loyal member. She graduated from the Syra-

cuse high school and was a member of the Philomathean society. In the fall of 1899 she entered Syracuse University and took nearly a year's work but ill health prevented her completion of her college course. In 1901 and 1902 she again attended college and was graduated from the course in Library Economy. She did her college work so efficiently that she was appointed an assistant in the university library, leaving, in 1906, to become associated with the Traveling Libraries' department of the New York Public Library, where she later became first assistant.

In April, while visiting her sister, Mrs. Hooker, in Syracuse, she became ill and died on Saturday, June 18. She had a very bright and happy disposition and to make others' hours less dreary seemed to be her mission in life.

SYRACUSE ALUMNAE CLUB.



## EDITORIALS

Thirty-four of the current annual letters to alumnae published by our forty chapters have already reached the ARROW. In reading them over one is impressed by the evident desire of non-house-owning chapters to acquire houses of their own, by the impulse of alumnae to develop undergraduate scholarship by the presentation of loving cups to the freshman or sophomore who attains the highest standard for the year, as well as by the spirit shown by our chapters in their wider interest in the aid of others.

The chapters are setting their houses in order. California Beta has been discussing plans for building a chapter house. At the Founders' Day cooky shine \$1,400 was pledged. A temporary building committee has been appointed by the Berkeley alumnae club president. Colorado Alpha gave a bazar shortly before Christmas to raise money to complete payments on the chapter house. Each member of the active chapter and many of the alumnae contributed some gift. The alumnae who held a home cooking sale as their share of the bazar, earned some thirty dollars of the total of sixty-five. Illinois Beta has \$2,000 pledged for the building of her bungalow whose corner-stone was laid commencement week. The bungalow, by the generosity of the trustees of Lombard, is being built on the college campus. Iowa Alpha, for the first time in her forty-one years of existence, has enjoyed a chapter house. The chapter rented a Colonial cottage where two members of the faculty—one a Pi Phi—lived. Although, according to faculty restrictions, none of the active members were allowed to live in the house, the chapter has greatly enjoyed the resulting advantage of closer association. Missouri Alpha has purchased a lot on which later a chapter house is to be erected. Nebraska Beta's building fund has grown to such an extent that the chapter is about to purchase a house. New York Alpha also has a building fund which she hopes soon to transform into a house.

Like the virtuous woman of old many a chapter looketh well to the ways of her household. Not only are the chapters interested in acquiring homes but they are also interested in increasing their power as students. The alumnae of Massachusetts Alpha, of Illinois Beta, and of Illinois Delta have already offered silver loving cups to be awarded to those members of the freshman or sophomore classes that have the highest standing for the year. Maryland Alpha alum-

nae, beginning this year, are offering a purse of gold to their sophomore with the highest standing.

But our chapter activities have been wider than the natural and commendable desire for self-betterment. Fraternity interests, which, like charity, begin at home, also go afield. A spirit of service and helpfulness to others is noticeable. In Vermont Alpha the active chapter has undertaken some settlement work. They maintain a rest-room in the central part of the village of Middlebury, where farmers' wives, who come in from surrounding rural districts, may stop after their shopping is done. The girls at Dickinson have conducted mission classes in the college and Bible classes in the Carlisle Indian School. And nothing has given them keener pleasure than the dolls and clothing which they contributed to Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth for distribution among the slum children of New York. Our Canadian chapter at the University of Toronto dressed dolls for the Toronto Sick Children's Hospital and made swabs and bandages for the Women's Free Dispensary. At Syracuse New York Alpha appointed regular calling committees to visit the local Old Ladies' Home and the Children's Hospital. At Christmas the chapter gave gifts of flowers and holly to both institutions. And at the request of the matron of the Old Ladies' Home New York Alpha gave two musical programmes. The chapter and alumnae in Lincoln undertook the furnishing of one of the rest-rooms in the new city Y. W. C. A. building. Each member is earning in some way or other \$5 to put into the fund, and the chapter as a whole has tied quilts to increase their contributions.

I have indicated some of the forms of service which the annual letters of the chapters have thought of enough importance to chronicle. A perusal of the chapter letters printed in the *ARROW* during the past year shows that these are but a portion of the kind deeds undertaken by our chapters. With our undergraduates thus interested in serving others it is small wonder that our body of alumnae have undertaken a larger piece of helpfulness in the establishment, in honor of our founders, of a settlement school among the children of the southern mountain whites.

To the kindness of Sophie P. Woodman, New York Beta, and of Dorothy Smallwood, Columbia Alpha, we owe the many groups of chapter delegations which appear in this issue of the *ARROW*.

Dorothy Smallwood took the photograph of the Wooster, Wyoming and Oklahoma delegates as well as the group of Columbia Alpha. To Sophie Woodman we are indebted for the photographs of scenes about Swarthmore, of the play on the campus, and of the other chapter delegations.

The copy for the department "What a Fraternity Girl Thinks" was sent by the editor to the printer. Although it was mailed as first class matter, it was lost in transit. Hence that department is lacking in this issue.

#### NOTICES

Florence M. Clum, who had charge of the convention cooky shine and stunt party, writes the editor as follows:

"On Friday evening after Convention I went past the chapel and the janitor stopped me to inquire if I knew anything about the articles that had been left in the chapel. They were: a shield with 'Esther Barnes, 19 West' on the back; a Washington University banner with Helen Shultz's name attached to it; besides these there was a  $\Pi B \Phi$  pillow made of wine satin with the Greek letters embroidered on it; also a satin shield with the blue embroidered letters. There was no name on either of these. Also the janitor said that two banners belonging in the chapel had disappeared. One was garnet and white, with the words 'Front Line,' the other was blue and white, marked '08 and with a star attached. The  $\Pi B \Phi$  articles may be obtained by writing to Wm. Jones, Box 101, Swarthmore, Pa."

Any one desiring photographs of the various chapter delegations at Convention may obtain them from Miss Sophie P. Woodman, 478 West 159th St., New York City. Their price is ten cents apiece.

Iowa Zeta needs the following numbers to complete her ARROW file:

All numbers before November, 1894; July, 1895; November, 1898; January, 1901; November, 1903; November, 1904; April, 1905; January and July, 1908.

Iowa Zeta's duplicates are: January, 1898; April and July, 1899; July, 1905; January, 1906.

At the request of the Grand President, Miss Elda L. Smith has kindly consented to continue her services as Grand Secretary until the return of Miss Julia E. Rogers from her summer abroad.

The Convention minutes will be issued in August as an extra number of the *ARROW*. Copies will be mailed to all *ARROW* subscribers.

## ALUMNAE PERSONALS

## ARKANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

Claire Norris '09, is spending the summer in Hamburg, Ark.

Barbara Davis-Olney, '07, will spend the summer in Ann Arbor, Mich., where her husband, Mr. L. S. Olney will study.

Frances Douglas is spending the summer at Long Beach, Calif.

At the meeting of the Alumnae of the University of Arkansas in June, Lyta Davis, '07, was elected secretary.

## CALIFORNIA ALPHA—STANFORD UNIVERSITY

Mrs. C. J. Williams (Ruth Sterne, '09) and Stella Henking have visited the chapter recently.

Ruberta Roberts, '09, expects to sail July 6 for Honolulu, where she is to spend a year.

Marjory Little, '08, has given up her position in the Stanford Library and is to be in the Los Angeles Library next year.

Della Thompson, '09, is to be in the Stanford Library next year.

Adèle Huntsberger, ex-'10, left college April 1 for a trip abroad.

Mrs. R. K. Eilenberger (Victoria Stafford, ex-'10) has returned to Chicago to live.

Mary Brunton, '09, and Elamae Lambert, '07, were back for senior week.

Laura R. Adkinson, '07, may be addressed at Hilo, Hawaii.

The address of Mrs. David Chalmers (Alice Hayes, '08) is The Woodlea, Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. George E. Cooley (Winifred Harper, '96) is editing a magazine published in the interests of pure food.

## CALIFORNIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Roberta Akers-Hill, '03, has moved to Berkeley from Colinga, Cal.

On December 27, 1909, Madge Bliven, ex-'10, was married to William Hayes Hammond, *Stanford*, Delta Upsilon. Their home is in Visalia, Cal., where Mr. Hammond is engaged in business.

Treasure Ellis, ex-'09, was married on February 8 to Vance McClymonds, a lawyer of Oakland, Cal. Mr. McClymonds is a graduate of the University of California. Their home will be at 70 Monte Vista Ave.

Emmy Lemcke, ex-'11, returned the first of June from Europe

where she has been travelling for the past six months with her family.

Edith White, ex-'07, has just returned from the Yosemite Valley.

Blanche Cameron-Beecher, '06, has been visiting her mother in Berkeley this winter and has just returned to her home in Seattle.

Elma Korbel, '04, has moved recently from Guerneville to San Rafael, Calif.

Pauline Storm-Brindley, ex-'12, has moved from San Francisco to Seattle.

Frieda Watters, '08, was married June 27 to Roy Warner, *California*, '07, Delta Upsilon. They will make their home in Oakland where Mr. Warner is engaged in business. Several Pi Phi attended the wedding in Watsonville, Calif.

In June Ida McCoy, '08, of Red Bluff, Calif., was married to Walter Stern, *California*, '09, Delta Upsilon. She will make her home in Eureka, Calif.

Mrs. W. L. Brown (Elizabeth Adams, '03) with her husband is living in South Africa. Her address is Crown Mines, Johannesburg, Transvaal.

Camilla Meyer-Hermann, '02, is living in Paris, France.

Mrs. Hiram Van Kirk (Augusta Smalstig) is living in New Rochelle, N. Y.

#### COLORADO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

Dr. and Mrs. Calkins (May Whitmore) of Leadville have a little daughter, born May 3, 1910.

Katharine McKenzie, '09, has been appointed critic teacher in the normal department of the University of Porto Rico.

Cleophile Bell, '08, will spend the summer abroad.

Mrs. Gertrude Currens, '00, will spend several months touring England, Germany and Italy. She will also visit Greece and Egypt before her return.

Mrs. Frank Means (Bessie Carlberg), died at her home in Idaho Falls, Idaho, May 16. She had been married only three short weeks.

The engagement of Rosina Vaughn, '09, to Harry Zimmerhackle, *Colorado*, Beta Theta Pi, has been announced. They will be married June 9.

Mrs. Chas. H. Farnsworth (Charlotte Joy Allen, '97) in April addressed the Dana Hall girls at Wellesley on out-of-door living.



Mrs. Milton C. Whitaker (Mabel Martin, '98) will move to New York City in the fall. Mr. Whitaker, who for the past eight years has been general superintendent of the Welsbach Company's works in Gloucester, N. J., has been appointed to the newly established chair of industrial chemistry in Columbia University.

Elizabeth Gamble, former Grand President, with her sister, sailed June 25 on the *Carmania* for a year abroad.

The chapter mourns the recent death of Gertrude Teague-Holbrook, '06.

Mrs. Edith Coan McClure, '97, has moved to Vancouver, Wash., where Mrs. Zoa Bruns West, '02, also lives.

Gretchen L. Smith is librarian of the public library at Pocatello, Idaho.

Ruth Bishop is spending the summer in Michigan.

Mary Downer is at Ft. Thomas, Kentucky, visiting her cousin Elizabeth Downer-Ball.

Mrs. Lena Harper Trott has returned from an extended visit in Washington, D. C., where she was a delegate of the National Congress Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Hallie-Chapman Collins of Creede, Colorado, has recently visited in Denver.

#### COLORADO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

Bishop and Mrs. J. L. Nuelsen (Luella Stroeter) are now living at 3308 Poppelton Ave., Omaha, Neb.

The address of Helen Stearns, '88, is 2960 Newark St., Washington, D. C.

The address of Mrs. Herbert Shaw (Clara Elsie Mayham, '92) is Apthorp Apartments, Broadway and 70th Sts., New York City.

Anna J. Berry, '02, is the newly elected secretary of the Western Massachusetts alumnae club.

Norine Wilson is Mrs. Pomeroy of Tulsa, Okla.

Marjorie Williams is now Mrs. Mahn of Ouray, Colo.

Eva Fenton is now Mrs. Stanton of Alamosa, Colo.

Reba Brewster is training to be a nurse at St. Luke's Hospital, Denver.

Leila Collom will spend the summer in California .

## COLUMBIA ALPHA—GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Edna Clark, '93, and Hester McNelly, '94, will travel in the west this summer.

Elma Gillespie, '05, and Mary Gillespie, '11, will leave Washington during the month of June for their home in Fort Worth, Tex. They will not return to Washington next winter.

Born May 20, 1910, to Rev. and Mrs. Clarence W. Whitmore (Ethel McCleary, '06) a son, John McCleary.

Adèle Taylor, '06, will spend the summer in California visiting Edith White and Florence Ziegenfuss-Briggs, of California Beta.

Ruth Young, '06, has returned from South Dakota and will spend the summer at her home near Washington.

Mildred Cochran, '07, of Denver, will visit Ethel Rollins during the month of July.

Margaret White, '08, will spend the summer in Germany. She will be accompanied on the trip across by Elsie Turner, '02, who will join friends in England, and will later travel in Germany.

Among the alumnae of other chapters at Founders' Day banquet were Sylvia Ware-Ireland, Maryland Alpha; Louise Pearce, California Alpha; Elizabeth A. Clarke-Helmick, Michigan Alpha; Gladys Henry, Nebraska Beta; Helen Stearns, Colorado Beta; Mrs. Hugh S. Smith, (Gena Chapin) Vermont Beta, Florence Leland, Pennsylvania Beta; Isabel Drury-Heubeck, Maryland Alpha, and last but not least May L. Keller, Maryland Alpha. In all eleven chapters were represented.

The new secretary of Washington Alumnae Club, is Florence Leland, Pennsylvania Beta.

## ILLINOIS BETA—LOMBARD COLLEGE

Ruth Parke was married to James Wyman in December. Her address is Ochiltree, Tex.

Florence Dillow will teach in Montrose, Colo., next year.

Lillian Courtney has been studying music in Chicago for a few months.

Rainie Adamson-Small is living in Snohomish, Wash. Her contribution toward our bungalow was greatly appreciated.

The engagement of Eleanor Claycomb to Arthur Gouchenour of Syracuse, Ill., has been announced.

April 28 occurred the wedding of Fanny Porter to Webb Herlocker, Sigma Nu. They are living in Galesburg.

Marion Webster attended National Park Seminary commencement.

Anna Chappell-Gunnell, instructor in dramatic art at Lombard, has resigned her position.

Carolyn Fisher has a graduate fellowship at Clark University for next year.

Lucille Cravens, '10, has been awarded a graduate scholarship in Latin at the University of Illinois.

The alumnae present at the laying of the corner-stone of our bungalow and for our reunion during commencement week were: Charlotte Alspaugh, Puyallup, Wash.; Neita Brawford, Unionville, Mo.; Ethel Tompkins-Clayberg, Frances Ross-Davis, Anna Ross, and Louise Ross, Avon Ill.; Lulu Burt-Cravens, Kansas City, Mo.; Bess Wild-Crum and Ethel Fennessey-Manning, Oshkosh, Wis.; Alice Durston, New Windsor, Ill.; Alvira Myers-Holmes, De Long, Ill.; Carrie Hurd, Maquon, Ill.; Madora Bradford-Moore, Monticello, Ill.; Delpha Durston-Ohse, Yorkville, Ill.; Elizabeth Durston-Simmons and Sallie Stickney, Woodhull, Ill.; Vada Wiswell, Cameron, Ill.; and Martha Arnold, Carrie Brainard, Ethel Chamberlain, Delia Conger, Ethelin Conger, Grace Conlee, Glenn Taylor-Cowan, Jennie Grubb-Fowler, Theo Golliday, Anna Chappell-Gunnell, Fanny Porter-Herlocker, Helen Carleton-Marsh, Nina Harris-Hunter, and Della Myers of Galesburg.

Pearl King-Bullock has moved from New York City to Pittsburg, Pa., where her husband, Mr. Fay Bullock is engaged in the advertising business.

Mrs. L. Ward Brigham (Emma Ballou) and her sister Mary L. Ballou live at 2112 Beverly Road, Flatbush, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. A. J. Clark, Jr. (Cora Bean) lives at 1132 34th Ave., Seattle, Wash.

Ethel Chamberlain will complete her work this year at the University of Chicago for the Ph. D. degree.

#### ILLINOIS DELTA—KNOX COLLEGE

Mrs. Grace Lass Sisson, '92, who has been visiting relatives in Galesburg for two months has returned to her home in New York at 601 Cathedral Parkway.

Dr. and Mrs. Clark (Mabel Aylesworth, '98) of Roseville expect to spend the summer at Cambridge where the doctor will study.

Mary Mars, '06, sailed in May for the Philippines, where she will remain a year and a half with her brother.

Lulu Hinchliff, '08, who made the Santa Fè concert tour this year, spent two months in California. On her return she visited the Grand Cañon, Arizona, Texas, and Missouri, where she met Clara Lindley, '06.

Alice Johnson, '08, who has been teaching Latin and history in the Lexington high school has returned to Galesburg for the summer.

Myra Wilson was married to Fred Ide in Creston, Ia., where they are living.

On April 21, Miriam Hunter, '09, of Chillicothe was married to Luzerne Avery, *Knox*, '02. Jessie Archer, '09, played the wedding march and Flo Bethard, '10, was the only attendant. Mr. and Mrs. Avery will reside in Peoria where Mr. Avery is identified with the Avery Manufacturing Company.

Mrs. Minnie Weyrich Black, '04, of Pekin, Mrs. Anne MacKay Wycoff of Oneida, Flora Houghton of Galva, Sara Rounseville of Kewanee and Jessie Archer, '09, of Peoria, were present at the Founders' Day banquet.

Mrs. Myrella Johnston Thomas of Roseville, Mrs. Mary Crawford Monroe, '04, of Rushville, and Mrs. Grace Avery Giddings, who is now living in Chicago, were guests at the annual reunion of Illinois Delta.

Grace Hinchliff, '10, and Delia Spinner, '10, will attend Chicago University this summer.

Ruth Auracher, ex-'07, is now Mrs. Varin of Creston, Ia.

#### ILLINOIS EPSILON—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Katharine Donaldson, '09, visited the chapter during commencement, having returned from her year's work at Crescent College, Eureka Springs, Ark.

Lenore Sterling, '09, spent commencement week with the chapter. Sybil Horning, '07, and Helen Horning, '13, sailed for Europe May 21.

Catherine Little-Starnes, is living at 1119 N. Shore Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Elda Smith, Florence Hatfield-Stanley, and Hedwig Mueller attended our annual picnic June 4.

Mrs. Eleanor Just Hinds, '05, is living in Canada. Her address is 651 Sherbrooke St., Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Penelope Osterhout is now Mrs. Moore of 242 Hyde Ave., Ridgeway, Pa.

Kate Freund is attending the Academy of Fine Arts in Chicago.

#### ILLINOIS ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Leila White, ex-'00, visited at the chapter house June 3 to 11. She came from Chicago where she is receiving medical treatment.

Mary Chase Chamberlain, ex-'02, spent commencement week at the house.

Edith Clark-Burr visited in Champaign May 12 to 14.

Marion Goodman, ex-'10, Edith Richardson, '09, Emma Canterbury, ex-'12, came from Chicago for our house party April 29 to May 2.

Ethel Douglas, ex-'10, visited at the chapter house May 14 to 27.

Marion Ross, ex-'10, was back at the university taking special gymnasium work for six weeks.

Ida Lange, '08, has accepted a position as state organizer of libraries in Iowa.

#### INDIANA ALPHA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE

Mrs. A. O. Neal (Elsie Holman, '93) will move to Kokomo where Mr. Neal will be superintendent of the schools.

Mrs. S. C. Newson (Levona Payne, '92) has been elected state president of Federation of Woman's Clubs of Arizona.

Mary E. Lacey is now Mrs. Cutsinger of Franklin.

Lottie Ward is now Mrs. Deieldine of Ft. Wayne.

Mrs. Helen Stanton Dixon is now living in Woodbury, N. J.

Mrs. Mary Handley Forney is living in East Petersburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe G. Stott (Isabel Porter) are living in East Lansing, Mich.

Mary Montgomery is now Mrs. Vandaman. The chapter is anxious to obtain her address.

Ethelwyn Miller, '94, will return to the Horace Mann School, New York City, next fall as supervisor of art. She resigned last year but the position was offered her again this spring.

Ethel F. McCollough, '01, of Superior, Wis., was here for a month's vacation in May.

Ethel Webb, '02, has accepted the position of supervisor of domestic art in the school of education, Chicago University.

Bertha Fletcher, '03, is teaching in the summer school of the Missouri State Normal, Warrensburg, Mo.

Grace Drybread, '02, who has been teaching in Salt Lake City will spend the summer here.

Bertha Fletcher, '03, and Minnie Weyl, '99, received master's degrees from Columbia University. Susan Ott received the degree of B. S. from Columbia.

Lucy Guthrie, '11, will spend the summer in Europe.

Louise Carter, '11, will move to Los Angeles, Cal., next fall.

Jeannette Lemon-Bestor, '03, will spend the summer at Chautauqua, N. Y., where her husband, Acting President Arthur E. Bestor, is scheduled to deliver a series of lectures on Gladstone.

#### INDIANA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF INDIANA

Frances Epperson, ex-'12, Goldie Caroline Cecil, ex-'09, Rose Mary Hassmer, '09, Mary Banks Lingle, ex-'09, and Ruth Roark, ex-'10, visited the chapter.

Florence Rosenthal, '08, leaves for Europe this month.

Sally Tomlinson, a Pi Phi from Butler College, visited the chapter for a few days.

Opal Havens-Davis has moved from North Salem to Ladoga, Ind.

#### INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER COLLEGE

Mary Davis, ex-'09, our alumnae Pan-Hellenic representative, entertained the active chapter May 23 in honor of Carrie and Edna Cooper, '09, of Chicago University, who visited the chapter for a few days.

Mary Clark, '07, visited the college recently.

Amanda Knueppel, ex-'12, of Wisconsin University spent the winter in Indianapolis attending the German House School of Physical Culture.

Mrs. Frank A. Bernstorff (Lilian Bergold, '06,) wife of Prof. Bernstorff of the German department of Northwestern University, is the winner of the \$100 prize in *The Tribune* contest for the best trousseau obtainable for a sum between \$251 and \$300. The winner



is herself a bride, having been married less than a year ago. She is a writer of magazine articles and has published a book on Abraham Lincoln for elementary schools. She is a graduate of the University of Chicago.—*Chicago Daily Tribune*.

Hortense Russell, ex-'11, of Amarillo, Texas, returned for commencement festivities.

Loula Ellis is now Mrs. Thos. Shipley.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Wheeler (Lulu Kellar) are living in Belmont, Idaho.

Mrs. Jessie Lockhart Tilford, Mrs. Jean Blair Rice, Edith Lockhart and Yacht Kennedy entertained the active chapter with an enjoyable dinner and drive in Martinsville on June 6. Mrs. Lena Randall Cunningham acted as chaperon.

Frances E. Doan, '07, has been awarded for 1910-1911 a scholarship in English at the University of Illinois. Lucille S. Cravens, '10, Illinois Beta, has also been awarded a scholarship in Latin in the same university.

#### IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Mrs. Emily Young Ramsey visited us at commencement.

Mrs. Lenore Lee Pace stayed in Mt. Pleasant for several days on her way to Canada to meet her husband in Montreal. Mr. Pace is just returning from a trip abroad and both will visit the Thousand Islands and enjoy a St. Lawrence trip before coming back to Iowa.

Miss Helen Culver was one of the greatest attractions of our commencement season. She has just returned from a tour of Europe in Grand Opera and concert work. Iowa Alpha is very proud of her wonderful artist.

Eva Freeman of Winfield, Ia. sails soon for a trip abroad.

Ullena Ingersoll, '09, and Mabel Piper, '12, lately visited in Iowa City and met the Iowa Zeta girls.

We lose three splendid seniors this year and Ada Redd of Denver does not expect to return.

Mrs. Leila Troughton Toenings visited friends in town and came up to see us.

Henrietta Davis, '13, and Edna Irish, '13, visited the Lombard girls.

Mrs. Belle Requa Leech attended a fraternity meeting in May.

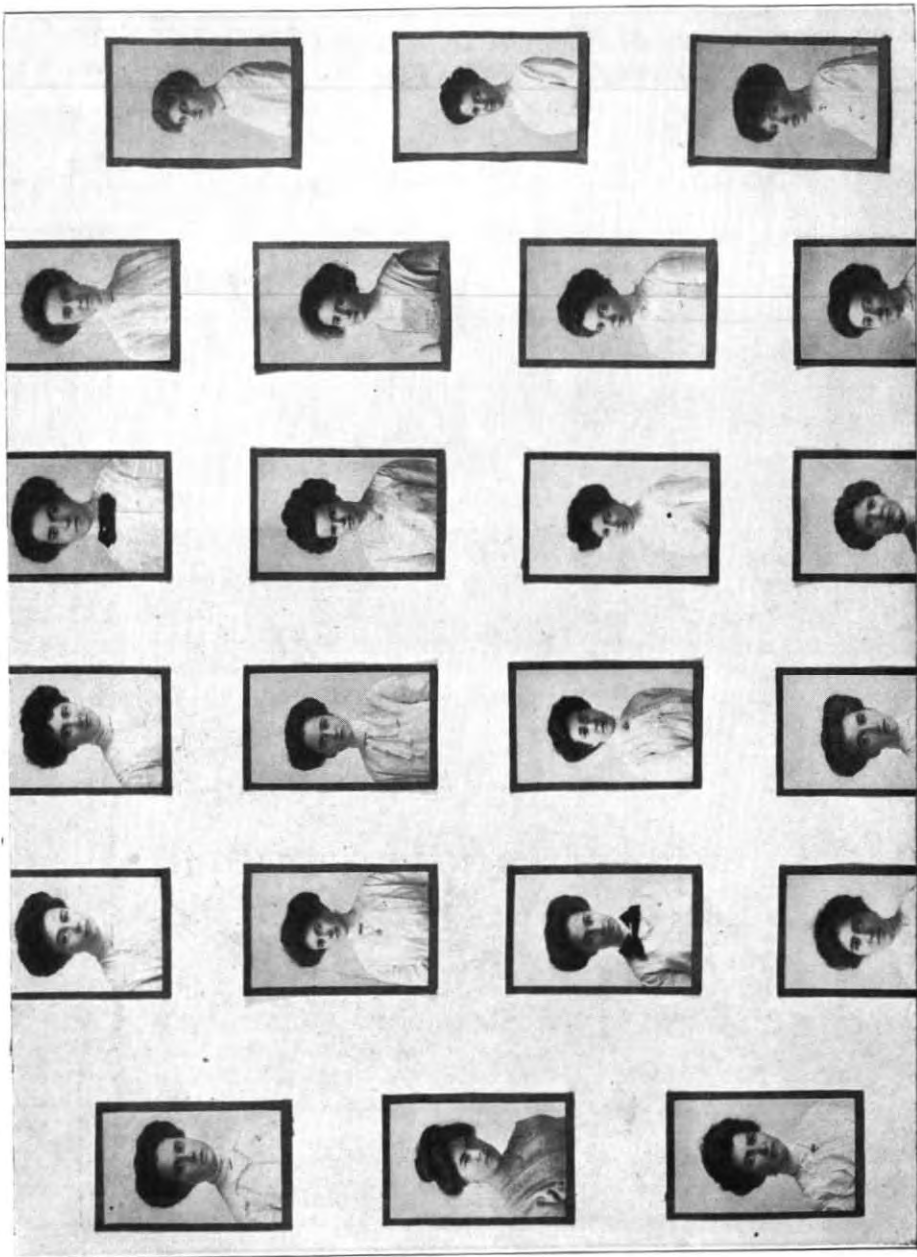
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MISSOURI ALPHA

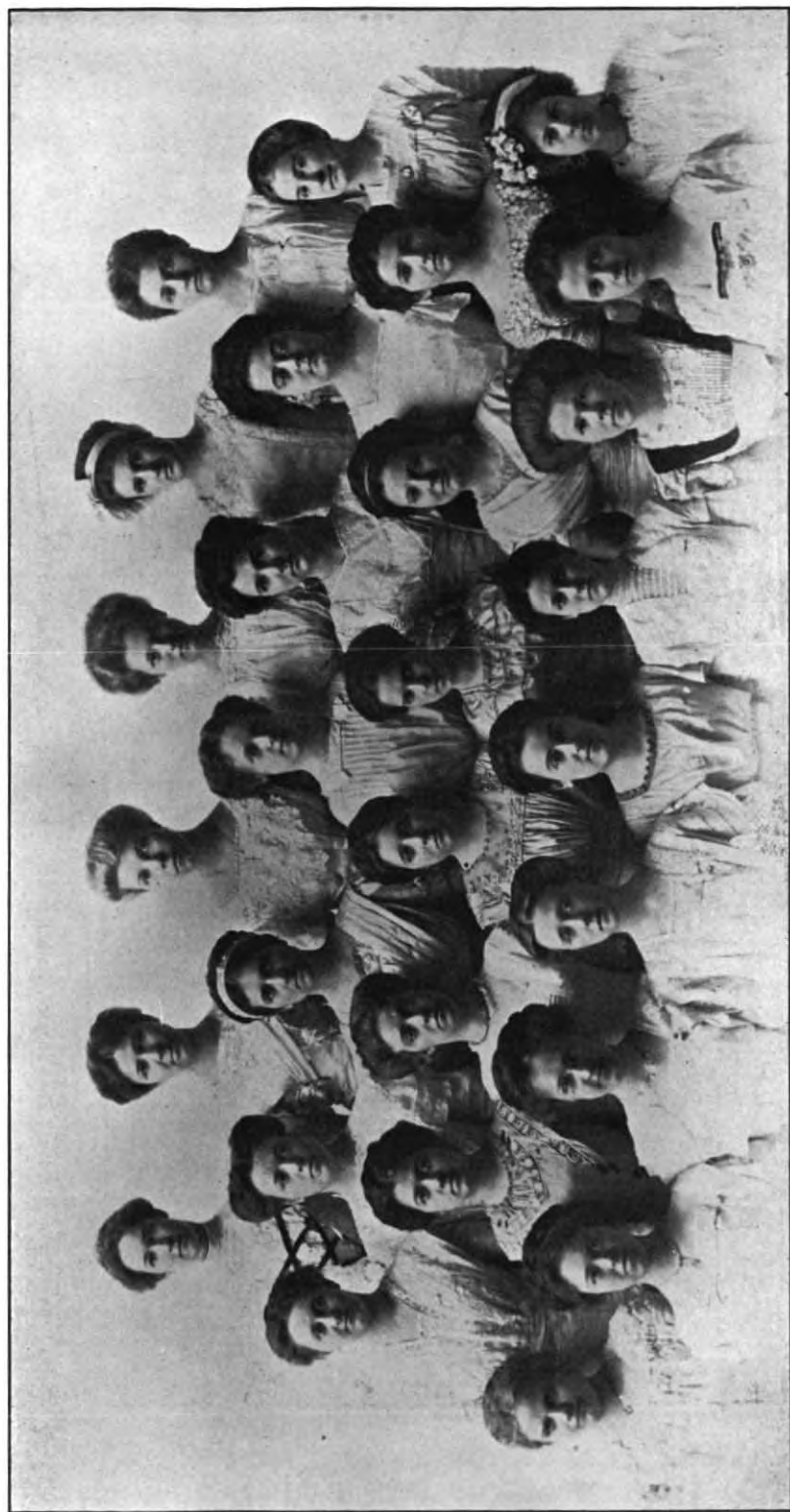


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*Second row*—Marie O'Day, Margaret Koss, Mildred McBride, Jessie Bahlke, Eleanor Stone, Emily Wyatt, Sarah Painter, Zannie  
 May Estes,  
*Third row*—Jean Massey, Fay Jarman, Irene Shaffer, Estaline Wilson, Mary Stewart, Margaret Woodson, Lillian Clarke.

MISSOURI BETA



Top row, left, top to bottom, Ruth LeCron, Ysobel Cambell, Edith Baker.



*Top row*—Vincent, Seriver, Salisbury, Moffet, Bell, Beeler.  
*Second row*—J. Brown, F. Schwake, Killiam, McGahey, Heacock, Grace Lyford, Halloway.  
*Third row*—Hostetler, Alexander, Toenges, Dolman, Bates, Shallenberger.  
*Fourth row*—Rogers, Holland, Clearman, Fitzgerald, Gertrude Lyford, L. Brown, E. Schwake, Sedgewick, Scott.

NEW YORK ALPHA



*Top row*—Mabel Slawson, Gertrude Gray, Edith Haith, Minnie Dinehart, Edna Howard, Lulu Golden, Marion Wells, Ina Grobe, Genevieve Bullivant.  
*Second row*—Marion Sheldon, Isabell Shepard, Katharine Steinle, Florence Dengler, Eva Burlingham, Marie Thompson, Faye Furbay, Gertrude Skerritt, Olive Kirby.  
*Third row*—Pansy Brown, Thetis Petty, Janet Bunyan, Rena Barry, Ethel Froass, Georgia Hoag, Pearl Gorham.  
*Fourth row*—Margaret Glanding, Louise Cerow, Bertha Frye, Julia Frantz, Jean Muir, Mabel Reed, Katharine Baxter.

NEW YORK BETA



*Top row*—Mabel McCann, Ethel Leveridge, Juanita Brown, Gladys Bonfils.  
*Second row*—Lucy Landru, Dorothy Griffin, Virginia K. King.  
*Third row*—Bernice Tabor, Elisabeth Thomson, Edith Valet, Catherine Chaffee.  
*Fourth row*—Alta Anderson, Margaret Wood, Adele Duncan.  
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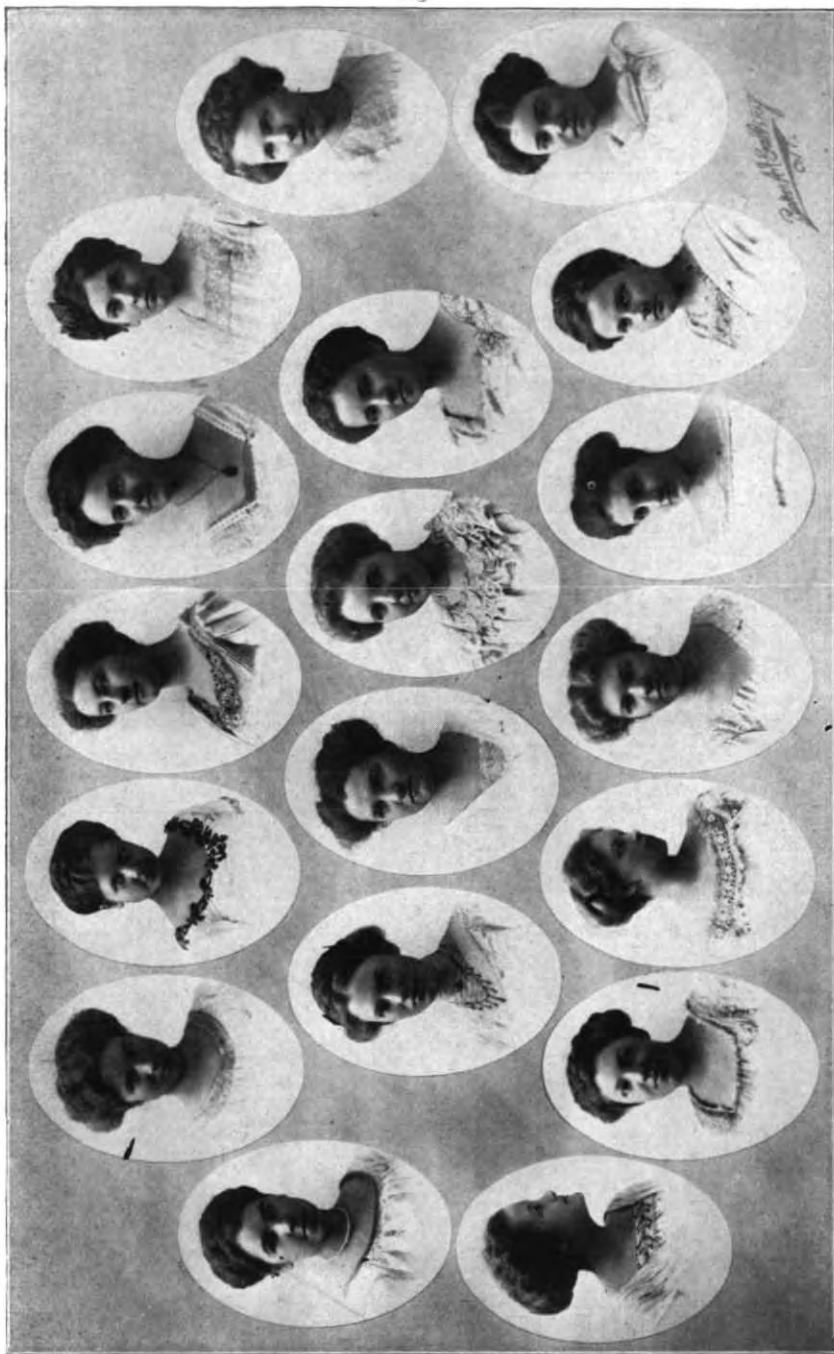
OHIO ALPHA



Top row—Mary Fletcher, Margaret Kelley, Cassandra McInstry (pledge), Marguerite Sutherland, Beatrice McIntyre (pledge), Kate Dover (pledge), Harriet Kelley  
 Second row—Lillian Cronacher, Edith Palmer, Blanche Danford, Ione Perkins, Mary Simon, Eva Mitchell  
 Third row—Hazel Todd, Mabel McInstry, M.C. [unclear], [unclear], [unclear], [unclear]



OHIO BETA



*Top row*—Terese Kennedy, Marguerite Lisle, Louise Shepherd, Elizabeth Hancock, Marjory Beebe,  
*Second row*—Loretta Snyder, Claudine Urin, Gladys Jones, Katherine Pugh, Florence Bradford, Madge Somerville,  
*Third row*—Alice Du Bois, Helen Mills, Marie Grimes, Florence Smith, Dorothy Beebe, Ruth Saddler, Helen Krieger.

ONTARIO ALPHA



*Top row*—Charlotte Reeb, Annie Edgar, Hazel Bletcher.  
*Second row*—Isabel Masson, Geraldine Oakley, Jessie Starr, Jeannette McCannell.  
*Third row*—Gladness Chapman, Maude Zuern, Edith Gordon, Marguereta Chapman.  
*Fourth row*—Minnie Berry, Gordon Lovell.

to a reception June 6 to meet the Pi Phi commencement visitors.

Mrs. E. S. Wishard (Florence MacDonald, '73) has moved from Des Moines, Ia. to Palo Alto, Calif.

The address of Professor and Mrs. Conrad Bierwirth (Anna L. Fuller, '74) is 44 Shepard St., Cambridge, Mass.

The annual letter of Iowa Alpha records the death of Josephine Weidner, formerly a trained nurse of Toledo, O.

Grace D. Elliott is now Mrs. Hunter of 1919 First St., Los Angeles, Calif.

The annual letter of Iowa Alpha reports the death of Mrs. Carl Bosley (Margaret Adams).

#### IOWA BETA—SIMPSON COLLEGE.

Lillie George is now Mrs. Heaton of Dexter, Ia.

The address of Mrs. Ralph Core (Nell Vale) is 1123 West 41st St., Los Angeles, Calif.

The annual letter of Iowa Beta records the death of Mrs. A. P. White (Belle Hastie, '89), formerly superintendent of schools in Indianola.

#### IOWA GAMMA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

Keo Anderson, '05, Helen Prouty-Adamson, '05, Winnifred Thompson-Overholser, '05, May Jackson, '06, Florence Pettinger, '07, and Luella Kilbourne, '08, were guests of the chapter commencement week.

Agnes M. Gillespie, ex-'09, was married to David J. Price, April 27, at Spencer, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. Price will live in Manning, N. Dak.

Lucy Anderson, ex-'07, Bertha Busby, ex-'08, Marie Carr, ex-'09, visited the chapter during May.

Rose Lannon, ex-'09, of Pueblo, Colo., spent two weeks at the chapter house in May.

In the June *Forum* Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, '80, has an article entitled "The Will of the People."

The *Indianapolis Sunday Star* for July 10 prints a page article entitled "From Hoosier country lad to the Croesus of Korea" describing the financial successes of Mr. Leigh Hunt whose wife Mrs. Jessie Noble Hunt is a member of Iowa Gamma. According to the *Star* he has had a varied career as principal of the high school in

Columbia City, Ind., principal of a school in Des Moines, president of Iowa Agricultural College, proprietor of the *Seattle Post-Intelligencer*, Seattle financier, organizer of the Oriental Mining Company of Korea. The present residence of the family is in Maryland a few miles out of Washington.

## IOWA DELTA.

Mrs. Arthur Schramm has moved from Burlington, Ia., to 1740 Bellevue Ave., Seattle, Wash.

## IOWA ZETA—IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

Mrs. Bertha Alexander Miller spent a week with us in the spring. She is now living in New Hampton, Ia.

Lillian Smith, '11, has left for a summer's trip abroad.

Among those who celebrated Founders' Day with us were Sadie Holiday, '09, Elizabeth George, '09, and Helene Brammer of Missouri Beta.

Mrs. Lulu Graff-Weld, '99, attended our Founders' Day banquet.

Ullena Ingersoll and Mabel Piper of Iowa Alpha paid us a most delightful visit during May.

Mrs. Edward S. Rose (Edna Boerner, '05) is living in Winona, Minn.

Julia E. Rogers, '92, from May 31 to June 4 delivered a series of lectures on out door life in St. Louis, Mo., under the auspices of the forestry committee of the associated women's clubs of St. Louis. She will spend the summer abroad, sailing on the Minnetonka. She will return in November.

April 12 a little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanton I. Charlesworth (Mabel McDill) at their home in Cleveland, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Robinson (Ella Ham) are living at 1112 South Walnut St., Spokane, Wash.

## KANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

Mrs. George T. Marshall (Edna Dinsmoor) has moved from Kansas City to Denver. Her new address is 1407 Broadway.

Josephine T. Berry, '93, was reappointed for 1910-11 research

graduate scholar in household art, Teachers College, Columbia University.

Eva Olin-Copley is the newly elected secretary of the Pittsburg alumnae club.

Ella Nye, '05, is now Mrs. Myron Humphrey of Chickasha, Okla.

Mrs. Ely Moore (Mary Lyons) has moved from New York City to 38 Norman Road, Upper Montclair, N. J.

Belle Roberts is now Mrs. Otis of 4114 Clarendon Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Bernice Taber was married in June to Professor Van der Vries of the University of Kansas.

William Harvey Brown, Kansas, '88, is mayor of Salisbury, Rhodesia, and the only American born member of the Senate of the new South African Confederation. This body is composed of but eleven men. Mayor Brown first went to Africa twenty-one years ago as a representative of the Smithsonian Institution. A physician by profession, he later served as a surgeon in the British army during the Matabele war. At present, in addition to his official and professional duties, he manages a farm of 14,000 acres. Brother Brown has also achieved a reputation as the author of several books, among others: "On the South African Frontier," and "Archaeological Studies of South Africa." Mrs. Brown, his wife, was Miss Martha B. Snow, II B Φ, daughter of former Chancellor Snow of the University of Kansas.—*Phi Gamma Delta*.

#### LOUISIANA ALPHA—NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Helène Maury was married to Ike Stauffer on June 1.

Lea Calloway-Pugh now has a baby boy.

Elizabeth Maginnis has gone abroad to spend the summer.

Celia Rainey has completed her course as a trained nurse.

Mrs. Wickes, one of the chapter founders, is in charge of the Marine Hospital.

Edith Duggan has returned to live in New Orleans after spending some time away from the city.

Lois Janvier will be among the débutantes next winter.

May Logan-Monroe, won the championship cup for women's singles in the Southern Tennis Tournament.

Louise Westfeldt has announced her intention of studying for an M. D.

#### MARYLAND ALPHA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

Mrs. Waunda Hartshorn Petrunkevitch, '98, was in Baltimore in May.

Kathleen Mallory, '02, visited in Baltimore a few weeks ago, then

went to West Chester, Pa., for a visit with Emily Hoskins-Gawthrop, '02.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce Flick (Alice Dunning, '03), have a son, Robert Bruce Flick, Jr., born early in May.

Mrs. Betty Culver Hazard, Colorado Alpha, has been visiting at her home in Mt. Washington, near Baltimore.

At our annual reunion and banquet June 4, the following out-of-town alumnae were present:

Beall Martin, '98; Estelle Martin, '00; Sylvia Ware-Ireland, '01; Edna L. Stone, '00; Roberta G. Frye, ex-'02; Fan Dunning, '05; Mary Ames-Haskin, '05; Grace Spettigue, '06; Irene Fenton-Clinger, '06; Anne Porter, '08; Erma Anderson, ex-'10.

Some of the alumnae who were here for the banquet stayed for the house party after commencement.

At the banquet the alumnae gave a prize of \$15 in gold to Marjorie N. Upham, '13, awarded to the Maryland freshman with the highest standing.

Alice Russell, ex-'09, was married June 8, to Wm. Lawrence Townsley.

Lillian Baldwin was one of the six Navy maids of honor at the recent launching of the new battleship, the Florida.

Zaidee Metzger and Mary Meyer, Pennsylvania Beta, both taught this past year in the high school at Butler, N. J.

James William Ewing, Phi Gamma Delta, and a graduate of the University of Virginia, was married June 8 at Wheeling, W. Va., to Elizabeth Johnstone Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Ewing will live in Woodsdale, Wheeling, W. Va., where Mr. Ewing practices law.

Josephine Wiley-Snyder will live in New York this coming year, as her husband is to teach in one of the city high schools.

#### MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Mrs. Chas. L. Hammond (Florence Thomas, '92) has moved from Detroit, Mich. to Lowell, Mass., where her husband has been transferred by the U. S. Army orders. Her address is 69 Forrest St.

Mrs. Claude H. Priddy (Bess E. Noyes, '99) has moved from Brooklyn, N. Y. to Stamford, N. Y., where her husband is pastor of the M. E. Church. Their address is 110 Main St.

Adalieta Shaw, M. D., was married to Charles Alexander Eaton,

M. D., on April 9. They are living at 1057 Main St., Melrose Highlands, Mass.

Invitations have just been issued to the marriage of Mary Lillian Horne, '06, to Emory Albert Bacon. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride in Somersworth, N. H., on June 25.

Ethel K. G. Cederstrom, '03, has just resigned her position as teacher of French in the high school at Northampton, Mass. to accept a similar position in the Girls' High School in Philadelphia, Pa.

Myrtie M. Maguire, '05, sails for Europe June 28 and will spend the summer touring the British Isles. She received her M. A. degree at the recent B. U. commencement.

Esther Johnson, '09, received her master's degree in June from Boston University.

Next year the Boston alumnae club is to give a silver loving cup to the sophomore having the highest rank. The cup is to be held one year and the names of the successive winners will be inscribed upon it.

Helen L. Brown, '10, was valedictorian of her class.

Mrs. Clara Fish Meservey is living in Edison, O.

M. Louise Brown is now Mrs. Paul Shaffrath of 933 Seventh Ave., Seattle, Wash.

Sarah G. Pomeroy, Pi Beta Phi graduate fellow for 1910-11, will sail September 6 from Boston on the S. S. Cymric, White Star Line. She will spend the year in England, at work in the British Museum.

#### MICHIGAN ALPHA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE

Evelyn Gates-Knapp, '06, was called to her home in Scranton, Pa., sometime ago by the sickness and death of her mother.

Winnifred Whaley, '06, Elizabeth Dudley, '06, and Jessie Reem, one of our pledges who is teaching this year were in Hillsdale for the Delta Tau Delta party on June 7.

Carrie Dudley spent May 29 at her home in Hillsdale.

May Reynolds-Drybread is to be toast mistress at the Pi Phi reunion banquet June 21, at Hillsdale.

Mrs. Ana Closson-Green, '95, and Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart have entertained the active chapter very pleasantly this term.

Mrs. Charlotte Shepard Fields, '09, who has been spending the winter in California, is again living in Hillsdale.



Mary Soule will chaperon New York Alpha girls at Syracuse University, next year.

Mrs. Philip H. Cass (Florence Chase), former Grand Secretary, has been devoting much time to the establishment of a public library in Coffeyville, Kan. The matter is to be voted upon at the town election this year and the clubs interested are working for a Carnegie building. Mrs. Cass writes that another Pi Phi, Mrs. Duncan of Missouri Alpha has come to Coffeyville to live.

Isabella Cass is living in San Diego, Calif.

#### MICHIGAN BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Daisy Sabin sailed in June for Vienna where she will attend the International Library Congress. After a summer of travel she will return in September to Burlington, Ia., where she has charge of the public library.

Elizabeth R. Wylie took her master's degree at Columbia University in June.

The address of Mrs. Pearl Bennett Kohler, '00, is 211 Globe Buildings, Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Peter D. Robertson (Margaret Cousin, '01) is living on W. Sixth St., Austin, Tex.

The friends of Professor and Mrs. Albert A. Stanley of Ann Arbor will be grieved to hear of the death of their daughter Elsa.

Dora Payne and Mary Edwards expect to spend the summer abroad, touring through England, Germany, France, Italy and Switzerland.

Marjorie Loose was married to Mr. Sidney James Watts of Pittsburg, Pa., on May 25. At home after August 1, 1236 Faulkner St., Pittsburg, Pa.

Professor and Mrs. Erminie Case (Mary Snow, Kansas Alpha) will spend the summer in Germany.

The chapter was very happy to have Eva Hathhorn with them June 11 and 12. She left for Europe the latter part of June.

Born to Margaret Breck-Crenshaw on April 3, a daughter.

#### MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Esther Friedlander left June 1 for Europe where she will spend the summer.

Helen Dickerson, '09, was married June 21 to Robert Cobb, Delta

Tau Delta, in Patchogue, Long Island. After a short trip, they will come to Minneapolis to live.

Cora Emilie Marlow, our Grand Vice-President, was married June 11 to Dr. Howard Kerns, a graduate of the University of Maryland and a member of  $\Omega Y \Phi$ . They will make their home in Granite Falls, Minn.

Hortense Laybourn returned the first of May from California where she spent the winter. She is now at her home at Interlachen, Lake Minnetonka for the summer.

Lois Van Slyke has returned from Cumberland, Wis., where she has been teaching in the high school.

The engagement of Clara Cook, ex-'12, to Dr. Lewis Williams,  $\Sigma A E$ , Spokane, Wash., has been announced.

Louise Leavenworth was married June 1 to Dr. Le Roy Newkirk, instructor in mathematics in the college of engineering. They left immediately for Colorado where they will spend the summer.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Blackburn (Florence Burgess) April 1.

Margaret Parmele will go to Swarthmore to attend convention before returning home from Boston where she has been attending Simmons College.

Marie Anderson, Louise de la Barre and Loretto Newman will spend the summer in the East after attending the convention.

Irma Zickler has gone to Toppenish, Wash., to make her home.

Ethelyn Conway, '09, came from her home in Detroit to attend the Senior Prom.

Amy Fisher returned the first of June from the East where she has been for the last few months.

#### MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

Inez Duncan, '13, was recently married to Paul Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will live in St. Louis, Mo.

The address of Mrs. Mary Stephens Gray is 5869 Clemens St., St. Louis, Mo.

The address of Mrs. Maude Miller Jones is 26th and Felix Sts., St. Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. Clara Avery Killiam lives in Troy, Mo.

Edith Dungan is now Mrs. W. A. Kaucher of 807 Walker Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Estelle Anderson Lipscomb lives in Columbia, Mo.

The new home of Mrs. Maude Rippey Minear is in Lancaster, Mo.

Mrs. Norma Roth Mulleins lives in Linneus, Mo.

Mrs. Near (Mary Iglehart) lives in Berkeley, Calif.

Mrs. Harry Williams (Maude H. Neal) has left the *New York World* to join her husband in California.

Minnie K. Organ has been awarded a scholarship by the University of Chicago.

Jessie Raithel, '12, has been voted the most popular woman in the university.

Missouri Alpha has recently purchased a lot on which she plans later to build her chapter house.

The address of Mrs. Joseph Browning (Bess L. Dain) is 5957 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Marie Fuller Duncan lives in Coffeyville, Kan.

Dorothy Talbot of Kansas City, Mo. and Harry Shepard, Kappa Alpha, were married June 4.

Lucile Anderson is spending the summer abroad. She will enter Smith College next fall.

Mabell Turpin of Nevada, Mo., is visiting the chapter.

Hazel Kirk of Warrensburg, Mo. is back for commencement.

Opal Cranor of Albany, Mo. and Hudson Wilcox are to be married June 21.

Mary Smith visited the chapter recently.

#### MISSOURI BETA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Marjorie Adriance has changed her address to 519 S. 11th Street, St. Joseph, Mo.

Ruth Bayley is now living at 127 S. Gower Ave., Hollywood, Cal.

The marriage of Helene Brammer to Beryl Drummond of Davenport Iowa, was solemnized the first week in June.

During the month of March a very enthusiastic St. Louis Pi Phi Alumnae Club was formed in the city. It includes the alumnae from Missouri Beta chapter and a number of enthusiastic alumnae from other chapters who are living in the city. The club has declared its intention of greatly helping the active chapter next fall during the half year's rushing season and every girl of Missouri Beta wishes to express her appreciation and pleasure at this most acceptable offer of help during our first trial of a half year pledge day.

## NEBRASKA ALPHA—YORK M. E. COLLEGE

Mrs. Arthur F. Bentley (Anna Harrison) has moved from Chicago to South Charleston, Ohio, R. F. D. 2.

## NEBRASKA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Catherine M. Sedgwick, '01, was graduated in June from the New York School of Philanthropy.

Mrs. Quete Haskell Davis of Columbus, Ohio, spent a week in Lincoln visiting friends.

Mrs. Jennie Barber Plyn is spending several weeks with her mother in Lincoln.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schaible (Magnolia Ewalt) a daughter, Jane Ewalt, May 24.

Evelyn Franklin, '08, was married June 1 to Dr. Vernon A. Shoop. At home after July 25 at Leavenworth, Kansas.

Alleyne Archibald and Floss Denny who have been studying music and French in Paris the past two years have returned to America.

Mrs. Henry P. Eames has a daughter, born the day before Easter.

Lennie Stuart and her mother return July 1 from a five months' trip abroad.

Mrs. Vera Wattles Kirkpatrick with her husband is spending the summer abroad.

The engagement of Marie Talbot to Charles Stuart, Phi Delta Theta of Lincoln is announced. The wedding will take place in October.

Mrs. Jesse E. Wilson (Edna E. Carscadden '98) lives in Ft. Collins, Colo.

Mrs. Frederick F. W. Jackson (Elizabeth Marshall) has left Connecticut and now resides in North Yakima, Wash.

Myrtle McWaid is now Mrs. Jesse Howard Chambers of 2014 Miami St., Omaha, Neb.

## NEW YORK ALPHA—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

A daughter, Grace Irene, was born March 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cumings, (Grace McCoon, '06).

The marriage of Dora Millen, '08, to Howard Hoffman took place April 26, at the bride's home. Mr. Hoffman was graduated in 1902 from Stevens Institute of Technology, and was a member of Chi Phi

fraternity. Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman are living at 1211 E. Genesee Street, Syracuse.

Florence Ford, '07, has resigned her position as assistant in the university library, and has moved to Rochester, N. Y. Her address is 189 Plymouth Ave.

Myrta Harrington, '08, of Akron visited the chapter lately.

During commencement week, the engagement of Mary Makepeace, '08, to Professor Floyd Decker, of the department of mathematics was announced. The alumnae and seniors gave a shower for her at the home of Mrs. Howard Hoffman (Dora Millen, '08).

Mrs. G. W. Russell (Zona L. Dunn, '99) has moved from Benton Harbor, Mich. to 112 Fourth St., Watertown, S. Dak.

Fannie Denio, ex-'04, accepted a position as teacher of French and music at East Greenwich Academy, R. I., at the opening of the spring term.

#### NEW YORK BETA—BARNARD COLLEGE

The marriage of Anna Morris Jackson, '09, to Mr. Charles Fox Branson took place April 30. Her address is Lansdowne, Pa.

The active chapter were the guests of the New York Beta Alumnae Association at a delightful cooky shine at the rooms of Abby Leland, on May 28.

The active chapter celebrated Founders' Day with the New York Alumnae Club at a luncheon at the Hotel St. Denis on April 16.

Mary Washburn Murtha, '08, was married on April 6 to William Tibbitts Webb of Providence, R. I. Mr. Webb is an engineer working for the government on the new building at West Point. Mr. and Mrs. Webb are making their home in Newburgh where their address is 73 Grand Ave.

Bernice May Taber, Kansas Alpha and New York Beta, was married at her home in Holton, Kan., on June 9 to Mr. John Van der Vries. Mr. Van der Vries is a professor at Kansas University and the couple will live at 1644 New Hampshire St., Lawrence, Kan.

The New York Beta Alumnae have formed an organization to bind themselves closer together and to the active chapter. It will in no way interfere with the New York Alumnae Club but will consider only matters of interest to New York Beta.

Gladys Alden Bonfils, '10, has announced her engagement to Mr. Lincoln Rogers of Jamaica, L. I.

Elizabeth Nitchie, '10, was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and was graduated with highest general honors.

Abby Porter Leland, '05, has received a state appointment in lecture work for which she receives \$50 per week. Besides this next year she will complete her work for a Ph. D., the written examination for which she has recently passed. She has held a research scholarship at Teachers College during the past year and has just been granted a fellowship there for the coming year. Her dissertation will deal with moral education.

The coming senior class recently elected Juanita Brown, '11, corresponding secretary.—*New York Evening Post*.

The Earle prize in classics, which is open to graduating classes in both Barnard and Columbia Colleges, was won this year for the first time by a Barnard student—Elizabeth Nitchie, '10, receiving the award on the nomination of the faculties of both colleges.—*New York Sun*.

## OHIO ALPHA—OHIO UNIVERSITY

The engagement of Ellis Cox to Albert Jones has been announced. Winnie Higgins is spending the summer in Athens.

Virgene Henry has returned from National Park Seminary where she has been studying this year.

Mrs. Ellen Wood Lord died June 11.

Elizabeth Musgrave has returned to her home in Clarksburg, W. Va.

Edith Eaton has announced the date of her marriage in July.

Mrs. Raymond Crisp (Inez Collins), Mrs. Fred Finsterwald (Maud Mullay), Catharine Thompson, and Edith Eaton were guests of the chapter during commencement week.

## OHIO BETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Jeannette Logan, ex-'10, will spend the summer in Colorado.

The wedding of Ruth J. Clarke, ex-'10, and Edgar W. Seeds, *Ohio State*, '09 Phi Delta Theta, took place June 8 in Good Shepherd Church.

Ruth Wilson, '09, has been the guest of Nell Aylsworth, ex-'10, at her home in Fostoria.

Nan Costigan will spend the summer in Colorado and the west.

The engagement of F. Kenyon Hayden, '05, and Dr. James M.

Rector has been announced. The wedding will be an event of early fall.

Madge Wilson-Stevenson, '09, has moved to New York City.

ONTARIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ONTARIO

Beatrice Bowbeer, '08, is at present teaching in Marmora, Ontario.

Ethelwyn Bradshaw, '08, was married on June 1, in St Anne's Church, Toronto, to the Rev. Angus C. Cameron. After a trip to Europe they will reside in Port Perry, Ontario.

On April 14 the marriage of Kathleen Ireland, '09, to Marmaduke Long took place in St. Johns Church, Norway. They are living now at 405 Breadalbane Court, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Edith Gordon, '09, is teaching in a summer school at Wickstead, Ontario.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA—SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

Mrs. Launcelot Bowman (Ida Wright, '02) was on March 15 elected a trustee of the board of education of Bogota, N. J., for two years.—*The Club Woman*.

Mrs. Horace Bingham (Amy Young, ex-'99) has moved to 425 Oakdale Ave., Chicago, Ill. Her second son was born in October.

Eva Wallen is now Mrs. Edmund Lovell of Morrisville, Pa.

Ethel B. Close now lives at 109 East 56th St., New York.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rambo (Mary A. Gutelius) a daughter, Katherine Beatrice.

Helen McCain, ex-'10, has announced her engagement to William Campbell.

Mary Cooper Johnson will attend the Charles H. Woodbury summer school at Ogunquit, Maine.

Elizabeth E. Johnson, '06, will spend August at Thousand Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar B. Redrow (Mabel Haines) of Wenonah, N. J., expect to take a trip abroad during the summer.

Anna Campbell, '10, will visit Annabelle Boyle in Coatesville before returning to her home in Salem, O.

Beatrice M. Victory will spend the month of July camping in Maine.

Edith S. Bunting started July 8 on an automobile trip through the Berkshire Hills and White Mountains.



## PENNSYLVANIA BETA—BUCKNELL COLLEGE

Eliza J. Martin, '00, writes very interesting letters from Germany where she is studying in the University of Berlin. One of her recent letters describes Ambassador Hill's reception to ex-President Roosevelt in a very entertaining manner. This particularly interests us as Ambassador Hill was formerly President of Bucknell, and wrote a letter of endorsement to Pi Beta Phi in behalf of our petition to the fraternity in 1894.

Mary Stanton, '07, stopped in Lewisburg on her way from Florida, where she has been teaching German in Stetson University.

Flora A. Sigel, ex-'98, has been spending several months in Honolulu, Hawaii. On her way to the Hawaiian Islands she visited both California chapters.

Helen Hare, '10, intends to travel in Europe this summer with a party conducted by Mr. Benj. Griffiths, instructor in the French department of the college.

Sara Furman, '06, is going to spend the summer in Iowa.

Florence Bacon, '06, is to be married at her home in Canton some time late in the summer.

E. Blanche Stoner, was married on Thursday, June 2, to Thomas Wood, Phi Gamma Delta; both are members of the class of '05. They will be at home after July 1, in Muncy, Pa. The members of the alumnae club are very much pleased because Mrs. Wood will be able to join them next year.

The engagement of Mary Fowler, ex-'04, has been announced. The wedding will take place some time soon.

Ursula Parmley, '07, is to be married on June 23 at her home in Mahanoy City. Missoura Wolfgang, ex-'08, is to be maid of honor.

We are proud of the two new babies that have been born to our alumnae this year, though we can never make them Pi Phis—Mary Wilson-Simpson, ex-'98, has a little son, James Richardson, born in May, also Eliza Bell-Wood, '94, has a boy, Richard, born in February.

Mary Stephens, '99, was married March 5 to the Rev. Clay P. Morgan of Nogales, Ariz. The couple will make their home in Nogales where Mr. Morgan has a charge.

Carrie J. Halfpenny, '02, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halfpenny of Milton, Pa., formerly of Lewisburg, was married May 18 to the Rev. William Miles Kieffer, son of the Rev. and Mrs. W. T.

Kieffer of Milton. Mr. Kieffer was graduated from Bucknell in 1904 and is a member of Phi Gamma Delta. Mr. and Mrs. Kieffer will reside in Wilmington, Del., where Mr. Kieffer is pastor of the Green Hill Presbyterian church.

At the May meeting of the Shikelimo chapter of the D. A. R., Mrs. Enoch Perrine (Grace Roberts, '03,) was elected vice-regent, and Mrs. E. M. Heim (Elizabeth C. Eddelman, Indiana Alpha, '91) was elected historian. One of our patronesses, Mrs. H. G. Dreisbach is regent, and three others, Mrs. Thos. A. Edwards, Mrs. Wm. C. Gretzinger, and Mrs. Wm. C. Bartol, are on the board of management.

F. Rebecca Shove, '00, has been teaching in West Pittston, Pa.

Mrs. Horace M. Manning (Emelie Pooley, '00) died May 1 of pneumonia at her home in Klamath Falls, Ore.

Eliza Martin, '00, is studying at the University of Berlin. Her address is Hafenplatz 5 III, bei Frl. Helene Lobedau, Berlin, Germany.

Mrs. William B. Rennels (Ona Lillibridge) lives in Okmulgee, Okla.

U. S. Surgeon and Mrs. Wm. S. Kuder (Blanche A. Bane, '04) are now stationed at Hogan Hospital, Vallejo, Calif.

Alice Hartley is teaching in the State Normal School at Shipensburg, Pa.

Dr. Genevieve White-Shorkley, '00, of Rochester, N. Y.; Dr. Mary B. Harris, '95 of the Bryn Mawr preparatory school in Baltimore; Sara M. Black, '00, private secretary of President Reed of Dickinson College; Mrs. Harry S. Bourne (Kate McLaughlin, '96) of Lewisburg; Dana M. Bower, '08, of Garrett, Ind.; A. Frances Chaffee, '08, of Towanda, Pa.; Nellie E. Johnson, '08, of Mt. Carmel, Pa.; Margaret E. Kalp, '09, of the Bucknell Institute faculty; Lila Long, '00, of the Williamsport high school; Mrs. Enoch Perrine (Grace Roberts, '02) of Lewisburg; Beatrice R. Richards, of Scranton; Grace Slifer, '96, of the Bucknell Institute faculty; Mary G. Stanton, '08, of the faculty of John B. Stetson University; Mrs. Lewis E. Theiss (Mary Bartol, '94), Mrs. Thos. Wood (Blanche Stoner, '05), and Grace Woodard, '00 of Bradford, Pa., were among the alumnae in attendance at the sixteenth annual symposium held in the Lewisburg Armory Tuesday night of commencement week. Mary Bartol-Theiss was symposiarch and about sixty were present.

During the evening Dana Bower, '08 announced her engagement to Charles Haines, *Bucknell*, a member of Delta Theta Upsilon. Ruby Pierson, '10, also announced her engagement to G. F. Case of Troy, Pa., *Bucknell*, '10, a member of Delta Theta Upsilon.

The wedding of Prof. Martin L. Drum and Miss Grace Slifer was solemnized in Philadelphia on Wednesday evening, July 6, at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Robert G. Slifer, at Oak Lane. The ceremony was performed by the bride's pastor, Rev. Dr. J. T. Judd, of Lewisburg, and was witnessed by only the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

After the ceremony Prof. Drum and his bride departed on a wedding trip which will include a trip up the Hudson and other northern points of interest. Upon their return they will take up their residence in Lewisburg. Prof. Drum is one of the force of instructors in Bucknell University, while his bride has been for several years serving in the same capacity in the Institute as a teacher in Latin and English.—*Lewisburg Journal*.

In the June number of *Good Housekeeping* Lewis and Mary Theiss have an article on houseboats entitled "Homes Without Ground Rent."

## PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—DICKINSON COLLEGE

Ruth Barrett-Terrell, '03, and Catherine Keefer, '04, spent a day in Carlisle in April.

Mary Stahr, '06, visited Elsie Hoffer, '07, at Belmar, N. J.

Kathleen Gooding, '05, spent her vacation at her home in Carlisle.

Ada Filler-Kennedy, '07, has a young son.

Queenie Hoover, '07, spent commencement week in Carlisle.

Jesse Houck, '01, has been studying in the School of Philanthropy in New York this winter.

## VERMONT ALPHA—MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

Myrtle Mosier, '07, has moved from Brushton, N. Y. to Ware, Mass.

Laura S. Clarke who has been instructor in the department of chemistry in Smith College for the past three years, sailed for Europe in June and will spend the summer on the Continent.

## VERMONT BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Howe (Alice Durfee, '05) are the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Gertrude.

Gertrude Johnston, '07, sailed from New York June 8 for a summer abroad. She plans to visit London, Paris, and Spain where she expects to spend a few weeks studying Spanish; from there she will go to Italy and up through Switzerland to Germany.

Sylvia Warren, ex-'09, was a recent visitor in Burlington.

The alumnae have presented the chapter with several pieces of silver.

Vermont Beta wishes to say that the Mary E. Colburn of Passaic, N. J. whose death was reported in the April ARROW is not our Pi Phi Mary Colburn.

Died recently in California Mrs. F. W. McKibbon (Mary Adella Grout, '01). Mrs. McKibbon was a charter member of the Vermont Beta chapter of the University of Vermont. Her early home was in Shoreham, Vt. She attended the University during 1901-02. She is survived by her parents and husband.

Carrie S. Preston is now Mrs. Ira P. Kellogg of Florence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowen (Roberta Campbell, '06) live in Richmond Hill, N. Y.

Mrs. Hugh Smith (Gena Chapin, '10) lives at 1314 Eleventh St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## WASHINGTON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Hazel Wallace, '11, was married to William Paddock on May 11.

Mrs. Judson Pierce visited the chapter lately.

In the current *Photographische Rundschau und Photographische Centralblatt* Imogen Cunningham has an article entitled "Ueber Selbsterstellung von Platinpapieren für braune Tone."

## WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Announcement is made of the wedding of Hazel Bartlett Schelp, '09, to Chester Higbee Taylor which took place June 22. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will reside in Chicago.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jackson (Lucile Durley, a Pi Phi pledge) on May 26.

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Bernice Baker,

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA



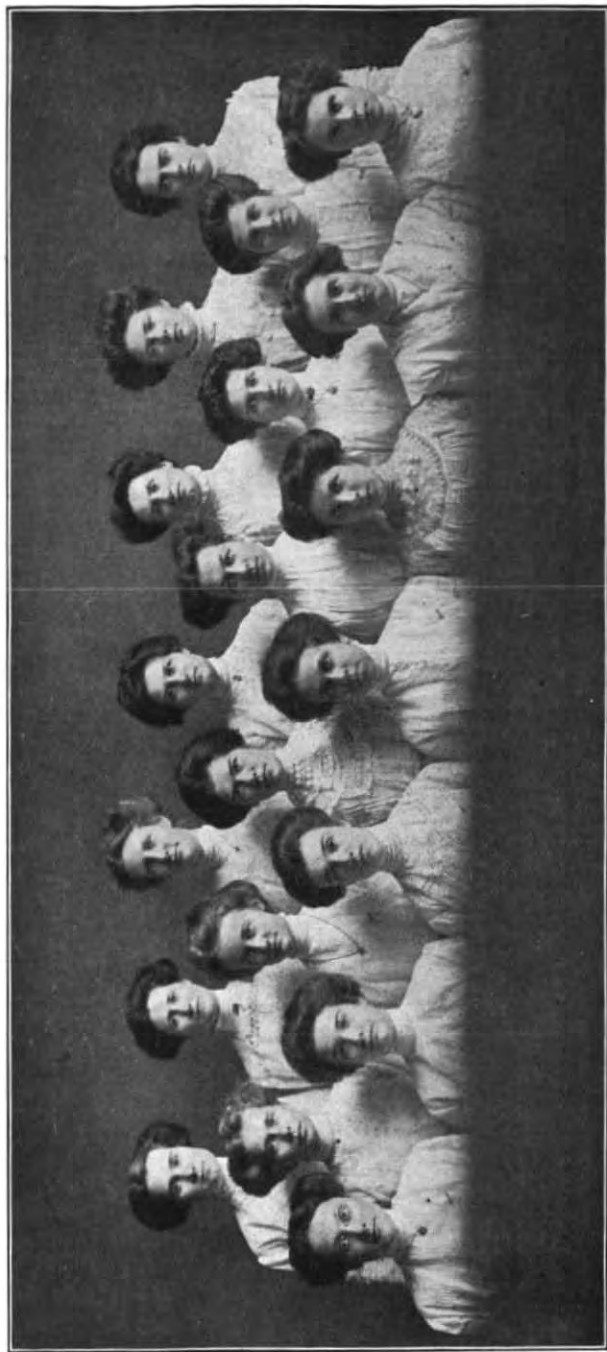
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*Third row*—Mary Ramsey, Annabelle Boyle, Dorothy Strode.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA



*Top row—*Bessie Kates, Hester Pyles, Susan Snyder, Ruby Pierson.  
*Second row—*Mary Jameson, Grace Cobb, Helen Levsgood, Gretchen Radack, Mildred Cathers, Dora Raymond, Emily Laue, Verna Whittaker.  
*Third row—*Edith Harpel, Sara Kay, Sara Meyer, Helen Hare, Olive Long, Mabel Johnson, Violet Wetterau.  
*Fourth row—*Ada Brooks, Florence Clum.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA



*Top row*—Maude Wilson, Miriam Blair, Anna Bacon, Eleta Witmer, Rosannah Blair, Lydia Gooding, Margaret Whiteman.  
*Second row*—Mary Thompson, Elizabeth Garner, Helen Burns, Ruth Hellef, Helen Carruthers, Hazel Kisner.  
*Third row*—Julia Morgan, Jeanette Stevens, Marjorie McIntire, Helen Gerbard, Florence Kisner, Grace Filler, Julia Delavan.



TEXAS ALPHA



VERMONT ALPHA



*Top row*—Sara Whitney, Angeline Holden, Goldia Monroe, Mary Reynolds.  
*Second row*—Gertrude Brodie, Margaret French, Eliza Hart, Helen Wood, Edith Grout.  
*Third row*—Dorothy Tuttle, Clara Engel, Elizabeth Adams, Elizabeth Caswell.  
*Fourth row*—Hazel O'Connell, Blanche Bostwick, Alice Barnum, Lou Dutton, Genevieve Elmer.  
*Fifth row*—Margaret Croft, Ruth Richner, Louise Monroe, Thelma Havens.  
*Sixth row*—Carmen Walker, Jennie McLelland, Eleanor Hatch, Annie Perkins, Helen Harriman.

VERMONT BETA

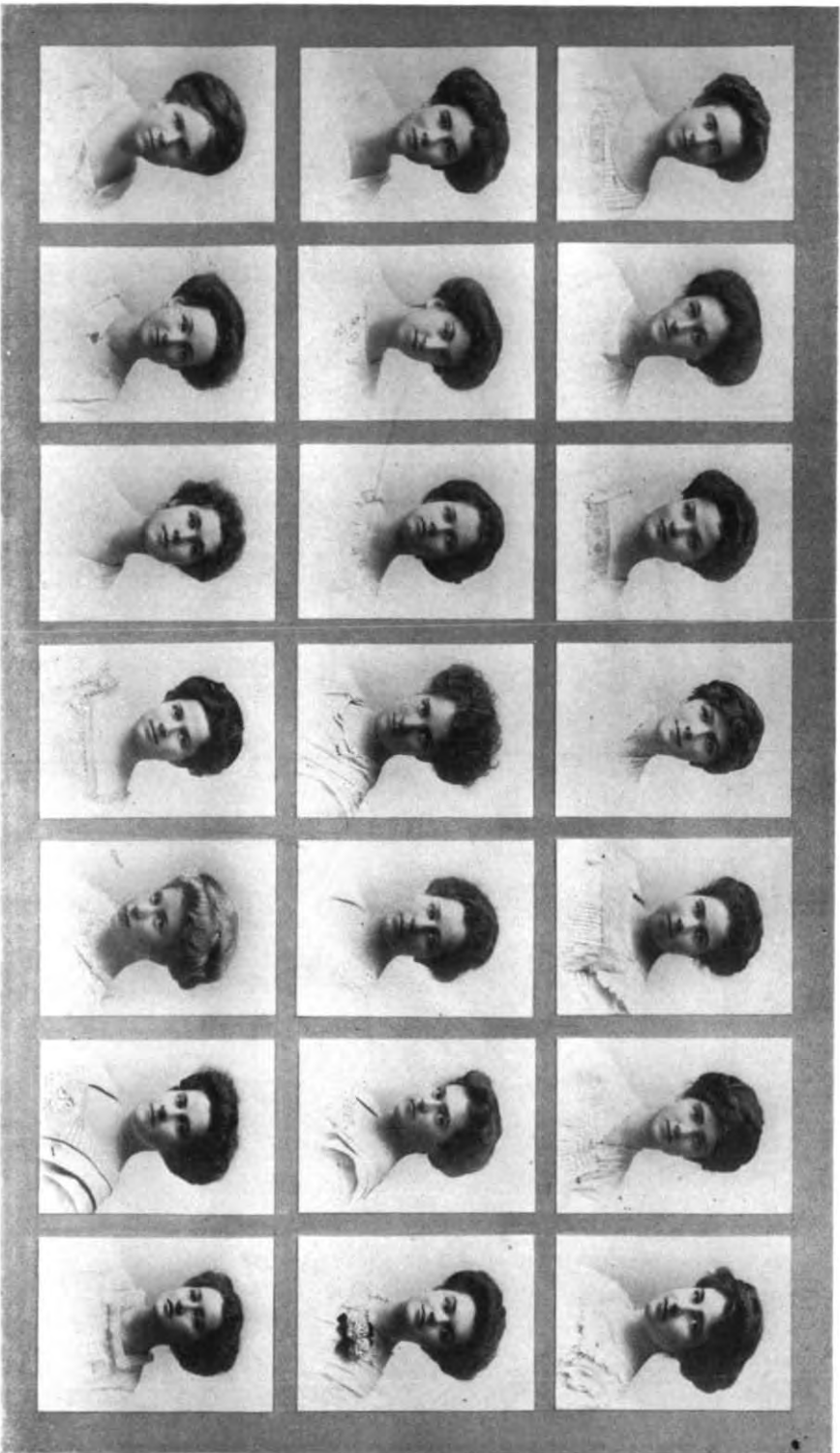


*Top row*—Bertha A. Coventry, Ruth H. Gregory, Ruth Ladd, Alta H. Grismer.

*Second row*—Mabel M. Gillis, Grace E. Sylvester.

*Third row*—Helen M. Durfee, Ethel M. Center, Margaret M. Powers, Ruth F. Catlin.

WASHINGTON ALPHA



*Top row*—Ida Parton, Ruth Mowrey, Fannie Charles, Anna Lampling, Meriam Webb, Fay Short, Pearl Bosson, Frances Martin.  
*Second row*—Gladys Madigan, Agnes Lannar, Hattie Kays, Neva Stewart, Lila Burch, Annabel Johnston, Mabel Neal, Katherine George.  
*Third row*—Edna Heaton, Mabel Wilton, Ruth Anderson, Bertha Bigelow, Genevieve Israel, Mabel Neal, Katherine George.

WISCONSIN ALPHA



*Top row*—Paine, Maxon, Viles, Walker, Connor, Henking, Clarke, Swan, Otis,\* Whidden,\* Wright, Smith, Holm.  
*Second row*—M. Mullon, Tyrrell Colbert, Pinkerton, Marsh, Woerner, Warden, Grant, Holmes, Bunnell.  
*Third row*—MacAdam, McGowan, Moroney, Hanna, B. Mullon, Emerson, Van Slyke, M. Browne, Shea, Minton, Burchard, Bredette, F. Browne.  
 \*Granted honorable dismissal.

'12, to George Harford Young of Des Moines. Mr. and Mrs. Young will reside in Des Moines.

Mrs. John Church, who attended Wisconsin 1900-1906, and Mrs. Mayo Loring, '07, (Edna Holmes) visited us for a few days during the past month.

Mrs. Paul Reinsch (Alma Moser, '00) and Prof. Reinsch left on June 15 for the Pan-American Congress, held in the Argentine Republic. Prof. Reinsch was one of the eight representatives appointed by President Taft, and he and Mrs. Reinsch will spend the entire summer on the trip, visiting Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Panama on the way and returning in October. They left on the "Sumner" one of the older transports and the party is comprised entirely of the representatives and their wives.

Marie Burnham, '09, who has been teaching in Peshtigo during the past year has returned to Madison for the summer.

The ARROW wishes to correct a part of the statement made in the April issue as to Mrs. Hill's name. Minnie Lee Dodd was married to Ralph Elliott Hill, *Albion*, '01, and a member of Alpha Tau Omega. Mr. and Mrs. Hill live at 115 E. St. Catherine St., Louisville, Ky. Mr. Hill has charge of mathematics in the Louisville boys' high school.

## CHAPTER LETTERS

## ALPHA PROVINCE

(Names of 1909-1910 initiates are in italics.)

VERMONT ALPHA—MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

(Chartered 1893)

SENIORS	Blanche Bostwick
Edith Grout, A. B.	Margaret Croft
Angie Holden, A. B.	Lou Dutton
Goldia Monroe, A. B.	Genevieve Elmer
JUNIORS	<i>Clara Engel</i>
Elizabeth Adams	Thelma Havens
Gertrude Brodie	Louise Monroe
Elizabeth Caswell	Hazel O'Connell
Margaret French	Ruth Richner
Eliza Hart	Dorothy Tuttle
Jennie McLellan	FRESHMEN
Carmen Walker	<i>Helen Harriman</i>
Lora Whitney	<i>Eleanor Hatch</i>
<i>Helen Wood</i>	<i>Annie Perkins</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Mary Reynolds</i>
Alice Barnum	

Number of faculty 19.

Number of students 268. Number of women students 136.

Women's fraternities: A X (local) 24; II M E (local) 16; II B Φ 27.

Honors: Jennie McLellan, Y. W. C. A. president, junior vice-president; Margaret Croft, Y. W. C. A. treasurer; Eliza Hart, in Latin play; Thelma Havens, junior vice-president; Mary Reynolds, freshmen vice-president.

Middlebury College has been very fortunate in the matter of gifts during the last year. Ex-Governor McCullough of Vermont gave \$25,000 a short time ago, and just recently the General Education Board offered \$50,000, provided that the college would add \$150,000 to it.

The attention of nearly all the students is turned just at present to the Roman drama, which is to be given on the morning and evening of Tuesday of commencement week. The name of the drama is "Temporibus Hominis Arpinatis," and the story centers about the most eventful years of the life of Cicero. The college has invited the faculties of many other institutions to attend the presentation, and the Governor of Vermont and his staff will be present.

The chapter life during the year has been quiet and uneventful. The high school girls have been entertained once or twice, and in April the chapter gave a tea to the ladies of the faculty and of the town. With the reception of commencement week, the social activities of the chapter for the year will be at an end.

THELMA GERTRUDE HAVENS.



## VERMONT BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

(Chartered 1898)

## SENIORS

Margaret M. Powers, Ph.B.  
Grace E. Sylvester, Ph. B.

## JUNIORS

Ethel M. Center  
Mabel M. Gillis  
Ruth H. Gregory  
Ruth F. Ladd

## SOPHOMORE

Bertha A. Coventry

## FRESHMEN

Helen M. Durfee  
Alta Helen Grismer  
Beulah H. Hayes

## SPECIAL

Ruth F. Catlin

Number of faculty 92.

Number of students 498. Number of women students 64.

Women's fraternities:  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$  11;  $K A \Theta$  16;  $\Pi B \Phi$  11.

Honors: Helen Durfee, first prize in Julia Spear reading, cast of *The Spanish Gypsies*; Mabel Gillis, junior vice-president; Y. W. C. A. president, manager young women's musical club, delegate to student volunteer convention; Ruth Gregory, *Cynic* board, *Ariel* board; Ethel Center, artist on *Ariel* staff; Bertha Coventry, Y. W. C. A. treasurer, *Cynic* staff, cast of *The Spanish Gypsies*; Margaret Powers, young women's musical club, senior class day committee, chairman senior class banner committee, senior poet, *Cynic* staff.

May 12 the members of the young women's musical club presented "The Spanish Gypsies" an operetta in two acts. The plot was written by one of our girls, Margaret M. Powers, '10. Several of our girls took part in the graceful Spanish dances, which were a pretty feature of the operetta, as well as in the chorus and in individual parts.

May 2 the annual Julia Spear prize reading took place. Two of our girls read, one of whom, Helen M. Durfee, '13, received the first prize of \$25.

May 23, the college boys gave their third annual "Peerade" followed in the evening by a play "The Bachelor's Cure," a comedy in three acts written by H. H. Fisher, '11. It was considered the best college play written since the Yale production of some years ago. The "Peerade" was, as usual, a great success. The winner of the first prize was a menagerie, an exhibit of animals captured in Africa by T. R. It was the work of the Kappa Sigma fraternity.

Vermont has won thirteen ball games out of twenty-six; among these were games with Georgetown, Dartmouth, and Holy Cross.

All the girls are making plans for Silver Bay. We are hoping to send a good delegation. Five girls have already arranged to go among whom are three of our girls.

ETHEL M. CENTER.

## MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—BOSTON UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1896)

## SENIORS

Georgia F. Bentley, A. B.  
Helen L. Brown, A. B.  
Mildred E. Daniels, A. B.Eugenia L. Goodwin, A. B.  
Marion E. Morton, A. B.  
Mildred B. Skerry, A. B.  
Bessie E. Wheeler, A. B.

## JUNIORS

Bertha A. Carr  
 Mildred Hood  
 Beatrice Whitney  
 SOPHOMORES  
 Mildred L. Aldrich  
 Ruth W. Bartlett  
 Emily C. Gordon  
 Gertrude M. Jackson  
 Dorothea M. Melden  
 Annette F. Regnier

Miriam J. Taylor

## FRESHMEN

Sarah F. Anderson  
 Mildred P. Bates  
 Marjorie E. Campbell  
 Gladys H. Norton  
 Mabel E. Searle  
 Mildred Whittemore

## PLEDGES

Isabelle U. Esten  
 Ruth Perkins

Number of faculty, 36.

Number of students, 714. Number of women students, 418.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Phi$  22;  $\Gamma$   $\Phi$  B 26;  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  22; K K  $\Gamma$  12;  $\Sigma$  K 24;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  23.

Honors: Helen L. Brown, valedictorian,  $\Phi$  B K president athletic association, senior prom. committee; Eugenia L. Goodwin, chairman Y. W. C. A., Silver Bay committee, senior prom. committee, hostess at Klatsch; Marion E. Morton, senior picnic and class day committee; Mildred B. Skerry, class hostess at Klatsch; Bertha A. Carr, junior dramatics committee; Mildred Hood, junior basket-ball team, Y. W. C. A. Silver Bay committee, chairman junior dramatics; Beatrice Whitney, junior musical committee, Y. W. C. A. membership committee; Miriam J. Taylor, Klatsch hostess; Gertrude M. Jackson, Y. W. C. A. social committee; Dorothea Melden, Y. W. C. A. social committee, sophomore basket-ball team; Mildred P. Bates, Gamma Delta social committee.

This year the girls of our college have been interested especially in the improvement of the girls assembly room. Nearly every local society and fraternity represented here, has raised a sum of money for this purpose. Massachusetts Alpha gave a musical and candy sale at the home of Prof. John P. Marshall, assistant professor of the history of music; one sorority took charge of a lecture on the Indians; another gave the proceeds from its annual play. Under the direction of the local Gamma Delta society and with the aid of several of the wives of our professors, this money has been expended, until now, with the room entirely refurnished, we feel more than proud of the result of our efforts.

The girl's athletic association has done good work in arousing an interest in athletics, particularly in basketball. There have been many good interclass games and a fancy costume game that proved a real "hit." Pi Phi has been well represented in this field; Helen Brown, '10, was president of the association and Mildred Hood, '11, and Dorothea Melden, '12, played on their class teams. This season, too, has seen an added interest in tennis, which bids fair to become an established feature at B. U.

Y. W. C. A. has furnished much of our religious as well as part of our social life. There have been weekly meetings with addresses by the students, professors and "outside" speakers, with special services for Thanksgiving Day and Christmas. Under its auspices have been given, a Kipling Reading by Professor Baldwin, a Penny Social, and several entertainments and candy sales to swell the Silver Bay fund.

The exercises of commencement week, beginning with baccalaureate Sunday and ending with the senior reception, bring the college year to a close. Pi Phi here are very proud of their seniors and regret losing them, though we feel sure of their continued interest in Pi Phi and in our college.

BEATRICE WHITNEY.

ONTARIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ONTARIO  
(Chartered 1908)

GRADUATE STUDENT

*Inez Campbell, '08*

SENIORS

Marguereta Chapman, A.B.

Genevieve Oakley, A.B.

Maude Zuern, A.B.

JUNIORS

Minnie Barry

Jessie Starr

SOPHOMORES

Gladness Chapman

Jeanette McCannell

*Isabel Masson*

FRESHMEN

*Hazel Bletcher*

*Annie Edgar*

*Gordon Lovell*

*Charlotte Reeb*

Edith Gordon, '09 (M.D.'11)

Number of faculty 136.

Number of students 1,010. Number of women students 335.

Women's fraternities: A Φ 18; K A Θ 14; Σ B Π (local) 14; Π B Φ 14.

Honors: Marguereta Chapman, Y. W. C. A. treasurer; fourth year representative on Classical Association; Charlotte Reeb, Y. W. C. A. cabinet; Geraldine Oakley, secretary of women's medico-literary society; Edith Gordon, treasurer of women's medico-literary society; Jessie Starr, Minnie Barry, athletic executive.

Commencement week which means the end of a delightful year of work and pleasure is here again and brings with it a parting, for our three seniors are graduating—Marguereta Chapman and Maude Zuern in classics, and Geraldine Oakley in biology and physics—the six-year arts and medicine course. This is one of the special courses at Toronto. At the end of four years' work the arts degree is conferred and after two more years of study in medicine the student receives her medical degree. We find some consolation, however, in the fact that Geraldine will be with us again and Marguereta and Maude will both be in the city. Maude has been appointed as teacher of classics in Westminster Ladies' College and Marguereta is going to continue her musical studies.

Owing to the death of our King there will be no garden party or dance for the graduating class this year but the girls of the class are presenting Gilbert's Pygmalion and Galatea and a "stunt night" is an innovation at Toronto. Marguereta Chapman and Maude Zuern are both contributing a number on "stunt night."

On Founders' Day our president, Edith Gordon, gave us a delightful luncheon at her home at which our city alumnae were present.

In Convocation Hall, on Sunday, May 15 a beautiful memorial service was held for our late King. The president of the university, Dr. Falcomer gave a

splendid and fitting address and the music rendered by a large orchestra was very impressive.

After examinations most of the chapter went to Jeanette McCannell's home in Milton for a week's house party. We had indeed a jolly time with picnics, tennis, and progressive roommates. We only wish all our girls could have been with us.

This has been a very successful year for us. Our girls have held offices in almost all the societies about college, and next year appears more promising still, for Pi Phis have been elected to eight offices—more than any other women's fraternity will hold. Since our last letter, two of our alumnae have been married—and we are only eighteen months old!

We wish our sister chapters a happy and pleasant vacation.

MINNIE L. BARRY.

NEW YORK ALPHA—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1896)

GRADUATE STUDENT

Rose Humann-Rogers, *California*,

'03

SENIORS

Rena S. Barry, Mus.B.

*Pansy Brown, Ph.B.*

Janet Bunyan

Ethel M. Froass, Ph.B.

Pearl H. Gorham, Ph.B.

Georgia L. Hoag, Mus.B.

*Thetis Petty, Ph.B.*

JUNIORS

Louise A. Cerow

Florence F. Dengler

Minnie E. Dinehart

*Bertha Fry*

Margaret L. Glanding

Isabell L. Shepard

SOPHOMORES

Katharine Baxter

Genevieve T. Bullivant

Eva S. Burlingham

Gladys M. Foster

Edith E. Haith

Edna M. Howard

Olive J. Kirby

*Marion Sheldon*

Mabel E. Reed

Mabel Slawson

Marion Wells

FRESHMEN

*Gladys Case*

*Julia Frantz*

*Faye C. Furbay*

*Lulu Golden*

*Gertrude Gray*

*Ina Grobe*

*Ruth MacLachlan*

*Jean Muir*

*Gertrude Skerritt*

*Katherine Steinle*

*Marie Thompson*

*Rachel Wolstad*

SPECIAL

(*Lulu Golden*)

MUSIC

(Rena Barry)

(Janet Bunyan)

(*Gertrude Gray*)

(Georgia Hoag)

(Edna Howard)

(*Jean Muir*)

(Mabel E. Reed)

(*Marie Thompson*)

ART

(Genevieve Bullivant)

(Janet Bunyan)

(*Ruth MacLachlan*)

(Mabel Slawson)

Number of faculty 244.

Number of students 3,205. Number of women students 1,598.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  23; A  $\Xi$   $\Delta$  23; A  $\Phi$  33; A X  $\Omega$  26;  $\Gamma$   $\Phi$  B 36;  $\Delta$   $\Gamma$  34;  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  33; K A  $\Theta$  30; K K  $\Gamma$  29; M  $\Phi$  E 26; P B T (art local) 18;  $\Sigma$  K 29;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  37.

Honors: Pansy Brown,  $\Phi$  B K, Tennant prize in American history; second honors in history; Rena Barry, graduate scholarship in music; Pearl Gorham, Thetis Petty, graduated *cum laude*; Katharine Baxter, Eva Burlingham, Onondagan board; Rena Barry, Margaret Glanding, Pearl Gorham, senior class society; Gertrude Skerritt, sophomore society; Faye Furbay, Jean Muir, freshman basketball team; Pearl Gorham, Ivy orator; Katharine Baxter, on women's edition of *Daily Orange*; Florence Dengler, executive board of Women's League.

We are more than proud to announce, that of the newly elected Phi Beta Kappas one is Pansy Brown. To say that we are delighted is stating it mildly.

Since the last issue of the ARROW we have been extremely busy with one thing or another. Our formal party was held at Crouse Homestead, April 16, and was a huge success; at least that is what we hear.

Founders' Day, the alumnae gave us a fine cooky shine at the home of Mrs. Harvie (Estella Foote), and we enjoyed every minute of it.

We have seven splendid seniors this year, and hardly know whether we can fill their places or not. We gave a cooky shine for them in May. The seniors were dressed as infants, "babes of 1910" they called themselves. They responded to the toasts, and thanked us for the senior spoons, in a manner befitting their age. At this shine, Edna Howard, '12, announced her engagement to Dwight Putnam, *Syracuse*, '11, Sigma Phi Epsilon. We were all rather surprised, and very much delighted for both of them.

We have been refurnishing the house a little; new curtains, new pictures and some new mission furniture have made the house look very different.

The first week of May, we sophomores, with a junior to add dignity and a freshman to furnish amusement, packed our suit cases, and started early one morning for a week-end at Marion Wells's home in Smyrna. We had a lovely time which we hope later to repeat.

We are to have as chaperon next year, Miss Mary Soule, a  $\Pi$   $\Phi$  from Michigan Alpha. We are vastly pleased over this good fortune in securing a  $\Pi$   $\Phi$ .

Besides the usual commencement affairs, we are to have a May-pole dance in the Stadium on class day; there will be four poles, and we are expecting a successful dance.

We have done a little spring rushing, and have our plans practically made for fall rushing. As we have a great deal of promising  $\Pi$   $\Phi$  material we are rather optimistic about this fall.

P. S.—I hope this postscript may be permissible as news has just come of several exciting things, and we Pi Phis are too happy to breathe. Rena Barry was awarded the graduate scholarship in music, the only one given. Pansy Brown has received the Tennant prize in American history, and also

secured second honors in History. Pearl Gorham and Thetis Petty received *cum laude*.

In addition Pansy Brown walked out commencement day, wearing a Phi Mu Alpha pin, which formerly belonged to Paul Batzell, '10.

KATHARINE BAXTER.

NEW YORK BETA—BARNARD COLLEGE

(Chartered 1904)

SENIORS

Alta Anderson, A.B.  
Gladys Bonfils, A.B.  
Mabel McCann, A.B.  
Elizabeth Nitchie, A.B.

JUNIORS

Juanita Brown  
Adèle Duncan  
Levanchia Eaton  
*Ethel Sylvia Leveridge*  
\*Bernice Taber (Kan. A.)

Elisabeth Thomson

Annie S. Van Buskirk

SOPHOMORES

Catharine Chaffee (Vt. B.)

*Dorothy Griffin*

*Virginia King*

*Lucy Landru*

*Edith Valet*

*Margaret Wood*

SPECIAL

Eleanor Murtha

\*Mrs. John N. Van der Vries.

Number of faculty 41.

Number of students 416.

Women's fraternities: A O II 10; A Φ 16; Γ Φ B 21; Δ Δ Δ 12; K A Θ 20; K K Γ 20; X Ω 12; II B Φ 18.

Honors: Elizabeth Nitchie, Φ B K, managing editor of *Bulletin*, chairman Y. W. C. A. missionary committee, president of classical club, winner of Earle prize; Alta Anderson, chairman of senior tea committee, usher at undergraduate play; Mabel McCann, undergraduate tea committee, undergraduate play, '10 basketball team, senior show, voted prettiest girl in '10; Gladys Bonfils, Ivy day pageant, undergraduate play, senior show; Adèle Duncan, junior ball committee, secretary-treasurer of Pan-Hellenic Council; Annie Van Buskirk, C. S. M. A. vice-president, chairman of C. S. M. A. tea committee; Ethel Leveridge, president of athletic association, coach of hockey squad, '11 basketball team, captain elect '11 basketball team, member and manager of varsity basketball team, pitcher on varsity and '11 baseball team, captain '11 hockey team, manager and judge of field day, 11 luncheon committee; Edith Valet, sophomore historian; Margaret Wood, sophomore show, Greek games chorus; Lucy Landru, French show, Greek games chorus; Juanita Brown, midyear Finale committee, junior luncheon committee, Y. W. C. A. membership committee, undergraduate show, junior show, repetition of '09's junior show, senior corresponding secretary.

Good-bye time again, and another college year has made its glittering exit. Not a book, essay or examination dare raise its head for four peaceful months and vacation enthusiasm is already upon us dimmed only by the going away of our seniors. Never was Pi Phi blessed with truer, stronger girls than those whom we are losing now. Capable students, active workers and faithful friends they leave our field and we wish them godspeed into the land of the alumnae.

College affairs for this year may be summed up in the word development,—great increase in the number of students, higher standard of scholarship and the introduction of even better and more instructive courses. Professor William Tenney Brewster has been appointed provost of the college to work in coöperation with a woman dean to be elected later. A project is well advanced for building two more floors in Fiske, Wilbank and Brinkerhoff Halls, to be equipped as a gymnasium, hothouses for the botanical laboratory, psychological laboratories and additional lecture rooms, which are so badly needed because of the enormous increase in the enrolment.

Our dormitory is now a well established and indispensable institution. It not only attracts the out-of-town girls to come to a city college but also serves as a center for social affairs. It is always open house at Brooks Hall and many are the teas, informal parties, and spreads which the whole college enjoys here.

Always thought of in connection with "The Dorm" is the campus, our real out-of-door playground. At one end the tennis courts are constantly in demand; then comes our flower garden with its shady walks and cozy nooks, this year especially beautified by 1909's marble bench. Then there are the athletic grounds, an ideal spot for hockey, baseball, field and track work. It was here that Field Day was held this year and such a day it was! Even our critical and conservative weekly paper "wished to express the appreciation and thanks of the college to Ethel Leveridge for managing and planning this most successful of Field Days."

But the campus has done more than athletic service this year for our May party was a rollicking frolic from the ice-cream cones to the street piano with its five overworked tunes. To cap the climax 1910 on Ivy day presented an open air pageant and now we feel we have done all any self-respecting college could do on a campus; we have run and jumped, danced and promenaded and even acted upon it. Yet one thing more, for next year our alumnae will gasp at the stately row of maples that line the walk, not tall perhaps but trees withal, 1910's gift to the college.

Proud though we are of our wonderful Alma Mater yet we modestly conceal our pride till stated seasons such as this when peaceful souls awake and trumpet forth our glories.

Till convention then good-bye.

JUANITA BROWN.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA—SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1892)

SENIORS	<i>Helen Marr</i>
Esther Barnes, A.B.	<i>Mary Ramsey</i>
Anna F. Campbell, A.B.	Eleanor Rittenhouse (Colo. B.)
Mary Hallowell, A.B.	<i>Alexandra Rogers</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Helen Spackman</i>
Annabelle Boyle	<i>Mabel Stiner</i>
Margaret Harned	<i>Alice Stover</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Dorothy Strode</i>
Bessie Bew	<i>Edith Tracy</i>



Number of faculty 45.

Number of students 349. Number of women students 176.

Woman's fraternities:  $\text{K A } \Theta$  13;  $\text{K K } \Gamma$  14;  $\text{II } \Sigma$  (local) 6;  $\text{II B } \Phi$  15.

Honors: Anna F. Campbell,  $\Phi$  B K, president women students' S. A.

At this commencement time we lose three seniors, the best and dearest girls there ever were. The chapter will greatly feel their loss. Anna Campbell, '10, added honors to her name up to the very last by becoming a member of Phi Beta Kappa. She also was the manager of the senior play, "The Tempest." All three seniors had parts in the play.

Pennsylvania Alpha is rejoiced at the prospects of a short pledge day. For two years we have had a sophomore pledge day and found it to have many disadvantages. Next year the pledge day is to be six weeks after matriculation day. We are very enthusiastic over it and hope to prove it a great success.

This year we had our annual house party at Avalon, N. J. Although the weather was quite against us, we tried to show ourselves equal to the occasion and to give everybody a good time. The house party was much smaller than usual on account of the convention. Mrs. Pearson chaperoned us again this year.

We had a dance Saturday night for which Mabel Stiner and Eleanor Ritzenhouse made very pretty programmes. The chapter gives many thanks to these girls for their unselfish assistance which they so frequently give.

ANABELLE BOYLE.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA—BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1895)

SENIORS

Mildred Cathers, A.B.

Helen Hare, A.B.

Mabel Johnson, A.B.

Emily Lane, Sc.B.

Ruby Pierson, A.B.

Sara Ray, A.B.

Ethel Watkins, A.B.\*

JUNIORS

Grace Cobb

Edith Harpel

Mary Jameson

Bessie Kates

Sara Meyer

Hester Pyles (D. C. A.)

Gretchen Radack

Dora Raymond

Verna Whitaker

SOPHOMORES

Ada Brooks

Florence Clum

Helen Levegood

Olive M. Long

Susan Snyder

Violet L. E. Wetterau

ELOCUTION

(Mildred Cathers, '10)

(Edith Harpel, '10)

Number of faculty 31.

Number of students 527. Number of women students 115.

Women's fraternities:  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$  16;  $\text{II B } \Phi$  21.

Honors: Bessie Kates, junior exhibition in oratory; Helen Hare, Ruby Pierson, senior class play; Florence Clum, sophomore contest in declamation; Mildred Cathers, Edith Harpel, graduate in elocution.

\*Non-resident but received degree in June.

This year, we celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of the founding of our chapter. We expect many of our alumnae back to enjoy with us the happy event. Commencement time is very near at hand and along with it also comes the anticipation of convention.

Bucknell has had a very prosperous year. The 'varsity baseball team has been exceptionally fortunate, the greatest victory being over Yale—score 5 to 3. Also in tennis and track, records have been made. To the college curriculum two new courses in the engineering department have been added. The 1910 class memorial is in the form of a sun-dial, which is being erected at the entrance to the Carnegie library.

At the Bucknellian Fair held June 9-11, the Pi Phi girls had charge of the ice-cream booth. They also presented a leather cushion painted with a Bucknell seal.

Six seniors leave us this year, also a graduate in elocution. The latter, Edith Harpel, expects to enter King's School of Elocution next year.

As we have changed our initiation to sophomore year we shall have no initiation in June. However, through the summer we can entertain the thought of gaining two new Pi Phis as soon as we return in the fall.

Pan-Hellenic has been successful all year, and we are very anxious to maintain the same rules, especially the one providing for late pledge-day. This proves to be very much to our advantage.

Π B Φ is interested in all college activities. In dramatics two girls are in the senior class play, one of them playing the leading rôle. Two others graduate in elocution.

The election of officers in Y. W. C. A. resulted in the selection of two of our girls for the offices of president and treasurer. The former is also the delegate for Y. W. C. A. convention held in Ohio in June. Our girls are also teachers of Bible classes.

Ruby Pierson, '10, this fall becomes preceptress in Keystone Academy, Factoryville, Pa.

We have been entertained this term by Phi Gamma Delta and Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Founders' Day we celebrated by giving a reception to our patronesses, alumnae and pledges. Our alumnae club has issued invitations for a garden party to be given June 18 at the home of Helen Hare, '10. They have decided to make this an annual affair.

Our annual symposium is to be held Tuesday evening, June 21. Mary Bartol-Theiss, '94, will be with us and we are happy to have her serve as symposiarch. The finale of an exceedingly joyful and helpful year, will be our informal dance on Friday evening, June 24—a number of girls then expect to start for convention, where we hope to meet many and learn to know other chapter girls well.

GRETCHEN A. RADACK.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—DICKINSON COLLEGE  
(Chartered 1903)

## SENIORS

Anna M. Bacon, Ph.B.  
Rosannah Blair, A. B.  
Grace Filler, Ph.B.  
Lydia Gooding, Ph. B.  
Marjorie McIntire, A. B.  
Jeanette Stevens, Ph.B.  
Margaret Whiteman, Ph.B.

## JUNIORS

Florence Kisner  
Julia Morgan  
Eleta Witmer

## SOPHOMORES

Helen Burns  
Helen Carruthers  
Ruth Heller

## FRESHMEN

Miriam Blair  
Julie Delavan\*  
Elizabeth Garner  
Helen Gerhard  
Hazel Kisner  
Mary Thompson  
Maude Wilson

\*Mrs. Leon C. Prince

Number of faculty 21.

Number of students 320. Number of women students 80.

Women's fraternities: XΩ 16; ΠΒΦ 19.

Honors: Marjorie McIntire, Anna M. Bacon, Φ Β Κ; Marjorie McIntire, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, H. L. S. vice-president; Jeanette Stevens, H. L. S. president, senior historian; Margaret Whiteman, senior statistician, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, delegate to Y. W. C. A. summer conference; Anna Bacon, Y. W. C. A. president, senior song writer, one-half Reese prize, Musser prize; Lydia Gooding, one-half Patton prize, senior poet; Julia Morgan, delegate to student volunteer convention in Rochester, one-half McDaniel prize, H. L. S. vice-president; Eleta Witmer, *Microcosm* board, delegate to Y. W. C. A. summer conference, Y. W. C. A. cabinet; Hazel Kisner, junior secretary; Elizabeth Garner, H. L. S. secretary.

During the past year Dickinson has made more advance along scholastic lines than in any other direction. The entrance requirements have been raised and several of the courses have widened their scope of work.

A new department, to be known as the department of business institutions will be opened in September. Dr. Crider, an experienced business man and lately a student at Oxford University, will take charge of this department. He will teach business institutions and sociology—senior and junior electives.

Our professor of chemistry, Dr. Lindsay, retired at the close of the year on the Carnegie Foundation. As a token of the esteem of the faculty, alumni and student body, a loving cup filled with gold was presented to him.

Dr. Prettyman, professor of German, has been granted a year's leave of absence. He will study at Columbia University, where he holds a graduate fellowship and later go to Germany for further study.

Since the last ARROW letter the chapter has been entertained at a tea by Mrs. Bedford. Founders' Day was celebrated by a picnic at Pi Phi Ridge.

At the close of the winter term Julie Delavan, '13, announced her engagement to Professor Leon C. Prince, instructor in history in the college. She was married in May and after September 1 will be at home at 101 S. College St., Carlisle.

The annual banquet was held during commencement week. All the girls were very enthusiastic about convention and are looking forward to a glorious time at Swarthmore.

M. ELETA WITMER.

MARYLAND ALPHA—GOUCHER COLLEGE  
(Chartered 1897)

## SENIORS

Kate Ernst, A.B.  
Blanche S. Lamberson, A.B.  
Sara Alice Porter, A.B.  
Margaret I. Smith, A.B.  
Carrie O. Upham, A.B.

## JUNIORS

Ella Flannigan Garvin (Pa. B.)  
Phyllis Cheever Hoskins  
Elizabeth Kellum  
Ada Virginia Weber

## SOPHOMORES

Evelyn Nicholson

Harriet Louise Rice  
Grace Ethel Taylor  
Elsie M. Yount

## FRESHMEN

*Amy Louise Beck*  
*Edistina Beggs*  
*Leona C. Buchwald*  
*Louise A. Claridge*  
*S. Esther Hubbard*  
*Grace T. Lewis*  
*Gretchen Schmidt*  
*C. Frances Strader*  
*Marjorie N. Upham*  
*Mary A. Weber*

Number of faculty 32.

Number of students 367.

Women's fraternities: A Γ Δ 11; A Φ 20; Γ B Φ 15; Δ Γ 18; Δ Δ Δ 13;  
K A Θ 18; T K Π 17; Π B Φ 23.

Honors: Sara A. Porter, fellowship in Teutonic philology and psychology at Johns Hopkins University, president students' organization; Carrie Upham, Blanche Lamberson, Φ B K; Phyllis C. Hoskins, president elect students' organization, junior president; Carrie Upham, vice-president students' organization, Y. W. C. A. treasurer; Kate Ernst, senior vice-president; Grace Taylor, sophomore secretary; Mary Weber, freshman president; Frances Strader, freshman treasurer; Esther Hubbard, freshman sergeant-at-arms; Harriet Rice, secretary-treasurer of glee club, treasurer of glee club, treasurer social service league, elector college settlement association; Elsie M. Yount, treasurer elect of social service league.

There is so much to tell about our college that I hardly know where to begin, but no doubt, I can give the best idea of this year's "doings," by beginning at the beginning. When we came back to college in the fall we found that a great many changes in the building had been made. The first week of college the Y. W. C. A. and student's organization gave a reception to the freshmen and that was our golden opportunity to meet the new girls. The senior tea to the freshmen came early in the year, and at this, according to custom, the sophomores presented the freshmen with a doll, dressed in cap and gown, called "Sophy More." Tennis next took our attention and the sophomores won the championship in doubles. This spring a 1911 girl won the championship in singles. The seniors gave "Romeo and Juliet" this year for senior dramatics. Three of our girls were in the cast. After Christmas basketball was our one and only thought. The seniors won the championship game. The mandolin and glee clubs gave a concert in March. The social service league has had interesting meetings. The Y. W. C. A. has given teas on Friday afternoons through the year. The College Spirit club has had

several mighty fine dances. *Kalends*, our monthly paper, has been exceptionally good this year, and *Donnybrook Fair*, our year book, is the best ever.

The class entertainments have been of various types. The sophomores gave a hazing party to the freshmen early in the year. The juniors gave "Hansel and Gretel" for the freshmen and the freshmen took them down the Bay and entertained them at their landing place. The sophomores took the seniors down the Bay and gave Milton's "Comus" for them. The crowning class event was the junior banquet to the seniors.

The commencement festivities have come thick and fast. The freshmen gave a Lantern Chain for the seniors. The state clubs have had various affairs, the Southern club a Prom., Pennsylvania club, a boat ride, the New York and New Jersey club a trolley-car ride. The baccalaureate service and vespers given by the college chapel choir took place June 5. The honorary members of 1910 gave a garden party for the class on June 6, and that evening the glee club gave their concert. Ivy planting, loving cup service, class day exercises and commencement were all crowded into June 7 and 8.

It is a custom here, in the spring for the seniors to sing on the steps of Goucher Hall for about a half hour each evening. The songs have been very original this year and the music is inspiring.

Besides a new name, we have a brand new college seal and call.

We are losing five seniors this year and we hate to see them go, even though we know "that the best of friends must part."

HARRIET L. RICE.

COLUMBIA ALPHA—GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1889)

SENIOR	Marguerite Weller
Ruth M. Denham, A. B.	Mary Wilson (N. Y. B.)
JUNIORS	SOPHOMORES
Hilda Beale	Eleanor Jones
Anna M. Browning	Dorothy Smallwood
Eleanor Gannett	Marie Tunstall
Mary Gillespie (Tex. A.)	FRESHMAN
Helen S. Nicholson	Lela Howard

Number of faculty 185.

Number of students 1,400. Number of women students 150.

Women's fraternities:  $\Sigma$  K 13;  $\chi$   $\Omega$  13;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  12.

Honors: Marguerite Weller, Y. W. C. A. president; Helen Nicholson, Kendall scholarship, classical club secretary; Marie Tunstall, sophomore vice-president; Dorothy Smallwood, literary editor of *Cherry Tree*; Anna Browning, junior president; Hilda Beale, first Columbian scholarship.

Columbia Alpha has now finished with examinations and is looking forward with much pride and, of course, some sadness to commencement. We lose only one girl from our number, but when she is one who has done so much for the chapter and is so well loved as Ruth Denham whom we lose, it is almost as great a loss as a large number would be.

We have had quite a pleasant and successful year considering some unfortunate conditions that we have had to contend with. In the first place there were only a few freshmen girls. But we felt greatly gratified in the initiation of Lela Howard.

It is with regret that we announce the resignation of Dr. Needham, the president of the university. His place is filled by Rear Admiral Stockton, who has been formerly connected with the university as one of its trustees.

The law department of the university has had a great loss in Dean Vance's resignation. He has accepted a chair in Yale University. His leaving is a direct loss to Columbia Alpha also as Mrs. Vance was one of our patronesses.

A new feature in the social world of G. W. U. was introduced by the *Cherry Tree* board. It was the *Cherry Tree* Ball, which was quite a success this year and it is hoped by all that it will be continued as an annual event.

The Calcium Club gave its annual entertainment May 5, 6 and 10. The performance was "The Page and the Girl" and was written by G. W. U. talent.

The Students' Ball was held February 4 at the New Willard and as usual was brilliant and entertaining. Pi Phi was well represented.

Of course we feel as if most of the great success of the *Cherry Tree* was due the literary editor, Dorothy Smallwood, who worked faithfully not only in her own department but also on the drawings and the fraternity work of the book.

The Pan-Hellenic association gave a military mock wedding at its annual entertainment, April 9. Helen Nicholson, '11, a most beautiful bride, married Anna Rose (Chi Omega), a dashing young army officer. The ceremony was particularly impressive.

We enjoyed immensely our Founders' Day celebration this year as Maryland Alpha was with us. We only wish we were able to have more of such joint celebrations and get better acquainted with our neighbor chapter.

ELEANOR I. JONES.

## BETA PROVINCE

OHIO ALPHA—OHIO UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1889)

GRADUATE STUDENTS	Marguerite Sutherland
Edith Palmer, '09	Hazel Todd
Mary Simon, '08	Blanche Wolfe
SENIOR	FRESHMEN
Ione Perkins, Ph.B.	<i>Margaret Kelley</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Doris Ludlow</i>
Mary Connett	<i>Mamie McCombs</i>
Lillian Cronacher	MUSIC
Eva Mitchell	(Blanche Danford)
Charlotte Ullom	Harriet Kelley
SOPHOMORES	ART
Ellis Cox	(Marguerite Sutherland)
Blanche Danford	(Hazel Todd)

Number of faculty 42.

Number of students 634. Number of women students 311.

Woman's fraternities: A  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  18;  $\Gamma$  A  $\Theta$  (local) 15;  $\Pi$  K  $\Delta$  14;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  16.

Honors: Mary Connett, Y. W. C. A. treasurer; Lillian Cronacher, Blanche Wolfe, Marguerite Sutherland, German club; Blanche Wolfe, English club; Hazel Todd, Marguerite Kelley, Ione Perkins, Mamie McCombs, history club; Ione Perkins, dramatic club.

In April, we are pleased to announce, Cassy McKinstry and Cecil Wash, were pledged to our chapter. Both are strong girls and we are surely glad to welcome them to Pi Phi.

Our province president Mrs. Ben W. Johnson of Toledo paid us a visit in the middle of May. During her stay our pledges gave us a Comet Party, followed by a breakfast which was certainly enjoyed by every one. A fruit spread was also given in Mrs. Johnson's honor, which pledges as well as active chapter shared. On the evening before her departure, our town alumnae gave an informal reception in the fraternity hall.

We were also delighted to have an Ohio Beta sister with us to spend a few days. Blanche Danford, our music senior, gave her piano recital May 26, and her ability as a competent and intelligent musician was clearly shown. She was assisted by two of her sisters, Harriet Kelley and Mary Chappellear, the former a vocalist and the latter as second pianist.

R. DORIS LUDLOW.

OHIO BETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1894)

SENIORS	Helen Mills
Elizabeth Bancroft, A.B.	Loretta Snyder
Marguerite D. Lisle, A.B.	Claudine Urlin
Madge L. Somerville, A.B.	FRESHMEN
JUNIORS	Dorothy Beebe
Marjory Beebe	Terese Kennedy
Marie Grimes	Katherine L. Pugh
Gladys Jones	Ruth W. Saddler
M. Louise Shepherd	Florence M. Smith
SOPHOMORES	SPECIAL
Florence Bradford	Alice J. DuBois
Helen Kreiger	

Number of faculty 220.

Number of students 3,230. Number of women students 600.

Women's fraternities:  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  25; K A  $\Theta$  17; K K  $\Gamma$  13; A A (local) 12;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  18.

Honors: Marguerite D. Lisle, president women's council; M. Louise Shepherd, director of girls' glee club; Elizabeth Bancroft, class prophet; Gladys Jones, *Makio* board.

Examinations begin tomorrow—sure heralds of commencement week with its mingled joy and sadness for all Pi Phis who with honors won must leave



the group they love. To make it worse, this cold, unseasonable spring has denied us all those delightful picnics and bonfires far up Olentangy River that have made the last days of other years so memorable. We have only had one "sing"—with the band down on Mirror Lake, and the other night when we went to hear Louise Shepherd, '11, in "The Tempest"—given by the Browning girls in the natural amphitheatre behind the observatory, we all caught heavy colds. So we are showing our adaptability by planning skating parties.

Since our last letters, Louise Shepherd, '11, was elected director of the girls' glee club for next year, Marguerite Lisle, '10, won honors by the excellent way she managed the May Fête,—with its pageant, its floats, and class dances and songs,—which was the last function for which she was responsible as president of the Women's Council. Marjory Beebe, '11, became the vice-president of that council for next year.

Our girls had a goodly representation at all of the men's and women's fraternity formals this term, and gave one very successful little dance at the Country Club May 25. Since that time we have been having parties almost daily for our two brides, Vera MacAlpine and Ruth Clarke, who have only lately left the active chapter.

Mrs. Johnson, our province president was with us a day or two in the middle of May. It was much too short a visit but it served to show us what need we had for her splendid influence. The President's wife and faculty ladies were thoroughly delighted with her, as were all the Greeks whom we invited to meet her at an afternoon reception.

We have again joined the Pan-Hellenic association and agreed to several rules that may interest you, viz: to ignore socially the local chapter of Theta Nu Epsilon, which has proved itself unworthy of the college, to pledge no "freshmen" until they have registered as sophomores, and to do no strenuous rushing next year. Our action in regard to Theta Nu Epsilon was urged by President Thompson.

Our college has just been granted a new library, and many other improvements, by the state, and we shall next year welcome another college to add to the seven already in the university—a college of music. This will attract another circle of girls whom we may want for Pi Beta Phi, if they take arts work.

The year-book, *Makio*, has just been distributed and we are very proud that Gladys Jones, '11, was on the board. Nothing much is left to us now but the commencement functions when Elizabeth Bancroft, '10, will give the class prophesy. Then will come the Senior Promenade when Elizabeth Bancroft, Marguerite Lisle, and I will pass beyond the pale of active work at Ohio State.

For the first time in many years we shall have very few representatives at the convention—and we will get together as soon as Marjory Beebe returns to hear news of you all.

MADGE LOUISE SOMERVILLE.

INDIANA ALPHA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE  
 (Chartered 1888)

ACTIVE ALUMNAE	<i>Aline Oldaker</i>
Ruth D. McCollough	SOPHOMORES
Allah Mullendore	Esther Aikens
SENIORS	Eunice Magaw
Hazel Abbett, A.B.	Ida Marie Wilson
Delta McClain, Ph.B.	FRESHMEN
Mary Murphy, Ph.B.	<i>Helen C. Barnhizer</i>
Marjory Weyl, Ph.B.	<i>L. Maude Davis</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Leah Jackson</i>
Thomasine Allen	<i>Katherine S. Kenny</i>
Louise Carter	<i>Marie McClain</i>
Hazel Deupree	<i>Mary McClain</i>
Marie Ditmars	<i>Martha M. Ott</i>
Lucy Guthrie	<i>Mary Payne</i>

Number of faculty 15.

Number of students 216. Number of women students 102.

Women's fraternities: A Γ Δ 17; Π Β Φ 23.

Honors: Hazel Abbett, girls' director of gymnasium; Marjory Weyl, tutor in German; Delta McClain, senior class play; Mary Murphy, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, chairman of junior stunt committee; Thomasine Allen, Y. W. C. A. vice-president, alumni editor of *Blue and Gold*, accompanist for college glee club and chorus; Aline Oldaker, *Blue and Gold* board, Scientific society; Louise Carter, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, *Blue and Gold* board, *Franklin* staff; Eunice Magaw, secretary of oratorical society; L. Maude Davis, *Franklin* staff, freshman historian; Leah Jackson, Y. W. C. A. cabinet.

It is to next year we are looking forward now rather than looking backward on an eventful year. This year the college has been handicapped because there has been no president but next fall college will open with a new president and with several thousand dollars added to our present endowment.

Franklin is proud of one of her seniors, Elmer Davis, who won a Rhodes scholarship. He won it over a great number of applicants from larger institutions.

Commencement came a week later than usual which enabled a greater number of our alumnae, especially those teaching, to be with us. To Pi Phi's one of the most important events of commencement week is the annual reunion and spread on the campus.

The senior class play, "The Wrong Sultan," was written by a member of the class, Elmer Davis. Our four seniors were in the cast, Delta McClain having a prominent part.

In May the Y. W. C. A. state cabinet meeting was held here.

The active and alumnae girls observed Founders' Day with a cooky shine. On the following Saturday several of our girls attended the annual luncheon of the Indiana alumnae association in Indianapolis.

On May 13 we gave a dinner and a dance which was highly praised. The

latter part of May we gave a garden party for the junior and senior high school girls, at the home of Esther Aikens.

This summer we shall lose two of our patronesses, Mrs. H. J. Martin and Mrs. A. O. Neal. Mrs. Martin moves to Seymour and Mrs. Neal to Kokomo. It is with the keenest regret that we see them go for they have been a great help to the chapter.

RUTH D. MCCOLLOUGH.

INDIANA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF INDIANA

(Chartered 1893)

ACTIVE ALUMNA	Alma Schlotzhauer
Hazel Squires	Ruth White
SENIORS	FRESHMEN
Ruth Claudia Duncan, A.B.	Ruth Aughinbaugh
Nellie Graybill, A.B.	Helen Browning
Orthena Meyer, A.B.	Ruth Collins
JUNIORS	Iowa Imes
Edna Hatfield	Mary Kneale
Florence Maston	Marie Lockridge
Ruth Miller	Mentoria McDonald
Elizabeth Rawls (Ind. G.)	Millicent McDonald
Mina Sedgwick	Mary Nash
Estella Walker	Hasel Rubey
Mignon White	Ruth Shauman
Alice Winship	Bernice Smith
SOPHOMORES	Nell Templeton
Josephine Boyd	Edna Walker
Norma Brown	Dorothy Williams
Clara Hatfield	Edythe Young
Ruth Ikerd	

Number of faculty 100.

Number of students 2,560. Number of women students 1,600.

Women's fraternities:  $\Delta \Gamma$  33;  $\Delta Z$  18;  $K A \Theta$  35;  $K K \Gamma$  31;  $\Pi B \Phi$  34.

Honors:

Indiana Beta is busy just now preparing for the final examinations. A number of the girls intend to stay and attend commencement as three of our girls, Nellie Graybill, Ruth Duncan and Orthena Meyer are graduates.

June 8 a play was given by the English club. Edna Hatfield was the leading lady.

As a chapter we have had very few social events except our day at home to the town ladies and faculty members. We have had a number of girls visiting us this last month. We also had our annual Campus Fête given by the Y. W. C. A. It was quite a success and we were very proud of our booth. Its color scheme was green and white. The walls were made of sheets covered with cotton. Over the top were green branches. We sold sandwiches, pickles, deviled eggs, lemonade and hot gingerbread.

Since the last issue of the ARROW we have added another girl to our chap-

ter, Nell Templeton who was initiated April 28. We feel that Indiana Beta is to be congratulated upon winning such a strong girl.

Edna Hatfield is delegate to the convention and we are hoping some of our alumnae also will be able to attend.

The annual state luncheon was held April 30 in Indianapolis, and a number of our active girls were present. We also were well represented by our alumnae.

Our college and social affairs have been going on very much as usual. The examinations are the main things which we are thinking about at present. We are also looking forward to a pleasant vacation this summer and extend our good wishes to all Pi Phis.

RUTH SHAUHAN.

INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER COLLEGE

(Chartered 1897)

SENIORS		<i>Mattie Empson</i>
Lora Hussey, A.B.		Ruth Kramer
Agnes Tilson, A.B.		Mary Stilz
JUNIORS		FRESHMEN
Clara Holladay		<i>Hildred Hughes</i>
Mildred Moorhead		<i>Edith Rhoades</i>
SOPHOMORES		<i>Maude Richey</i>
Mabel Boyd		

Number of faculty 25.

Number of students 500. Number of women students 250.

Women's fraternities: K A Θ 13; K K Γ 11; Π B Φ 11.

Honors: Lora Hussey, Y. W. C. A. president, Y. W. C. A. secretary, executive committee of Lotus club; Mary Stilz, sophomore vice-president; Agnes Tilson, senior vice-president, vice-president of Woman's League, on staff of *Collegian*; Lora Hussey, Mattie Empson, Philo literary society; Mary Stilz in operetta.

April 8 Indiana Gamma gave her annual formal dance at the Woodruff Place club in Indianapolis. It proved to be one of the most successful entertainments in the history of the chapter and many out-of-town alumnae were present. The ballroom was decorated with thousands of apple blossoms and numerous palms. The programmes were of white leather embossed in gold with long gold cards and were sealed with gold seals bearing the date. At midnight a buffet dinner was served.

A few weeks later, we enjoyed a short visit from our province president, Mrs. Johnson. We gave an informal tea, in her honor, one afternoon at the home of an Irvington alumna.

As usual we celebrated Founders' Day with a large state banquet given at the Claypool Hotel under the supervision of the Indianapolis alumnae club. Mrs. Jessie Christian Brown, '97, acted as toast mistress and toasts were responded to by Louise Carter, Indiana Alpha; Edythe Young, Indiana Beta and Agnes Tilson, Indiana Gamma. Also several alumnae gave very entertaining toasts.

We consider ourselves fortunate in having Amanda Knueppel, ex-'12, of Wisconsin University so near us this year in Indianapolis and have enjoyed having her attend several of our entertainments and chapter meetings.

Mrs. Jessie Lockhart Tilford gave the active chapter a pleasant surprise in May when she invited us all down to Martinsville. We were glad to become better acquainted with the four Martinsville Pi Phi's, Mrs. Tilford, Mrs. Jean Blair Rice, Edith Lockhart, and Yacht Kennedy; it goes without saying that we had a most delightful time.

The Butler College faculty recently passed a ruling which is of general interest to fraternity members. Fraternities and sororities at Butler College will no longer be permitted to initiate new members until after the "spikes" have successfully completed a term's work of three majors. This action comes as a climax to the Pan-Hellenic agreement of last fall which lengthened the rush to fourteen weeks. The three women's fraternities have agreed upon a three weeks' rushing contract for next year. This means a long pledging before initiation.

Several additions to the Butler College faculty have been made for next year and new departments will be established. This is in realization of plans laid when the new endowment was subscribed recently. Miss Clara F. McIntyre has resigned the chair of French to continue her studies in Columbia University. Two of the new members of the faculty who will come next fall are George Henry Danton, Ph.D., now of Stanford and Professor Edward Martin Greene, now of Wisconsin. Professor Danton will occupy the Armstrong chair of Germanic languages and Mr. Greene the chair of French and Spanish.

We shall miss greatly next fall our two sedate seniors, Lora Hussey of Zionsville, and Agnes Tilson of Greenwood. MILDRED MOORHEAD.

## ILLINOIS BETA—LOMBARD COLLEGE

(Chartered 1872)

SENIORS	Lilian Eilizabeth MacHale
Lenore Jeannette Bland, A.B.	Fern Townsend
Lucille Starr Cravens, A.B.	SOPHOMORES
<i>Eleanor Douglass Gilmer, A.B.</i>	<i>Ruth Chamberlain</i>
JUNIORS	Miriam Blaisdell Fisher
Alice Cropper	Margaret Elizabeth Newman
Mildred Mabie	<i>Herma Wyman</i>

Number of faculty 17.

Number of students 125. Number of women students 58 per cent.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Xi$   $\Delta$  8; II B  $\Phi$  11.

Honors: Lucille Cravens, valedictorian; Eleanor Gilmer, third honors, editor co-ed edition of the *Lombard Review*; Lilian MacHale, assistant editor of college annual.

Although our college work for this year is over, most of us are anxiously waiting for next year to open for then our bungalow will be finished and the good times we have looked forward to, for so long, will become realities. We

gave our annual dance on June 1. On account of our plans for building it was informal. Florence Hill and Helen Adams of Illinois Delta were present.

In April we had a pleasant and inspiring visit with Mrs. Ben Johnson. We wish she could come every year. She was with us at our Founders' Day banquet as was also Miss Elda Smith. Mrs. Libbie Brook-Gaddis, one of the founders of the fraternity, gave an intensely interesting account of the first days of Pi Phi.

Pi Phis have been well represented this year in Lombard affairs. Lucille Cravens was assistant editor of the *Lombard Review* and Mildred Mabie is the assistant editor-elect. The April number was a "Co-ed" number of which Eleanor Gilmer was editor-in-chief with Miriam Fisher and Margaret Newman as assistants. Eleanor Gilmer was also the manager of the girls' basketball team. The college annual *The Stroller* came out commencement week. Lenore Bland was president of *The Stroller* stock company and Lillian MacHale was one of the assistant editors.

The senior class presented "She Stoops to Conquer" at the Galesburg auditorium. Lenore Bland very creditably took one of the leading rôles. In the Townsend Declamatory Contest, Mildred Mabie won first place. The most important of all are the scholarship honors, the first of which was won by Lucille Cravens, who also received a University of Illinois scholarship. Third place was awarded to Eleanor Gilmer. At our reunion banquet the cup given us by the Galesburg alumnae association was presented to Margaret Newman, the sophomore having the highest standing.

The Junior Prom. on June 1 was the most largely attended affair we have had at the college this year. An unusually large number of alumnae were back. Among them was Mrs. Ella Boston Leib, grand president of A. Z. Δ. The girls in the receiving line were Mildred Mabie, Alice Cropper and Lillian MacHale, all Pi Phis.

On the day we dedicated our bungalow, we pledged Vera Kelsey, a promising freshman.

LILLIAN MAC HALE.

ILLINOIS DELTA—KNOX COLLEGE  
(Chartered 1884)

SENIORS	Florence Hill
Estelle Avery, A.B.	Winnifred Ingersoll
Flo Bethard, Music	Martha Latimer
Ruth Diehl, A.B.	Joyce McBride
Grace Hinchliff, A.B.	Lois Potter
Delia Spinner, B.S.	Mary Quillan
Gladys Van Patten	Helen Ryan
JUNIORS	Marguerite Sell
Madge Blayney.	Lottie Steele
Florence Crosby	Helen Turner
Dema Harshbarger	Grace Waterous
Marie Keefer	FRESHMEN
SOPHOMORES	Ruth McClelland
Mabel Bowers	MUSIC
Irene Bridge	Helen Adams
	Jessie Gaddis

Number of faculty 32.

Number of students 651. Number of women students 425.

Women's fraternities:  $\Delta\Delta\Delta$  19;  $\Pi\text{B}\Phi$  26.

Honors: Grace Hinchliff, commencement speaker; Grace Hinchliff, Gladys Van Patten, Martha Latimer, Helen Ryan, honor roll.

Knox College has just closed another successful year and the enthusiasm of the returned alumni manifested itself in a fine alumni banquet at commencement. This year Knox has had many victories of which she may well be proud, in oratory, in debate and in athletics. The corner-stone of the George Davis Science Hall has been laid and from now on the work of the building will progress rapidly. This year too a new custom was instituted at Knox, the holding of a May fête. An audience of six hundred people was gathered on the campus at sunset, to watch the winding of the May-pole and the folk dances of the girls in peasant costume. The fête was under the direction of Miss Hildred Moser, a Wisconsin Pi Phi.

The commencement events have been enthusiastically attended, from the declamation contest, the regatta and reunion to the class day exercises and the class play. The seniors presented "The Crisis" and three Pi Phis appeared in the cast.

This year, as usual, the two Galesburg chapters of Pi Beta Phi celebrated Founders' Day by a banquet. At this gathering besides seeing many old alumnae we had the additional pleasure of meeting a founder, the mother of one of our girls, Mrs. Libbie Brook Gaddis, our Grand Secretary Miss Smith, and Mrs. Ben Johnson our province president. The hundred guests enjoyed to the fullest extent the menu and the interesting programme of toasts. Mrs. Gaddis described the founders of Pi Phi and made us see that they were true college girls and not merely the representatives of a list of names to be learned for examination. We received many helpful hints in the delightful toasts of Miss Smith and Mrs. Johnson. At this banquet loving cups were presented to Illinois Delta and Illinois Beta upon which each year, the name of the sophomore or freshman in the chapter having the highest scholarship is to be recorded.

We entertained our alumnae, patronesses, the faculty ladies and our mothers at a reception for Mrs. Johnson and Miss Smith at the home of Estelle Avery. We thoroughly enjoyed the visit from these representatives and hope that in the future we may meet other Pi Phi officers.

In May, we initiated Helen Turner of Cambridge and afterwards we had a fine cooky shine.

Our annual reunion this year occurred on June 4 and it took the form of a cooky shine at the home of Irene Bridge. Only a few out-of-town alumnae were present but we had a pleasant informal time.

One of our seniors, Estelle Avery, is to be married next week and various parties and showers have been planned for her.

We are awaiting with anxious anticipation the outcome of our year under Pan-Hellenic rules, for next fall will occur our first sophomore pledge day. Our plans have been made in regard to bidding etc., and it only remains to



be seen whether we prosper. We have had comparatively little trouble in Pan-Hellenic this year.

Helen Ryan was awarded the Pi Phi scholarship cup for this year in Illinois Delta. HELEN M. RYAN.

ILLINOIS EPSILON—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY  
(Chartered 1894)

SENIORS	FRESHMEN
Jess Baker, A. B.	<i>Wilma Coad.</i>
Edna Bassler, oratory.	<i>Helen Horning.</i>
Edna Estell, Sc. B.	<i>Alice Kaiser.</i>
Mayme Matthews, oratory (Ind. A).	<i>Emily Platt.</i>
<i>Helen Pierce, Sc. B.</i>	<i>Lela Porter.</i>
	<i>Ruth Schantz.</i>
JUNIORS	MUSIC
Gertrude Foster.	<i>June Birdsall.</i>
Hilda Kramer.	<i>June Young.</i>
Helen Spencer (Mo. A).	<i>Hazel Lytle.</i>
SOPHOMORES	PLEDGES
Mabel Gloeckler.	RuBerta Duchardt
Elda L'Hote.	Midi Vinyard.
<i>Adelle Loehr.</i>	

Number of faculty 88.

Number of students 956. Number of women students 50 per cent.

Women's fraternities: A O II 19; A Φ 17; A X Ω 18; Γ Φ B 18; Δ Γ 24; Δ Δ Δ 20; Z Φ H 17; K A Θ 27; K Δ 16; K K Γ 24; Σ A I 17; X Ω 17; Ω T 17; Π B Φ 21.

Honors: May Wood-Simons, *Chicago*, '05, Harris prize in political science.

The class of 1910 has taken with it five of our strongest girls, only one of whom lives in town and yet we are glad that so many of our under classmen expect to return in the fall and among them our new freshman Emily Platt, who was initiated May 16.

We have had our usual round of formal and informal parties, but we especially enjoyed our annual picnic and Founders' day luncheon.

Pan-Hellenic and the faculty have been making great efforts this year to improve the social conditions at Northwestern. They have even submitted the question of sophomore pledge day, but the motion having failed to pass, rushing will be the same as last year—pledging on matriculation day and initiation in the second semester.

The long-looked-for gymnasium has at last received its finishing touches and is now known not only as one of the largest, but as the most elaborately equipped gymnasium in the country. Its floor space is 300 ft. by 150 ft.

With the return of athletics to Northwestern came also an increase in college spirit. Northwestern is certainly making her way to the front among western colleges and we want to see this progress and constant enthusiasm reflected in our chapter.

EDNA BASSLER.

## ILLINOIS ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

(Chartered 1895)

## SENIORS

Hazel Ione Craig, A. B.  
 Irene Mary Ferris, A. B. (Ind. B).  
 Helen Honeywell, A. B. (Ill. B)  
 Ruth Signor, A. B.  
 Lucy Gray Wilson, B. L. S.  
 Margaret Crowell Wood, B. L. S.

## JUNIORS

Ada Lillian Baldwin (Wis. A)  
 Verna L. Brown  
 Mabell Lyford (Neb. B)  
 Hazel Louise Ovitz  
 Nell Signor  
 Kathryn Summerwill (Ia. Z)  
 Sarah K. White

## SOPHOMORES

Irene Ethel Gould

Helen Hough  
 Frances Hurford  
 Lottie M. Fuller (Kan. A)

## FRESHMEN

Harriett Bowman  
 \*Claire Dillon  
 Louise Fatch  
 Olive Mannly  
 Florence Royer  
 Clara Swigart

## SPECIAL

Imogene Riner

## MUSIC

(Irene E. Gould)  
 (Kathryn Summerwill)  
 (Clara Swigart)

## PLEDGE

Marguerite Riner

Number of faculty 500.

Number of students 5,000. Number of women students 1,000.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Xi$   $\Delta$  19; A X  $\Omega$  21;  $\Delta$   $\Gamma$  26; K A  $\Theta$  28; K K  $\Gamma$  25;  $\Sigma$  K 21; X  $\Omega$  26; H B  $\Phi$  24.

Honors: Ada L. Baldwin, Household Science Club.

On June 15 Illinois Zeta chapter of Pi Beta Phi ends the fifteenth year of her existence at the University of Illinois.

The chapter has had twenty-three active members and one pledge. Five of our number are seniors, and it certainly is causing us many heartaches to think we must meet next fall without those five familiar faces. On May 30 we gave a farewell banquet for our seniors, and I think no function of the year has been more enjoyable. Yet as we toasted the class, individually and collectively, it was with varying degrees of success, that we restrained our tears.

The main event of the spring was our house-party given April 29 to May 2. We entertained eleven rushees at the house during that time. A stunt show and our annual dance were the main features of entertainment. Our annual dance was to observe Founders' Day.

We had the pleasure of having our province president, Mrs. Johnson, with us for a few days this spring.

The university continues to grow each year. Its attendance took a big leap this year and is now up to the five thousand mark. The faculty has five hundred members. This year there were added some fifteen new members as professors, associate and assistant professors. Of the additions twelve were to fill new positions.

\*Mrs. W. J. Lindsey.

As important as the growth of the university is the raising of the standard of scholarship, the introduction of new men of ability and promise, and the development of our graduate school. The graduate school is receiving considerable attention at present. About two hundred and fifty students are registered in it.

Excavation for the new main hall has been started and is progressing rapidly. A new engineering building is also in the course of construction.

Pan-Hellenic conditions for next year promise to be very favorable. They are practically the same as last year with the important addition of a rule forbidding the initiation of freshmen, until twelve hours' work has been successfully carried.

HAZEL LOUISE OVITZ.

MICHIGAN ALPHA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1887)

SENIORS

Esther L. Branch, A. B.  
Alice F. Clarke, A. B.  
Marjory Whitney, A. B.

JUNIORS

Bess L. Kempf  
Leithel Patton

SOPHOMORES

Gladys Cherryman  
Leah L. Stock

Edna Tompkins (N. Y. B)

*Mella Van Meter*

FRESHMEN

*Marian Cook*  
*Elsie Eggleston*  
*Mae Grandon*  
*Mabel Hill*  
*Lena Topliff*  
*Jane Whitney*

MUSIC

Ruth Ford

Number of faculty 20.

Number of students 418. Number of women students 50 per cent.

Women's fraternities: K K Γ 12; Π B φ 16.

Honors: Marion Cook, second place in Nibecker contest; Mella Van Meter, first place in Germanae oratorical contest; Leah Stock, second in Germanae oratorical contest, second in Ladies' oratorical contest; Gladys Cherryman, winner of Simpson athletic medal; Marjory Whitney, Ivy Ode on commencement programme.

This has been a very successful year for Hillsdale College in spite of the severe loss by fire of Knowlton Hall, one of the main buildings.

The alumni have been responsive and generous in giving pledges. Already quite extensive work has been done toward rebuilding. We have achieved a very enviable position in State Oratorical records this year. Hillsdale won a first and second place in the intercollegiate contest at Lansing. A Hillsdale man won the State Peace contest at Albion, and so represented Michigan in the interstate contest at Ann Arbor, May 13, receiving third place. We have reason to feel proud of our track men. In the Intercollegiate Field meet held at Kalamazoo, June 3 and 4, Hillsdale carried off the relay pennant, which has now been won by Hillsdale for the past three years. We also received the tennis pennant and were given third place in the meet.

Just now we are full of excitement in anticipation of the quinquennial reunion of the college which commences June 19, and continues through June 23. On June 21 will occur the Pi Phi reunion banquet. We are expecting many of our alumnae at this time and it will be a great pleasure and inspiration to us all to meet with them. Mrs. May Copeland Drybread is to be toast mistress on this occasion.

Some of our alumnae have entertained us recently—Mrs. Stewart with a "sugar off" after which we danced and sang Pi Phi songs. A few weeks later we spent another enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Ana Closson Green after enjoying a six o'clock dinner which was prepared by some of our girls.

Founders' Day we had luncheon together in Pi Phi room. Local Founders' Day, May 21, was celebrated with a cooky shine on the campus. Delta Tau Delta pleasantly entertained us on June 7.

Marian Cook won second place in the Ladies' Nibecker Declamatory contest on May 26. At the anniversary of Germane and A. K.  $\Phi$  literary societies in June, Leithel Patton was one of the two girls who represented Germane on the programme. Gladys Cherryman was awarded the Simpson medal this year. This is given to the girl who, upon the completion of two years' gymnasium work, is most symmetrically developed.

Three of our girls are on the Y. W. C. A. cabinet. Several of us are planning to attend the summer conference at Lake Geneva and hope to meet many Pi Phis from other chapters.

Marjory Whitney, Esther Branch and Alice Clarke are graduated this year. Marjory and Alice expect to teach in nearby towns so we shall hope to see them often. Esther is to teach at St. Charles, Mo.

Just now we are looking forward to a visit from Mrs. Johnson, our province president, who is coming June 11. On that day we give a tea in her honor to the Kappas, our alumnae and the ladies of the faculty.

BESS KEMPF.

MICHIGAN BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

(Chartered 1888)

GRADUATE STUDENT	Ellen McHenry
<i>Anna Trail Harding, Wellesley,</i>	Nellie Perkins
'06	Marguerite Reed
SENIORS	Margaret Spier
Neva Hungerford, A. B.	<i>Sarah Waite</i>
Dorothea Lee, A. B. (M. D. '10)	<i>Elsie Ziegele</i>
<i>Lora Wright, A. B.</i>	FRESHMEN
JUNIORS	<i>Ruth Bridge</i>
Belle Hetzel (Ia. Z)	<i>Gertrude Burbank</i>
Charlotta Lindstrom	<i>Norma DeGuise</i>
Beulah Whitney	<i>Winifred Miller</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Marchie Sturgis</i>
<i>Irene McFadden</i>	PLEDGE
	Jean Lindstrom

Number of faculty 420.

Number of students 5,258. Number of women students 900.

Women's fraternities: A Φ 21; A X Ω 21; Γ Φ B 18; Δ Γ 23; K A Θ 14; K K Γ 26; X Ω 17; Ω Ψ 9; Sorosis 23; Π B Φ 20.

Honors: Beulah Whitney, Marguerite Reed, Junior Honor Society; Ellen McHenry, Neva Hungerford, Comedy Club; Irene McFadden, Norma De Guise, French play, Cercle Française, Gertrude Burbank, Cercle Française.

The spring months have been pleasant but exceedingly strenuous for Michigan Beta. We have had many week-end rushing parties, through which we have been able to meet many delightful girls. As a result we have high hopes for future initiates.

On March 15, we held our spring initiation for Sarah Waite of Toledo, O. On April 28, we celebrated Founders' Day by a banquet for our town ladies. It was an exceedingly delightful occasion and we were recipients of many handsome gifts toward the furnishing of our home.

The annual "Swing Out" came on May 4. This is a most august occasion, when the seniors circle the campus in their caps and gowns. On the evening of May 4, the seniors were surprised by a spread, given in their honor by the junior girls. Of course the sophomores and freshmen regaled themselves with a rival spread the same evening.

On May 24 the whole chapter was pleasantly surprised with an engagement spread, when Neva Hungerford announced her engagement to Arthur Cutler of New York City.

Commencement is unusually late this spring, June 30. Preparations have been made for a delightful senior week in which class day, senior reception, senior play, and Senior Prom. are the chief features.

The girls of the Women's League have been busy earning money for a recreation field. A fine piece of ground, embracing tennis courts, archery, basketball and hockey fields is now at the disposal of the university girls.

At present the girls are trying to bring about a dormitory system. Five houses with home privileges are now occupied entirely by women students.

ELLEN MC HENRY.

WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

(Chartered 1894)

GRADUATE STUDENT	Ada MacAdam
†Helen Otis	Harriet Maxon
SENIORS	Kathleen Moroney
Martina Marsh	Effie Paine
Mary Louise Wright (Ind. B)	Ethyl Swan
JUNIORS	Helen Tyrrell
Mary Browne	Josephine Viles
Helen Connor	Charlotte Warden
Evelyn Emerson	†Marian Whidden
Marion Holmes	Lisette Woerner

†Received honorable dismissal.

## SOPHOMORES

Ruth Birchard  
 Fan Browne  
 Mary Bunnell  
 Mahala Holm  
 Harriet Pinkerton  
 Catherine Shea

## FRESHMEN

Kathryn Clarke  
 Elizabeth Grant  
 Florence Hanna

Barbara Mullon  
 Elizabeth Mullon  
 Marie VanSlyke  
 May Walker

## SPECIAL

Cora Colbert  
 Gladys McGowan  
 Vivian Smith

## MUSIC

Ruth Henking

Number of faculty 420.

Number of students 4,386. Number of women students 1,180.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  19; A  $\Phi$  27; A  $\Xi$   $\Delta$  22;  $\Gamma$   $\Phi$  B 37; A X  $\Omega$  23;  $\Delta$   $\Gamma$  36;  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  20; K A  $\Theta$  33; K K  $\Gamma$  33; X  $\Omega$  23;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  33.

Honors: Martina Marsh, hockey team; Kathryn Clarke, freshman girls' baseball team, and Elizabeth Grant, captain; Mary Bunnell, sophomore girls' basketball team; Helen Connor, press club; senior society, *Mortar Board*; Mabel Bredette, Ruth Henking, glee club; Mabel Bredette, Red Domino dramatic club.

The college year is drawing near its close and we of Wisconsin Alpha are going to say goodbye with a great deal of regret. It has been an especially happy year for us in many ways and has sped by so fast that we cannot realize we are going to part in two weeks more.

Wisconsin has obtained several new improvements during the year. Lathrop Hall, the new woman's building, is a structure of which any university could well be proud. It contains accommodations for the home economics course, the physical training department for women, swimming tank, dance halls and reception rooms and offices for university officers, such as dean of women and instructors in the physical training and home economics departments. Besides Lathrop Hall, the university is proud of a new Forest Products Laboratory, additions to the Engineering and Dairy Buildings and some new greenhouses.

No important changes have been made in Pan-Hellenic since the last number of *THE ARROW*. It is however, proposed that an average of from eighty to eighty-two be reached in the work of a freshman before she be initiated. The feeling in favor of this seems to be very strong and it is probable that such a measure will be adopted.

Since the last number of *THE ARROW* we have been visited by our province president, Mrs. Ben Johnson. We cannot say how much we should like to know her better and we want to thank her as well as the members of our Grand Council for the needed help and advice they gave us during her visit.

We were also visited by Miss Sutliff, a Pi Phi from Leland Stanford, whose sister was Grand President at the time our chapter was installed, and

by Florence Crosby from Galesburg and Miss Strader from Goucher College, all of whom we were glad to know.

Mrs. Bashford, our chaperon, who has been traveling in the west all winter and spring has returned to us and we are glad to be able to end the year with her once more in our house for we missed her a great deal.

We have great plans for a new Pi Phi house next year. We want to keep our present location and turn the house about, setting it back on the lot and adding a large three-story front. If we are successful in our plans we hope to be together in our new chapter house by the second semester of next year.

Wisconsin Alpha extends to every sister chapter best wishes for a happy summer.

MARION H. HOLMES.

### GAMMA PROVINCE.

IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY  
(Chartered 1869).

GRADUATE STUDENT	Ada Redd
Ullena Ingersoll, '09 (Md. A)	FRESHMEN
SENIORS	<i>Henrietta Davis</i>
Edna Betts, A. B.	Louise Hancher
Berna Holdeman, Sc. B.	<i>Vera Hassenpflug</i>
Nona Spahr, A. B.	Edna Irish
<i>A. Margaret Torrence, Ph. B.</i>	<i>Grace McKee</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Pearl McKee</i>
Mary Colt	<i>Madge Seavers</i>
Lavanda Gardner	<i>Amy Zimmerman</i>
Suzanne Gardner	MUSIC
SOPHOMORES	Gertrude Redd
Mabel Piper	

Number of faculty 19.

Number of students 475. Number of women students 225.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Sigma$   $\Delta$  12;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  19.

Honors: Nona Spahr, leading part in college play; Ullena Ingersoll, Suzanne Gardner, minor parts; Ullena Ingersoll, Lavanda Gardner, Suzanne Gardner, Vera Hassenpflug, Mary Colt, Henrietta Davis, Ada Redd, in operetta; Berna Holdeman, leading part in senior play, Edna Betts, Nona Spahr, parts; Nona Spahr, president of girls' tennis club; Berna Holdeman, senior secretary; Mary Colt, Junior secretary, *Wesleyan News* staff, associate editor college annual; Suzanne Gardner, *Wesleyan News* staff, Y. W. C. A. chorister, commencement choir, associate editor college annual, house president, I  $\Phi$  (honorary local); Lavanda Gardner, secretary of girls' debating association; Edna Betts, commencement choir; Mabel Piper, vice-president Ruthean literary society; Grace McKee, secretary of Hypatia literary society.

The atmosphere of Iowa Wesleyan University somehow since April 7 has seemed changed. On that day the endowment campaign was ended and \$100,000 new endowment was added to the university funds. The college was



founded in 1842 and had originally but one building, the Pioneer Building, which served for college and dormitory too.

A change has been made in the athletic and forensic arrangements so that more interest will be manifest next year. With his tuition each student will pay a semester fee and this will entitle the holder to a ticket to all games, debates and contests.

The football and basketball teams were not as strong as usual, probably because the members were new men, but the baseball team was a wonder!

SUZANNE GARDNER.

## IOWA BETA—SIMPSON COLLEGE

(Chartered 1874)

GRADUATE STUDENT	SOPHOMORES
Jessie Schee, '06.	<i>Ava Hathaway</i>
SENIORS	<i>Jessie Houser</i>
Edith Beall, A. B.	Florence Schee
Edith Lisle, A. B.	Ada Whitney
Margaret Pemble, A. B.	FRESHMEN
Irma Walker, A. B.	<i>Ruth Harp</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Eva Hathaway</i>
Maide Baker	<i>Edith Payton</i>
Dessamond Clabaugh	<i>Hazel Perley</i>
<i>Gladys Smith</i>	<i>Besse Tilton</i>
Helen Thompson	MUSIC
	Esther Antrim

Number of faculty 22.

Number of students 883. Number of women students 60 per cent.

Women's fraternities: A X Ω 15; Δ Δ Δ 20; Π B Φ 19.

Honors: Edith Beall, Roman contest; Dessy Clabaugh, Maide Baker, Badley Schee contest; Dessie Clabaugh, leading lady of dramatic club; Helen Thompson, president of literary society; Ava Hathaway, Ada Whitney, Helen Thompson, Maide Baker, Y. W. C. A. cabinet.

Simpson this year celebrated her semi-centennial. Since our last ARROW letter we have initiated Jessie Houser, whom we are proud to introduce to the fraternity.

The past three months have been very busy and interesting ones for Iowa Beta Pi Phis. Founders' Day was celebrated in our usual custom with a cooky shine with our alumnae at one of their homes, the freshmen entertaining us with an interesting farce. Our spring party for our senior girls was held at the home of one of our active girls. A profusion of sweet peas formed the decoration for the tables. The musical genius of the company was at work during the evening and a number of original Pi Beta Phi songs resulted.

Our college has had a most prosperous year. One of the most interesting features of the commencement programme is the breaking of the ground for the new gymnasium-auditorium building which is to be erected this year. The

of the week's festivities which is dearest to Pi Phi is the big reunion that Iowa Beta holds on the campus Tuesday afternoon. We are expecting about fifty Pi Phis to be here. This reunion is one in which the alumnae chapter is the hostess; so we are assured of a most pleasant time.

Iowa Beta sends best wishes for a pleasant vacation to all Pi Beta Phis.

MAIDE BAKER.

IOWA GAMMA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1877)

SENIORS	SOPHOMORES
Edna Andre, B. S.	Ruth Barrett
Alice Armstrong, B. S.	Alice Howe
May Chase, B. S.	Jessie King
Edna Everett, B. S.	Lydia Lacey (Neb. B.)
Helen Jones, B. S.	Mae Reed
Maude Mirick, B. S.	<i>Grace H. Smith</i>
Laura Storms, B. S.	Ethel Weaver
Helen Wakefield, B. S.	<i>Margaret Wentch</i>
JUNIORS	FRESHMEN
Louise Ahlbrecht	<i>Blanche Hopkins</i>
Regina Brennan	<i>Ruby Hopkins</i>
Josephine Hungerford	<i>Ruth McClintock</i>
Vera Mills	<i>Lela Moore</i>
Shirley Storm	<i>Louise Tuttle</i>
Emma Wennholz	PLEDGE
	Olive Snook

Number of faculty 200.

Number of students 1,796. Number of women students 256.

Women's fraternities: K Δ 23; Ω Δ (local) 23; Π B Φ 27.

Honors: Ruth McClintock, Shirley Storm, in gymnasium; Shirley Storm, Junior play, *Bomb* board, hockey team, Y. W. C. A. cabinet; Margaret Wentch, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, hockey team, *Bomb* board; Regina Brennan, basket-ball team; Ruth Barrett, basket-ball team, *Bomb* board; Maude Mirick, hockey team.

Iowa State College is about to undergo several changes which are of vital interest to the students. A new president is to be elected. Miss Virgelia Purmort is to take Mrs. Alice Dynes Feuling's place as head of the domestic science department. The new woman's building will be completed before the fall semester begins. This building will be devoted entirely to domestic science.

Iowa Gamma has five new initiates, all freshmen, to introduce to Pi Phi, Blanche Hopkins of Nevada, Ia., Ruby Hopkins of Missouri Valley, Ia., Lela Moore of 665 Wellington Ave., Chicago, Ruth McClintock of Cedar Rapids, Ia., and Louise Tuttle of Des Moines, Ia.

Our spring party was given May 1 and was a great success. The dance was held at Boone. On our return to Ames a three-course luncheon was

served at the chapter house.

On May 20 six of our alumnae entertained the chapter in a very delightful manner, giving a farce, "A Candid Violet." After the performance a luncheon was served.

The semester is now nearly over. We are especially sorry to see it end since eight of our girls are graduated in June.

Alice R. Howe.

IOWA ZETA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1882)

GRADUATE STUDENT	Ethel Calderwood
Stacey Turney (Ia. A), <i>Iowa Wesleyan</i> , '06	<i>M. Louise Cody</i>
SENIORS	Edith Eastman
Agnes Pheny, A. B.	Miriam McCune
Helen Struble, A. B.	Lillian Noth
JUNIORS	Edna Smith
Louise Adams	Naomi Stewart
Madge Eastman	May Wangler
Mary Remley	Vera Wilcox
Edith Shugart	FRESHMEN
Lillian Smith	<i>Isabel Cramer</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Mable Nicol</i>
	SPECIAL
	<i>Mary George</i>

Number of faculty 240.

Number of students 2,450. Number of women students 850.

Women's fraternities:  $\Delta \Gamma$  20;  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$  22;  $K K \Gamma$  23;  $\Pi B \Phi$  20.

Honors: Helen Struble,  $\Phi B K$ , senior class play; Louise Adams, greater university committee; Mary Remley, Hawkeye staff, Y. W. C. A. cabinet; Edith Shugart, E T.

It seems hardly possible to Iowa Zeta that our college year is all but closed. We have spent such a delightful year that it is with a feeling of regret that we prepare to depart, but we are happy in the thought that we may look back upon so many happy times and look forward to even greater success next year.

Founders' Day we celebrated with a banquet at the Berkeley Hotel, and it surely was an event on which we may look with pride. Many of our alumnae were here with us and helped to make it a success.

The chapter was most delightfully entertained a short time ago by Elizabeth Brainerd, a Pi Phi pledge. Most of the active chapter attended together with several rushees and we made it the occasion for showing them glimpses of Pi Phi spirit.

Pi Phi at Iowa was honored this year in having Lillian Smith lead the grand march at the annual Pan-Hellenic formal.

Rules have been formulated in Pan-Hellenic for a definite rushing season

and a matriculation pledge day. Rushing will occupy the four days preceding the opening of college.

Commencement this year bids fair to be a gala event. The Greater University Committee are planning a large Senior Frolic to be given at the river park close to Iowa City. Many of the older girls will be back and we are planning a grand reunion. Our senior breakfast will be our last social event together, when we will bid our seniors and one another goodbye for the summer.

LILLIAN G. NOTH.

MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

(Chartered 1890)

GRADUATE STUDENT	SOPHOMORES
<i>Helen Ozias-Fairchild, Minnesota, '04</i>	Louise Barnaby
<i>Alice Ozias, Goucher, '06</i>	<i>Ruby Burtness</i>
	<i>Clara Cook</i>
SENIORS	Elsie Haviland Griffin
Edna Marie Brown	Loretto Newman
Alta Dunlap (Wash. A)	Laura Randall
Edna Lampert	<i>Helen Shol</i>
Ruth Robbins-Loomis	FRESHMEN
Esther Marie Robbins	<i>Martica Byrnes</i>
Mary Vaill Tisdale	<i>Lydia Goldsworthy Cox</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Ednah Dunlop</i>
Marie Louise Anderson	<i>Hazel Laybourn</i>
<i>Lyle Byrnes</i>	<i>Mildred Loomis</i>
Louise de la Barre	<i>Mildred Ozias</i>
Amy Margaret Gray	<i>Esther Jane Pettit</i>
Amanda Viola Lenning	<i>Vivian Reilly</i>
Vera Smith	<i>Agnes Wilhelmina Werdenhoff</i>
	<i>Irma Zickler</i>

Number of faculty 290.

Number of students 5,500. Number of women students 1,210.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  26; A  $\Xi$   $\Delta$  23; A  $\Phi$  35;  $\Gamma$   $\Phi$  B 31;  $\Delta$   $\Gamma$  26;  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  22; K A  $\Theta$  21; K K  $\Gamma$  28; II B  $\Phi$  31.

Honors: Esther Robbins, *cum laude* in Latin; Mary V. Tisdale, leading part in opera,  $\Sigma$  T, Acanthus, Quill; Viola Lenning, editor college magazine, society reporter *U. of M. Daily*,  $\Theta$  E, Quill, junior vice president; Laura Randall, Acanthus, tennis champion (singles); Lyle Byrnes, Minerva; Lydia Cox, Elsie Griffin,  $\Theta$  E; Mildred Ozias, Esther Pettit, Vivian Reilly, Euterpean club; Gladys Clendening, ex-'11, leading part in dramatic club play; Ethelyn Conway, '09, leading part in '09 and '10 class plays; Martica Byrnes, Agnes Werdenhoff, athletic board of control; Martica Byrnes, Women's League Council, S. G. A. board, freshmen vice-president; Agnes Werdenhoff, cup in hare and hound races, vice-president of Bib and Tucker; Ruby Burtness, mandolin club, reporter on *U. of M. Daily*, Euterpean club.

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## MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

(Chartered 1899)

JUNIORS	
Margaret Fidler (Mo. B)	Mary Stewart
<i>Frances Glandon</i>	Margaret Woodson
Fay Jarman	FRESHMEN
<i>Lena Johnson</i>	<i>Rowena Campbell</i>
Mildred McBride	<i>Lillian Clarke</i>
Mary Matthews	<i>*Inez Duncan</i>
<i>Loree Spricher</i>	<i>Jean Harris</i>
<i>Estaline Wilson</i>	<i>Alice Knapp</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Marie O'Day</i>
Opal Cranor (Ill. E)	<i>Sarah Painter</i>
<i>Velma Johnson</i>	<i>Hazel Price</i>
<i>Jean Massey</i>	<i>Eleanor Stone</i>
Jessie Raithel	<i>Emily Wyatt</i>
Irene Shafer	SPECIAL
	Zannie May Estes

Number of faculty 150.

Number of students 2,843. Number of women students 615.

Women's fraternities: A Φ 15; K A Θ 21; K K Γ 28; Π B Φ 27.

Honors: Minnie K. Organ, '97, scholarship at Chicago University.

The second semester is now at an end, and we have been rejoicing over a year successful in all respects.

We have initiated five fine new girls since the beginning of the semester: Jean Massey, Lena Johnson, Velma Johnson, Loree Spricher and Frances Glandon.

We have given some informal rushing parties and teas which have been quite enjoyable affairs. Some few plans for next fall's rushing have been made. We are going to give, with the aid of our alumnae, some luncheons, teas, and one big formal dance on Wednesday night, before pledge day. Further arrangements are to be made during vacation.

Our annual banquet was held April 28 at the Gordon Hotel. We had several of our alumnae with us and on the whole it was one of the most pleasant gatherings we have had for some time.

The annual report of the scholarship committee has just been issued. The standing is now: Delta Gamma first, Pi Beta Phi second, Kappa Alpha Theta third, and Kappa Kappa Gamma fourth. We hope by next year to hold first place as we did last year.

IRENE SHAFER.

\*Mrs. Paul Campbell.

## MISSOURI BETA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1907)

GRADUATE STUDENT	FRESHMEN
<i>Julia McDaniel, Texas, '09</i>	<i>Gertrude Cole</i>
SENIORS	<i>Erma Perham</i>
Louise Birch, A. B.	<i>Julia M. Rogers</i>
Zide Fauntleroy, A. B.	<i>Adele Seifert</i>
Elizabeth Forbes, A. B.	<i>Annie Adele Shreve</i>
Helen Gorse, A. B.	<i>Sallie Lee Sparks</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Lois Tucker</i>
Edith Baker	SPECIAL
Dorothea Frazer	Helene L. Brammer
*Eulah Grey	ART
Helen P. Shultz	Imogene Adams
SOPHOMORES	Ysobel Campbell
<i>Mary de Garmo</i>	†Anna Dierfeld
Mabel Grant	Ruth LeCron
Johnnie Matthews	

Number of faculty 249.

Number of students 1,045. Number of women students 300.

Women's fraternities: Cleo (local) 12; K A Θ 27; Π B Φ 24.

Honors: Erma Perham, freshman vice-president; Helen Gorse, vice-president of Thyrsus, W. A. G. vice-president, annual play, literary editor *Student Life*; Betsey Forbes, McMillan Hall vice president; Helen Shultz, assistant editor of *Hatchet*; Johnnie Matthews, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, delegate to student volunteer convention; Edith Baker, Helen Gorse, Elizabeth Forbes, basketball teams.

Each year at Washington University sees more improvements and additions to our new and attractive campus. A number of walks have been laid this year, many trees have been planted and different parts of the campus graded into their proper shape. Two large additions to the engineering laboratory are at present about half completed and plans are under way for a \$5,500,000 hospital and new medical college.

We have six or eight new faculty members this year, the most important being Dr. John L. Lowes who is at the head of the English Department.

Pan-Hellenic agreed on January 7 as the pledge day for 1910-11, with on restrictions on rushing. This is an experiment and we are extremely interested to see whether it will be a successful one. All indications seem to point to its success.

The last month of college has been one endless, breathless excitement. Of course examinations came during the week beginning May 28 and there was much cramming and grinding. But besides the work social affairs have been

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†Mrs. S. L. Morton.





in Father and the Frat; Clare Jaedicke, leading part in Father and the Frat, Thespian dramatic club; Lucile Wilkinson, sophomore farce, sophomore prom. committee.

We feel that we have reason to be proud to call ourselves Kansas Alpha and identify ourselves with Kansas University. The institution is advancing steadily along all lines. This year is marked by the completion and dedication of two new engineering buildings and by the beginning of the administration building which is to form the center of the extended grounds of the university. The faculty has been enlarged, and the enrolment has increased since last year. We have had lectures and addresses by prominent men from many states.

The campus, always beautiful has been improved in many ways, chiefly by the electric line which crosses the grounds and connects the university with all parts of the town, so that the "hill" is now accessible to every one.

The student life at the university has been especially interesting this year. Student government, which was planned last year, has been in operation. The two organizations, one for the men and one for the women, have accomplished much by increasing the democratic social life of the university. Many things have been undertaken and successfully carried out. An interesting feature of the work done by the girls was "Girls' Gala Day," when "Alice in Wonderland" was presented, out-of-doors, for the benefit of the scholarship fund. Besides being a financial success, it accomplished much in bringing all the college girls into a closer relationship.

Kansas has carried off many athletic honors this year. She lost the Missouri Valley championship in both football and basketball by only one game. We have had a winning baseball team and have been very successful in track athletics.

Our alumnae entertained the active chapter with a banquet, at the home of Mrs. Barrow (Edith Riffle), to celebrate Founders' Day. Many out-of-town alumnae came back for the occasion and every one had a beautiful time. Last week we gave our farewell cooky shine at the chapter house. It was too early for a real farewell, so there was no sadness of parting. We presented each of our seniors with a Pi Phi spoon. We also have a new member to introduce to the faterernity. Dorothy Williston of Chicago was initiated May 7.

LUCIE MARCH.

NEBRASKA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

(Chartered 1895)

SENIORS

Mildred Holland, A. B.  
\*Era Keeling  
†Sarah Martin  
Grace Shallenberger, A. B.

JUNIORS

Bess Alexander  
Fenna Beeler

*Mona Clearman*

Edith Fisher  
Ruth Heacock  
Sylvia Killian  
Beatrice Moffet  
*Virginia Rogers*  
Grace Salisbury  
Ella Schwake  
Myrna Sedgwick

\*Mrs. Wm. Kirby.

†Mrs. Russell G. Burruss.

## SOPHOMORES

June Brown  
 Lucile Brown  
 Gertrude Lyford  
 Grace Lyford  
 Jean McGahey  
 Clare Scriver (Ia. B)  
 Helen Vincent

## FRESHMEN

*Lucile Bell*

*Adabooth Dolman*  
*Helen Halloway*  
*Florence Hostetler*  
*Florence Schwake*  
*Rose Toenges*

## MUSIC

Zora Fitzgerald

## PLEDGES

Uarda Scott

Eula Bates

Number of faculty 400.

Number of students 4,000. Number of women students 2,050.

Women's fraternities: A O II 32; A Φ 22; A X Ω 20; Δ Γ 30; Δ Δ Δ 31;  
 Δ Z 17; K A Θ 22; K K Γ 24; X Ω 20; Π B Φ 30.

Although during the past year no new buildings have been erected, the landscape gardener has succeeded in beautifying the campus very much. The new fountain, flower beds, and shrubs have a very artistic appearance. Andrews Field, which was ready for the first football game, has been in use throughout the year for all athletic affairs.

Last year the chancellor and regents decreed that all rowdiness must be abolished from college affairs. With the hearty cooperation of students and faculty this has been accomplished. Ivy Day was celebrated by the usual programme with the May-pole dance in the morning, a track meet in the afternoon and dramatic club play in the evening.

Pan-Hellenic is at present considering sophomore pledging. Owing to the many difficulties in running a fraternity house, we are not in favor of the same. The fraternity men have adopted the honor system. Sorority girls are also trying to introduce the same code for the entire body of women students.

We celebrated Founders' Day with a cooky shine at which many out-of-town alumnae were present. Our banquet, which was to have been that evening, had to be postponed until May 25 on account of the smallpox epidemic in the university. The toast lists were miniature copies of THE ARROW with the toastmistress as editor-in-chief. The toasts were under the following heads corresponding to the departments of THE ARROW: Editorials, What a Fraternity Girl Thinks, Alumnae Personals, Advertisements (freshmen), Pi Beta Phi in Medicine, Chapter Letters and Exchanges. Our chapter has enjoyed many teas, a swimming party and luncheon, and a house party at Wahoo. We expect to give one more informal dance before we go home for summer vacation.

The alumnae club of Lincoln has undertaken the furnishing of a room in the new city Y. W. C. A. Each member has raised five dollars through her own efforts, and has helped make quilts and curtains for the room.

We extend best wishes for a pleasant vacation.

FLORENCE HOSTETLER.

## LOUISIANA ALPHA—NEWCOMB COLLEGE

(Chartered 1891)

## SENIORS

Lois Janvier

## JUNIORS

Carmelite Janvier

Catherine Rainey

Frances Raymond

Francis Swartz

Elise Urquhart

## SOPHOMORES

Alice Beauregard

Elizabeth Clarke

Lelia Kennard

Josephine Janvier

## SPECIALS

Helen Rainey

Dorothy Sanders

## ART

Martha Milner, '10

Number of faculty 59.

Number of women students 451.

Women's fraternities: A Δ Φ 4; A O Π 7; K K Γ 9; Φ M 6; X Ω 7; Π B Φ 14.

Honors: Lois Janvier, senior president, winner of prize of 1909, elected most representative college girl; Carmelite Janvier, winner 1903 Shakespeare prize; Frances Raymond, vice-president of Student Body; Josephine Janvier, sophomore president; Catherine Rainey, treasurer of Student Body.

Just to think, Pi Phi, the college term is really over and convention is only a few weeks off! No doubt by the time we get our next ARROW convention will be a thing of the past. " 'Tis already," I hear you exclaiming. Well, the whole thing goes to show that time is up to his old tricks of flying past us. But we Louisiana Pi Phis have not let the golden minutes slip past without having anything to show for them. Among the prizes given at commencement this year, Carmelite Janvier was announced the winner of the 1903 Shakespeare prize, which is offered for the best essay on a Shakesperian subject. The 1909 prize, given to the most representative college girl in the graduating class, was awarded by the united vote of the faculty, the students, and the alumnae to Lois Janvier, our senior class president.

Since the opening of college last October one college event has been crowding closely upon the heels of another. Newcomb has grown and broadened wonderfully in so short a year's time.

A point system has been established which, by allowing a girl a certain number of points only, (each office in college being valued by a fixed number), distributes the honor and responsibility of holding offices.

Basket-ball holds its usual place of interest, the cup being won this year by the juniors, with three Pi Phis on the team. The college team won in the match game with the alumnae, who, however, got their revenge by beating the college team in the tennis match.

Along literary lines the language clubs have been a keen source of interest to those interested in Latin, French, and German. The "Literary and Debating Club," of which a Pi Phi is president, had a public debate this year at which the debaters all spoke with ease, and did credit to the college.

Our annual, the *Arcade* has established itself firmly, and its second year was three times more brilliant than its first.

Mrs. T. G. Richardson, a woman of great prominence in Tulane-Newcomb affairs, left a large sum of money to the university, and made a special gift to Newcomb of her handsome collection of curiosities and pictures.

Two entirely new departments were successfully established this year. These departments are the new school of music, and the school of domestic science. Now, courses in these two departments may be taken in connection with the academic work, and the lists in both are well filled.

Commencement week was even more brilliant than usual with its round of parties and exercises. The annual Fête Champêtre, given Tuesday night of commencement week was pronounced a distinct artistic success. The series of dances, given under the oaks of Newcomb campus, were carried out unusually well. The dances of the gnomes and the flowers were followed by a huge electrical comet which shot across the full length of the campus. After the arrival of the comet, summer fairies descended by means of steps from the branches of a giant oak, and joined with the flowers in a May-pole dance.

Just after the last examination we gave a rushing party for the freshmen and the graduates of the high school department, who are now eligible to fraternity rushing. The party was a great success, and gave us an opportunity to get acquainted with the girls we are to rush next year. "Stunts" were the order of the day, and among the many games was a poetry contest in which the rushees were made to fill out the fourth line of a limerick about the Pi Beta Phis. We still have to rush the girls a whole year before they can be taken in, as according to the faculty rule, we are able to initiate only regular sophomores.

Louisiana Alpha has had a very interesting year in spite of a rather small chapter, and our annual banquet was largely attended by alumnae. Mrs. Wickes, one of our Louisiana founders, was present and joined in the Pi Phi frolicking with renewed interest. After toasting and talking to our hearts' content, we spent some time singing Pi Phi songs to the dim light of red shaded candles. As a climax to our party the active chapter held a mock initiation of some of the alumnae, and every one went home pronouncing this banquet the nicest in several years. The only regret was that every Pi Phi in the world could not be there!

ELISE URQUHART.

ARKANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

(Chartered 1909)

GRADUATE STUDENT	SOPHOMORES
<i>Bess Carnall, '09</i>	<i>Hazel Gladson</i>
SENIORS	<i>Mildred Gregg</i>
<i>Dolph McCain, A. B.</i>	<i>Jennie Morton</i>
<i>Lillian Wallace, A. B.</i>	<i>May Pitman</i>
JUNIORS	FRESHMEN
<i>Aurette Burnside</i>	<i>Lucy Butler</i>
<i>Ruby Cotham</i>	MUSIC
<i>Lucy Nichols</i>	<i>Susie Moore</i>
<i>Wanda Richards</i>	<i>Margaret Stuckey</i>
<i>Mary Shannon</i>	

## ALUMNAE

Ovid Young-Barrett  
 Maud Bryan  
 \*Madge Campbell  
 Mary Campbell  
 Lyta Davis  
 Frances Douglas  
 Mary Droke  
 †Josephine Dubs  
 Sunshine Fields  
 Sula Fleeman  
 Bess Jane Graham

Ruth Jennings  
 Stella Hight McNair  
 Ree Maples  
 Elizabeth Nichols  
 Claire Norris  
 Barbara Davis-Olney  
 Sallie Pope  
 Aileen Spencer  
 Victoria Vogel  
 Velma Watt  
 Nellie Wilson  
 Ruth Wood

Number of faculty 40.

Number of students 989. Number of women students 270.

Women's fraternities: Z T A 20; X Ω 26; Π B Φ 15.

Honors: Aurelle Burnsides, Y. W. C. A. staff, self-government council; Bess Carnall, Torch club, honor league; Lucy Nichols, honor league; Lillian Wallace, society editor of *University Weekly*; Mary Shannon, dramatic club

We have completed one of our happiest years of college since it is our first year as Pi Phis.

The active chapter and alumnae celebrated Founders' Day together at the home of Mrs. Gladson, with a banquet.

In April we gave an informal dance in the Ozark Club rooms for our patronesses and rushees but did not give our annual party this year.

The university will have a summer school this year beginning June 13. This is the first time anything of this kind has been tried here and we hope it will prove successful.

In athletics we have not been standing still. Our baseball team won the championship of the Southwest, the foot-ball team also claims the same championship.

A student council was formed the latter part of the year consisting of fourteen members, four of whom are fraternity men.

Since our last letter our chapter has initiated Ree Maples, ex-'07, and Maud Bryan, '09, who were Gamma Epsilon Delta girls. At the close of the college year we pledged and initiated Velma Watt of Quinton, Okla.

Arkansas Alpha sends best wishes for a pleasant vacation to her sister chapters.

MILDRED GREGG.

## TEXAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

(Chartered 1902)

## JUNIORS

Laura Burleson  
 Grace Byrne  
 Adele Epperson

Georgia Maverick  
 Bess Monteith  
 Lucille Russell  
 Camille Williams

\*Mrs. Wm. A. Koser

†Mrs. Thurman Bohart

## SOPHOMORES

Frankie Cochran  
 Nita Hill  
 Mary Holt  
 Elizabeth Leftwich  
 Claire Lucas  
 Dora Neill  
 Louise Perkins  
 Erna Schlemmer  
 Julia Simpson  
 Frances Walker

## FRESHMEN

Annie Garrison  
 Kathleen Gould  
 Catharine Hill  
 Frances Jalonick  
 Mary Peacock  
 Laura Randall  
 Anita Schlemmer  
 Tharon Thompson  
 Camille Webb  
 Bessie Wells  
 Ida Belle Woolford

Number of faculty 190.

Number of students 1,562. Number of women students 500.

Women's fraternities: A Δ Φ 16; Z T A 19; K A Θ 20; K K Γ 26; X Ω 21;

Π B Φ 28.

Honors: Frances Jalonick, freshman vice-president; Grace Byrne, junior vice-president, *Texas* board; Georgia Maverick, art editor of *Cactus*, secretary of Women's Council, president of Angler club, vice-president of Ashbel literary society, chosen as ideal university girl; Frances Walker, on *Magazine* board, secretary of Ashbel; Adele Epperson, awarded a "T" in tennis in singles and doubles; Laura Randall, led freshmen reception, Ashbel; Drew Staggs, president of Rabbitfoot club; Claire Lucas, Tharon Thompson, elected to Rabbitfoot club; Lucille Russell, Camille Webb, elected to Angler club; Laura Burleson, Camille Webb, on "beauty page" in *Cactus*; Camille Williams, Y. W. C. A. president.

Texas Alpha is at present very busy, for the final examinations are almost upon us—just one more week of grace in which to get ready, and from all appearance every one is making good use of these last few days.

The past three months have been very pleasant ones for our chapter. Since our reunion though, we have not done much socially, as we tried to get in all of the big affairs at that time. So most of our good times have consisted in informal gatherings among ourselves. Of course, we celebrated Founders' Day in the usual delightful fashion. This year we had a picnic out in the woods. We went out late in the afternoon, enjoyed the customary picnic "goodies," sang Pi Phi songs, and all had a good time generally.

Texas Alpha has no seniors this year, a rather unprecedented thing for her. This, however, gives us the consolation of not having to give up any of our girls.

Plans of all kinds and at all stages of development are on foot. The house is to have numerous improvements, and we are expecting that it will be far more attractive in every way, and that we shall be able to accommodate more of the girls. Pi Phi clubs are to be organized in several of our larger cities, and this summer some of us are enthusiastically planning for a big Pi Phi house party on the gulf, at Rockport.

This year our college has been unusually successful in her dramatics, and

as so many Pi Phis have played prominent parts in these functions, we have been especially interested in them. Pi Phi has also been well represented along all other lines of college activity—literary, religious, social, scholastic, and athletic.

Looking back, 1909-1910 has been a momentous year in the history of our college as well as in our chapter. We have much to make us proud of our Alma Mater, for it is rapidly advancing toward a greater university. The enrolment was greater than ever before, in spite of the increased entrance requirements. The legislature was more liberal in appropriations, and as a result several buildings are now in process of construction. The heating plant is nearing completion, and excavations have been made for a library building. A new feature of the college introduced this year, is the department of extension to give correspondence courses in the state and throughout the South.

Texas Alpha sends heartiest wishes to every Pi Phi for a very happy vacation.  
MARY E. HOLT.

### DELTA PROVINCE

COLORADO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

(Chartered 1884)

#### SENIORS

Helen Scott, A. B.  
Louise Tourtellotte, A. B.  
Helen Waltemeyer, A. B.

#### JUNIORS

\*Mildred Brigham  
Carol Dier  
Eloie Dyer  
Pauline McKenzie  
Gertrude Thielen

#### SOPHOMORES

Helen Drake  
Catherine Fonda  
Margaret Hankins  
Elinor Leonard

Mary Morse  
Harmie Patterson  
Edna Pierce  
Theo Towns

#### FRESHMEN

Alice Briggs  
Helen Carney  
Dorothy Chittenden  
Myrtle Fallis  
Helen Fenner  
Electa Franklin  
Lela Haines  
H. Louise Hart  
Katherine Leslie  
Jeannette Owen

Number of faculty 135.

Number of students 1,150. Number of women students 318.

Women's fraternities: A X Ω 18; Δ Γ 25; Δ Δ Δ 20; K K Γ 22; X Ω 21;  
Π B Φ 20.

Honors: Helen Waltemeyer, vice-president combined senior class, alumnae treasurer Y. W. C. A., on *Mortar Board*; Helen Scott, on *Mortar Board*, Queen of the May Festival; Eloie Dyer, art editor of *The Coloradoan*, secretary-treasurer Richards literary society; Catherine Fonda, manager of girls'

\*Mrs. Bret



tennis association; Alice Briggs, secretary combined freshman class; Electa Franklin, maid of honor to the May Queen.

The year 1909-10 has been a very successful one for the University of Colorado. The growth of the institution has not been as phenomenal as in former years but there has been a steady increase which will probably continue. There are now 135 on the faculty roll and 1,150 students in the university; of these some 300 are women.

It is hoped, that at the next general election, an amendment to the state constitution will be passed which will allow all but the first two years of the Medical School to be conducted in Denver where better clinical advantages can be had. Already the University of Colorado and the Gross Medical College of Denver have consolidated and the Gross Medical will discontinue classes in September, 1910.

The university was one of four western institutions that was received by the Carnegie Foundation this winter and this shows that the work done here is of the highest grade.

This school year has seen the completion of the law building, the new engineering shops and the wings to the Hale Scientific Building. The auditorium has been started but it will probably be sometime before it is finished. It is a \$300,000 building, the gift to the university from the late A. J. Mackay, a citizen of Boulder. The Science and Museum Building will be started very soon for bids are now being received.

The Summer School bids fair to be a very satisfactory one. Many professors from Eastern schools will be here for the summer session and many of our own professors will conduct classes. The session continues for six weeks and opens one week after commencement.

The students of the university this year accepted a constitution which organized them into an association with regularly elected officers whose duty it is to look after all student affairs. The government is vested in a president, vice-president, secretary, and a commission made up of students and faculty members. The funds of the Associated Students are in the hands of a graduate manager.

The football team this year is the best we have had for a long time. Our line was never crossed or even menaced. The baseball team is a winning team also. In track we have a chance of holding the state championship but were easily and badly beaten by the Stanford team. It was such a pleasure, however to see the work done by the Stanford men that the defeat lost much of its sting.

We Pi Phis have been very quiet this last part of the year. Founders' Day we entertained Colorado Beta and the Pi Phis throughout the state. In the morning we held a reception at the house and at noon luncheon was served at the Boulderado Hotel. On High School Day we kept open house and entertained many of the visiting high school girls at luncheon. But best of all this last half of the semester we pledged Rebecca Vaille, '12, of Denver, Colo.

Colorado Alpha sincerely hopes that the summer will prove very pleasant for all Pi Beta Phis.

ELOIE C. DYER.

## COLORADO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

(Chartered 1885)

SENIORS	
Jessie Ford, A. B.	Lorena Hocking
Gladys Shackelford, A. B.	<i>Leila Mercer</i>
Beatrice Teague, A. B.	<i>Lura Mercer</i>
Helen Williams, A. B.	Viola Pillsbury
JUNIORS	
Elizabeth Fraser	<i>Hilda Beggs.</i>
Jessie Mills	<i>Florence Biggs</i>
SOPHOMORES	
<i>Gertrude Amsbury</i>	<i>Edna Hills</i>
<i>S. Edna Biggs</i>	<i>Grace Reed</i>
Mary Biggs	<i>Gretta Williams</i>
Clara Crane (Wis. A)	SPECIAL
<i>Bessie Helwig</i>	Helen Garst
	<i>Faith Gilmore</i>
	<i>Ula King</i>

Number of faculty 37.

Number of students 500. Number of women students 300.

Women's fraternities:  $\Gamma \Phi B$  20;  $\Sigma K$  14;  $\Pi B \Phi$  23.

Honors: Beatrice Teague,  $\Sigma \Phi A$  (honor scholastic fraternity).

The Denver girls are glad to write of their university this year for it shows signs of rapid growth. The general college spirit is increasing; in athletics we have made a wide reputation, gaining both football and baseball championships. New buildings which have long been dreams are now being planned for. The new Carnegie Library, which has been in use this year, has been a delight to us. Our gymnasium which is in advanced stages of construction, will be ready for occupancy in September. Workmen are engaged on the new chapel at present, and it is rumored that we shall have a new science hall begun in the fall.

The students regret the loss of three excellent professors: Miss Miller, Dr. Roberts, and Dr. Staff.

Early in the spring the girls of our chapter enjoyed frequent informal gatherings, but the duties of the last weeks of college have made it impossible for us to get together oftener than once a week.

Several of the wives of the professors have invited the girls to come to their homes after meetings, for refreshments. We have enjoyed these moments of recreation after our busy day's work. Two alumnae, Miss McNeal and Miss Robinson, invited us to hold our meeting one week in May, at the home of Miss McNeal. We always appreciate any courtesy of this kind from the alumnae.

We have given parties for prospective rushees on one or two occasions. On the evening of May 31 we entertained sixty guests at a lawn party at the beautiful home of Gladys Shackelford. We had various kinds of amusements out-of-doors,—games and fortune-telling. Refreshments were served in the little summer-house all the evening. There was dancing indoors also.

This year leaves many pleasant memories for the girls of Colorado Beta. It

is a pleasure for us to announce that Beatrice Teague, '10, has become a member of  $\Sigma \Phi A$ , the scholarship fraternity. Bessie Helwig, '12, won the women's tennis championship for this year, and Viola Pillsbury, '12, was crowned Queen of the May.

VIOLA T. PILLSBURY.

## CALIFORNIA ALPHA—STANFORD UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1893)

GRADUATE STUDENTS	SOPHOMORES
Muriel James (Mich. B) <i>Michigan</i> , '09	Dorothy Alderton
Bessie Wendling, '09	Mary Herdman
	Verna Marshall
SENIORS	Julia Moore
Olga Adams, A. B.	Bertha Sieber
Eva Clark, A. B.	FRESHMEN
Adele Huntsberger	<i>Anne Brooks</i>
Florence Metzner	<i>Frances Hall</i>
*Victoria Stafford, A. B.	<i>Frances Loftus</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Marie McClurg</i>
Lillian Dunlap	<i>Maud A. McLoney</i>
Anna Guthrie (Colo. B)	<i>Daisy Spencer</i>
Isabel Noble	

Number of faculty 154.

Number of students 1,740. Number of women students 500.

Women's fraternities:  $A \Phi 11$ ;  $\Gamma \Phi B 18$ ;  $\Delta \Gamma 21$ ;  $\Delta \Delta \Delta 27$ ;  $KA \Theta 20$ ;  $KK \Gamma 23$ ;  $\Pi B \Phi 21$ .

Honors: Ruberta Roberts, '09, Mary Herdman, principals in Schubert club opera; Mary Herdman, sophomore play committee; Verna Marshall, on cast of English club play, sophomore secretary; Florence Metzner, cap and gown, president of Schubert club, executive board of Woman's League, president's conference; Dorothy Alderton, girls, basketball team, captain sophomore girls' basketball team, woman's suffrage club secretary; Adele Huntsberger, Florence Metzner, Lillian Dunlap, senior committees.

College closes earlier at Stanford than in the East, so that while many Pi Phi are still in college, the members of California Alpha are now scattered to their homes. Senior week was all over by May 24. The first event of the week was the senior play, "Cousin Kate," which was a fitting close to a year of unusually good dramatic productions. One of the prettiest events of the week was the Senior Prom. in the Inner Quadrangle. The Quad was brilliantly illuminated, and, while a band played every one visited the booths where different groups of college girls served refreshments. The senior ball, which is usually given on the campus, was at the Hotel Vendome in San José this year, special cars taking parties from the campus.

During the week, we had our annual senior breakfast. We were very glad

\*Mrs. R. K. Eilenberger

to have a number of our alumnae with us: Elamae Lambert, '07, Alice Gabel, '08, Ruth Lewis, '09, Ruberta Roberts, '09, and Mary Brunton, '09.

This last year has been an unusually successful one for Stanford. It has seen an important step taken toward the club houses that both men and women have been planning for some time. At a mass meeting held recently, nearly all the students pledged themselves to life membership, which is \$50 for the men and \$25 for the girls. The club houses are to be used for organization meetings and for the convenience of all the students. The large university dances will be held in the men's club house, which will be called the Stanford Union. These buildings will be of the greatest importance to the students, as they will bring them together more effectually than anything else could.

Athletics have claimed a large share of our attention. We have won baseball games, track meet and boat races from our rival, The University of California, this spring. Many records were broken at the track meet, but the most wonderful achievement has been since then, when our track captain broke the world's record for the pole vault. Part of the team has gone East for the Conference Meet in Illinois, and we are hoping for a victory.

Our Founders' Day celebration this year was different from any we have ever had before. First we had a big banquet and then an auction.

Since our big dance, we have had a formal reception for both faculty and students and an under class men dance.

Now that we are all at home, one of the uppermost subjects in our minds is the house party. We had one last summer at one of the beaches near Los Angeles, and it was so successful that we are trying to secure the same house for this summer. We can do a great deal of rushing in the summer as many of the freshmen are always from Los Angeles.

California Alpha wishes good luck to all of the girls who are going to convention and wishes California were not so far away from Swarthmore.

JULIA E. MOORE.

CALIFORNIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA  
(Chartered 1900)

GRADUATE STUDENTS	Emeline Parsons
Beatrice Reynolds (Ia. Z) <i>Iowa</i>	Ethel Robinson
SENIORS	Pauline Ruth
Juliet Bennett	Amy Swayne
Della Darden, B. L.	FRESHMEN
Hazel Donoho, B. L.	<i>Ada Cline</i>
JUNIORS	<i>Edith Cook</i>
Elsie Ahrens	<i>Frances Dewar</i>
Georgie Dell McCoy	<i>Gladys Ellis</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Florence McCoy</i>
Lorretto Duddleson	<i>Serena Maddox</i>
Alice Hiestand	<i>Marguerite Thomas</i>
Gladys Lewis	<i>Norma Umphred</i>
<i>Leslie Manuel</i>	SPECIAL
Agnes Miller	( <i>Norma Umphred</i> )

Number of faculty 468.

Number of students 3,922. Number of women students 1,293.

Women's fraternities: A O II 26; A Ξ Δ 20; A Φ 21; A X Ω 20; Γ Φ B 30;  
Δ Γ 24; Δ Δ Δ 17; K A Θ 32; K K Γ 26; Σ K 15; X Ω 22; II B Φ 23;

Honors:

The University of California has just passed through a most important and successful year. Rapid strides have been made toward furthering the plans of the "Greater University." California Hall and the mining building have been completed for some time; the Sather Memorial Gateway at the Telegraph entrance to the campus has been erected; the Doe Memorial Library is rapidly nearing completion, being one of the finest library buildings in the United States in its arrangement and having a capacity of more than one million volumes. This year the ground was broken for the Boalt Hall of Law. These beautiful white stone structures will, we hope, establish such a precedent that no inferior buildings will be erected.

Funds are now being raised for the Senior Women's Hall. This term the sophomore women, to aid this fund, gave a farce which was written and coached by our Pauline Ruth, '12.

President Wheeler returned in time for Charter Day from Germany where he had been filling the Roosevelt professorship in Berlin.

The Students' Affairs Committee, through which the students govern themselves, has appointed a very competent "honor system" committee which has created a decided sentiment against cheating. All of the honor societies, fraternities, and clubs have agreed to stand by the honor system and I am proud to say that Pi Beta Phi has taken a chapter pledge to work toward the elimination of this evil. Local Pan-Hellenic as a body will pass judgment upon any fraternity girl accused of dishonesty during examinations.

The university has adopted a plan of giving to one competent senior in each fraternity the marks of their freshmen twice a term, so that the work of the latter may be kept normal.

The fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the College of California was celebrated by the Golden Jubilee given in connection with senior week. The week opened with the annual Senior Ball on Friday May 13. On Saturday morning the Greek department of the university produced Sophocles' "Oedipus the King," in the Greek Theatre. The cast was composed of members of the faculty and students. In the afternoon the first Interscholastic Track Meet was held on the oval,—the participating universities being, Idaho, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, Stanford and California. The final score between Washington and California was very close—the relay deciding in favor of the former. On Sunday afternoon, the baccalaureate sermon was delivered on the campus under the oaks. Monday morning, the senior pilgrimage was made when the class visited different buildings where prominent members spoke. In the afternoon, receptions were given at different fraternity houses, followed at night by the Senior Extravaganza in the Greek Theatre. On Tuesday morning President Hadley of Yale gave an address in the Greek Theatre. The alumni claimed the rest of the day, having luncheon under the oaks on the campus followed by a "Good of the University Meeting" in the Greek Theatre. In the evening,

the primary feature of the Jubilee celebration was witnessed in the form of a splendid pageant composed of more than 3,000 people in floats and in processions. The final assemblage of the pageant was in California Field where more than 23,000 persons reviewed the spectacle from the field and bleachers.

The commencement exercises were held on Wednesday morning in the Greek Theatre where more than five hundred degrees were conferred. In the evening President and Mrs. Wheeler received the graduates. Various class reunions also were celebrated with dinners and dances.

Among our Pi Phi alumnae who returned to Berkeley for the Jubilee were: Oreon Lucas, '07; Marie Struve, '06; Daisy French-Howard, ex-'06; Frieda Watters, '08; Mary Philbrook-Martenstein, '04; Jess Parks-Richard, '04; Roberta Akers-Hill, '03; Amy Hill, ex-'09; Sue Hiestand, ex-'09; Ella Moore, '09; Adella Darden, '09; Florence Ziegenfuss-Briggs, ex-'07; Edith White, ex-'07; Louetta Weir, '08; Elsie Howell, ex-'10; Helen Bennett-King, ex-'10; May Bissell, ex-'11; and Katherine Johnson-Hall, ex-'05.

Our chapter has been very prosperous this year, initiating seven freshmen in the fall and two more in the spring. Mrs. Roberts, wife of the late Professor Guy Hall Roberts, who was our chaperon last year, will be with us the coming term.

The alumnae and active girls celebrated Founders' Day with a cooky shine at which plans were discussed for building a chapter house. That evening \$1,400 was pledged. The officers of our corporation are Elma Korbel, '04, Edith White, '07, Elsie Howell, '10, Elsie Ahrens, '11, and Florence McCoy, '13. We congratulate ourselves in having such competent girls to take charge of our plans.

GLADYS ELLIS.

per ALICE HIESTAND.

WASHINGTON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

(Chartered 1907)

ACTIVE ALUMNAE	<i>Vera Bonsall</i>
Eda Heaton (Ill. Δ)	Lita Burch
SENIORS	Fannie Charles
Ruth Anderson, A. B.	Clara Hewit
Annabel M. Johnstone, A. B.	Agnes Lamar (Vt. B)
Mabel Neal, A. B.	Anna Lamping
Ida Parton, A. B.	Fay Short
JUNIORS	Neva Stewart
Bertha Bigelow	Lora Yaw
Abbie Forster	FRESHMEN
Genevieve Israel (Ill. E)	<i>Pearl Bossong</i>
Ruth Mowrey	<i>Gladys Madigan</i>
Hattie Roys	<i>Frances Martin</i>
*Hazel Wallace	<i>Miriam Webb</i>
SOPHOMORES	<i>Mabel Wilton</i>
Hazel Belshaw	*Mrs. Wm. Paddock

Number of faculty 114.

Number of students 2,117. Number of women students 45 per cent.

Women's fraternities: A  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  25; A  $\Xi$   $\Delta$  29;  $\Gamma$   $\Phi$  B 27;  $\Delta$   $\Gamma$  22;  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Delta$  22; K A  $\Theta$  20; K K  $\Gamma$  19; X  $\Omega$  16;  $\Pi$  B  $\Phi$  26.

Honors: Ruth Anderson, solo club, Women's League board; Annabel Johnstone, Y. W. C. A. cabinet, board of Women's League; Lita Burch, Hattie Roys, Ruth Anderson, in dramatics.

As the chapter letter is to deal mainly with the college, I am glad to take this opportunity of showing how the University of Washington has grown since the Alaska Yukon Pacific Exposition. The supervising architect of the remodeling has had an appropriation of \$90,000 to expend for this work. Among the buildings remodeled and in use now as part of the university are: administration building, Bagley Hall, auditorium, Science Hall, Denny Hall, observatory, gymnasium, Lewis Hall, Clarke Hall, President's residence, Faculty Men's Club, Forestry, Law Library, Museum, Journalism, government mine rescue station, mines, armory, Women's Club, music pavilion, Engineering, Power House, natural theatre, stadium, boathouse, and Music Hall. The grounds have been improved and are so beautiful that we do hope that some day many of our sister Pi Phis may be able to visit our campus.

The University of Washington seems to have been unusually fortunate this year in other lines. In athletics she has won seven championships for the year.

The necessary fund of \$1800 to send the crew to Lake Mendota, Wis., has been raised by the student body and the crew are now on their journey. The race with Stanford resulted in our victory and the boys left with flying colors. May they so return!

ANNABEL JOHNSTONE.



## EXCHANGES

Exchanges that receive three copies of the ARROW will kindly send exchange copies of their publications to Miss May L. Keller, 1822 Linden Ave., Baltimore, Md.; Miss Elda L. Smith, 710 South Sixth St., Springfield, Ill.; and Mrs. Lewis E. Theiss, 230 West 111th St., New York City.

Zeta Tau Alpha in April entered the University of Alabama and the University of Southern California. Alpha Delta Phi has entered Judson College. Delta Delta Delta has entered the University of Colorado and the University of Oklahoma.

Young Melville Mead, Wesleyan, '52, started it, and before you knew what was up nearly 200 members of the Delta Upsilon fraternity of the United States of America were doing a big snake dance all over the grand ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria last night. It was the forty-third annual dinner of the fraternity. Representatives from almost every one of the thirty-eight chapters in the country were on hand to help in the festivities.

The Delta Upsilon were deeply disappointed because Postmaster-General Hitchcock, who was one of them at Harvard, couldn't come. Gov. Hughes took advantage of the new telegraph rates and sent a long message wishing the fraternity success and a lot of other nice things.

The principal topic of discussion at the dinner was the incorporation of Delta Upsilon, this being the first dinner since it was accomplished. The speakers said that D. U. is the only fraternity thus organized in this country and that they all expect great results from it.

Announcement was made at the dinner that the late Marcus C. Allen, Colgate, '81, had bequeathed \$10,000 to the chapter of his alma mater, \$5,000 to Union College and \$5,000 to the New York chapter of D. U.—*New York Sun*.

Must the other fraternities indicate the girls that are fit for you; or are you independent enough to choose them for yourselves? If you have made a mistake in the past, rectify it now. If a girl has developed late, be glad to accept her when she has developed. If you have not known her earlier, the only shame in that is that you are ashamed to make up for it now. If other fraternities do not like her as well as you do, what is that to you? Some of the finest and most useful members of Alpha Omicron Pi—the superlatives are carefully chosen—became sisters late in their college course. That is the proof of the pudding. My advice to you then is briefly:

1. *Choose for real qualities*, not exterior attractions, though the combination, of course, is good.

2. *Do not make superficial objections*. Try to like rather than to dislike. It is good soul-exercise and usually justified.

3. *Get to know newcomers naturally, slowly, normally, keeping the fraternity in the background.*

4. *Do not condescend.* A. O. II is a duty and a privilege, not a class-distinction.

5. *Do not curry favor.* Meet face to face. Stand on your merits.

6. *Choose upper classmen when you want them.*

7. *Be independent* of the action of other fraternities, except when you can cooperate for the good of the college. Do as you think right, and let stand.

Your chapter will grow better for this simple common sense plan.—Former president of A. O. II in *To Dragma*.

A "good fraternity man" is made, not born; he is built of the same kind of clay as the non-fraternity man. The chapters with a house realize this and appreciate the fact that the system, the drill, as much as, or more than, the man, determines what he shall be from that standpoint. It very frequently happens that the freshman who was rushed hardest proves one of the poorest fraternity men in the house—not always—but often enough. It is too true that chapters without houses frequently throw all their energies into the rushing season and feel that their work is accomplished for the year, aside from noting the social, political, and athletic victories gained by their members, in the college at large. As for the proselying they look the field over, select what finished products they can find, and report that material is or is not up to standard, according to their success in getting the few they have set their hearts on.

The work of the chapter house, on the other hand, has just begun when the rushing season is over. Then comes the drill, the training, and the adjusting of the man to the home and the home to the man. With some the adjustment is easy; with others it is not. It becomes a science; each man has to be dealt with and studied according to his apperception, his way of looking at things, his pliability. The benefit reacts on those doing the training too, for they learn human nature, learn tact, learn how to be firm yet agreeable, learn how to "get at" a man by appealing to that part of his nature that can be touched. The chapter house is a laboratory for the study of human nature. Not all members avail themselves of it to be sure, but most of them do, and so come out of college with an understanding of humanity and the motives that move mankind which some men do not gain in a lifetime.

So much for the coldly practical side of chapter house life. But that is not all. The discipline and effort are after all a side issue, a means to an end, and that end finds its fruition in the realm of sentiment. To tell a man he is your brother because the ritual prescribes, does not make him so, however deep and impressive the vows may be. Now that which makes brotherhood is community of interest, common aims, common plans, common hopes, common impulses, common likes and dislikes, common worries, common problems of life, a common name, a thorough intimate understanding with each other.—*Caduceus of Kappa Sigma*.

It occurs, however, to ask a question whether or not each chapter is active to the point where it does not miss good men who could be gotten into the fold

with the proper kind of work from the alumni and active members. Of some of the chapters at least it can be said positively, that many a good man is missed either through inactivity or because some one who has a vote casts it in the negative, either for no reason or for a bad one. Each alumnus should ask himself whether or not he is taking sufficient interest in his fraternity to recommend promising material to the active men who control the vote, and each active man should ask himself whether or not he is withholding his vote or casting it against some one for a reason that is not sufficient.

Let it be understood that we are not recommending that men be initiated wholesale or indiscriminately. The only thing we hope to accomplish by the foregoing thoughts is that no good man is missed through the inattention of active or alumni members.—*Delta Chi Quarterly*, quoted by *Themis*.

The Greek-letter fraternity as it exists in our American colleges is a peculiar organization when you analyze it, and not the least of its peculiarities is the fact that the election of its new members is left entirely in the hands of its least experienced members. What a wise idea it was then to provide a check on the official actions of the undergraduates by the provision for an officer who should work in the chapter, but not be a member of it; who should be the direct link between the active chapter and the governing body; and who should be provided with almost unlimited local authority. The alumni body of Delta Tau Delta today is the living testimony to the thoroughness of their work. When a man is pledged he is merely chosen—it is only when he is graduated that he can be pointed out as the finished product of our character-building machine.

The growth of the fraternity has added many duties to all offices of the Arch Chapter, and the Ritualist has received his share, but as I view the work after two years' experience I feel sure that the wise appointment of the corps of men who work in the active chapters as the personal representatives of the Arch Chapter is the most exacting and most important of my duties. These are the men behind the guns—the alumni advisers. Experience has made them keen and in proportion as they appreciate the wonderful possibilities of their positions are they accurate in their aim. But they are modest men, these fellows who are making for you fit companions and business associates for years to come. Their artillery is equipped with mufflers, and their work, though famous locally, is little known in the fraternity except in a general way.—*Rainbow of Δ T Δ*.

With a growing chapter roll, there was felt the need of more close inspection, a more personal touch, and at the 1908 convention, the office of alumna adviser, formerly regulated by individual chapter policies, was made a constitutional requirement. To ensure coöperation and harmony the office was made elective. The adviser looks after the interests of the chapter, conducts fraternity examinations, fills out and sends to the inspector the annual chapter reports.

Local conditions vary so greatly that it is difficult to suggest in detail the further work of the adviser, who is to be considered as the ever-helpful, loving

"big sister." She is provided with copies of the constitution, ritual, Sorority Hand-Book, national Pan-Hellenic reports. In many instances she acts as alumnae delegate to local Pan-Hellenics. She should attend chapter meetings often enough to understand conditions in the chapter, to give advice and make suggestions. At least once a semester she should read with the girls the constitution, ritual, and convention or council minutes, inspect the books, scholarship records, and see that every constitutional ruling is obeyed, that the officers are doing the work assigned to them, and that all chapter and fraternity anniversaries are observed.

There should be at least two conferences a year with the house committee and chaperon regarding the house budget, social life and general tone of the fraternity house. She should also see that the alumnae are kept in close touch with the active chapter by annual letters, invitations to initiations, etc.—*Lyre of Alpha Chi Omega.*

All active chapters have at some time or other experienced the handicap of the chronic blackballer, and every fraternity man remembers how his chapter has been crippled in its rushing and how good men have been lost through the activities of this misguided type of brother. Naturally with the relations of close brotherhood that must be sustained among the different members of the chapter, the admission of a man of the wrong type, or even a misfit, is a very serious matter, and although some fraternities require only a two-thirds vote for admission, still we believe that the only feasible manner in which this selection can be safeguarded is the requirement of a unanimous vote.

But for the type of man we have in view we have little sympathy and less patience. He is most despicable of all when he casts his black ball in secret. The least he can do is to acknowledge his position, and the only justification for him is when he can state some specific reason for his opposition to the man under consideration. In most cases his only reason is that he does not like the man and does not want to live with him. This is the weakest of all excuses, because it does not stand to reason that one man can be right in his estimate of the candidate and all the other members of the chapter be mistaken. If it is really true that the candidate, who is approved by all the rest of the chapter, is personally uncongenial to him, it must mean that he himself was a mistake and is out of harmony with the rest of the chapter. It all makes his attitude more untenable. The only consistent thing for him to do would be for him to withdraw his opposition and make the best of association with the new man if all the rest of the chapter have put up with him himself in the same manner.

We have often been asked by active chapters what they could do in situations of this sort and what solution there was for the problem. Unfortunately there is no way out of it except an appeal to the man's sense of common decency. It sometimes helps to interest various prominent and level-headed alumni in the matter and receive their opinion of the man under consideration. If they approve, it is pretty good evidence that the chapter is right and that the black balling member himself is entirely in the wrong.—*Rainbow of Δ T Δ.*

In visiting chapters and investigating college conditions your officers have found that the fraternities which had the foresight to grant charters when the college was a small but growing college have a great advantage over those who waited until later, thinking there was plenty of time. These latter fraternities, whether  $\Delta \Gamma$  or some one else, have had uphill work. And though they may have succeeded in the end in arriving at the top they have had to compete with old and established alumnae both in the college town and in the state. High school girls cannot be expected, even in these days of enlightenment as to national standing, to go into a fraternity, no member of which she has ever known, just because it has a small chapter roll of good chapters. They will join the fraternity that is known locally and so in the long run will help that fraternity just so much nationally.

I do not mean to advocate indiscriminate granting of charters, only a liberal use of common sense and foresight into the future as to standing and a committee sent to report on local conditions and on the petitioners themselves, before the vote of the chapters is called for. Personal prejudice should be set aside and unless there is some very good reason against it, the report of your committee, if favorable and the good standing of the college ought to bring a favorable vote from the chapters. This vote should be sent in at once as it is in the interest of the fraternity if the charter is to be granted that it be granted with as little delay as possible.

The time for expansion has come and we must make the most of good openings. The question of whether or not we shall expand is not a question to be settled five years from now or even next year. It must be decided now. Shall we expand and so keep up with our contemporaries or shall we rest on our laurels, cling to tradition, preach conservatism, and then wake up to find ourselves left behind?—*Anchora of  $\Delta \Gamma$* .

Now add to this fact that the country, and with it the college world is growing with such bewildering swiftness, and another aspect of the matter emerges, namely, that any organization that stands still must seem like a railway train disappearing in the distance. It grows less and less because the other facts are enlarging. My friend, mentioned above, stood open-eyed when I told him that there are more college students in Illinois now than in the whole U. S. when he graduated. He has been repeating "conservative" so long that he had no eye to see that even that word has a relative significance. So a fellow member of my fraternity (Psi Upsilon) when told recently that if we were as "conservative" now as when he and I were in college, we ought to have 181 chapters, he merely said "Impossible." A moment later he said, "I never thought of that." So far as I can see the word is chiefly a confession that the machinery of the organization is not capable of working beyond a certain little limit already reached. This makes no allowance for the effervescent willingness of young people to make things go, and be kindly disposed in so doing. I am far from saying that an organization should incontinently put in a few hundred new chapters just to get ahead of this new spirit of democracy, or to "cover the field" as a wholesale grocery house tries to do. But I cannot suppress the conviction within me that what Gamma Phi and

Psi Upsilon stand for (or are supposed to) is not going to be hurt by a reasonable spreading out, but rather helped. But as I look over our alumnae list and see how many of the members live in a few cities and how sparsely the rest are scattered over this great country, it seems to me an open bid for alumnae to forget what they once felt. Also more and more students are changing from one college to another. But when a Gamma Phi goes from Michigan to Oberlin, for instance, what chapter does she find there?—*Professor C. M. Moss of the University of Illinois in the Crescent of Γ Φ Β.*

In the Beta Theta Pi Mr. Baird calls attention to the fact that the one thing lacking before the men's Inter-Fraternity conference was facts. Realizing this and regarding the matter of rushing as one of the most important subjects to be considered by the next Conference the following circular letter was sent to each of the 73 chapters of Beta Theta Pi:

1. What evils are connected with or grow out of the system of rushing at your college? Do the chapters often get the wrong man? Are good men habitually left out? Are men afterwards lifted from one fraternity to another? Is there a good feeling between the different chapters?

2. Have you any system at all in the matter, or is it one wild scramble for men at the beginning of each year? If there are any regulations by custom agreement, or faculty decree, concerning the matter, what are they and how do they work?

3. What do you think as a chapter might be done to improve the situation in your college or anywhere else?

The board of regents of the University of Nebraska promised the fraternities that restrictions should be removed if fraternity members showed satisfactory scholarship. The registrar now reports that the scholarship of fraternity men is two per cent. higher than that of non-fraternity men, so the regents will no longer object to the pledging of freshmen.—*Record of Σ Α Ε.*

The Interfraternity council, organized for common defense because of the pending investigation, is still doing things. It has lately put up a gold trophy cup, to be held by the fraternity having had the highest average in scholastic standings. After the cup has passed around for three semesters, it becomes permanent property of the chapter having won it with the highest standing.—*Wisconsin correspondence in the Β Θ ΙΙ, quoted by the Rainbow of Δ Τ Δ.*

James E. Heath, Virginia Military Institute, '69, Beta Theta Pi, casually exhibited to the editor of the *Beta Theta Pi* a portrait of his great grandfather, John Heath, who was a representative in Congress from the Northumberland district of Virginia in 1793-7 and who was the founder of Phi Beta Kappa and the originator of the fraternity idea in this country. A half-tone engraving appears in the June *Beta Theta Pi*.



At a recent meeting of the Senior Skulls, a most commendable action was taken, one which is certain to reap a good harvest. It was decided to write to the Senior Skull alumni, asking for subscriptions toward the purchase of a cup, to be awarded yearly to the fraternity which maintains the highest average scholarship. The active members will make up the required amount of money to buy the cup. Rules for awarding it will be formulated soon and the first award will probably be made in June.—*Maine Campus, quoted by Beta Theta Pi.*

The *Record* has compiled a list of 103 members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon who are also members of Phi Beta Kappa. There are chapters of Phi Beta Kappa in 30 of the 70 colleges where Sigma Alpha Epsilon maintains chapters. Their earliest Phi Beta Kappa is a founder, Noble L. DeVotie, '56. Sigma Xi and Sigma Alpha Epsilon meet in 13 institutions and 31 members have received election to Sigma Xi. Five members are wearers both of the plain key of Phi Beta Kappa and the monogram of Sigma Xi.

The *Crescent* quotes as follows from a paper read by Prof. J. B. Miner of the University of Minnesota before the recent meeting of the Minnesota State Teachers' Association:

"Men are more likely than women to fail in college. Of the graduates of private schools 15 per cent. are on the laggard list of the University of Minnesota while only 8.1 per cent. of the graduates of public schools are unsuccessful. The handicap of wealth is indicated not only by a larger percentage from the wealthiest district in the city, but by the relatively large number from private schools. The best group of students is from the public schools outside of the Twin Cities. The men who are in fraternities stand about twice the chance of flunking as do those who are not members of fraternities. On the other hand, the women who are outside of the sorority stand nearly twice the chance of reaching the flunk list as those who are members of sororities. The four most frequently mentioned environmental causes of failure were: Too much society, 30 cases; fraternity life 18½ cases; living conditions unfavorable for study, 14 cases; insufficient personal help by university faculty, 14 cases."

If we are going to build a Chinese wall around our chapters and hang out a "holier than thou" sign on the outside, my opinion is that the sooner we disband the better off will the college world be. I am not one of the fraternity men that believe that all the good in college is to be found under a fraternity pin. I know from personal experience that more good men go through college that are not taken into fraternities than men who are taken in. I also know as every one else knows that as large a percentage of non-fraternity men make good in this world as of fraternity men.—*Caduceus of K Σ.*

Kappa Sigma has set aside \$5,000 of the funds of the general treasury as a nucleus for a permanent endowment fund.



At the Denver conclave in 1908 the Bucknell chapter of Kappa Sigma won for two years the Grand Conclave cup offered by the Colorado members. At the July conclave in New York the original rules held for the second contest the number present from a given chapter was divided by the total number of initiates of the chapter, and the result multiplied by the average railroad fare paid by the chapter members present in coming to the conclave. Local chapters, for obvious reasons, are not allowed to compete.—*Caduceus of Kappa Sigma*.

At the June Tri-Delta Convention a prize was given by the Grand Council to the chapter which had the largest total of mileage, percentage of total enrolment of chapter, and the greatest number from the active chapter. Two points out of the three win the prize.—*Trident of Δ Δ Δ*.

As soon as a girl is pledged she is assigned to the care of an upper class girl who is her adviser and guide in both her college and fraternity life. The little details of personal conduct, dress, and general deportment come under the supervision of this girl who is playfully called her chapter mother.—*Anchora of Δ Γ*.

Every Tuesday of the college year is set aside for sorority visiting. The scheme has worked out in this way: for the first dinner two girls from the first sorority established in the university went to the house of the second established, two from the second to the third and so on until two from the last established went to the house of the first. For the second dinner, two other girls of the first went to the house of the third, etc., thus giving all sororities an opportunity to visit all the houses. Each chapter sends different representatives each time. The dinner is the usual evening meal, served at six o'clock and the guests leave before eight. Being an informal affair it is not considered a social function and is at the cost of no extra effort on the part of hostesses or guests.—*Anchora of Δ Γ*.

We are glad to note in this current letter from our Denver chapter that even which they are bending every effort to get together a building fund for a new house, they are setting aside a sum from their annual play to start in the university a Gamma Phi Beta scholarship fund for needy students. Could anything be more commendable?—*Crescent of Γ Φ Β*.

President Faunce of Brown University addressed the July meeting of the National Educational Association on the importance of college fraternities:

Some sort of social grouping our students must have. We cannot expect 1000 or 5000 students to form a homogeneous mass in which all personal preferences are forgotten. In the mediaeval universities of the Continent, the grouping was sometimes by nations. If the grouping in our American uni-

versities were according to race or wealth or place of residence, it would be far more objectionable than now.

The modern college student has both limitless power of resistance to official pronouncement, and limitless power of response to the appeal for loyalty and cooperation. The entire movement of college life today is toward some form of self-government. The movement is often most effective when most informal. In many colleges today the fraternities offer the machinery through which the student body is effectively directed and controlled.

Statistics show that we have 17,000 girls in state universities; 37,000 in private high schools; 47,000 in denominational colleges; 17,000 in seminaries; 20,000 in nurses training schools; 14,000 in colored colleges; 1,000 in Indian schools.—*Anchora of Δ Γ.*

Alpha Delta Phi held a convention in New York early in March. *The Sun* describes the banquet in its usual genial vein:

"Four hundred and thirty was the tally of them that sat down to meat, which meant that when the time came—and times came often—to swing into one of the slow measured anthems of the fraternity there were just 430 voices that swelled the chorus. This they sang, grads of thirty years ago and youngsters with the ink still black on their sheepskins:

"Beam o'er us, Star and Crescent  
Guide us till we die;  
Each a brother, loving truly  
Alpha Delta Phi.

"The Lake Champlain icefish meunière were frescoed and the mignon d'agneau was lacquered by yells and more yells as they came in stately procession from the kitchen. There were ancient yells of Brown and of Harvard, complimentary yells for this and that college put up by individual tables next to the elbow. A phonographic record taken during the progress of the dinner would be the despair of the philologists of the thirtieth century were it mysteriously preserved for them.

"Since the newly elected president of the fraternity, Benjamin Ide Wheeler, lately Roosevelt professor at Berlin, is still reported to be sitting out dances with the Kaiser over there, Mr. Stetson, the retiring president, had to open the ball when the coffee time came. He gave reminiscences, prophecies and appraisements concerning the fraternity and its members. Much that made the starched shirt fronts creak all over the room dropped from Mr. Stetson's prideful lips. Then he introduced the man whom everybody was impatient to hear, Brother Joe Choate.

"Since my native chapter of Harvard has ceased to exist I don't know whether I'm full blood, half blood or only brother-in-law to Alpha Delta Phi,' said he. The diners yelled reassurances. 'I had hoped that a chapter which produced James Russell Lowell, Phillips Brooks, George William Curtis, Edward Everett Hale and Theodore Roosevelt would be a good enough chapter to continue on the rolls of the fraternity, but I understand that the dissolu-

tion of the Harvard chapter was done with great good will on both sides, and I know that it will always bear an honored name on the fraternity roll for what it did during its lifetime.'

"District Attorney Whitman—plain Brother Whitman from Hudson chapter at Western Reserve for the evening—gave the four and a half hundred brethren a soulful talk on the worth of fraternity ideals, which was followed by one from Brother Mabie on the poetry of material things. George C. Hollister spoke in behalf of the Yale alumni."—*Quoted by the Garnet and White.*

In May a Delta Gamma Grand Council meeting was held in Akron, Ohio. The design submitted by the "crest" committee was approved and referred to the committee on copyrighting the pin. A new membership certificate was decided upon. Syracuse chapter was authorized to edit the directory which is to be printed as an extra issue of the *Anchora*; it will contain the history of Delta Gamma, the chapter roll, geographical list, and alphabetical index. Little progress was reported on the song book. Grand Council granted an alumnae chapter to Milwaukee petitioning alumnae. It was suggested the new alumnae chapters choose for the first letter of their name the letter of the nearest chapter. Goucher College chapter was granted an honorary member.

We present herewith, as a frontispiece, the coat-of-arms of the fraternity, as adopted by the Denver Grand Conclave. In doing so we wish to confess that even though we have been solemnly assured that the coat-of-arms, as it stands, is strictly correct according to all the known laws of heraldry, we have not been able to get up anything even approaching a mild case of enthusiasm over the fraternity's acquisition of a coat-of-arms impervious to the acids of the most exacting heraldic experts. In sooth, to make the fullest sort of a confession while we are in the mood, we will add that all the past pother over providing Kappa Sigma with a correct heraldic sign to flaunt in the face of the mob has never met with our idea of a proper way to spend fraternity energy, and today, with it among our impedimenta, we don't care a continental whether or not it is the most perfect thing of its sort in existence, or the most ludicrous. Pretty it may be, and it may have a certain decorative value when it comes to giving chapter dances. But Kappa Sigma does not exist for the purpose of devising ways and means to decorate dance hall daintily with college and fraternity pennants and replicas of the badge and a coat-of-arms. It does exist, however, for the purpose of catching freshmen young and moulding them in the way they should grow towards the perfect man; and how a coat-of-arms is helping now, or is ever going to help, the fraternity to fulfill its supreme mission we are deeply at a loss to understand. On the other hand, we do realize that the mere fact that the fraternity has a coat-of-arms might have a tendency to engender the snob feeling in

some breasts—not many, to be sure, but that few far too many by their sum total. So, to warn a brother against such a tendency is to forearm him; and to tell him that he should give serious thought not to the fraternity's coat-of-arms, but to the sort of men that the fraternity is making who wear coats with two arms, is but to point out to him his clear and sworn duty to himself, his brothers, his fraternity, and his fellowman in general.—*Editor in the Caduceus of K Σ.*

In our view there is but one way properly to settle the so-called affiliation question and that is to incorporate into the laws of the fraternity the fine and true sentiment, uttered by Founder Glazebrook years ago: "Once an Alpha Tau, always an Alpha Tau. Once an Alpha Tau, always and everywhere an Alpha Tau!" To do otherwise is to forget traditions and to sacrifice the spirit of true fraternity to commercial and worldly considerations.—*A T Ω Palm.*

On the whole it does not seem as though the National Pan-Hellenic Conference had accomplished much. The difficulty seems to lie in the fact that everything proposed has to be referred back to the several fraternities for action. The Conference can not legislate. It can only recommend and consequently it is a rather spiritless organization.

We believe that if the men are to succeed better they will have to give legislative power to their delegates and that the conference will have to be governed by less than a unanimous vote. An organization of this kind must have the power to punish. Many local pan-hellenic organizations have been formed and have made admirable rushing rules. One of these rules always is and ought to be that pledging shall not take place before a prescribed date. The rule possibly works well for a year or two and then one fraternity disregards it and unfairly takes advantage of those who keep it. One fraternity has so often been the transgressor in this respect that the inference is strong that its actions are pursuant to a settled policy to treat as negligible promises made to other fraternities. If the fraternities under such circumstance could invoke the aid of the college authorities and prohibit a chapter breaking a rule of that kind from initiating any man pledged in such an unfair manner it would accomplish much. And the fraternities themselves could expel such a chapter or expel it from the local pan-hellenic organization.

Another difficulty to be met with is the ratio of representation. Shall a fraternity with 10 chapters have the same vote as one with 70? It ought not to. The voting power ought to be based on some multiple of a minimum number of chapters necessary to admission. If five is taken as such a number, each fraternity might have one vote for each five of its chapters.

These are only a few of the matters to be considered. The women have had more experience than the men, and from what they have accomplished we make the deduction that it is going to be difficult to accomplish anything. But let us try with all our might.—*Beta Theta Pi.*

Pursuant to a call issued by President W. H. P. Faunce of Brown University, representing the Religious Education Association, repre-

representatives from twenty-six college fraternities met at the University Club, New York City, Saturday, November 27, 1909.

With the call there was sent a suggestion of the following topics as the basis for discussion at the meeting:

CURRENT PROBLEMS IN FRATERNITY LIFE.

1. The relation of the Fraternity chapter to the college administration. Should the college ignore or utilize the Fraternity? Should the Fraternity confer with the administration of the College?
2. The influence of the Fraternities on
  - (a) the expense of a college course;
  - (b) manners and social habits;
  - (c) serious scholarship;
  - (d) moral standards;
  - (e) college loyalty and solidarity.
3. The evils connected with present systems of pledging new members. How can they be minimized or avoided?
4. The proper control of chapter houses
  - (a) by the college?
  - (b) by undergraduates?
  - (c) by alumni?
5. The unification of the various chapters
  - (a) by executive councils, or boards of trustees;
  - (b) by conventions, national and local;
  - (c) by publications, periodical or occasional;
  - (d) by a traveling secretary.
6. The relation of the local alumni of a fraternity to the undergraduate members. Should alumni
  - (a) encourage in all cases establishment of chapter houses?
  - (b) offer financial aid in maintaining such houses?
  - (c) appoint a resident manager?
  - (d) supervise matters financial hygienic, culinary, and moral?
7. The relations of the Fraternities to one another. Should they ignore one another, or undertake official cooperation?
8. The relation of Fraternities to the life of the nation. Have they any duty beyond their own membership? If so, what?

Advantages of Sorority Membership, by David Kinley, Dean of the Graduate School, University of Illinois, in *Key* of Kappa Kappa Gamma:

"The truth is, that the character of a sorority chapter, while it is colored in part by that of the national organization of which it is a branch, depends, in the main, upon the characters, ideals and ambitions of the members of the chapter.

"It is true that nearly every college secret organization professes to have high standards of life and scholarship, and most of them try, in form at least,

to adhere to these. But in these constitutions, as in other written constitutions, there is always present the possibility of 'liberal' construction or interpretation, which may adapt the written words to views of the members of a particular chapter. This is the real occasion of the great diversity of standards and conduct in the different chapters of the same sorority." \* \* \*

"The sorority girl, under the advantages of her associations, usually gets started right and keeps straight in the educational path, acquires a better poise, and shows a sounder judgment, on the whole, as a result of her surroundings. Her social conduct and her social and intellectual ideas, about which she is constantly being advised, become conscious, definite aims in her life earlier than they would be otherwise, and she emerges, therefore, a woman of better poise, more correct instincts and larger influence than she would have been without her sorority associations.

"It must not be forgotten, however, as has been said already, that the sorority woman is turned out of college with the benefit of all these advantages only if her chapter lives up to its standards and its ideals. It is entirely possible, and, indeed, occasionally happens, that young women suffer physically, morally and educationally from membership. She will get distorted social ideals if her sisters in her chapter over-emphasize social life and fail to surround themselves with that reserve which commands the respect of their young men associates. There is a danger that they will hold themselves too cheap in the matter of social engagements. It is hard for girls to learn that their male associates in social life will seek after them all the more ardently the higher they set their own standards of conduct and the more they insist on the right to direct their own social engagements. No girl, and no sorority chapter of which she is a member, ever loses in the long run by letting it be understood that they reserve the right to decline any and all invitations which, for their own reasons, they do not think they should accept.

"Some critics insist that the sorority girl comes out with an exaggerated notion of the social side of life. It must be admitted that this will be true if the chapter is not on the proper basis. It is entirely possible for any group of girls in or out of a sorority to become social butterflies and to neglect the more important matters of their college life. \* \* \*

"To sum up, the balance of advantage is very greatly on the side of the sorority. The graduate of a college or university who has spent two or three years of her life in such an association is much better fitted to assume her duties as a member of society after her graduation. She has had wider opportunities for the exchange of views on important matters. She has had the benefit of the experience of many friends intimate enough to talk confidentially with her; she has been kept up steadily to some kind of standards of conduct and study, and she has, as said before, learned in some degree habits of obedience and regularity. A girl subjected to these influences goes out a better balanced woman, with finer and truer instincts, with a better perspective of life, and with a keener sense of the seriousness of life's problems. It is by no means true, of course, that many non-sorority girls do not go out from the university and colleges with all the advantages just urged for the sorority woman. The point is, however, that the non-member who gets this



training gets it less easily and with less help than if she were associated with a group of other girls with common purposes and ideals. The sorority girl, therefore, has the advantage. More should reasonably be expected of her, and her failure to be all that her standards call for should merit severer condemnation.

"If there is one thing more than another that is lacking in the life of the American people, it is standards in every relation of life—better moral standards, in the ordinary affairs of everyday life, better standards of business, better standards of study, and so on. The sororities have a peculiar advantage in helping on the work of establishing standards among the young people who are their members. We claim to be a very practical people, but no people, and no individual, can live without ideals. The establishment and inculcation of high ideals in all the duties of life is a duty to which the sororities, and, indeed, the fraternities of the colleges of the country should more seriously set themselves, and for the carrying out of which they have a peculiar advantage. It would be rash to say that the sorority graduate is the best type of college graduate. We may say, however, with entire truth, that she ought to be. In so far as she is not, the sororities are not filling their sphere and realizing their ideals."—Quoted in the *Lyre*.



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