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***September 10.**

September 15. Chapter officers should meet and prepare for the new college year. (The exact date of this meeting must be determined in each chapter by the date of the opening of college).

September 25. Chapter corresponding secretaries should send complete lists of active members to the Grand Treasurer, Grand Secretary, Province President, Mailing Clerk and Cataloguer; also send fraternity Cataloguer and Mailing Clerk lists of names and addresses of girls active in June but not in September, giving last addresses at which ARROW was received.

October 1. Chairman of chapter committee on scholarship should send to her province scholarship supervisor and also to the chairman of the standing committee, Martha Waring, 616 Quebec St., Washington, D. C., the names and addresses, home and college, of the members of the chapter scholarship committee for the college year.

October 10. Chapter corresponding secretaries send in to Grand President, Grand Vice-president and Province President names of Alumnae Advisory Committee.

October 15. Alumnae club secretaries mail alumnae personals to Alumnae Editor.

October 15. Chapter letter and all material requested for the December ARROW in The Bulletin issued the first week in October should be mailed. All material is due October 20.

November 1. Chapter Treasurer should send semi-annual dues to the Grand Treasurer.

November 13. Annual dues of alumnae should be sent to the Province Vice-president.

November 15. Chapter Panhellenic representative should make to fraternity representative report on Panhellenic conditions in her college.

December 10.

January 1. Alumnae club secretaries send to Cataloguer list of members of club with their addresses.

January 15. Chapter Vice-presidents send Cataloguer list of chapter alumnae members with latest addresses. Corresponding secretaries notify your examiner of the number of active members there will be in your chapter at time of examination.

January 20. Chapter letter and all material for the March ARROW requested in The Bulletin issued the first week in January are due on this date. It should be prepared and mailed on or before January 15, according to the distance the chapter is located from the Chapter Letter Editor.

January 15. Alumnae club secretaries mail alumnae personals to Alumnae Editor.

February 1. Corresponding secretaries are to send chapter membership list to your examiner according to instructions in January Bulletin. Chairman of chapter committee on scholarship should send to member of standing committee to whom her chapter is assigned report covering work of her committee and scholarship conditions in her chapter.

*All notices for the next issue of *The Phi Beta Phi Bulletin* should be in the hands of the Editor on this date.

February 1. to first week-end in March. Fraternity examination.

March 1. Chapter corresponding secretary should send complete lists of active members for the second semester to the Grand Treasurer, Grand Secretary, Province President, Mailing Clerk and Cataloguer; lists of chapter officers for the second semester to all members of the Grand Council and to the Province President, and names and addresses of those leaving college to the Cataloguer.

***March 5.**

March 15. Chapter Treasurer should send semi-annual dues to the Grand Treasurer.

April 10. Alumnae club secretaries mail alumnae personals to Alumnae Editor.

April 15. Chapter letter due. All material for the June ARROW requested in The Bulletin issued April 1 is due on this date. It should be prepared and mailed on or before April 10.

April 28. Founders' Day. Alumnae unite with nearest active chapter in celebration of the event.

April 30. Alumnae club elects officers.

May 1. Beginning of alumnae fiscal year.

May 1. Chapter corresponding secretaries should send annual report to all members of the Grand Council and to Province President.

May 1. Chapter corresponding secretaries should send to the Fraternity Cataloguer and Mailing Clerk a revised list of girls graduating or permanently leaving college in June together with their permanent home addresses.

May 15. Annual Reports of National Officers, Province Presidents, Province Vice-presidents, and Chairmen of Standing Committees should be sent to Grand Secretary for use at spring meeting of the Grand Council. All reports should be typewritten.

***May 20.**

June 1. Chapter corresponding secretaries should send lists of officers for the fall semester to all members of the Grand Council and to the Province President, and should be sure that all initiates for the year have been reported to the Grand Secretary. Chapter corresponding secretary send to Cataloguer copy of chapter membership list with addresses (if published by the chapter).

June 1. Chapter Panhellenic representative should send to fraternity representative in National Panhellenic Congress detailed report on Panhellenic conditions in her college. Chairman of chapter committee on scholarship should send her home address and final report of the work of her committee to her province scholarship supervisor.

June 15. Chairman of chapter committee on scholarship should make sure that the second semester report duly recorded on the official blanks has reached her province scholarship supervisor. Chairmen should also send names, photographs, and brief typewritten biographies of all honor graduates to Martha Waring, 616 Quebec St., Washington, D. C.

June 18. Annual meeting of the Grand Council. Exact date to be announced.

The Phi Beta Phi Bulletin should be in the hands of the Editor on this date.

IMPORTANT!

NOTICE TO ALL PI BETA PHIS

In order to more closely coordinate the work of ALUMNAE EDITOR, CATALOGUER, and MAILING CLERK, we are asking that you please fill out this slip in full whenever you send change of address for THE ARROW, news for the Alumnae Editor, or your permanent address for the Cataloguer. Your cooperation will save many hours of work for all three officers. Please fill out ALL parts EACH TIME, but mail the ENTIRE SLIP immediately to the Mailing Clerk, Mrs. C. E. Temple (Florence Clum), 231 N. Mary St., Lancaster, Pa.

Please PRINT or TYPEWRITE

Present date..... Chapter..... Date of initiation.....

Maiden Name

FORMER ADDRESS.

Name

Street and No.

City and State

PRESENT ADDRESS for ARROW. Is this permanent or temporary?

Name

Street and No.

City and State

(For use in duplicate files)

Present date..... Chapter..... Date of initiation.....

Maiden Name

Married Name

Date of marriage

PERMANENT ADDRESS, Street and No.

City and State

Please publish in the next possible edition of THE ARROW the following:.....

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Sent by, Chapter,.....

Signed.

When sending announcement of marriage please add date of wedding, husband's name, Alma Mater, class, and business. A change of address must reach the Mailing Clerk ten days before the next issue is scheduled to appear in order to be effective.

A WORD OF WARNING

The contents of this number are of an intimate nature and should be regarded in the nature of family secrets. In order to obtain privacy, all subscribers who cannot keep this number away from the public are asked to destroy it as soon as read but provision should be made to keep several copies in a safe place, for reference when needed in each active chapter and alumnae club. This is necessary because some of the questions in the fraternity study and examination are based upon information given in this number. For this reason several copies should be kept in the archives of each chapter but they should never be read outside of the chapter-room and should not be allowed in public rooms of any kind, either in dormitory or chapter-house. Every word printed in this number is of interest to every Pi Beta Phi and all are urged to read carefully but the attention of corresponding secretaries and other officers is called especially to the announcements and instruction upon pages 188, 189 and 190.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED! NOW!

In order that the Grand Council may have at hand a list of women interested in the national work and free to devote some time to it, the following call is issued to obtain volunteers. If you are willing to serve Pi Beta Phi nationally, please sign and mail the following slip to: Grand President, Amy E. Onken, Chapin, Ill.

Alumnae (graduates and non-graduates) and seniors in active chapters are eligible for this enrollment.

I desire to place my name on file for national work in Pi Beta Phi in the event that a need should arise for my services. ()

I would be interested in chaperoning a chapter house in one of the following states

I have had training or experience in secretarial work, journalism, club work, etc. (specify)

Name

Home Address

Chapter

Date of Signing

Endorsers: (chapter or club president, committeewoman, national officer).

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of plans.



Pi Beta Phi

God speed to the Arrow,
and may it shine

Through mile on mile
of the silver blue,

Speeding through days that
are bright and fine

With joys and hopes and
work to do!

Swift to the end of the
flying day

That ends in a wine-red
flush of sky;

And though night come down,
still wing its way

Forever and ever—
Pi Beta Phi.

(Written by Alpha Sigma Phi
now Tennessee A).

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NUMBER 1

MINUTES OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF PI BETA PHI, HELD IN ESTES PARK, COLORADO, JUNE 25-30, 1923

. *First Session, Tuesday, June 26, 1923, 9:30 A. M.* .

The Twenty-sixth Biennial Convention of ΠΒΦ was formally opened by the Grand President, Amy Burnham Onken, at the Hotel Stanley, Estes Park, Colorado, on the morning of June 26, 1923. After the reading of the Ritual and the singing of the Anthem, the invocation was given by Elizabeth Gamble, former Grand President. Inez Smith Soule, Founder, and the past and present national officers in attendance were then presented to Convention.

Upon motion of Missouri A the report of the Committee on Credentials was accepted. Upon general consent the Convention Guide and those delegates whose official credentials had not been presented, were seated in Convention. The resulting personnel of Convention was as follows:

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 Florida B—Alice Albury.
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 Texas B—Jane McGuire.
 Louisiana A—Perrine Dixon.
 Montana A—Ruth Davidson.
 Washington A—Doreen Aldwell.
 Washington B—Carolyn Bickelhaupt.
 Oregon A—Virginia Pearson.
 Oregon B—Ann McPherson.
 California A—Geraldine Watt.
 California B—Virginia Cumming.
 California F—Dorothy Haldeman.
 Arizona A—Doris Crepin.
 Nevada A—Alice Norcross.

Greetings to Convention from Mrs. Kilgore, Mrs. Libby, and Mrs. Hutchinson, Founders, from the Dallas Alumnae Club, Alpha Delta Pi, and Alpha Omicron Pi were read, and announcements were made by the Grand President, the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Vice-president, the Convention Guide, the Chairman of Hospitality, and the Chairman of Transportation.

The Arrow Editor was appointed chairman of the Committee on Press.

Upon general consent it was decided that the reports pertaining to the Alumnae Department be delayed and read at the alumnae sessions.

By general consent it was determined that recommendations

included in reports should be, for adoption, considered separately from those reports.

The report of the Grand President was read and was accepted upon motion of Ontario A. (See page 27).

The reports of the retired Grand Secretary, Lulu Clark Ingraham, and the Grand Secretary were read and were accepted on motion of New York A. (See pages 36-37).

The reports of the Grand Treasurer and the auditor were read and were accepted together on motion of Pennsylvania A. (See page 38).

The report of the Arrow Editor was read and was accepted upon motion of Louisiana A. (See page 41).

The report of the Historian was read and was accepted upon motion of North Dakota A. (See page 65).

The report of the Cataloguer was read and was accepted upon motion of Colorado A. (See page 63).

The report of the Panhellenic Representative was read and was accepted upon motion of Oregon A. (See page 65).

The report of Alpha Province President was read by the Grand Secretary and was accepted upon motion of Washington B. (See page 66).

The report of Gamma Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of Illinois A. (See page 69).

The report of Delta Province President was read and was adopted upon motion of Vermont B. (See page 72).

The report of Epsilon Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of Kansas A. (See page 73).

The report of Zeta Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of Vermont A. (See page 74).

The report of Eta Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of New York A. (See page 76).

The report of Theta Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of Nebraska B. (See page 76).

The report of Iota Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of Missouri B. (See page 77).

The report of Kappa Province President was read and was accepted upon motion of Louisiana A. (See page 79).

Adjournment upon motion of Oregon A.

Second Session, Tuesday, June 26, 2 P. M.

The second session of Convention was opened with the reading of the Ritual and the singing of a fraternity song. Roll call showed the President Emeritus, the Chairman of the Settlement School and Alpha Province Vice-president tardy. Announce-

ments were made by the Grand President, Epsilon Province President, a member of the Extension Committee, and the Convention Guide.

The Grand President announced the appointment of the following committees :

Committee on Award for Chapter Exhibit—Elda Smith, chairman, Nina Harris Allen, Pauline Turnbull.

Committee on Award of Attendance Cup—Sophie Parsons Woodman, chairman, Mae Reynolds Drybread, Georgiana Rowlands.

Greetings to Convention from Anna Lytle Tannahill, Denver Alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta, Alpha Chi Omega, Sarella Herrick Brewer, Dr. Edith Gordon, and Dr. Edith Matzke were read.

The report of the Committee on Extension was read by Gladys Madigan, and was accepted upon motion of Oregon B. (See page 90).

The report of the Committee on Health Program was read by May Keller and was accepted upon motion of Nevada A. (See page 113).

The report of the Committee on Fellowship Fund was read by Dorothy Cleaveland, and was accepted upon motion of New York A. (See page 109).

The report of the Mailing Clerk was read by the Grand Secretary, and was accepted upon motion of New York F. (See page 46).

The report of the Committee on Social Exchange was read by the Grand Secretary, and was accepted upon motion of Minnesota A. (See page 112).

The report of the Committee on Fraternity study and Examination was read by its chairman, Sophie Parsons Woodman, and was accepted upon motion of Illinois Z. (See page 93).

The report of the Magazine Subscription Agency was read by the Grand Secretary, and was accepted upon motion of Missouri F.

By general consent Ruth Jones was seated as temporary delegate from Oklahoma B.

The following recommendations of the Grand Council to convention were submitted for action :

1. That Statutes V, Sec. 9, "Withdrawal of Pledge," which reads, "The Pi Beta Phi pledge shall be withdrawn from any person not initiated within sixteen months from date of pledging," shall be amended by striking out and substituting the following :

Sec. 9. Expiration of a Pledge.

A Pi Beta Phi pledge shall automatically expire at the end of twelve months. ✓

- a. Upon general consent of the chapter concerned, a pledge may be extended through the four immediately succeeding months. ✓
- b. The pledge of any girl whose college connections are terminated by the advice or action of college authorities shall automatically expire upon such termination. ✓

Adopted as read upon motion of the Grand Vice-president.

2. That Convention authorize the transferring of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Badge Fund to a new fund to be called the Chapter House Building Fund, this money to be immediately available and to be supplemented annually during the interim of conventions by two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) from the Badge Fund.

Adopted as read upon motion of Indiana F.

3. That Convention authorize the appointment of a new standing committee on chapter house building and financing.

Adopted as read upon motion of Indiana B.

4. That all chapters having houses or apartments notify the Grand President and the Province President concerned not later than May 1 of their plans relative to chaperonage for the following year.

Adopted as read upon motion of Nebraska B.

5. That no chapter enter upon a definite contract with its chaperon until such contemplated action has received the approval of the Grand President.

Adopted as read upon motion of New York A.

6. That a uniform blank be provided by the fraternity for reporting to the Grand President and to the Province President concerned, complete data pertaining to chaperons, each report to be countersigned by the Dean of Women, the chairman of the Advisory Committee, the Grand President or the Province President concerned.

Adopted as read upon motion of Colorado A.

7. That all chapter treasurers be required to use the following uniform signature for checks, "Pi Beta Phi,..... Treasurer."

Adopted as read upon motion of Maryland A.

8. That uniform blanks be provided for the sending in, by chapters, of the required information concerning each year's graduates and members leaving college.

Adopted as read upon motion of Pennsylvania A.

9. That Stat. III, B, Sec. 2, g, "Duties of Chapter Vice-president," be amended by inserting the words "to the Grand Secretary, to the

Cataloguer" between the words "Vice-president" and "and" so as to read:

- g. To send to the Grand Vice-president, to the Grand Secretary, to the Cataloguer, and to the Alumnae Editor at the beginning of the college year a list giving the names and addresses of the chapter's graduates of the preceding year and of the non-graduate members of the preceding year who have become inactive.

Adopted as read upon motion of Michigan B.

10. That a form letter, similar in content to the one sent out by the chapters this year, be drafted and printed by the national organization, and, accompanied by a personal note from each sponsor, be distributed by the chapters to the parents or guardians of all pledges.

Adopted as read upon motion of California F.

11. That all chapters be required to have an Executive Council. Pennsylvania Alpha moved to amend the recommendation by adding the words "the personnel of which shall be determined by each chapter." Carried.

Recommendation as amended adopted upon motion of Pennsylvania F.

12. That a committee be appointed to formulate and to present to this convention, constitutional amendments covering the formation and the duties of chapter Executive Councils.

Adopted as read upon motion of Nevada A.

13. That the present system of fraternity examination be continued through the coming interim of conventions.

Adopted as read upon motion of Ohio B.

14. That, when feasible, chapters organize Mothers' Clubs.

Adopted as read upon motion of Louisiana A.

15. That Stat. III, B, Sec. 2, "Duties of Chapter Vice-presidents," be amended by adding h to read as follows:

h. To act as chapter parliamentarian.

Adopted as read upon motion of Virginia A.

After miscellaneous announcements a Round Table on "The Relation of the National Fraternity to Rushing" was led by Kappa Province President assisted by Zeta Province President, California B, Illinois H, and Nevada A.

Third Session, Wednesday, June 27, 2 P. M.

The third session of Convention was opened with the reading of the Ritual, followed by miscellaneous announcements. Roll

all showed Kappa Province President, Beta Province Vice-president, Epsilon Province Vice-president, Theta Province Vice-president, the Alumnae Editor, Columbia A, Virginia A, Florida A, Florida B, Illinois E, and Texas A tardy. The Vice-president of Gamma and Delta provinces, Emilie Margaret White, was seated as a member of convention. Greetings were read from Colorado Delta Gamma, Zeta Tau Alpha, Chi chapter of Kappa Delta, and Elva Plank.

The following committees were appointed by the Grand President:

Committee on Tips—Lillian Freund, Chairman, with authority to select her own committee members.

Committee to formulate necessary constitutional amendments covering the formation and the duties of chapter Executive Councils—Wisconsin A, chairman, California T, Virginia B, Missouri A, New York A.

Committee on Resolutions—Iota and Kappa Provinces Vice-president, chairman, Ohio B, New York A, Illinois H, Maryland A.

Missouri B moved to consider the question of extension informally. Carried.

The Grand President presented to Convention the extension problems and policies of the fraternity; the President Emeritus spoke generally on the subject; and the Arrow Editor, with the permission of Convention, read relative matter from the official periodicals of various fraternities.

The petition of $A \Sigma \Phi$ of the University of Chattanooga for a charter of $\Pi B \Phi$, was presented by Katharine Casady of Indiana A, with the President Emeritus, the Grand Secretary, the Chairman of the Settlement School Committee, Delta Province President, and Kathryne Mullinix of Indiana B speaking from the floor in support of the group. Delta Province President moved that the petition be granted. The Grand President appointed Indiana A, Pennsylvania A, and Ontario A, tellers for the vote upon the petition of $A \Sigma \Phi$.

The petition of $B A \Phi$ of the University of North Carolina was presented by Marian Gilmer, Virginia A delegate, and was supported from the floor by the President Emeritus, the Chairman of the Settlement School Committee, Gamma Province President, Gamma and Delta Provinces Vice-president, the chairman of the Committee on Fraternity Study and Examination, the Head Resident of the Settlement School, the Grand Secretary, Virginia B, and Pauline Turnbull. Gamma Province President moved that a charter be granted to $B A \Phi$, and the Grand President appointed as tellers for the vote California A, Kansas B, and Illinois E.

The petition of $\Omega\Phi A$ of the University of Idaho was presented by Helen Madden of Washington A, with the Grand President, Iota Province President, Washington A, Washington B, Oregon A, Oregon B, Montana A, and alumnae from Iowa Γ and Washington B speaking from the floor. Washington A moved that the petition of $\Omega\Phi A$ be granted. The tellers for the vote were announced as Missouri B, Texas A, and Oregon B.

Upon general consent the Round Table scheduled for 4:30 P. M. was postponed.

The petition of ZX^A of the University of South Dakota was presented by Letha Green of Iowa A. Speaking from the floor were the Grand Vice-president, the Historian, Epsilon Province President, Nina Harris Allen, and Iowa Z. The Grand Vice-president moved that the petition of ZX^A be granted, and the tellers appointed by the Grand President were Virginia A, Louisiana A, and Iowa A.

The Grand President announced that the reports of the tellers showed that $\Pi B\Phi$ had granted a charter to $A\Sigma\Phi$ of the University of Chattanooga, and that it had refused the petitions of $BA\Phi$ of the University of North Carolina, of $\Omega\Phi A$ of the University of Idaho, and ZX^A of the University of South Dakota.

After final announcements and the reading of the Ritual, the session was adjourned upon motion of Kansas A.

Fourth Session, Friday, June 29, 9:30 A. M.

The fourth session of Convention was opened with the reading of the Ritual, followed by announcements made by the Grand President and by members from the floor. Roll call showed the Chairman of the Settlement School Committee absent, and Theta Province Vice-president, Columbia A, Ohio A, and Indiana Γ tardy. Frances Campbell was seated as official delegate from Oklahoma B. Greetings were read from Delta Gamma, Gamma Phi Beta, and Fannie Whitenack Libby, Founder.

Action was continued upon the recommendations from Grand Council.

16. That chapters, having adopted "Robert's Primer of Parliamentary Law" as a textbook, shall have a ten minute parliamentary drill at least once monthly at a regular chapter meeting.

Adopted as read upon motion of Washington B.

17. That Stat. III, B, Sec. 2, c, "Duties of Chapter Vice-president," be amended by striking out "To act as Chapter Secretary for the Alumnae" and substituting the following:

To keep in touch with chapter alumnae for the purpose of collecting alumnae personals and of keeping alumnae statistics accurate.

Adopted as read upon motion of Ohio A.

18. That Stat. III, A, Sec. 10, "Duties of Historian" be amended by adding c to read as follows:

c. To collect and to file typed duplicates of all charters of Pi Beta Phi chapters.

Adopted as read upon motion of Louisiana A.

19. That a cup be purchased to be awarded annually to the chapter which, in the opinion of the Committee on Social Exchange, presents the cleverest original stunt or scheme for entertaining which has been successfully used by its own members.

Adopted as read upon motion of Washington A.

20. That Art. V, Sec. 5, "Limitation upon members," be amended by adding "b," which shall read:

No member of this fraternity shall accept membership in any campus organization whose membership list would not be open to college officials upon their request.

Adopted as read upon motion of Minnesota A.

21. That, when a chapter which has had its constitutionally provided for visits from province and national officers, requests a special emergency visit from an officer it shall bear one half of the expense attendant upon such a visit.

Adopted as read upon motion of Ohio B.

22. That Art. V, Sec. 1, a, 3, "Requirements for Invitation to Membership," be amended by striking out "consulted the chapter in the college or town from which she came," and substituting the words "secured the consent of the chapter in the college or town from which she came, refusal to grant such consent being subject to over ruling by the Grand President or the Province President concerned following complete investigation. Failure to send a reply within two days from the time of the receipt of a request for such permission, shall be considered consent" so that the section shall read.

3. No person coming from a college or living in a town where a chapter of ΠΒΦ is maintained shall be invited to membership by any chapter until it shall have secured the consent of the chapter in the college or town from which she came, refusal to grant such consent being subject to over ruling by the Grand President or the Province President concerned following complete investigation. Failure to send a reply within two days from the time of the receipt of a request for such permission shall be considered consent.

Adopted as read upon motion of Kansas A.

23. That in the designation of the governing council of the fraternity, the word "National" be substituted for "Grand."

New York T moved the adoption of the recommendation.

The motion was lost.

24. That Art. III, B, Sec. 2, "Election of Chapter Officers," be amended by striking out the words, "at the middle and at the close of the college year," and inserting the words, "within the first ten days of January and of May."

Election of chapter officers shall occur within the first ten days of January and of May.

North Dakota moved that the recommendation be laid on the table. Carried.

25. That each Secret Arrow contain a list of former members dismissed or expelled during the immediately preceding year.

Adopted as read upon motion of Nebraska B.

26. That the fraternity empower the Grand Council to continue the philanthropic work of $\Pi B \Phi$ in the case of Miss Moore.

Adopted as read upon motion of Wisconsin B.

27. That Art. III, B, Sec. 3, "Restriction upon Chapter Officers," be amended by adding the words, "and shall fully have met all financial obligations to the chapter," so as to read:

Sec. 3. Restriction upon Chapter Officers:

To be eligible for election to any chapter office, a member must have a college scholarship record free from condition or failure during the entire immediately preceding year, and shall fully have met all financial obligations to the chapter.

Adopted as read upon motion of California A.

28. That Convention authorize a constitutional change under the heading "Restriction upon Chapter Delegates" to provide that the delegate must fully have met all financial obligations to the chapter.

Adopted as read upon motion of New York G.

29. That Art. III, A, Sec. 6, "Province Vice-presidents," be amended by inserting the words "the alumnae session of" before "convention" so that the section shall read:

The Alumnae Session of Convention shall elect Province Vice-presidents whose duties shall be established by law.

Adopted as read upon motion of Nevada A.

The Grand Vice-president submitted the following recommendations for Convention action:

1. That Stat. II, Sec. 3, "Committee on Nominations," be amended by striking out "b," so that the section shall read:

Sec. 3. Committee on Nominations.

A committee to nominate fraternity officers for the ensuing interim of Conventions shall be appointed at the next to the last session of convention and shall report at the last session of Convention.

2. That Stat. VIII, Sec. 1, "Province Officers," be amended by inserting the words "The alumnae session of" before the word "convention" so as to read:

Sec. 1. Province Officers.

Each province shall have a Province Vice-president elected by the Alumnae Session of Convention to assist the Grand Vice-president, the Alumnae Editor, and the Cataloguer and to perform such duties as may be established by law.

Adopted as read upon motion of Ontario A.

3. That Stat. VIII, "Alumnae Department," be amended by adding Section 6, "Committee on Nominations" which shall read:

Sec. 6. Committee on Nominations.

A committee to nominate the Grand Vice-president and the Province Vice-presidents for the ensuing interim of conventions shall be appointed at the first alumnae session of convention and shall report at the last alumnae session.

Adopted as read upon motion of Colorado A.

4. That Art. III Sec. 1, "Grand Council," be amended by striking out the words "a Grand Council which shall consist of the Grand President, the Grand Vice-president and Secretary for the Alumnae" and inserting the words "These officers, together with the Grand Vice-president and Secretary for the Alumnae, elected by the Alumnae Session of Convention, shall constitute the Grand Council," between the words "Arrow" and "The" so that the section shall read:

Sec. 1. Grand Council.

Convention shall elect the Grand President, the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer, and the Editor of the Arrow. These officers, together with the Grand Vice-president and Secretary for the Alumnae, elected by the Alumnae Session of Convention, shall constitute the Grand Council. The duties of the Grand Council shall be those usually devolving upon such officers and such further duties as shall be established by law.

Adopted as read upon motion of Kansas B.

Consideration of the recommendations from Grand Council was resumed.

30. That the incoming Cataloguer be empowered to send to all clubs, chapters and officers, mimeographed copies of the names of all lost Pi Beta Phis, and that the cooperation of these fraternity agencies be urged in this effort to make the membership list of the fraternity complete and accurate.

Adopted as read upon motion of Ohio B.

31. That Stat. IV, "Chapter Regulations," be amended by adding Section 23 which shall read:

- Sec. 23. Restriction upon Chapter Pledging or Initiation.
The Grand President shall have the power to delay and to prohibit the pledging or the initiation of any individual.

Adopted as read upon motion of Colorado B.

32. That Stat. IX, Sec. 9, b, "Safeguarding of Secret Publications," be amended by striking out the entire section and substituting the following:
- b. Safeguarding of Secret Publications.
No lay member of the fraternity may hold in her possession copies of Rituals, constitutions, initiation or pledging ceremonies, or any other secret ritualistic publications of Pi Beta Phi.

Adopted as read upon motion of Pennsylvania A.

The Cataloguer presented the following recommendations to Convention :

1. That a uniform system of card index records, be used by every chapter, be adopted.
2. That Stat. III, B, Sec. 2, d, "Duties of Chapter Vice-president," be amended by striking out the entire section and substituting for it the following:
- d. To keep up to date a uniform system of membership card index records by means of return postcards.

Adopted as read upon motion of Cataloguer.

Epsilon Province President, as chairman of the Province Presidents submitted the following recommendations :

1. That the chairman of the Committee on Scholarship and of the Committee on Fraternity Study and Examination shall submit annual reports to the Province Presidents.

Adopted as read upon motion of Ohio A.

2. That all incorporated boards or persons responsible for finances in chapters owning or maintaining a house or an apartment must present an annual report to the Grand Treasurer and to the Province President concerned not later than January 15.

Indiana Delta moved adoption.

Maryland A moved that the recommendation be amended by striking out the words "owning or maintaining a house or an apartment" and substituting for them the words "maintaining a residence."

Nevada A moved that the motion and the amendment be tabled. Carried.

Kansas A moved the reconsideration of the vote on granting a charter to B A Φ of the University of North Carolina. Carried.

The Grand President appointed as tellers on the vote Ontario, A, Texas A, and California B.

Upon motion of Maryland B the Chair was authorized to send for the vote of the chairman of the Settlement School Committee.

Announcements were made by the Chairman of the Committee on Attendance Award, the Convention Guide, the Grand Treasurer, and the Chapter Letter Editor.

Nebraska B recommended that $\Omega \Phi A$ of the University of Idaho be left for further consideration during the coming two years, and that a message of encouragement be sent to the petitioning group. After discussion, Nebraska B withdrew her recommendation and substituted for it a motion that the vote on the granting of a charter to $\Omega \Phi A$ of the University of Idaho be reconsidered. Motion carried. The tellers on the vote, as announced by the Grand President, were Florida B, Missouri B, and Nevada A.

Upon motion of Wisconsin B, the Grand President was authorized to send for the vote of the Chairman of the Settlement School Committee.

North Dakota A moved that an active session convene from 1:30 p. m. until 2 p. m. for a Round Table on "The Period of Pledgeship." Motion carried.

It was suggested that the summer addresses of chapter Rushing Captains be printed in the June issues of the Arrow.

The Grand President announced that the reports of the tellers showed that $\Pi B \Phi$ had granted charters to $B A \Phi$ of the University of North Carolina and to $\Omega \Phi A$ of the University of Idaho.

The session was adjourned upon motion of Pennsylvania Delta but the Grand President held the assembly for the announcement of the following Committee on Nominations; Beta Province President, chairman, Iowa Z, Virginia A, California Γ , and Texas A.

Special Session, Friday, June 29, 1:30

A special active session of Convention was opened with the reading of the Ritual. Roll call showed the Chairman of the Settlement School absent, and Gamma Province President, Indiana Γ and Missouri B late.

Louisiana A moved that, owing to the amount of work to be completed before the close of Convention, the fifth regular session convene at 9 a. m. Saturday morning, June 30. Carried.

A Round Table was held on the subject of "The Period of

REPORTS OF OFFICERS

REPORT OF THE GRAND PRESIDENT

To Pi Beta Phi Fraternity the Grand President submits the following report:

For the first time since 1912, $\Pi B \Phi$ is holding a Convention at the close of the constitutional two year period, thereby meeting a requirement based upon the fundamental idea that the interests of the fraternity are best served when officers, chapter and alumnae club delegates, and members meet together no less often than every two years for a review of the work done or attempted and for a careful planning-together for the future development of the fraternity. That $\Pi B \Phi$ as a Convention is in session today is due to the willingness of the active chapters of the fraternity to assume a special convention tax equal to one-third of the usual annual dues, and the fraternity extends to its chapters an expression of deep appreciation for the splendid national point of view which this willingness indicates.

As Grand President I take pride in calling the fraternity's attention to the reports of the officers and committee chairmen covering the work of the past two years. These reports are an evidence of loyal, forward-looking service by officers and committees, of cooperation on the part of chapters and alumnae clubs, and of great internal development for the fraternity as a whole. Two changes among national officers have been necessary, the fraternity releasing with great regret Lulu Clark Ingraham, Grand Secretary, and Nina Harris Allen, Alumnae Editor, and welcoming, with sincere appreciation of their willingness to serve $\Pi B \Phi$, their successors, Francese Roma Evans and Geraldine Mars. With the exception of Gamma and Eta, all Provinces have been so fortunate as to retain throughout the interim of conventions the province presidents elected by the last Convention. In Gamma Province, Pauline Turnbull has been succeeded by Mary Rayner Brinkley, and in Eta Province, Hazel Carson Brooks by Maryelenore Fraser and still later by Vivian White Scott, in each case the new officer having carried on with great efficiency the work of her predecessor. Except for the Settlement School Committee for which a report will be made later, one committee only has had a change in chairman, Martha Waring having succeeded Flora Hull Mitchell as chairman of the Committee on Scholarship. Comparatively few changes have been made in the personnel of the standing committees whose members render to $\Pi B \Phi$ a service of great value and sometimes too little appreciated. Following the suggestion of Louise Foucar Marshall, Colorado B, a new standing committee has recently been organized. This Committee on Social Exchange is to be a clearing house for clever ideas and stunts and should prove most helpful to chapters and clubs.

The system of supervision maintained by $\Pi B \Phi$ for its chapters is recognized by other fraternities as being exceptionally effective. The

success of any such system depends largely upon the personality and ability of the people who direct it, however, and it is a pleasure to give this public expression of appreciation for the close associations maintained and the unusually successful results obtained by the province presidents in their work with the chapters. At each annual meeting of the Grand Council a complete survey of all chapters has been made based upon the reports of the visiting Council members, the province presidents, and the Committee on Survey and Standardization, and any chapter falling below the approved standard in any respect has been made the subject of special supervision and help, with results which are most gratifying. In the interim of conventions, all chapters, with the exception of some of those in Beta, Gamma, and Zeta Provinces, have had two annual visits from their province presidents, and with the exception of some of those in Beta, Gamma, and Zeta Provinces over which the Grand Council had no control interfered, all chapters have received a visit from a member of the Grand Council. The fraternity is indebted to Verna Weaver, Washington A, for her assistance to Alpha Province president in making the visits for the current year, and to Lucile Shuttee Blair, Oklahoma A, for acting as an advisory committee of one for Florida B during its first year as an active chapter. The Grand President has had the pleasure of knowing personally during the past two years thirty-two active chapters of $\Pi B \Phi$, having made twenty-three official visits, installed two chapters, answered six emergency calls for special visits, and been with five chapters in a purely unofficial, social way. Aside from receiving many courtesies from alumnae clubs situated in the towns where she has visited chapters, she has been the special guest of the Portland, Spokane, and Monmouth Clubs. For Founders' Day, 1923, she had the pleasure of being the week-end guest of the Indianapolis alumnae club for its state reunion and celebration. The Grand President has also visited one petitioning group, $\Omega \Phi A$ of the University of Idaho.

In an effort to bring more closely together the various departments of the fraternity, the Grand President has issued monthly letters to province presidents, and has, as occasion demanded, sent special letters of suggestion to chapter presidents. An article in the magazine of $\lambda X A$ having offered such a solution for the problem of giving the parents of members a real knowledge of the expense, history, aims, and ideals of the fraternity, the Grand President, this past fall, drafted a model letter to the parents of pledges. Each chapter, through the sponsors of its individual pledges, sent copies of this letter to all parents of pledges with results which seem to warrant a continuation of some such letter of general information. The Grand President will recommend, however, that in the future a letter covering all general points be printed by the fraternity nationally and be supplied to all chapters to be included by them in more personal notes from sponsors covering the purely local phases of chapter life.

Three meetings of the Grand Council have been held in the in-

termin of conventions: one, a brief joint session with the outgoing Grand Council, was held at Charlevoix, Michigan, immediately after the close of the last convention; another, which included a joint session with the Settlement School Committee, was held at Gatlinburg, Tennessee, in May 1922; and the third, at Estes Park, Colorado immediately preceding the present convention. Action taken by the Grand Council includes the formation of uniform chapter-house rules; the drafting of suggestions for chapters entertaining inspecting officers; the revising of the outline for chapter visits and the inclusion of a set of ideals for visiting officers; the adoption of uniform blanks for the reporting of the personnel of alumnae advisory committee and for the officers of alumnae clubs; the passing of a constitutional amendment making it compulsory that each initiate countersign her initiation certificate thus reducing the possibility of orthographical errors in official records; the passing of a constitutional amendment requiring that each chapter report broken pledges and providing for the form and care of such records; the passing of a constitutional amendment making it possible for Convention to amend the Constitution without one year's notice of the proposed amendment; the elimination of the office of Custodian of the Badge, since the duties of such an officer are, under the present jewelry system, assumed by the Grand Treasurer; and the passing of a constitutional amendment authorizing the return to the former system of a two day minimum for official visits, thereby in no appreciable way lessening the effectiveness of these visits and at the same time distinctly lessening the social and financial burden upon chapters and the demands upon the time and strength of officers. A definite constitutional ruling against all forms of rough initiation passed by the Grand Council marks $\Pi B \Phi$ as well in the lead in a general fraternity movement against a custom which has no real connection with any fraternity and which has the unanimous disapproval of college authorities. The Volunteer Service Slip has been made a regular feature of THE ARROW and has provided a most helpful list of available fraternity workers. Believing a national convention to be an exceptionally broadening and inspiring experience which every $\Pi B \Phi$ should have if possible, the Grand Council, after several requests for special dispensations had been made to it, made a general dispensation allowing the initiation, at the close of the college year, of all pledges who had met local and national requirements of scholarship and conduct and who would sign a pledge to attend convention and to return to their colleges for the entire immediate following college year.

Because of the magnitude of the fraternity's altruistic enterprise, it is fitting that special mention be made of and appreciation expressed for the work of the Settlement School Committee, the Head Resident, the Resident Nurse, and the School staff. The Settlement School has had two years of exceptional progress and is today on a more firm foundation than ever before. $\Pi B \Phi$ cannot too fully appreciate the devoted service of Evelyn Bishop and Phyllis Higgenbotham who,

working in their separate fields, have so firmly cemented the friendly understanding between the Settlement School and the people whom it exists to serve. That in these times of financial uncertainty it has been possible for the fraternity to maintain through voluntary contributions a School whose annual budget approximates \$20,000.00, is proof which needs no supporting evidence of the place which the Settlement School holds in the hearts of the members of $\Pi B \Phi$. It is a matter of keen regret that a number of changes in the chairmanship of the Settlement School Committee have been necessary. Miss Langmaid, whose resignation came because of other responsibilities which demanded her time and attention, was succeeded by Mrs. Rugg, who accepted the position only temporarily; Miss Miller, who had given splendid service as a committee member, accepted the chairmanship in the spring of 1922 and gave that same loyal support until the time of her resignation in April 1923, when Mrs. Rugg, at the urgent request of the Grand President, once more took over the heavy burden of responsibility. The thanks of the fraternity are due in special measure to Mrs. Rugg who twice in time of emergency has proved her loyalty to $\Pi B \Phi$ by accepting the chairmanship at great personal sacrifice. The changes in the directing management have not, fortunately, had any adverse effect upon the School whose progress has been continuous under each able chairman.

Because of the exceptionally complete ritualistic and ceremonial material published during the administration of Mrs. Tannahill, there has been little need for the editing of similar publications during the past two years, the only ritual published being the beautiful Farewell to Seniors Ceremony conceived and written by Lulu Clark Ingraham. The Grand Council has collaborated in formulating a ceremony to be used at the installation of chapters, and a copy of this new ceremony will be posted during Convention. The new Directory, published by Lillian Freund, Cataloguer, has involved an unprecedented amount of work but is now ready for distribution and is exceptionally accurate and valuable. The new Song Book, edited by Laurel Cissna, has been completed and will be distributed at once.

The beautiful Balfour Cup, awarded to the chapter of $\Pi B \Phi$ which best meets its three-fold responsibility to its college, its fraternity, and itself, passed into the keeping of New York Gamma in 1922. The award for the college year just closed will be made at the convention banquet. Mr. Balfour has done notable service to $\Pi B \Phi$ in making possible the giving of this tangible and artistically perfect recognition of the highest type of chapter development. The $\Pi B \Phi$ Fellowship was awarded in 1922 to Alice Barndt for graduate work in Literature at the University of Illinois and in 1923 to Lelah Bell Davis for graduate work in Romance Languages at the University of Chicago.

During the past two years, the fraternity has held to the attitude towards extension favored by the last Convention and has allowed no applying groups actively to petition in the interim of conventions. In

the spring of 1922 it seemed possible that an exception in the cases of $\Lambda \Sigma \Phi$ of the University of Chattanooga and of $\text{BA } \Phi$ of the University of North Carolina would be advisable and the sentiment of officers and chapters favored this exception by a four to one vote. Having no thought that a convention would be held during the present summer, however, and wishing to make doubly certain of the qualifications of these groups, the Grand Council decided that neither should take definite steps towards petitioning until the beginning of the second semester of the just closed college year, but it agreed that if conditions at that time continued to be highly favorable the petitions of the groups to their respective provinces would be facilitated. Reports made as soon as possible after the beginning of the designated semester again indicated extremely favorable conditions but since Convention was so near the Council felt that the best interests of the fraternity demanded that if possible all petitions be presented for general fraternity action; too much cannot be said in praise of the attitude of these two petitioning groups who voluntarily agreed to set aside their promised right to petition their provinces and who placed the best interests of $\text{IB } \Phi$, as these were interpreted to them by the Grand Council, above their own hopes for an early vote on their petitions. The national viewpoint and the desire fully to meet every fraternity requirement or request shown by these groups would be a credit to any chapter of any fraternity. Thirty-nine groups have applied to $\text{IB } \Phi$ during the past two years; four of these, three of which were applying at the time of the last Convention, will present petitions to this Convention. Each has passed a rigid test of worthiness and each, in the opinion of the Committee on Extension and of the Grand Council, represents a favorable field for extension.

The charter of $\text{IB } \Phi$ has, within the past year, been made to conform to the change in government of the fraternity established by the Convention of 1890, and has been recorded in the State of Tennessee, thereby making it possible for the fraternity to hold legally its Settlement School property.

Pi Beta Phi is indebted to Mr. John Bellatti of Jacksonville, Illinois, and Mr. Edward F. Irwin, of Springfield, Illinois, attorneys, for invaluable legal aid and service given without compensation during the past year.

The importance of placing the system of chaperonage for our chapter-houses upon a more definite, business-like basis and of making certain that only the right type of woman fills this position has been impressed upon the Grand Council. No other person affects a chapter as greatly or has so large a part in determining its standards as the woman who lives in the house with it. Material for a pamphlet on "The Ideal of $\text{IB } \Phi$ for the Relation between Its Chapters and Their Chaperons" has been collected and it is hoped that this will be available when college opens in the fall. Definite regulations covering the choice of chaperon, her period of office, and so forth will be presented to this Convention for its action.

The actual necessity for proper chapter housing is becoming increasingly apparent, and it is the opinion of the Grand President that the time has come when $\Pi\beta\Phi$ must make some national provision for assisting its chapters in their efforts to provide for themselves houses adequate for their needs. No chapter struggling against adverse living conditions can reach its otherwise possible high state of efficiency. A Health Program which does not include assistance towards better living conditions can accomplish little since it is so handicapped at the start. Many chapters have paid in rent for entirely inadequate houses money which would have gone far towards the purchase of fully adequate houses of their own, money which would have been so used had it been possible to arrange for the necessary initial payments. Alumnae everywhere must arouse to the necessity of giving their utmost financial support to their own chapters and Pi Beta Phi nationally must provide for worthy chapters the assistance which financial conditions make impossible locally. Twenty-one chapters now own their houses which have a valuation of \$450,000. Oregon A has begun the erection of a beautiful \$35,000 home which is to be ready for occupancy this fall, and Illinois E, Iowa Z, Washington A and Washington B hope to build within a year.

For something more than four years, it has been the privilege of $\Pi\beta\Phi$ to have a part in caring for one of its honored Founders, Rosa Moore. Until the past winter when Miss Moore suffered a stroke of paralysis, the financial help necessary was negligible, and the Grand Council, sensing a certain delicacy in the situation, made no announcement to the fraternity of its action. After Miss Moore's condition became critical and constant care necessary, Mrs. Burton Maxfield and other Pi Beta Phis, who have so splendidly manifested the true spirit of the fraternity in assuming the local responsibility for the Grand Council, succeeded in placing Miss Moore in an endowed hospital. The expense connected with continued hospital care is not slight, however, even at an endowed hospital, and so, in addition to the fact that the Council believes that the fraternity as a whole should have the opportunity to know of its privilege partially to repay its debt of gratitude to a Founder, it is convinced that a Grand Council should not assume the continued responsibility of authorizing, without general knowledge and approval, an expenditure which will involve a total of approximately \$1,000.00 a year for an unknown length of time. The Grand Council is, therefore, recommending that Convention authorize the continuation of the tangible expression of its love and appreciation for its Founder who, in her old age, finds herself alone, and except for $\Pi\beta\Phi$, uncared for.

The Grand President feels that the financial condition of the fraternity merits special mention in a report on general fraternity conditions. $\Pi\beta\Phi$ is proud of its financial standing; all bills are paid promptly, the fraternity's credit is excellent, and its financial policy sound. The Grand President asks that all members of the fraternity

study carefully the report of the Grand Treasurer, and believes that she should bring to their attention the fact that the funds of the fraternity are almost entirely in Endowment Funds, moneys held in trust only the interest from which is available for use. The Arrow Endowment Fund, in which most of the fraternity's money belongs, is the accumulation of life subscriptions to THE ARROW and the interest must be applied on the cost of the magazines sent each year to all life subscribers. With the exception of those who availed themselves of the early life subscription rate of \$5.00, each life subscriber has paid to the fraternity \$10.00 for which she receives each year a magazine whose actual cost of production for the current year was approximately one dollar and eight cents. Since the prevailing rates of interest vary from five to seven per cent, it is readily understandable that the interest on \$10.00 cannot exceed seventy cents each year. The fraternity is able to supply THE ARROW upon such unusual life subscription rates only because of the annual Arrow tax upon active members, a tax which is included in their annual dues. Even superficial consideration of the situation, then, will make it apparent to all that, aside from the fact that the Arrow Endowment is a trust fund and cannot be dissipated, every cent of that fund must be an investment whose interest in full can apply towards the cost of THE ARROW. The Fellowship Fund, too, is in trust that the interest, when the Fund reaches its goal of \$10,000, may provide for the annual \$500.00 Fellowship.

The Grand Council in its pre-conventions sessions and conference with province presidents has considered carefully the future development of I B Φ and will submit to Convention recommendations covering policies the need for which is apparent.

The Grand President realizes that the excellent national spirit manifested throughout the fraternity during the interim of conventions has been the result of the harmonious working-together of the members of Grand Council, the province and national officers, committeemen chapters and clubs; to each of these she expresses her sincere appreciation for the splendid cooperation which has been unflinching. The cordial hospitality of chapters and clubs has meant a happiness which will long be remembered, as has been the privilege of serving I B Φ .

Respectfully submitted,

AMY BURNHAM ONKEN.

REPORT OF THE GRAND VICE-PRESIDENT

Convention Report of Grand Vice-President, June 1921 to June 1923.

Your Grand Vice-President will only mention in passing the routine work that of necessity goes with such an office, filing, issuing of supplies, and a very general correspondence, due to her "double role" (as her predecessor called it) as a member of the governing council of the active chapters and as the executive secretary of the Alumnae Department. The forward steps in the strengthening of the Alumnae

Organization, the increased scope of its work, and the ever increasing enthusiasm noted throughout the whole alumnae, the Pi Phis who have left college, indicate that the alumnae are working as they never worked before for $\Pi B \Phi$, and her many interests. As a direct result of last Convention several new clubs were formed and the pulsing of new life has been constantly evident. One group after another has applied for a charter, thereby giving evidence of their desire for official connection with the national organization and of their eagerness to have an active share in Pi Beta Phi's national movements. Every charter granted has given your Grand Vice-President, and the province vice-president concerned, a real joy, for with the granting of charters there always comes the mental picture of Pi Phis fired anew with zeal for $\Pi B \Phi$, banded together not only to cement old chapter affiliations but to form new attachments, all filled with a moving inspiration and an abiding purpose to work for the fraternity that meant so much to them in college days and is still to enrich their lives beyond their expectations. Active girls, your Grand Vice-President would plead with you to bear this in mind that the transition from an active to an alumna $\Pi \Phi$ is a smooth one. So many of the interests are the same—the broader ones. Of course there is no longer the dear intimacy of chapter life and its close linking with college life, but when it is no longer possible for you to hold membership in an active chapter remember that all those intangible somethings that thrilled you as an active—still exist for you somewhere as an alumna. $\Pi B \Phi$ is still *your* fraternity with the same worth while goals, the same earnestness of purpose, the same ideals, the same broad visions. The hearts of the alumnae are thrilled by the same enthusiasm for $\Pi B \Phi$, are stirred by the same reverence for her traditions, are touched by the same appealing call of the Settlement School. As one class after another of you press forward toward the Senior Farewell Ceremony—remember that the fraternity of your college days awaits you in every nook and corner of our United States and in many, many large cities and in many remote corners of foreign lands, South America, Europe, Asia, India—wherever you go you'll catch the gleam of the arrow. Follow it!!

The goal set by your Grand Vice-President in her last report has been reached and passed—for $\Pi B \Phi$ has now enrolled more than 100 chartered clubs. Following are the new clubs since last convention, sixteen in all:—Stillwater, Okla., Houston, Texas, Atlanta, Ga., Boulder, Colo., Sheridan, Wyo., Milwaukee, Wis., Waterloo, Iowa, Morgantown, W. Va., Wichita, Kans., North Carolina, Cheyenne, Wyo., Yakima, Wash., (Fannie Whitenack Libby); Falls City (Louisville), Ky., Colorado Springs, Colo., Long Beach, Calif., Columbia, Mo. More groups are all but ready to come in to the magic circle.

Several Founders' Day reunions were arranged by the Province Vice-President in $\Pi \Phi$ centers where no clubs were located both last year and this, and there is little doubt that these reunions will lead

to chartered clubs or to annual reunions. This has been an excellent scheme for arousing interest in sections not reached by clubs. When this celebration was held near active chapters, as in Harrisburg, Pa., it has served a double purpose, the giving of an opportunity for inter-chapter visiting as well as for alumnae reuniting. Each year a letter of greeting suitable to Founders' Day has been sent each club—this year's included a Convention message.

For old and new clubs alike the theme is "What can we do for the Settlement School" and the Settlement School Committee together with the alumnae department officers has made an excellent combination for providing mental stimulus and practical assistance to the clubs in their work for the School. The present arrangement has worked splendidly—and the work of the Settlement School Committee and the Province Vice-Presidents among clubs must necessarily dovetail, since so much of the time and energy of the alumnae are devoted to the Settlement School, but time will make its own changes, and future years like the last two will see great strides made in efficiency and effectiveness. Each year your Grand Vice-President has thought that the high-water mark was reached when the splendid total of the clubs' contributions to the School was reported, but each next year brought in still more amazing returns. This tells such a significant story. (Can't you just see the hives of industry.)—clubs like Cleveland seemingly speeding along under power self-generated, New York keeping the same pace—and then increasing it, other clubs inspired by shining examples stirred to strive for higher goals and gaining them, and incidentally increasing immeasurably their own club well being. Can you not visualize these various groups, humming with industry, thriving on healthy rivalry, enjoying to the utmost the camaraderie gained by co-workers for a worthy cause. The pulse must be quickened by such activity—more freely flows the reddened blood, and health ensues. IIBΦ is glowing with pride in her clubs that voluntarily contributed more than \$15,000 to the Settlement School last year and more than \$21,000 this current year.

At the request of the Grand President the Grand Vice-President has visited in the two years as Grand Council representative several chapters: Columbia A, Pennsylvania A, B, and Γ, Massachusetts A, Maine A, Indiana A, Michigan A, and B, Illinois Δ, E, Z, and H, and although Illinois Beta's college was not in session, some time was spent with the actives in town and with the alumnae advisory board. Among the clubs visited are—Washington, D. C., Lewisburg, Pa., Lancaster, Pa., Philadelphia, Pa., New York City, Indianapolis, Ind., Franklin, Ind., Decatur, Ill., Galesburg, Ill., Ann Arbor, Mich., and smaller groups were visited in Champaign, Chicago, Hillside, and Detroit.

Special stress has been made on the use of the budget system, of executive boards for all large clubs, for serious assumption by alumnae of responsibilities to actives. For more effective work by alumnae advisory boards, the Grand Vice-President compiled from all rulings

and suggestions on the subject a comprehensive manual for the use of alumnae advisory committees.

It has been the aim of the Grand Vice-President and of her corps of very able assistants, the province vice-presidents, to have every club receive some impetus and help from the national organization—to make every club feel that it is an essential part of the whole, and it is the desire of your alumnae department officers to send every delegate home with a real message from this Convention and a moving inspiration for work in her own club not only next year, but all the years thereafter.

Your Grand Vice-President appreciates to the fullest the opportunity of serving both active chapters and alumnae and is deeply grateful to all who have extended to her so many lovely courtesies and such loyal cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA ROBINSON NICKERSON.

REPORT OF THE RETIRING GRAND SECRETARY

To Π Β Φ Fraternity the Retiring Grand Secretary submits the following report:

Upon my resignation as Grand Secretary at the close of the college year 1921-1922, a brief survey of the work of that office for the past year may prove interesting to the members of the fraternity.

With very few exceptions each chapter has manifested an unusual spirit of loyalty and co-operation with the Grand Secretary during the past year. Too much cannot be said in praise of the promptness, courtesy, and efficiency of our chapter corresponding secretaries—a condition that has greatly facilitated the work of the office.

The membership of the fraternity has been materially increased this year by the addition of the three new chapters chartered at the Charlevoix Convention—Montana A, North Dakota A, and Florida B. It was my unusual privilege to officiate as the installing officer for Florida B—an experience that I shall always cherish as one of the richest in my life as a fraternity officer.

On my way home from Florida in October I had the pleasure of spending an afternoon with the girls of the petitioning group at the University of Chattanooga—a wholesome, charming, and actively enthusiastic group of Southern girls.

Nine hundred and one certificates of membership have been issued by the Grand Secretary this year which makes our total membership at the present time approximately thirteen thousand.

As Grand Council representative, the Grand Secretary has visited eleven chapters during the past year. These visits have resulted not only in happy experiences and delightful friendships, but in a real inspiration to me and a new vision of the deeper meaning of Π Β Φ.

At the request of several Convention delegates it was decided by Grand Council at the Charlevoix meeting to send this year to each

chapter a statement of the present requirements of the Committee on Extension for groups petitioning $\Pi B \Phi$, and to hold each chapter president responsible to report to the Grand Secretary as to whether or not her chapter fulfills at the present time these respective requirements. Consequently these requirements were sent to each chapter president in the fall by the chairman of the Committee on Extension, and the results of this survey were later tabulated by the Grand Secretary, which interesting data has been published elsewhere.

A Farewell Ceremony for Seniors was likewise formulated by the Grand Secretary following a suggestion made at Convention with the hope that the same may prove a definite connecting link between the life of an undergraduate $\Pi B \Phi$ in an active chapter and the larger life of alumnae days.

It is a matter of sincere regret to the present Grand Secretary that she now feels it necessary to relinquish the duties devolving upon her office, and that her official connection with the fraternity must be severed with the rendering of this report.

Never can I adequately express to the members of the fraternity my deep and heartfelt appreciation of the privilege that has been mine to render to $\Pi B \Phi$ even the most humble service in an official capacity during the past three years.

The lasting friendships; the many delightful experiences; the added zeal and love for $\Pi B \Phi$ which this contact has inspired in me will ever be deeply cherished, and will remain with me to mark these past few years of service in $\Pi B \Phi$ as among the richest and most enjoyable of my life.

With the deepest appreciation to you, and with the highest hopes and utmost confidence I pass on this sacred trust to my successor, knowing that her joy in the service of our beloved fraternity will prove as deep and unbounded as has mine.

Respectfully submitted.

LULU HELEN CLARK.

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

To $\Pi B \Phi$ Fraternity the Grand Secretary submits the following report:

During the past year, in so far as she has been able, the Grand Secretary has fulfilled the Constitutional duties devolving upon her office; correspondence has been carried on; supplies have been distributed; material has been brought up to date for a new edition of Baird's Manual; the national charter of incorporation has been registered under the laws of Tennessee making unquestionable the holding of property in that state; convention reports have been prepared for publication; and 703 certificates of initiation have been issued bringing the fraternity membership to approximately 13,500. From a study of the annual reports for 1922-1923, it has been determined that 930 invitations to membership have been issued. From these 125 have

been lost, and 807, or an average of 86 percent, have been won. Leaving out all preferential bidding records, forty bids have been lost to rivals while 107 have been won.

The Grand Secretary, as Grand Council representative, has had the great privilege of visiting eight chapters of the fraternity, and has, due to her location for the past year, kept closely in touch with one. Her appreciation of so many pleasant personal contacts can hardly be expressed in words. Five local groups, desirous of obtaining charters from $\Pi B \Phi$, have also been visited. Two of these, however, were not official inspections.

With the sincerest belief in the ideals which $\Pi B \Phi$ fosters, with the most enthusiastic wishes for its unparalleled progress and success, the Grand Secretary closes her year of service. For the many delightful friendships, for the varied and pleasant experiences, for the cooperation of officers and chapters which has so greatly aided her, for the inspiration it has given her, she acknowledges an indebtedness to her fraternity which she can never repay.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCESE EVANS.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER OF THE PI BETA PHI
FRATERNITY FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1923.
ARROW FUND

Receipts	
Chapter Dues -----	\$ 2,975.00
Interest -----	6,646.01
Advertisement -----	300.00
Chapter Arrow Files -----	130.00
Annual Subscriptions -----	55.50
Chapter Cuts and Engravings -----	28.00
Single Copies -----	.55
Bulletins -----	.90
Miscellaneous -----	1.00
	\$ 10,136.96
Disbursements	
June Arrow -----	2,832.40
October Arrow -----	1,358.94
December Arrow -----	2,546.82
March Arrow -----	1,683.04
Arrow Editor Salary -----	400.00
Clerical Help -----	20.00
Binding Arrow Files and Postage -----	104.17
Arrow Stationery -----	42.00
Bulletins -----	42.00
Postage Undelivered Copies -----	17.41
Incidentals -----	75.00
	9,121.78
Overdraft June 30, 1922 -----	1,193.14
	\$ 10,314.92
Overdraft, May 31, 1923 -----	\$ 177.96

ARROW ENDOWMENT

Receipts

Balance June 30, 1922 -----		\$ 78,310.19
Initiates' Dues -----	7,110.00	
Alumnae -----	90.00	
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Balance May 31, 1923 -----		\$ 85,500.19

LOAN FUND

Receipts

Balance on hand June 30, 1922 -----		711.47
Emergency -----	300.00	
Loans Paid -----	555.00	
Loans Canceled -----	100.00	
Interest -----	16.80	
Chapters -----	29.15	
Alumnae -----	102.50	
	<hr/>	1,103.45
		1,814.92

Disbursements

Loans Made -----	550.00	
	<hr/>	550.00
Balance May 31, 1923 -----		\$ 1,264.92

CONTINGENT FUND

Receipts

Chapter dues -----	3,685.00	
Fines -----	55.00	
Catalogue -----	711.00	
History -----	15.00	
Song Book -----	6.00	
Supplies -----	414.50	
Installation -----	72.50	
Refund: Transportation -----	92.66	
	<hr/>	5,051.66

Disbursements

Catalogue -----	830.00
Supplies -----	533.97
Song Book—New Edition -----	25.00
History -----	2.14
Benevolence -----	315.00
Chapter Expense -----	125.16
Fellowship -----	500.00
Fellowship -----	500.00
Committee Expense -----	197.07
Salaries -----	800.00
Transportation -----	1,696.41
Officers Expense -----	512.97
Settlement School Pledge -----	250.00

National Pan-Hellenic -----	15.00
Miscellaneous -----	179.91

5,982.63

Overdraft June 30, 1922 -----	1,564.67
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7,547.30

Overdraft May 31, 1923 -----	
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\$ 2,495.64

ALUMNAE FUND

Receipts

Balance June 30, 1922 -----		3,272.86
Alpha Province -----	184.00	
Beta Province -----	176.00	
Gamma and Delta Provinces -----	216.00	
Epsilon Province -----	182.50	
Zeta Province -----	176.50	
Eta Province -----	151.00	
Theta Province -----	115.50	
Iota and Kappa Provinces -----	187.00	

1,388.50

4,661.36

Disbursements

Grand Vice-President Salary -----	100.00
Assistant Editor Salary -----	25.00
Cataloguer Salary -----	50.00
Mailing Clerk Salary -----	50.00
Grand Vice-President Expense -----	50.00
Alumnae Editor Expense -----	25.00
Transportation Vice-President -----	30.00
Manuals -----	13.25
Toronto Club S. S. Pledge -----	10.00
Province Vice-President Expense -----	16.18

369.43

Balance May 31, 1923 -----	
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\$ 4,291.93

CONVENTION FUND

Receipts

Balance June 30, 1922 -----		5,373.09
Chapter Dues -----	3,685.00	
Special Convention Tax -----	3,944.00	

7,629.00

13,002.09

Disbursements

Exhibit Prize -----	10.00
Arrow Notices -----	30.22
Incidentals: Convention Guide -----	50.00

90.22

Balance May 31, 1923 -----	
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\$12,911.87

RECAPITULATION

Resources		
Loans and Bonds -----	94,500.00	
Cash in Banks -----	15,356.09	
Cash in Savings Banks -----	13,242.71	
Due from Chapters -----	650.08	
Contingent Fund -----	2,495.64	
Arrow Fund -----	177.96	
		\$126,322.48
Liabilities		
Due from Chapters -----	188.26	
Arrow Endowment -----	85,500.19	
Convention Fund -----	12,911.87	
Suspense -----	6,848.37	
Badge -----	9,700.85	
Alumnae -----	4,291.93	
Emergency -----	193.74	
Fellowship -----	5,422.35	
Loan Fund -----	1,264.92	
		\$126,322.48

Respectfully submitted,

ANNE STUART

This is to certify that I have examined the books and accounts of Miss Anne Stuart, Grand Treasurer of the Pi Beta Phi Fraternity from July 1, 1922 to May 31, 1923 and that the above statements are correct and in accordance with the books and I further certify that the "Recapitulation" presented above is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the Fraternity.

LESTER M. BUCKLEY,
Certified Public Accountant

REPORT OF ARROW EDITOR

To ΠΒΦ Fraternity, the ARROW EDITOR submits the following report:

During the past two years, 1921-23, the Editor and business manager of THE ARROW has endeavored to maintain the standards set by the former editor, Sarah Pomeroy Rugg, and to make our fraternity magazine a leading and worthy factor in the Greek world.

The assistance and cooperation of Nina Harris Allen as alumnae editor for one year and that of her successor, Geraldine E. Mars, have been invaluable and greatly appreciated. The editor is also deeply indebted to Mabel Scott Brown for her most excellent work as chapter letter editor; to Florence Clum Temple for her untiring efforts in handling the mailing list and subscriptions; to Sarah Pomeroy Rugg for editing the interesting department of News From Little Pigeon; to Dorothy Cleaveland for numerous contributions to the Book Review section; to Florence Taylor Shields for organizing and editing the new department, Pi Phi Relatives; and to Genevieve and Marie McSwigan for contributions to the department, Pi Phis In The Public Eye.

The Editor also wishes to express her appreciation of the splendid spirit of cooperation and interest shown by the members of the fraternity who have furnished information, material, articles and letters for publication. The corresponding secretaries have given exceptional aid in following instructions and in sending in contributions promptly.

During the interim of conventions, two private issues have been published containing the Convention minutes and reports in 1921 and annual reports, minutes of the Grand Council meetings and annual reports of alumnae clubs in 1922.

The six regular issues have included two special numbers, the Convention number in December 1921 and the Health and Athletic number in December 1922. The other four regular numbers have contained letters of travel and description from Pi Beta Phis in foreign lands, accounts of our official family, articles by eminent fraternity members, information pertaining to vocations and items of Panhellenic interest in addition to the regular features. Articles on special subjects have been obtained from the chapter corresponding secretaries to be used under the former heading of "What A Fraternity Girl Thinks."

The articles on Pi Phis In the Public Eye which were so popular in the past have been placed in a regular department and appear now in each open issue. A new department, Pi Phi Relatives, has also been inaugurated. Both of these departments have been established with a view to presenting interesting and timely news. They are not designed for publicity.

When the present Arrow editor took charge of the magazine two immediate changes were necessary on account of the Convention rulings providing that class numerals should be omitted in alumnae personals and that the alumnae club annual reports should be published in the October number instead of in the June issue. Both of these changes seem to have proven satisfactory. A volunteer service slip has been adopted at the suggestion of the Grand Council and a permanent insert appears in each Arrow.

Another change was made in having the mailing list placed in the hands of a Mailing Clerk instead of under the supervision of the Cataloguer. Such an arrangement was deemed advisable since the mailing list required the undivided attention of one person.

THE ARROW is now the largest in size and circulation of any fraternity magazine published by a woman's organization. The circulation has reached 10,500 and increases steadily at the approximate rate of one thousand a year. During the years 1921-23, the editor read the copy, galley proof and page proof of approximately seventeen hundred pages contained in Volumes 38 and 39. The editor supervised the binding and delivery of one hundred and thirty-four copies of these volumes.

Twenty-four hundred copies of The Pi Beta Phi Bulletin, issued in eight numbers, have been edited and mailed. The work of a cross-

reference index to the thirty-nine volumes of *THE ARROW* has also been started. This is an enormous task but will be of invaluable help to future *ARROW* editors and to all fraternity members when it is completed and published. This work will probably require another year or more as it must necessarily be done during the time when the editor is not engrossed with press work.

Several good suggestions have been received concerning proposed changes in our magazine and these will be given careful consideration.

Revised instructions have been compiled for corresponding secretaries by the editor and chapter-letter editor and have been printed on new stationery distributed to each chapter.

The *ARROW* Editor has made it a policy to send all copy to the publishers in typewritten form. Hence it has been necessary to re-type poor manuscripts and those written in long-hand.

Your editor and business manager did not sign a new contract with the George Banta Publishing Company upon assuming her duties but agreed to continue for a year under Mrs. Rugg's agreement. Mrs. Rugg suggested that her successor continue with the Banta firm until she should become accustomed to the duties of the office and could decide whether she wished to make a change. She also suggested that when the editor attended the Editor's conference on the National Panhellenic Congress that she confer with other editors regarding the question of a publishing house.

During the year 1921-22, many annoying mistakes were made by the publishers and although they were sometimes rather trivial, the editor felt that the firm was taking advantage of the new regime. The chief cause of concern, however, was the late appearance of *THE ARROW*, despite the efforts of the *ARROW* staff.

Conferences with other editors proved that they had and some still were experiencing similar troubles and the editors of the Alpha Phi Quarterly, the Alpha Delta Pi Quarterly and the Angelos reported a change in publishers and satisfactory service from the new firms.

Last year the editor and business manager of *THE ARROW* called for bids on the magazine but the Banta firm voluntarily agreed to reduce their price of contract, to give good service, etc., so she decided to remain with that firm another year and to give them a fair trial.

The October 1922 issue, however, did not appear until the latter part of the month although scheduled for the first week. This caused misunderstandings and inconvenience on the part of chapters and officers as that issue was of great importance since it contained new rulings of the Grand Council and other information which should have been in the hands of the fraternity early in October. This delay was in no way due to the *ARROW* staff as all proofs were read promptly and everything was done to get the magazine out on time. The only excuse offered by the Banta firm was that the printing was "unavoidably delayed."

A similar delay on the part of the firm in December threw the December issue into the Christmas rush and some members failed to receive their copies until late in January, others did not receive theirs at all.

Other things occurred which were not satisfactory from a business standpoint, so your editor made a thorough investigation of printing firms, visited seven printing establishments and called for bids from fourteen concerns scattered from Pennsylvania to Colorado.

After long and careful consideration and with the sanction of the Grand President, the contract for printing THE ARROW for the next two years has been let to the Express-Courier Company at Fort Collins, Colorado, the lowest bidders. This firm is equipped to give good service.

The contract with the Express-Courier as signed is binding and places the matter of service and satisfaction entirely in the hands of the ARROW Editor. There will also be a saving of approximately \$2,000 during the next two years upon the regular issue of four two hundred and twenty-four paged magazines as the result of this call for bids.

With THE ARROW claiming the right of way in the Express-Courier printing department is should appear on time in the future. The future contract is also based upon a definite sum for each issue. The change in publishers will mean additional responsibility and work for the editor but it is hoped it will also mean good service and a saving in money for the fraternity.

Recently the Banta firm requested a letter of recommendation concerning its service to ΠΒΦ. Your editor sent a letter stating that she was convinced the Banta firm was equipped to turn out splendid work and that they also had an excellent proof reading department. These facts are true but it was in the matter of service where the company first failed and thereby caused us to seek other bids.

The advertising end of THE ARROW is very weak as we have been running only the advertisements of our official jeweler.

An effort was made last year to develop the advertising but the editor soon discovered that this work should be handled by an advertising expert. Just at present a man experienced in this work is now going carefully into the ARROW situation and is outlining an advertising campaign. It is hoped that within the next few years THE ARROW will be deriving a good revenue from the advertising material which it is capable of carrying.

The ARROW Editor has read carefully all of the fraternity journals sent to her upon exchange and has tried to bring interesting ideas and material from them to ΠΒΦ. She has also made it a policy to return carefully all photographs loaned to her for use in our magazine.

The duties performed by THE ARROW EDITOR as a member of the Grand Council have included official visits to seven active chapters, unofficial visits to two others, visits to six alumnae clubs and she has spoken to two non-college groups concerning the Settlement School.

She also attended the Editor's Conference of National Panhellenic Congress at Indianapolis, Indiana in October 1921.

It has been the endeavor of the editor and business manager to present the news and information concerning our fraternity and matters of Panhellenic interest in such a fashion as to arouse and hold the interest of every member of $\Pi B \Phi$ and constantly to keep before them the ideals towards which we as Greeks and educated women are striving.

Respectfully submitted,

AGNES WRIGHT SPRING.

REPORT OF THE ALUMNAE EDITOR

To $\Pi B \Phi$ Fraternity, the Alumnae Editor submits the following report:

Upon the recommendation of the former Alumnae Editor, and the resultant convention ruling the alumnae club reports were published in the October ARROW instead of in the June issue. These were edited by the Alumnae Editor.

Likewise, alumnae personals, compiled by the Alumnae Editor from news sent by active chapters, alumnae clubs, individuals, and by the Cataloguer and Mailing Clerk, were not printed in the October ARROW, but were retained for the December, March and June numbers of the ARROW.

In addition to the compilation of alumnae personals, the Alumnae Editor has also conducted In Memoriam and Coming Events departments. Specific directions given in the Bulletin regarding death notices, make unnecessary any remarks concerning that here. Announcements in Coming Events are taken from club programs sent early each year.

Every $\Pi B \Phi$, whether active or alumna, is urged to be extremely particular about news sent in. Misspelled names are offensive to their owners. Incorrect marriage or birth dates, incorrect street addresses make for an undependable alumnae department in THE ARROW. Secretaries are urged to send all reports in typewritten form.

Because of most efficient work in the department in times past, the present Alumnae Editor was enabled to take up her work with everything systematically planned for her and has spent a delightful year becoming acquainted through postal service, with alumnae all over the country. She wishes to express her sincere appreciation of help so freely and kindly given by Nina Harris Allen, her predecessor, and Agnes Wright Spring, the ARROW Editor.

Respectfully submitted,

GERALDINE E. MARS.

REPORT OF ARROW MAILING CLERK

The Arrow Mailing Clerk submits the following report to the Grand Council:

The work of the ARROW Mailing Clerk has been of the kind necessary in such an office. The mailing list has been kept up to date together with the card catalogue, as nearly as possible. The blue slips have been clipped and sent on to the cataloguer and Alumnae Editor, cards have been made out for initiates and annual subscribers, money has been collected and sent to the Grand Treasurer, and an endless search has been made for the lost members. It is a lamentable fact that there are about 300 of these at present.

The Mailing Clerk wishes to thank those who have been so patient with the errors that occur. Every effort is made to give efficient service and if THE ARROW does not go to the proper address, or if two copies come even to different addresses you will be doing the fraternity a favor by notifying the Mailing Clerk.

The Mailing Clerk hopes that the next Convention may be welcomed in the East, and regrets exceedingly the impossibility of being present at Estes Park.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE CLUM TEMPLE.

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SETTLEMENT SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To Grand Council:

It is always difficult in a report to convey the spirit back of the facts and figures cited, but I cannot imagine it being so difficult in any report as it is in this one of the chairman of the Settlement School Committee, for the year just closing, 1922-1923. The report at Convention usually includes the work of the years since the previous Convention, but as the report of the chairman for 1921-1922 was published in detail in the Secret ARROW of October, 1922, I shall not repeat what can be found in that.

Our chairmen come and go, committee members come and go, and various members of the staff at Gatlinburg render their year or years of service and then go back to the fraternity at large and into the work, carrying the enthusiasm that any time spent on Little Pigeon instils into them. But the work goes on, animated by a force that is hard to name but one that is so vital that we all feel its power. It is much larger and greater than the Spirit of Pi Beta Phi that our pictures in the Settlement School program show as hovering over the Mountain Cabin, although she is a symbol of the spirit of Service and Enlightenment and Progress that is an element in this intangible force of which I speak.

No chairman can make any report without a very great feeling of debt to all the chairmen and committees and teachers who have gone

before her. We are, each one of us, links in the splendid chain, and no one of us could have done anything without the work of those who have preceded us. From the starting point of that memorable meeting of the Washington alumnae club, each year has seen something of very special note in the development of the work, something that marks a very real advance; not one year has seen a backward step taken. The very notable achievement of the past year has been the installation of the Vocational Agricultural Department. Each department has new matters of interest for us, as shown by the reports of the Head Resident and the Staff, but the organization of the agricultural work into a department, with a competent director came about this past year.

The staff has numbered nine: Evelyn Bishop, Head Resident; Phyllis Higinbotham, public health nurse; O. J. Mattil, director of the Vocational Agricultural Department; Helen K. Chew, principal of the school and teacher in the Junior High School; Marion Folsom, grade work; D. C. Denton, teacher in the Junior High School and director of athletics; Emily Burton, primary grades; Anna Dowell, sewing, and house mother in the Pollard Cottage for girls; Irene Linkous, weaving and household manager of Teachers' Cottage. In addition, Aunt Lizzie Reagan and her nephew, J. T. Reagan are regular assistants in the house and on the property of the School.

The finances of the School will be given in detail in report of the treasurer, but I want to state here that the forward step taken in the other parts of our work has been taken in our finances also. The treasurer reports that the contributions for this year show an increase over last year; and we all thought that last year, with Mrs. Rugg as our splendid chairman, was a record one. We have met the demands of our budget, with the exception of the sum included for a new industrial high school building. Plans for that building, to be erected in units as needed, are under consideration, and may be seen in the exhibition of School work. If there is any one outstanding disappointment in the chairman's mind it is that no large sums of money have been contributed by individual Pi Phis, as will be necessary, I believe, before this building can be completed. The current expenses increase so heavily from year to year with the necessary enlargement of the work that it is hard to see how we can finance so important and so large an expense as new buildings entail without individual gifts larger than those that come to us through club contributions. The chairman has this year taken this matter up with the vice-presidents and with individual Pi Phis, and has met with enthusiastic response and cooperation, but, so far, with no money returns. Many of our members are giving in large sums to other causes, all worthy and splendid, and it is earnestly hoped that some of them may be led to see this social and educational work of ours as equally worthy and splendid, and so, some year, make a large offering to it.

The money given by the various clubs can hardly be considered a

measure of their interest. Some clubs which may not show so large a total amount or so large a per capita contribution have been building up an intelligent knowledge and interest that is sure to bear fruit in succeeding years. The two clubs that send the largest amounts, the Cleveland alumnae club and the New York alumnae club, will continue their friendly rivalry, I hope, to the good of the School treasury. I should like to mention each individual club that has made its contribution and that has written me of its interest. Most of the clubs send their funds direct to their province vice-presidents, according to rule, without making any suggestions as to how the money shall be expended. It is the policy and the urgent request of the committee that this shall be done. It has the budget to meet. The Committee, however, decided at its last annual meeting to stress the need of a moving picture apparatus in its appeal for funds this year, and that appeal seemed to strike a responsive chord in the hearts of many clubs. Several wrote the chairman concerning it. The Indianapolis alumnae club, however, was the first club to make a definite offer. It has therefore the honor of furnishing the machine for the moving picture entertainments that are already delighting the School and the community on Little Pigeon. The Boston alumnae club, as a memorial to Jennie Allyn, whose interest in and work for the School and the fraternity are so well known to us all, sent a case of surgeon's instruments to the Jennie Nicol Memorial Health Center that Phyllis Higinbotham, the nurse, already reports has been most useful and appreciated by herself and the doctors. The Des Moines alumnae club wrote that whatever of its contribution was needed for the seating of the new auditorium should be used for that purpose, or for any other purpose more important. Miss Bishop reports that the Moving Picture entertainment crowds may necessitate securing the seating this summer. Other clubs have sent to Miss Bishop and Miss Higinbotham and Miss Chew many things of service, in addition to their regular money contributions, which I wish I could acknowledge by name in this report. But it is hoped that the clubs will appreciate the need of contributions being made without absolute conditions being imposed.

While no direct responsibility is fixed upon the active chapters for the support of the Settlement School, more and more chapters are contributing to it. Since three-fourths of their contributions go into the endowment fund, they can feel that they are doing much to insure the permanence of the School.

The members of the Committee have been busy in their particular fields, and their reports show much accomplished. The treasurer would find her work easier if all clubs would send their contributions to their respective province vice-presidents. Occasionally some confusion arises when this is not done.

The ways and means member, Mrs. Curtis, has assisted clubs with suggestions as to ways of raising money whenever desired. The success of the Cleveland club in securing funds for the School makes her

an authority on such matters. She has also had charge of routing the Settlement School slides. She reports that a small proportion of clubs avail themselves of this means of information and entertainment. All clubs that have reported on their use of the slides are most enthusiastic. It is hoped that clubs will write for dates very early this next year.

Mrs. Stark, the new member of the committee, was asked to make a survey of the industrial work done by schools similar to ours. She has gathered together valuable material that will be of great help in considering the development of this department.

The endowment member of the committee, who is also the chairman, has given a great deal of time and thought to her work, but with no financial returns. There is not a wide-spread feeling, as yet, in the fraternity that there should be an endowment; consequently the building up of an endowment organization has gone slowly. Material has been prepared and sent out to the vice-presidents to be used at their discretion. With the heavy current expenses, it was decided by the Committee not to make an open campaign for endowment.

Mrs. Rugg, the publicity member of the committee, has brought the School to the fraternity in the very interesting articles in *THE ARROW* that she has obtained from the members of the School staff or that she has written herself. Her supplementary leaflet to the Historical Sketch of the School has brought that history up to date. Several hundred of these sketches with the leaflets enclosed were sent out to the vice-presidents for distribution. She has also given help to all clubs and chapters desiring it in the preparation of Settlement School programs. A very comprehensive bibliography, compiled at her direction by Dorothy Cleaveland, based on an earlier one by Alice Mathews, is shortly to be printed. It will be of great service to all interested in understanding conditions in the southern highlands, and will also be of help in the making of Settlement School programs. She has also been instrumental in getting out books of kodak pictures of the School for the use of the province presidents in their chapter visits. Elizabeth Shepard Lough, of the New York alumnae club, assisted in this work.

The chairman has tried to perform the duties usual to her office. At the last committee meeting, it was voted to erect an industrial high school building as soon as practicable. Building conditions in the mountains as well as elsewhere have been very difficult. Plans have been made by Miss Alda Wilson, Iowa Γ, who, with her sister, Elmina Wilson, drew the plans for the very satisfactory Teachers' cottage, erected during the chairmanship of Mrs. Helmick. These plans, with such modifications as they will undergo to meet particular needs, provide for the erection of an auditorium first. It is hoped that some member of the fraternity will wish to furnish the funds for the building of this auditorium as a memorial to some one interested in our own Settlement School or in the cause of education for those with limited opportunities.

There have been many permanent improvements made this year in the property, notably the building of a cement water reservoir with a capacity of 10,000 gallons. Our fire hazard has been appreciably lessened thereby.

Among the many duties and pleasures that have come to me because of my office, none have been more appreciated than the visits to the Washington Alumnae club, the Connecticut Alumnae club, and the Philadelphia Alumnae club. I have been sorry that my work has made it impossible for me to accept invitations extended by other clubs farther away. The fraternity spirit and Settlement School interest I found in these clubs were very splendid.

All that I have so far reported seems to me purely preliminary to the matters of greatest interest to us all, the reports from the School itself.

I shall begin with the report from our newest department. In order to insure competent development of agricultural work in schools that were favorably situated for it, the Smith-Hughes Act of Congress provided for federal aid, to be given through state agencies for such work. As our School fully measured up to the requirements, we have received this year the federal-state aid. Mr. O. J. Mattil, a graduate of the University of Tennessee, a young man of experience in general community service as well as in the special vocational agricultural work contemplated was obtained. He has proved a great asset in the School and community life. A summary of his report follows:

Courses have been given in animal husbandry and horticulture adapted to local conditions. In addition to regular class room instruction, field trips, laboratory experiments, and shop work, each boy carried a special home project, of which he was required to make a special study. Some of these projects have been the raising of poultry flocks, pigs, hot beds, small fruits, 5 acres of corn, young orchards, potatoes, and gardens. In order to introduce pure bred stock, plans were devised whereby it could be furnished the boys without initial cost to them. Chain clubs were formed, members of which received pure bred stock, and returned to the School a per cent of the increase; these animals were then given to other boys, and so the chain was extended link by link.

The farm shop work course was given with the idea of teaching the boys the use of tools in the construction, upkeep, and repair of things around the farm. Wood work, rope, and iron work, tool sharpening, filing, and setting saws were all included in the course. A few of the articles made were mail boxes, tool boxes, tool racks, saw horses, book racks, supply shelves, stitching horse, lumber racks. Many articles were made for the use of the School, such as a warping reel for the weaving department, footstools, fruit ladders, pig troughs, fruit drying frames, and coops.

Work on the School farm was also done under the supervision of the agricultural director, such as fence building, setting out small

fruits, apple, peach, plum, and cherry trees; roads were graded; a flock of chickens was raised.

The outstanding community services rendered were: "Culled 5 poultry flocks, assisted in building 6 poultry houses, held 9 community meetings, held a community fair, judgment at Pitman Center Community Fair, started an endless chain pig club, assisted in pruning 788 fruit trees and in spraying 70 fruit trees, treated 175 chickens, 2 cows, and 2 pigs, made 36 project visits, 73 other visits, received 26 inquiries, and traveled by automobile 922 miles and 234 miles by horse, and made 21 visits to rural schools."

Mr. Mattil closes his report to the committee as follows:

"No wonderful things have been accomplished during the past year in Vocational Agriculture work, but I feel optimistic of the outlook. People are more and more taking hold of the work, and I believe with time it will gain a good foothold; at least some sound movements have been launched for a good foundation."

To those who have watched the work of the agricultural Director, it seems as if some wonderful things had been accomplished. The fact that the community has received the advice and practical help of the Director as the various farmers and their families have is in itself a wonderful thing.

The work of Phyllis Higinbotham at the Jennie Nicol Memorial Health Center and throughout the community continues to be of inestimable value. This past year has been an especially hard one; there has been an unusual amount of sickness both in the community and among the teachers.

There have been 269 cases treated during the year. The nurse has assisted in 13 operations, 5 of them at the hospital. She made 1,171 visits, and has traveled (in four months) 525 miles. She made 22 calls at night after eight o'clock. Note in the treasurer's report the amount of fees collected. It is not large as dollars go, but it represents the desire of the people to pay what they can for the services which they so highly appreciate.

"During two weeks in May, Dr. Lane from the State Board of Health was in Gatlinburg, giving treatment to those who had Hookworm disease when examined the previous August. Dr. Ogle, a Knoxville dentist, came over for some work. He examined the children of our School, and did some extracting free of charge. He said that with a few exceptions, the children's teeth were remarkably sound, a condition due, probably, to the plain diet. We borrowed a barber's chair, the only one in the village, and a recent addition at that, and it served the purpose well. Dr. Smith, of the Government Trachoma Hospital, spent two days going through six schools in the district. He found a number of cases of trachoma. Thirteen—boys, girls, and one woman, were taken to the Government Hospital for treatment. Dr. Potter, a surgeon from Knoxville, was at the School in October, and performed two tonsil operations.

In addition to an intensely interesting itemized statement from Miss Higinbotham, from which the foregoing extracts have been taken, she writes as follows:

"The hospital has been used more and more this last year. The increasing demand for medicines has necessitated our keeping a miniature drug store and a card index of the treatment the people are getting, in order to renew the medicine without bothering the doctors every time. Then the doctors are sending or calling frequently for supplies and instruments when away from home and in need of something unexpected. During the year, we have had to supply the sterile dressings for the operations performed. Thanks to the clubs and individual members, the hospital has been pretty well equipped. The Boston club sent, as a memorial to Jennie Allyn, one of the army kits of instruments, which is wonderfully equipped for general surgery. Dr. Chandler, through Mrs. Chandler, sent several sterilizers and a number of instruments. The Ontario club has supplied the operating room with gowns, caps, dressing gowns, breast binders, old linen. It has also given the laboratory equipment, a microscope complete, with all attachments. The Des Moines club has given an army dental chair and equipment that is most acceptable.

"There have been cases that the doctors would have liked to bring to the hospital this year that we could not receive, as we could not care for them. The different members of the staff have helped whenever a patient was there, having to relieve me for meals, calls, and trips, and to help with the dressings. But while they are always glad to help, they have their own duties and cannot always give the time needed at the hospital when patients are there. At present we are considering the plan of engaging a practical woman to help with the work at the hospital and the care of any patients that are taken in. We hope also to train her so that she can act as a practical nurse in the homes, where so often just such a person is needed.

Miss Evelyn Bishop, the head resident, incorporates in her report of the whole work that of Miss Helen Chew, the principal of the school.

"The three kinds of industrial work this year have been the weaving, sewing, and basketry. Irene Linkous, who has given us a most successful year of work, has been in charge of the weaving. Nearly all of the girls in School were taking it for the first time; consequently not much work was done for sale. Each girl wove a dress, and nearly every one made it up herself. The best result of the work done in School is that after the girls leave, they have looms in their own homes, and are able to weave for themselves and also to make things for sale, and thus get a little money for themselves and their babies. Miss Linkous has also had the care of the Teachers' Cottage, with Aunt Lizzie Reagan to help her.

"The sewing has been in charge of Mrs. Anna Dowell. The class has completed a full year of sewing, it having been thought ad-

visible to continue the sewing during the second term rather than to take up cooking. The girls learned different stitches, darning, patching, mending; they made plain clothes; and in the spring, all made attractive gingham dresses. The work was systematic, practical, and thorough, and the girls were very much interested. Mrs. Dowell was also in charge of the six girls who lived in the Mary Pollard Cottage. The girls there did the house work under Mrs. Dowell's supervision.

"D. C. Denton, who taught mathematics and history in the Junior High School, also had charge of athletics. He and Mr. Mattil organized a basket ball team, and accompanied the team on their several trips for games with neighboring schools. Although this was the first year these boys have played they have made an excellent showing; and they thoroughly appreciated the new suits purchased for them.

Marion Folsom, who taught the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades completed her very successful first year at the School. She was ready at all times to assist in school undertakings, and won the confidence and liking of the community.

Emily Burton continued her very satisfactory work with the primary grades. She now ranks as the teacher who has been longest with us. The community and the children all feel that "Miss Emily" has become a very real part of their lives.

Helen Chew has been a most efficient principal. She has taught in the Junior High School classes, and has had general oversight of the school. Her work in organizing the School curriculum, drawing up plans for the future development, and in cooperating in all community activities has made her a most valuable member of the staff.

"During the year the total enrollment has been 131 pupils. Even with an unusual amount of sickness this year, the attendance has kept up remarkably. Some of the county schools had to close because of the flu epidemic. Each year the teachers are more strict in regard to examinations, and so some of the boys and girls who had had to drop out for a while on account of sickness or to help on the farms returned for the final examinations.

"Noon lunches were planned and prepared by Miss Linkous, and were served during the winter term to the children of the primary grades. The girls in the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades set the tables, washed the dishes, and assisted in every way they could.

The dormitory problem is still one of our most difficult ones. The need for dormitories for both boys and girls is so great that in the opinion of the staff it takes precedence over other building needs. This past year, first four, and then six girls were housed in the Mary Pollard Cottage, with Mrs. Dowell as house mother. Miss Chew wrote in one of her reports to the chairman that the girls living with Mrs. Dowell were the only ones in the School who were getting a home atmosphere and an informational background of any sort, such as constitute so large a part of the education of all of us. The mothers are

many of them anxious to have their girls come to live under such supervision.

During the autumn term, the boys, under the supervision of Mr. Denton, lived at the Whaley Hotel and home. After Christmas they went to live in a very desirable little cottage recently purchased by Miss Bishop and Miss Higinbotham. A sister of Aunt Lizzie, Mrs. Ownby, kept house for them. This was the happiest solution of the living problem for the boys that we have yet found.

The Stuart Cottage, in which Jim Reagan, the superintendent of the work on the place, has been living, will soon be free for dormitory use, as Jim is building a cottage for himself on land adjoining the School property.

The expected consolidation of two or three schools with the Pi Beta Phi School did not take place, one of the principal reasons being the impossibility of transportation. Roads have been in process of construction during so much of the year that the children could not have come from some of the localities. Then, too, a local pride has made some of the communities wish to retain their own little school, inefficient as it may be.

The influence of the Settlement School and the teachers, however, is not dependent upon the boys and girls coming down to Gatlinburg. It may never be wise or possible to effect any large degree of consolidation in so mountainous a country as ours. Our teachers can go to them. The people of the Sugarlands, a district about seven miles from Gatlinburg, have urged Miss Chew to come up there and teach their school this summer, and she has promised to do it. She gives her services to this splendid work. When we are able to build the proposed school building it may be that the consolidation of the upper grades can be brought about, and the grades for the little ones taught in their own schools, under supervision. The supervision undertaken this last year, to which the committee voted financial cooperation, has proved a success. This work of Miss Chew this summer then, is not only a very fine service, but is an experiment that may lead the Committee to feel that the sending out of $\Pi\Phi$ teachers to isolated communities is a step to be taken as soon as funds can be obtained for it.

It is hard for me not to give you the reports with every bit of their detail. It is a very live place, the $\Pi\Phi$ Settlement School at Gatlinburg. Three of the staff, the head resident, the nurse, and the agricultural director, are in residence the whole year. They carry on their work in the School, the immediate community, and in far outlying districts, and also represent us at meetings of school and health associations in Nashville and Knoxville. There are no union hours to their days; daylight saving or standard time has no special significance for them. Note the miles they have traveled, the visits made at night, the hundred and one things they have done. What have we done: Given a few dollars? Let us give until our dollars measure up a little more satisfactorily to their efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE B. MILLER

SETTLEMENT SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING

Following is the report of the second annual meeting of the Settlement School Committee held at Gatlinburg, June 6-13, 1923. As stated in *THE ARROW* for October 1922, Grand Council voted to empower the committee to administer the Settlement School funds and authorized the Committee to engage the School staff and to develop the property. This year the Committee accordingly took the following action:

Land—The title to the seven acres known as the "Sims land" was reported clear. The remainder of the Ogle mortgage on the Andy Ogle land was paid, thus clearing the title. The titles to all the property are now clear.

Buildings—Extensive repairs and improvements on the Mary Polard and Stuart Cottages were authorized.

It was decided to have an electrician from the East Tennessee Electric Company inspect all lines and wiring.

Two fire extinguishers are to be installed in each building and adequate hose for fire protection purchased. Hereafter in constructing of buildings as nearly fireproof roofing as possible will be used.

Department of Public Health—It was announced that state aid will be furnished this department under the provisions of the Shepard-Towner Act upon application and such application was authorized. It was decided that we become active in establishing a regular semi-annual dental clinic to be conducted by a competent dentist. Miss Higinbotham was given the title of Head Nurse. The Head Resident with the approval of the Head Nurse, was empowered to engage an assistant to the Head Nurse. Miss Nesbit, the State Supervisor of Public Health nurses spent Sunday with us and in informal consultation gave us much valuable advice concerning public health work.

School—As soon as it is deemed advisable we are to have nine months school for the seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth grades. The Head Resident has been instructed to secure, if possible, state aid from the Smith-Hughes Department of Home Economics. Five scholarships are to be available for the year 1923-24, this number to be increased if necessity demands.

The entire teaching staff was reelected for the school year 1923-24 and the Head Resident was empowered to make necessary changes in the event of State aid being secured for home economics. One afternoon, the Committee made a trip of inspection to the Sugarlands and Bracken schoolhouses. The summer term at Sugarlands will be taught by a number of our staff at the request of the people.

The Head Resident has been requested to start a card catalogue containing full information of all students ever connected with our school.

Agricultural Department—Mr. Mattil, the Smith-Hughes Agriculturist has proved most efficient in organizing his new department. This year the chief improvement in this department will be the erec-

tion of a barn adequate for the housing of our livestock.

Financial—Under the direction of the Treasurer the budget for the year 1923-24 was prepared and later accepted.

It was decided to place the interest from the Endowment Fund for the year 1923-24 in the Endowment Fund. The Committee favors a continuance of this policy for the next five years.

Publicity—It was decided to issue new pamphlets giving information about the Settlement School. The publication of an illustrated leaflet containing prices and information concerning the Fireside Industries was authorized. It was decided that the Principal be responsible for the sending of a weekly letter concerning school interests to Montgomery's Vindicator.

Previous to adjournment the Committee moved to send a vote of thanks to Kate Miller for her work on the Committee and express regret for her resignation.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH POMEROY RUGG

Chairman of Settlement School Committee

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SETTLEMENT SCHOOL

TO THE GRAND COUNCIL OF PI BETA PHI FRATERNITY:

Pursuant to engagement we have audited the books and records of Miss M. B. Stuart, Treasurer of the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School for the year ended April 30, 1923 and we present herewith our report.

All cash receipts were deposited to the credit of the School in the First National Bank of Lincoln.

Cancelled bank vouchers, orders and invoices were presented as authentication for disbursements. In our opinion all disbursements were correct and proper.

The account with the First National Bank of Lincoln was reconciled and the balance on hand as shown in Exhibit A was correct.

The investments were examined on June 19, 1923 and the details of same are presented in Exhibit B.

Extensive test checks were made of the clerical accuracy of the books and same was found to be satisfactory.

The following exhibits and schedules comprise the report:

Exhibit A Receipts and Disbursements.

Schedule A-1 Itemized Statement of Permanent Improvements.

Schedule A-2 Active Chapter's Donations.

Schedule A-3 Alumnae Donations.

Exhibit B Investments.

Respectively submitted,

MARTIN, COLE & BUCKLEY

By Lester M. Buckley, C. P. A.

Lincoln, Nebraska, June 19, 1923.

Exhibit A

PI BETA PHI SETTLEMENT SCHOOL

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For the Year Ending April 30, 1923.

Receipts

Cash on hand May 1, 1922 -----		11,884.69
Active Chapters -----	1,899.34	
Alumnae Clubs -----	18,070.96	
Nurses' Fees -----	254.10	
Individual Gifts:		
Magazine Agency ----- \$	520.50	
Grand Treasurer -----	500.00	
Miscellaneous -----	4.94	
	<u>1,025.44</u>	
Industrial Sales -----	3,443.01	
Interest -----	523.74	
Lighting Revenue -----	183.25	
Living -----	113.83	
Miscellaneous:		
Scholarships -----	241.00	
Tuition -----	63.88	
Miscellaneous -----	128.97	
	<u>433.85</u>	
Pi Beta Phi Individual Gifts -----	176.25	
Rent -----	25.00	
School Endowment -----	100.00	
Sevier County School Board -----	875.00	
Smith-Hughes -----	1,125.00	
School Entertainment -----	30.95	
		<u>28,279.72</u>
		\$ 40,164.41

Disbursements

Basket Sales Not Collected -----	409.03
Bills Payable -----	2,000.00
Evelyn Bishop -----	12.60
Bonds -----	1,275.67
Dormitory -----	320.18
Endless Chain Pig Club -----	225.45
Fuel -----	488.63
Equipment and Fixtures -----	146.82
Hospital Fund -----	14.50
Hospital and Nurse Expense -----	874.30
Industrial:	
Baskets -----	3,253.24
Supplies -----	137.20
	<u>3,390.44</u>
Interest -----	220.00
Labor -----	200.85
Living -----	1,462.61
Lighting -----	360.35

Miscellaneous:		
Scholarship -----	113.15	
Publicity -----	44.71	
Insurance -----	592.20	
Sundries -----	927.55	
		<u>1,677.61</u>
Office -----	411.96	
Rent -----	30.00	
Repair and Upkeep -----	331.44	
School Expense -----	245.34	
Smith-Hughes -----	2,381.88	
Salaries -----	6,664.00	
Supplies -----	118.73	
School Entertainment -----	60.41	
Travel -----	643.77	
Permanent Improvements -----	2,064.38	
		<u>26,030.95</u>
Cash on Hand April 30, 1923 -----		14,133.46
		<u>\$ 40,164.41</u>

Respectfully submitted,

MELINDA B. STUART

This is to certify that I have examined the books and accounts of Miss M. B. Stuart, Treasurer of the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School for the year ended April 30, 1923 and that the above statement of Receipted Disbursements is correct and in accordance with the books and I further certify that at the date of audit June 19, 1923 the Treasurer held investments in the amount of \$8,951.17 (Exhibit B).

LESTER M. BUCKLEY,
Certified Public Accountant

Lincoln, Nebraska, June 19, 1923.

Schedule A-1

AN ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF THE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS AS SHOWN IN THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT.

Electric Light Plant -----	\$ 41.76
Fences -----	290.00
Mary Pollard Cottage -----	315.84
Log Cabin -----	12.04
School House -----	548.15
Stuart Cottage -----	302.97
Teachers' Cottage -----	19.75
Water System -----	533.87
	<u>\$ 2,064.38</u>

Schedule A-2

ACTIVE CHAPTERS DONATIONS

ALPHA PROVINCE

Ontario Alpha -----	\$ 20.00
Maine Alpha -----	10.00
Vermont Alpha -----	100.00
Vermont Beta -----	24.00
New York Alpha -----	100.00
New York Gamma -----	32.00

\$ 286.00

BETA PROVINCE

Pennsylvania Alpha -----	100.00
Pennsylvania Beta -----	40.00
Pennsylvania Gamma -----	95.00
Ohio Alpha -----	82.00
Ohio Beta -----	100.00
West Virginia Alpha -----	64.00

481.00

GAMMA PROVINCE

Maryland Alpha -----	100.00
Columbia Alpha -----	100.00
Virginia Beta -----	15.00

215.00

DELTA PROVINCE

Michigan Alpha -----	20.00
Indiana Alpha -----	5.00
Indiana Gamma -----	20.00
Indiana Delta -----	60.00

105.00

EPSILON PROVINCE

Illinois Zeta -----	23.00
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23.00

ZETA PROVINCE

Iowa Gamma -----	12.00
Iowa Zeta -----	50.00
Missouri Alpha -----	50.00
Missouri Beta -----	50.00

162.00

ETA PROVINCE

Nebraska Beta -----	124.00
Kansas Alpha -----	20.00
Kansas Beta -----	67.95
Wyoming Alpha -----	20.00
Colorado Alpha -----	69.60
Colorado Beta -----	30.00

331.55

THETA PROVINCE

Oklahoma Alpha	-----	14.50
Oklahoma Beta	-----	40.00
Arkansas Alpha	-----	10.00
Texas Beta	-----	25.00
Louisiana Alpha	-----	25.00

114.50

IOTA AND KAPPA PROVINCES

Washington Alpha	-----	35.00
Arizona Alpha	-----	89.29
Nevada Alpha	-----	57.00

181.29

Total ----- \$ 1,899.34

RECAPITULATION

Alpha	-----	286.00
Beta	-----	481.00
Gamma	-----	215.00
Delta	-----	105.00
Epsilon	-----	23.00
Zeta	-----	162.00
Eta	-----	331.55
Theta	-----	114.50
Iota and Kappa	-----	181.29

\$ 1,899.34

Schedule A-3

ALUMNAE DONATIONS

ALPHA

Boston, Mass.	-----	\$ 510.27
Buffalo, N. Y.	-----	90.00
Burlington, Vt.	-----	10.00
Connecticut	-----	169.00
New York, N. Y.	-----	2,123.10
Northern New York	-----	35.00
Rochester, N. Y.	-----	169.00
Syracuse, N. Y.	-----	150.00
Toronto, Canada	-----	48.00
Western Massachusetts	-----	70.00

\$ 3,374.37

BETA

Akron, Ohio	-----	150.00
Athens, Ohio	-----	139.00
Central Pennsylvania	-----	12.18
Cleveland, Ohio	-----	2,102.50
Columbus, Ohio	-----	170.03
Lancaster, Pa.	-----	232.60
Miami Valley	-----	75.00
Morgantown, W. Va.	-----	20.50

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Northeastern Pennsylvania -----	22.50
Philadelphia, Pa. -----	1,009.57
Pittsburgh, Pa. -----	70.00
Toledo, Ohio -----	200.00
Cincinnati, Ohio -----	10.00

\$ 4,213.88

GAMMA AND DELTA

Atlanta, Ga. -----	77.86
Baltimore, Md. -----	100.00
Richmond, Va. -----	250.00
North Carolina -----	15.50
Washington, D. C. -----	1,268.00
Ann Arbor, Mich. -----	45.50
Bloomington, Ind. -----	xx.xx
Detroit, Mich. -----	318.20
Franklin, Ind. -----	100.00
Hillsdale, Mich. -----	33.50
Indianapolis, Ind. -----	304.72
Lafayette, Ind. -----	23.00
Southwestern Indiana -----	20.00

\$ 2,556.28

EPSILON

Beloit, Wis. -----	20.00
Carthage, Ill. -----	75.00
Central Illinois -----	100.00
Chicago, Ill. -----	250.00
Decatur, Ill. -----	150.00
Fox River Valley Alumnae -----	25.00
Galesburg, Ill. -----	306.25
Monmouth, Ill. (Hospital) -----	37.00
Madison, Wis. -----	100.00
Milwaukee, Wis. -----	110.00
Minneapolis and St. Paul -----	200.00
Peoria, Ill. -----	100.00
Springfield, Ill. -----	30.00

\$ 1,503.25

ZETA

Ames, Iowa -----	130.00
Burlington, Ia. -----	38.00
Cedar Rapids, Iowa -----	30.00
Des Moines, Iowa -----	263.32
Indianola, Iowa -----	225.00
Iowa City, Iowa -----	14.00
Kansas City, Mo. -----	485.00
Mt. Pleasant, Iowa -----	115.00
St. Louis, Mo. -----	1,000.00
St. Joseph, Mo. -----	25.00
Sioux City, Iowa -----	50.00
Springfield, Mo. -----	50.00
Waterloo, Iowa -----	xx.xx
Columbia, Mo. -----	18.00

\$ 2,443.32

ETA

Boulder, Colo. -----	75.00
Casper, Wyo. -----	50.00
Cheyenne, Wyo. -----	16.00
Denver, Colo. -----	198.35
Lawrence, Kans. -----	50.00
Lincoln, Nebr. -----	505.24
Manhattan, Kans. -----	67.95
Omaha and Council Bluffs -----	100.00
Pueblo, Colo. -----	21.00
Sheridan, Wyo. -----	16.00
Topeka, Kans. -----	10.00
Wichita, Kans. -----	210.00
Laramie, Wyo. -----	77.40

\$ 1,396.94

THETA

Ardmore, Okla. -----	x.xx
Austin, Tex. -----	280.32
Dallas, Tex. -----	150.00
Fayetteville and Ft. Smith -----	57.00
Houston, Tex. -----	100.00
Little Rock, Ark. -----	25.00
New Orleans, La. -----	150.00
Norman, Okla. -----	x.xx
Oklahoma City, Okla. -----	100.00
Stillwater, Okla. -----	x.xx
Tulsa, Okla. -----	32.00

894.32

IOTA AND KAPPA

Bozeman, Mont. -----	x.xx
Eastern Montana -----	x.xx
Eugene, Ore. -----	50.00
Portland, Ore. -----	375.00
Puget Sound Alumnae -----	350.10
Spokane, Wash. -----	52.00
Tacoma, Wash. -----	100.00
Northern California -----	76.50
Los Angeles, Calif. -----	567.71
Nevada -----	25.00
Tucson, Ariz. -----	54.29
Yakima, Wash. -----	38.00

1,688.60

Total -----

\$ 18,070.96

RECAPITULATION

Alpha -----	\$ 3,374.37
Beta -----	4,213.88
Gamma and Delta -----	2,556.28
Epsilon -----	1,503.25
Zeta -----	2,443.32
Eta -----	1,396.94

Theta -----	894.32
Iota and Kappa -----	1,688.60
	\$ 18,070.96

. PI BETA PHI SETTLEMENT SCHOOL INVESTMENTS

Exhibit B

The Country Club of Lincoln Nebraska	
First Mortgage 6% Gold Bond No. 34 Dated Oct. 1, 1922 Due Oct. 1, 1947 Interest Annually -----	\$ 500.00
Henry & Katie Zimmerman to First Trust Co. Lincoln, Nebraska First Mortgage Bond No. 8343—Two Dated 9/14/22 Due 10/1/27 Interest Annually -----	500.00
A. W. & Alvina Schlecht to First Trust Co. Lincoln, Nebraska. First Mortgage Bond No. 8168—1 Dated 3/1/22 Due 3/1/27 Interest March and Sept. 1 5½% -----	500.00
Geo. O. W. and Mary E. B. Farnham to First Trust Co. Lincoln, Nebraska First Mortgage Bonds Nos. 146--147-148 \$100 Each. Dated 4/1/23 Due 4/1/33 Interest April 1 and Oct. 1 5½% -----	300.00
Clement G. and Eva M. Baker to Stewart Investment Co. First Mortgage Bond No. H 234 Dated 11/7/21 Due 11/1/26 Interest May 1 and Nov. 1 5½% -----	900.00
Liberty Bonds:	
First Liberty Loan Converted—Coupon A00096051 ---	50.00
Second Liberty Loan Converted—Coupon E02395570 --	100.00
Second Liberty Loan Converted—Coupon D02395569--	100.00
Third Liberty Loan Converted—Coupon 1453918 ---	1,000.00
Fourth Liberty Loan Converted—Coupon A02225041 ---	100.00
Treasury Savings Certificate Q1452208, Due in 5 years from 2/1/23 Cost -----	520.50
Certificate of Deposit—No. 6025 Madison National Bank, Madison, Nebr., Dated 1/11/23—5% Due in 6 Mo. from Date -----	4,880.67
	\$8,951.17

REPORT OF THE CATALOGUER

To Π Β Φ Fraternity, the Cataloguer submits the following report:

In accordance with the recommendation of the former Cataloguer, at Convention in 1921, a fire-resisting file case was to be purchased for the chapter set of cards. In order to meet our future needs the new file case should carry a card larger and of different shape than those now in use, which would mean the making of 15,000 new cards.

Since there had been no printed list of initiates, marriages or new addresses since 1917, a new Directory was also considered a necessity.

After an inspection of the records, it was believed impossible to accomplish both of these tasks in the two year interim of Conventions, and since the need for a new Directory seemed most imperative, all time has been devoted to that.

The publishing of a Directory should be a comparatively simple

task, since each chapter and alumnae club is required to send to the Cataloguer once a year, a complete list of its members. This should mean that the Cataloguer has merely to gather together all material, locate all members of deceased chapters, the lost members of active chapters, prepare the copy and make all arrangements for publishing.

In compiling this Directory many of the lists mentioned above were never received, while others contained addresses older than those printed in the 1917 Directory. Several from chapters having more than 300 members were written in such illegible long hand they were almost undecipherable. Others gave all maiden names, making no mention of marriage, although giving the correct address since marriage. Others gave only married names, and if these marriages had not been reported, as was often the case, the Cataloguer was forced to write either the chapter or individual for additional information, which would be unnecessary if the lists were correctly made up. Then worst of all were the lists typed by in-experienced typists who fairly mangled most of the names.

Curious to know why there was such confusion in regard to records, the Cataloguer inspected the record books of several chapters and found that there was no uniformity in the manner of keeping records. Many of the older chapters use day ledgers in which they add the names under each initiation date, so if you do not know the date of initiation of the person for whom you are searching it is almost impossible to find her without thumbing through some possible two or three hundred names, as the cross reference in the back of the book seems to have been completely over-looked. Some keep the records under class heading, keeping maiden names, although they may have married one, two or three times. Others keep their records alphabetically under the maiden name, regardless of the married name, which means a great waste of time in checking since the Catalogue records give preference to the married name.

Because of the great amount of time wasted in working with material reported in the wrong form, the Cataloguer wishes to recommend the pressing need of a uniform method of card-index records throughout the chapters, this work to be taken care of by the chapter vice-presidents, one of the requirements of holding this office being the ability to operate a typewriter with some degree of skill. If, once a year, each chapter will attempt to locate all its members through the return post-card method, the list of lost Pi Phis will doubtless be greatly reduced. This need not be an over-whelming task for sixty-five chapter vice-presidents, whereas it would be for one Cataloguer.

The records of $\Pi B \Phi$ are far too precious to be neglected in any way, but this must of necessity follow, since we are increasing in number at the rate of 900 a year, unless the Cataloguer receives efficient cooperation from each chapter and alumnae club. Such cooperation is impossible until a uniform system of records is in operation. The chapter or club should not be our only source of information, but

the individuals themselves, may do much to help in keeping their records up to date. It is not surprising that marriages or changes of address are not reported if the individuals themselves are not sufficiently interested to do so.

The Cataloguer wishes to thank those interested alumnae whose earnest cooperation has helped to locate many lost members, also the club officers, whose prompt replies almost over-shadow those from whom she has had no reply. The cooperation of the chapters on the whole has been very good, and the Cataloguer wishes to state that expressions of chapter records in this report are not in criticism of the chapters or chapter officers, but rather to bring to the attention of this Convention the fact that the present size of the national catalogue demands the keenest cooperation from the chapters, which is impossible with their present system of records, many of which were inaugurated with the chapters founding many years ago.

The Directory, which will soon be off the press, is presented with regret that it is not a more perfect volume. Two years is all too short a time in which to locate more than 13,000 people, prepare material and publish a Directory. This will doubtless explain some of the errors bound to occur in a book of this kind when there are ever-recurring unreported marriages, and the inevitable "moving day."

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN FREUND

REPORT OF THE HISTORIAN

The Historian submits the following report:

The duties of this office have included keeping the historical records and archives up to date. Some help has been given the cataloguer including charter dates of the older chapters and some now extinct. The search for these led to some corrections in the records.

Every effort has been made to keep in close touch with the various phases of fraternity work and to offer assistance whenever and wherever possible.

The duties of the office have not been arduous and I feel that my predecessor was correct when she suggested to last convention that "the duties of Historian and Cataloguer could be performed by the same person with profit to the fraternity and a saving of time and labor."

Respectfully submitted,

SARA EIKENBERRY SIGLER

REPORT OF THE NATIONAL PANHELLENIC DELEGATE

Since the last Convention, Panhellenic conditions on the whole have steadily improved. Barring certain cases of lifting and several serious infractions of rushing rules, there have been few difficulties reported to the National Panhellenic officer from our chapters.

A better understanding seems to be slowly arising among the in-

terfraternity groups, and a greater desire to be of service to the college or university as a whole has drawn all fraternities closer together than ever before.

Several of our groups have too many petty rushing rules, and money penalties still exist in certain Panhellenics for infraction of rushing rules, but these are being almost entirely abolished due to public sentiment.

In the fall of 1921 your Panhellenic delegate attended together with Mrs. Spring and Mrs. Rugg the National Panhellenic conference in Indianapolis, at which conference the legislation was passed abolishing the rule which forbade the pledging of High School fraternities to any of the National Panhellenic Congress fraternities. This has materially lessened the office work of the National Panhellenic Congress officer of Π Β Φ.

The two years have been singularly free from unpleasant difficulties with other fraternities, and I am glad to report unusual promptness on the part of chapters in filing Panhellenic reports and in furnishing copies of rushing rules of the local Panhellenics.

I have been somewhat troubled by an evident desire still on the part of certain fraternity groups to insist on minority rule. Preferential bidding and sophomore pledging may be excellent, but if a majority vote is against this, I strongly advise the chapters concerned to conduct an educational campaign rather than to insist on any particular method, which seems best to them.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the chapters for their cordial cooperation, and to assure them of my continued interest in their welfare and success.

Respectfully submitted,

MAY L. KELLER

REPORT OF ALPHA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Alpha Province President submits the following report to Grand Council of Π Β Φ:

Since last Convention the chapters of Alpha Province have been visited twice, the trips this year being due to the courtesy of Mrs. Nickerson and Miss Weaver, to whom I am exceedingly grateful and indebted. It was indeed a cause of genuine regret to me, although merely from a personal point of view, that I was unable to make my second visit to the chapters in order that I might compare for my own pleasure and satisfaction conditions of this year with those of last. From the chapters' point of view, however, I owe a very real debt of gratitude to both Mrs. Nickerson and Miss Weaver for the inspiration and assistance which I know the girls received from their visits.

The general trend throughout the province is one of progress and unification although there is still a great deal of scope for improvement in the spirit of nationalism and inter-chapter interest. The New York and Vermont chapters, however, have pursued the policy again this year of visiting back and forth for special functions, which custom has undoubtedly a broadening influence on the chapters concerned. It is but just to note that the other chapters are much too remote to follow this practice. For this reason

necessity demands even greater effort from them toward an appreciation of Pi Beta Phi's nationalism, breadth of vision, diversity of membership and elasticity of policy.

It is gratifying to note the close spirit of fellowship between some of the chapters and their alumnae. I believe there is a decided effort in this direction in most of the groups where an alumnae club is close at hand. When both alumnae and active chapter appreciate the benefit to be derived by meeting each other fully half way with a genuine altruistic desire for the fraternity development, then only do the alumnae realize the satisfaction of a definite living interest as found in the life of the chapter and the chapter members have the tremendous advantage of the graduates' experience, advice and support, which are always so willingly given. We find an excellent example of this scheme of working together in Vermont B, where the combined forces of actives and alumnae have raised considerable funds toward a chapter house by means of teas, bazaars and other similar methods.

Chapter houses are still three in number, while two of the remaining groups rent apartments. This, however, is an expensive method, owing to the fact that the lease usually extends beyond the actual time required and the girls have this heavy additional expense to shoulder. Yet for these two chapters a house would be difficult to finance, located, as they are, in large cities where rents are exorbitant and such a large percentage of the members commute, rather than "live in." The other chapters hold their meetings in their own chapter rooms.

Preferential bidding has gained in popularity in Alpha Province. Five of our eight chapters are now bidding under this system with excellent results. Vermont A made the best showing this year, having issued eleven invitations and won them all. I would strongly advise one or two of the chapters to exercise more discretion in the matter of bidding. It is distressing to note that one group lost almost fifty per cent of the invitees, while others had to release pledges who failed to make the required grade. More careful consideration, more thoughtful voting and greater reliance on and confidence in the advisory committee would go a long way toward eliminating the many disappointments and indignity of failures.

Throughout the province, $\Pi B \Phi$ is generally well represented in college honors, both social and academic. Although the returns of the latter are not complete, there are already several elections to $\Phi K \Phi$, $\Phi B K$ and Mortar Board. Several of the more important presidencies and vice-presidencies of the various college organizations are held creditably by Pi Phis, as well as editorships, etc., of local college papers. It is an unfortunate tendency of many chapters to over-emphasize the number of offices held rather than the manner of holding them. It has been my constant endeavor to indicate this erroneous conception. While $\Pi B \Phi$ encourages us to assume responsibility, it is not for the honor accruing to the fraternity thereby but rather that we may bring into our college organizations some of that leadership, enthusiasm, good fellowship and worthy ideals with which we ourselves as members of $\Pi B \Phi$ are endowed.

It is also a fact somewhat to be deplored that in one or two of the chapters there is lack of cooperation with the advisory committees. In these cases the tendency is to act, then consult. Mistakes in this way occur which the maturer judgment and greater experience of the graduates would have foreseen. It is refreshing indeed to enter the chapters, which are open to conviction, keen for criticism and who realize the unreliability of one's judgment during the hectic weeks of rushing. As a general rule I have found the advisory committees sympathetic, liberal in viewpoint, endeavoring to understand fully the chapter's attitude and in no way encroaching

beyond the mere capacity of an advisory body. When such is the case, it is more than regrettable if the chapters do not seize their opportunity to benefit by such unselfish interest and assistance. This, however, be it said to the credit of the girls, is oftener the exception than the rule.

My knowledge of existing conditions during the current year is not as intimate as I would wish it to be but by the many interesting and friendly letters, which I have received from the girls, I have kept in as close touch with their chapter life as it was possible for me under existing circumstances. The letters have been frank and friendly, portraying sound worthy ideals for fraternity development. Each chapter is working out its own system for improving scholarship and while Alpha Province varied last year all the way from New York Gamma's place at the head of the list, coveted winners of the Balfour Cup, right on down to the foot of the line, this year promises a more uniform, more hopeful scholastic standing. Even Ontario A, which it has never been possible to compare with her sister chapters owing to different methods of grading, has been graded locally at least, showing her to stand second among the fraternities at the University of Toronto with a lead of 7 percent over the fraternity in third place. While all of the chapters have made some improvement, perhaps the greatest is that of New York A. The girls have put forth their best efforts and the chapter has certainly advanced remarkably.

As my work of Alpha Province draws to a close, it is with a keen feeling of regret clouding the happiness of bright memories and delightful friendships. We have occasionally had problems of a serious and troublesome nature; but they have merely served to draw us closer and to bring home the realization that fraternity life means the setting aside of all that is small and unworthy for that which is generous and worth while. I have found the girls courteous, gracious and delightfully friendly; and Grand Council possessing inexhaustible patience and consideration for my many short comings and even failures. My gratitude for this and my pleasure in being privileged to hold this important office are inexpressible. May I conclude my association in this capacity with the invocation that Alpha Province may carry her ideals on and on to truer realization and that we Pi Phis may all endeavor individually and collectively to acquire greater understanding of the opportunities and privileges which this, our wonderful organization, affords us.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE STARR MCCORMICK.

REPORT OF BETA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Beta Province President submits the following report to II B Φ:

The past two years of association with the active girls in Beta Province has been a time of great pleasure and delight. Through correspondence and visiting we have come to know each other well. There has been during the period a three-fold aim in the work; first, the need for chapter progress of a real association of the alumnae advisory board and the active group, the cultivation of an interdependence that will help in solving questions and developing such cooperation that the active girls will be willing to accept help and the alumnae willing to give help, second, the need of high scholarships and third, the necessity of trying to realize the national spirit and organization of our fraternity.

The alumnae boards have had some difficulty in dealing with the chapters and in functioning as they should, due either to a misunderstanding or ignorance of their authority and duty. I wish we might have a more definite statement of the requirements and limitations of the alumnae advis-

ory boards. The interest and help shown by the alumnae clubs have been inspirational to the chapters. Pennsylvania Δ especially owes much to the enthusiasm of the Pittsburg alumnae club and the joint banquet of the Pennsylvania B and F chapters with the Lancaster alumnae club, was of untold benefit to everyone. The new Morgantown club will be, I am sure, of great assistance to West Virginia A. The cosmopolitan Philadelphia club is a tower of strength.

The scholarship record of the province has been improving, Ohio B holding the Panhellenic scholarship cup last year and Pennsylvania A ranking first or second, with the exception of one semester, for the past four years. The importance to chapter life of strong scholastic standing is being recognized more and more and lowered scholarship points to a weakening chapter.

The national viewpoint is hard for many chapters to realize on account of their geographical location and consequent isolation and the ideal of bringing the province together as a whole is as yet unrealized. We have made progress in having joint meetings of chapters whenever possible. For two years Pennsylvania B and F have met in Harrisburg, Ohio B appreciates the privilege of entertaining Michigan B during the football season. The Province House-party held at Mt. Gretna last June was attended by all the chapters except Ohio A and B who were unable to send representatives. We spent the time hiking, swimming and doing all sorts of interesting things. Every morning after breakfast we had an informal meeting in which we discussed province and chapter problems with the possible solution of each. We found it all quite helpful to gain each other's viewpoints and I believe it has proved indeed a great help. We hope to make the House-party during the interim of Conventions an established custom for Beta Province for it has proved such a help toward more efficient cooperation.

We close the period with keen appreciation of the helpfulness of alumnae and active girls who have all done their part in attaining any success that may be attributed to Beta Province.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY WOODWARD.

REPORT OF GAMMA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Gamma Province President submits the following report to the Grand Council of IIB Φ .

Since the appointment of the present province president last September all of the chapters in the province have been visited. At each chapter I was received with genuine hospitality, and shown every courtesy. I found the girls tolerant of constructive criticism, open to suggestions, and anxious to remedy their weaknesses.

Three of the chapters, Columbia A, Florida A and Florida B have the use of rooms furnished by the respective colleges. Maryland A rents a room near the campus and Virginia A is fortunate in having a lodge which they recently improved at considerable expense and most remarkable work has been done in cancelling the debt incurred. Virginia B is handicapped by not having even a room for its exclusive use, but the chapter is unusually well organized, which shows an ability to surmount obstacles. The rooms are all very attractively and conveniently furnished and prove a real joy to the girls.

The chapters vary in size from a membership of thirty-three, the largest chapter, Maryland A, to Florida A whose membership numbers seventeen. I have recommended that two of the larger chapters watch their size in order that internal development and unity may not suffer.

The rushing was very successful this year—four of the chapters losing no bids, one chapter losing only one bid and another three.

On the whole scholarship has been satisfactory, but no marked improvement has been noted in any chapter. $\Pi B \Phi$, however, has compared very favorably with her rival fraternities. The Panhellenic cup was awarded to Florida A. Virginia B and Columbia A hold second place in scholastic ranking. The comparative standing of Florida B among the fraternities in college has not been obtained but their average was very good. This year shows Maryland Alpha's and Virginia Alpha's standing to be rather low in scholarship according to positions held in Panhellenic, but I feel sure they will soon regain their lost positions. The system of grading at Goucher makes a comparison of Maryland A with other $\Pi \Phi$ chapters rather difficult. Virginia A holds fifth place in Panhellenic with an average of 88.71, the fraternity awarded first place having an average of 90. As an incentive to scholarship every chapter in the province, with possibly one exception, presents a prize to the pledge making the highest average during the first semester. Three of the chapters possess sophomore scholarship loving cups, another chapter's senior class a year or so ago gave them a loving cup to be presented each year to the class in the fraternity having the highest scholastic standing. In many of the chapters the grades are read every month in chapter meeting, and in other chapters certain penalties are exacted, when a girl's grades are not up to standard. Many of our girls have been elected to honorary societies, the membership being based principally on scholarship, especially at Virginia B are we well represented in the honorary organizations.

$\Pi B \Phi$ is supplying exceptionally strong leadership in all college activities. Some of the offices held with distinction by our Pi Phis in this province are: presidents of student government associations, editors of college papers, members of Y. W. C. A. cabinets and executive boards of student government, presidents of athletic associations and so forth. Two of our chapters Florida B and Maryland A are musically inclined, and invariably are given leading parts in all college events of musical character. Several other chapters have displayed unusual dramatic ability, especially has Virginia B been prominent in the dramatic organizations this year. Virginia A and Florida B have also taken a conspicuous part in dramatics. Florida B and Maryland A have furnished the May Queens for their respective colleges and many other Pi Phis were selected for the courts in the different colleges. In order to encourage participation in college activities, several chapters have required each girl to spend a stated number of hours, according to her schedule, either in attendance at certain college organizations or in active participation in athletics, dramatics and so forth. Another means of increasing interest in extra-curricular affairs has been the use of the point system. Upon my suggestion a number of chapters have appointed an activity chairman, to act in the capacity of an adviser to the freshmen, assisting them in the selection of activities, in addition to keeping a record of chapter activities.

Panhellenic is not particularly strong in some of the colleges in this province, but it is possibly due in part to existing circumstances such as fraternity opposition in one case and in another instance the usual problems confronting a city college, where the students are very scattered. Improvement in Panhellenic conditions though is greatly to be desired. In only one or two Panhellenics has an outlined, constructive program been followed or has the organization assumed any responsibility in the matter of service to the college. They have existed more as legislative bodies for the adjustment of rushing complications. At Virginia A, Panhellenic has been very effective under the guidance of one of our own Pi Phis. They presented

a splendid program and in addition to other scholarship prizes offered already they gave a gold pen to the freshmen having the highest grades in the class. Also they took part in some splendid altruistic work at Christmas time. The past year has witnessed a decided improvement in the Panhellenic at Hollins College. The Panhellenics in some instances have proven of great benefit in creating a more friendly spirit between the fraternity and non-fraternity girl. In one Panhellenic in the province the freshman scholarship prize is open to fraternity and non-fraternity girls alike.

The cooperation between the active chapters and the alumnae advisory committees has been very fine in some of the chapters, but there is opportunity and need for the committees to become more vital factors in other chapters. The advisory committee of Columbia A is probably the best organized and is in constant touch with the chapter. As a better knowledge and understanding of national ideals are gained I feel that the cooperation with advisory committees will be increased. Some chapters need to develop a better national viewpoint. A growing interest in the Settlement School is very evident. During my visits all of the chapters were eager to hear recent news of the School. The Settlement School meeting given by the Washington alumnae club, which I had the good fortune to attend, was one of the greatest inspirations I received this year. The active girls took a keen interest in the plans for the meeting and were conspicuously placed on the program. How I wish more of the chapters could have the opportunity and pleasure of assisting with and attending such an inspiring meeting of loyal alumnae and $\Pi\Phi$ friends. In my opinion the work of the Settlement School is the one big tie between the active girls and the alumnae, outside of the fraternity ideals, as set forth in the initiation ceremony. We hope that the Gamma Province gift to the Settlement School will exceed \$225.00. For several years a generous and interested alumnae of Maryland A has presented the chapter with a gift of fifty dollars for the School with the understanding that they would make fifty. The chapter has succeeded in raising the money by various means. This year in addition to giving a card party in their rooms, they realized a considerable sum from the sale of Christmas cards. Columbia A gave a tea dance from which they cleared eighty-five dollars for the Settlement School and Florida A gave a benefit "movie," but I have not received a report of their success. With one exception I believe every chapter in the province will contribute to the Settlement School, Loan Fund and Fellowship Fund.

The chapter meetings are all well conducted and business-like. Attendance is good, and some very definite constructive programs, dealing with general fraternity questions have been planned and carried out in some of the chapters. The chapters have been seeking closer relationship through exchanging visits and also interchange of delegates to initiation banquets.

It has been gratifying to me that in all of the colleges visited I have received nothing but favorable reports from the Dean of Women—always high in her praise of the chapter as a whole and of the individual girls. In every case, when asked concerning the general characteristics of the chapter, she replied that not only was the spirit of cooperation with the college authorities splendid, but the $\Pi\Phi$ s were noted for their consideration and their courtesy to the faculty members and were regarded as dependable, reliable girls. The hospitality shown the faculty members in some of the chapters is very delightful, especially at Columbia A was I impressed by the custom of inviting one or more of the professors to lunch at least once a week.

It has been my pleasure to visit two petitioning groups during the year, one at William and Mary College, the other at the University of North

Carolina, also to meet with the Atlantic alumnae club on my way to Florida.

As I have written this report many hours spent with girls and alumnae of Gamma Province have recurred to me, and I want to thank each chapter and alumnae club for its hospitality and many kindnesses. It has been a real pleasure to know the girls of Gamma Province and a joy to work with them. The chapters are composed of wholesome, enthusiastic girls, eager for helpful suggestions and possessing high ideals and ambitions. I have especially appreciated the cooperation in my request for letters concerning the intimate life of the chapters. These have been delightful and have kept me in close touch with the various chapters.

May I take this opportunity of thanking Miss Onken for her advice on many occasions and her patience with my inexperience. Also I wish to express my appreciation to Miss Turnbull for her kind helpfulness.

I consider it a great privilege to have done in a small way any work for $\Pi B \Phi$ and I am hoping that next year will see the realization of many of the dreams and ambitions of the chapters of Gamma Province.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY RAYNER BRINKLEY.

REPORT OF DELTA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Delta Province President submits the following report:

I have visited all of my chapters once officially, and Indiana A and Indiana Γ several times unofficially, and have also made an inspection trip to $A \Sigma \Phi$ at the University of Chattanooga.

Interest in the national organization has grown in Delta Province to a marked degree. There are several reasons for this: First, every chapter and province officer I believe, has profited by the efficient working out by our Grand Council of an "unparalleled internal development" that Miss Onken set for our goal at last Convention, and the co-operation between chapter province officer, Grand President, and Grand Council is now a very close one; second, the regular yearly supervision by not only the province officer, but by visits from three national officers has brought the policies of the national fraternity very close to every chapter.

There has been no complaint from the Deans of Women concerning the Panhellenic relations, and as far as I am able to judge they are very agreeable and effective.

Most of the advisory committees have been doing commendable work this year, but as a rule have not been as active as they are intended to be. The Manual for Alumnae Advisory Committees came too late this year to be of service, but by next year I am sure it will be the means of accomplishing some very effective work towards active chapter growth.

The scholarship throughout the province has been uniformly good. Indiana A again leads her college with the highest average, and one of her members won the Panhellenic scholarship cup.

The housing conditions in Delta Province have undergone a radical change. Until now Michigan B had been the only chapter to live in a house of its own, but this year Indiana B through the Herculean efforts of its alumnae built a beautiful new \$35,000.00 home. Indiana A was allowed this year to live in a house for the first time in years, and rented a very attractive brick bungalow. They are hoping they will be allowed to build in the next few years. Indiana Γ is still renting a house but in the next few years the college will move and all of the organizations on the campus are then planning to build handsome new houses. This means that the alumnae and actives of this chapter are making extensive plans for a new

home. Michigan A needs a larger house and if the president of the college will consent, is going to formulate plans. I believe that by next convention every chapter in Delta Province will own its own home.

All of the chapter houses with two exceptions are very effectively chaperoned and these two are making changes this year. I wish to mention particularly the work done by our three loyal $\Pi\Phi$ chaperons, Mrs. May Drybread, Mrs. Mary Cutsinger and Miss Effie Patch.

Every chapter in Delta Province is striving to make its group the outstanding one on its campus, consequently many honors have come to each individual chapter. We have been particularly free from any serious problems this year and all of the minor ones have been very satisfactorily settled with the help of the local advisory committees. I can not say too much concerning the fine spirit of cooperation that was found within every chapter. There was an eagerness to learn more of our national fraternity, a desire for assistance in improving each group and an extension of the most pleasing hospitality. I do indeed thank my national fraternity and the chapters of Delta Province, for the privilege of working with them these past two years.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH RHOADES SPIEGEL.

REPORT OF EPSILON PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Epsilon Province President submits the following report:

Eight of the chapters in Epsilon Province were each visited for two days during the college year. I have visited Minnesota, my home chapter, many times both officially and unofficially. Visiting the chapters as early in the year as possible, is without doubt the best plan, as it gives a group constructive ideas with which to work throughout the year. It also gives one a chance to know the freshmen before they are initiated.

I feel sure that Epsilon Province has improved materially in scholarship this past year. Various ways have been tried in raising chapter grades. For example, one chapter located in a large state institution holds study hall, at the house, every night from 7:30 until 10:00. Good sound scholarship is a strong argument against anti-fraternity feeling and individual pride and responsibility can do more than anything else to promote worth while grades. We cannot stress too strongly the point that the poor records of a few girls can lower the scholarship of a whole chapter, which otherwise would have been splendid.

I have been asked the question, "which is more important, scholarship or college activities?" Without doubt the answer is: "scholarship comes first." Activities, however, are a part of the life of the institution, and it is up to every group on any campus to support them in every possible way. Surely every girl can find time for at least one activity. It is well to see that freshmen get started in activities even if it is only being on a minor committee. In this way they become known and people will remember them, when more important things come up. It is the duty of the active chapter to require their freshmen to go out for various college activities. Many of the girls in this province hold very important offices and the fraternity is proud of them. Think of the splendid friends one makes in the other groups and among the non-fraternity girls. Surely that repays in part any effort put forth.

Just a word about advisory boards. With the exception of one board, I found that everyone was working in close cooperation with the chapters and helping the girls to meet many problems. This speaks well for the boards and the active chapters, because it shows a desire for improvement on the part of both.

May I say just a bit about Minnesota Alpha mother's club? They have a membership of about twenty, most of them mothers of the active girls. They are always giving bridge parties to raise money for our house. They have their regular meetings and on April 30 the girls gave a dinner for them at the house. I know there are several chapters with mother's clubs, but why can't every chapter have one or a club which corresponds to it?

Aside from a few unpleasant situations with which we all have to work, once in a while, I feel that the past year has been a successful one for Epsilon Province. Every chapter has shown its willingness to co-operate and improve any weak points.

Perhaps the greatest lesson that our national and province officers can bring to the chapters is the one of individual responsibility. Unless every girl in the fraternity realizes the importance of this, we will have weak members in every chapter, thus weakening the chapter and so weakening our whole organization; just as strong as every individual is, just so strong is a national fraternity.

May I thank the active chapters and alumnae for their splendid co-operation and many courtesies shown during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

OLIVE KELLER LAURENCE

REPORT OF ZETA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Zeta Province President submits the following report:

Although I have, unfortunately, been unable this year to visit any of the chapters in Zeta Province except Iowa Z, I have tried to keep in close touch with the problems and achievements of each group through various monthly reports, covering the social, scholastic, financial, and campus activities. These reports, signed by the respective chapter chairman, alumnae adviser, and chapter president, have in most instances indicated a steady advance toward the realization of our fraternity aims.

Missouri A has made a remarkable advance in her participation in campus activities, not only in the holding of important offices but in every girl taking an interested part in at least two activities. They are also working very hard to perfect a more perfect internal organization by developing initiative in every girl in the group.

Missouri F has continued her already splendid participation in activities, some of her girls making from five to eight points a week—a point represents a certain approved activity. She also is striving to develop a greater spirit of democracy in the college and to widen the horizon of all the students in this rather small college.

Missouri B has made a determined effort to combat the forces of city life antagonistic to a high standard of scholarship by working out a schedule of supervised study for each freshman so that her vacant hours on the campus are utilized as a concentration rather than a dissipation of her mental energies.

Iowa A and Iowa F, two of the chapters most prompt in their reports to me last year, have slipped a bit in this regularity but the reports received have been satisfactory.

Iowa Z is taking a rather late but very valiant stand against inferior scholarship. She has not only lifted her own standard of scholarship for initiation, but she has, working through Panhellenic, raised the standard of the entire Greek-letter community and done away with a very serious handicap—the initiation of a pledge on a mere verbal report of satisfactory work at the close of the first six weeks of the second term. In too many

cases, this verbal report, when crystallized into the written and official one, became a failure—but by this time the pledge was an initiate.

We are very proud of Iowa B—She was awarded the cup presented by the alumnae of the province for the chapter ranking highest in the fraternity survey. Her democracy, her sense of responsibility to our national organization and to her own college well merit this distinction for her.

Throughout our work we have had one aim: To justify the existence of each chapter of $\Pi\text{B}\Phi$ by a two-fold service to her college—high scholarship and a one hundred per cent participation in student activities.

Respectfully submitted,

OLIVE HAWKINS.

REPORT OF ETA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

The Ex-Eta Province President submits the following report:

The early part of November I spent two days in Laramie as a guest at the chapter house. It was a great pleasure to renew my friendships of the previous year and to greet the new freshmen who had entered in September.

The campus is being constantly changed and added to. This year the new library was almost completed and a portion of the new stadium about to be started.

Tri Delta has been the only rival but a new local chapter is petitioning $\text{K}\text{K}\Gamma$ and the girls feel that there is a very decided place there on the campus for it. The Dean of Women spoke very highly of the $\Pi\text{B}\Phi$ chapter and emphasized particularly their sociability and their hospitality but seemed to feel the girls had rather neglected scholarship for other phases of college activity.

Colorado B, I visited at various times during the year as long as I was in Denver.

The chapter there shows the difficulty of holding together and making a unified chapter where the girls do not live in the house or in a dormitory attached to the campus. Their life as a chapter is very broken. They are very materially assisted by most loyal and enthusiastic alumnae who do everything in their power to assist.

The thought that I always tried to bring to them in my various talks, was that of co-operation and loyalty. The habit of thinking for the chapter and from the group viewpoint rather than as individuals.

Colorado A was my last visit and was made over a week-end in March. An alumnae meeting had been arranged and a meeting with Dean Bigelow. She spoke, as she always does, very nicely and with a great deal of loyalty to the chapter. She bemoaned the lowering of the chapter scholarship and its gradual withdrawal, as a chapter, from college activities. I don't think the word "selfishness" would be too hard to apply.

Here, as at Colorado B, my remarks dealt largely with loyalty and emphasized always a loyalty which extended far beyond the chapter and included the campus. Scholarship was also a point to be stressed particularly and to the older girls I tried to bring a realization of their responsibility in this manner.

This brought to a close my participation as a province officer. How much I enjoyed the work and how much it meant to me I can never say. I can only hope that even a portion of that enjoyment and help, I was able to give back in return to the chapters. Everywhere I found the girls lovely, charming hostesses and as fine and splendid as any with whom I have anywhere or any time, come in contact. It is my wish that I may become

permanently located so that if my work has had any merit, I may again be able to take up some share of the work that carries on $\Pi\beta\Phi$.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTELENORE DONLEY FRASER.

REPORT OF ETA PROVIDENCE PRESIDENT

Eta Province President submits the following report to the Grand Council:

This report covers the period from February 1923 to May, 1923. During that time visits have been made to Nebraska B, Kansas A and Kansas B, Mrs. Fraser having visited Colorado A, Colorado B and Wyoming A.

In the three chapters visited, I found the type of college women whom $\Pi\beta\Phi$ is anxious to send forth. Each chapter has girls who are leaders on the campus in all lines of activity. I am sorry that all are not leaders in scholarship as Kansas B, but there is a keen interest for betterment in scholarship. Kansas A has two Phi Beta Kappas.

In each college the Dean of Women said something in approval of the different chapters and always had high praise for certain individuals. Panhellenic conditions are very good in all of the institutions. The chapters have benefited in so many ways by visits from Miss Onken this year.

I had conferences with the advisory boards and found them all eager to help the active chapters. There is a great deal of interest about the convention, and I am sure we are going to derive much benefit from it.

May I take this opportunity of thanking Miss Onken and Mrs. Fraser for their helpfulness and of expressing to both the active members and to the alumnae my appreciation of their personal courtesies and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

VIVIAN WHITE SCOTT.

REPORT OF THETA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Theta Province President submits the following report to the Grand Council:

Since last Convention every chapter in Theta Province has been visited annually before December, with the exception of one. I feel that it is most advantageous to visit the chapters early in the year.

Many problems arise during the early stages of readjustment to college life. The personal knowledge of existing conditions and of the girls, enables one to work more comprehensively and understandingly throughout the current year.

Preferential, first semester bidding has been used throughout Theta Province; with the exceptions, in Louisiana, of sophomore preferential bidding; and in Arkansas, of open matriculation bidding. This system of preferential bidding does not eliminate all the evils of rushing, but the results have been very satisfactory in this province.

The size of the chapters ranges from twenty-six to thirty-six girls. Those chapters who have had need to limit their number have profited by closer friendships and greater internal unity and development.

Two chapters in the province have "chapter rooms", the other four live in rented homes. Oklahoma A is buying an attractive site and hopes to build within the near future. Oklahoma B paid cash for her beautiful lot last summer and has the perspective and plans completed for her new "English Manor". Arkansas A and Texas A have house and lot funds well started.

In each chapter I have found an eager desire for participation in the various activities and a real effort being made to have $\Pi\beta\Phi$ represented in every worthwhile organization on the campus.

Scholarship reports have shown splendid improvement. For the last

two years Texas A and Oklahoma B have won the Panhellenic scholarship cups. They are striving to win them this (the third consecutive) year, for by so doing, they may claim them permanently for their own. In June, 1923, Louisiana A graduated three Pi Beta Kappas; Oklahoma A, one $\Phi\beta\kappa$ and Oklahoma B two Phi Kappa Phis.

The advisory committees are proving of inestimable value in Theta Province. They are rendering real service, in meeting immediate needs, so efficiently, of the active chapters.

Some of the chapters have had their share of difficulties to face this year. I feel confident that they will be stronger and finer for having met and overcome them to the best of their ability.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to each and every chapter, to many alumnae and to the Grand Council, for their continued support, loyal cooperation and valuable assistance as well as for personal courtesies so kindly extended to me.

May the horizon of vision be ever extended and the illumination of thought be broadened in the realization of a greater Theta Province.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLEN CLAIRE GILLESPIE KRIBB.

REPORT OF IOTA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Iota Province President submits the following report to the Twenty-sixth Biennial Convention of $\Pi\beta\Phi$.

College life in Iota Province has become the normal wholesome life that existed before the war. Congested conditions still prevail on the campuses, but the students are manifesting a seriousness of purpose which is shown by the results in many lines of endeavor. Naturally the fraternity chapters benefit by the improved conditions. No startling innovations have been made in the province within the two years since the last convention, but a steady growth has been maintained and the chapters are in a strong, healthy condition. One chapter has been weakened by losing a number of members to other colleges where the courses offered were more desirable. Taking everything into consideration, however, the chapters are stronger than at any time since I came into office.

Since the 1921 convention, Montana A has formed the link between the Northwest and the middle states. The Secret Arrow for 1922 gave detailed information concerning all chapters, so this report is a summary of general conditions.

In November 1922 Miss Onken visited all chapters in Iota Province with the exception of Montana A which she installed in September 1921. The fine influence which emanated from her rare personality was expressed by many of the girls in their desire to live up to the highest ideals of $\Pi\beta\Phi$ as exemplified by their Grand President. It was my privilege to visit my chapters with Miss Onken.

Last year every chapter received an official visit, and Washington A and the two Oregon chapters were visited informally several times. This year every chapter has been visited, and through the cooperation of the officers I have been kept in close touch with conditions.

Scholarship has been constantly kept before the girls as a natural goal for all college women, and a necessary one for Pi Beta Phis. The province held second place at the last convention. I do not know what place it now holds, but most of the chapters have worked hard. Some of the averages may be lower than heretofore, owing to the continued policy of raising the standards in the colleges. Washington B led the campus in scholarship the second quarter. She won back the place she had lost, and we trust she will

be able to hold it. Montana A held first place the first quarter and second place the second quarter. Oregon A moved up several places to fourth on the campus. Washington A has worked consistently and has a B- average to show for it. Oregon B held a house average of 86 percent for two quarters, and was working to win first place or near first. In three states the appropriations from the legislatures will not be adequate for the needs next year, consequently many students will be eliminated from the universities. I hope we will not lose a $\Pi\Phi$ from any chapter by this process of elimination, as it means that the students with low grades will have to drop out.

I have visited the Deans of Women in every college and without exception they have pronounced the Pi Phis helpful groups upon whom the faculty may depend. They are democratic and form many friendships among the non-fraternity girls.

Panhellenic conditions have improved. The petty rivalries seem to have been replaced by a broader understanding. Pi Phis are endeavoring to persuade Panhellenics to abolish the many rules which prove pitfalls to all, for a few simple rules which will help to make rushing less "hectic." However, Panhellenics are not yet Utopian.

Chapters have been urged to use discrimination in the selection of freshmen, to look beneath the surface attractions for qualities that will wear. The work of the committee on Survey and Standardization has been very helpful in every way. It has brought clearly before chapters the qualities desired in rushees. The freshmen this year are fine types. Some bids were lost, and we regret the fact, but chapters need not feel disgraced to lose a bid in earnest, fair rushing against a strong national. As the preferential system of bidding is used it is impossible to know how many bids have been won from other fraternities.

All chapters have been well represented in college activities. No Phi Beta Kappas have been reported at this time, but Pi Phis are prominent in all activities and they have captured a large number of leading offices. They hold the leads in class plays, and are to be found in the glee clubs. It has been a hobby with me to try to stimulate a desire for good music in the chapter houses. The slogan—"In a singing chapter I always find cooperation"—has been used in one of my former reports. It is just as true an indication now as formerly. Iota Province was delighted by prospects of a "Singing Convention".

All five chapters maintain chapter-houses. Oregon B is buying a house, the home of the former president of the college. Some improvements have been made and more will be made. The home is one of the best owned by a women's fraternity in Corvallis. Oregon A is building a fine home and hopes to have it ready for the chapter next fall. The other houses are rented by the chapters. Washington A and Washington B own lots in good locations and will build when local conditions are right.

Advisory Boards have been faithful to their duties. Washington A has been the recipient of great service from her advisory board. Oregon A has been fortunate in having members of her board chosen from the alumnae clubs of Eugene and Portland. Oregon B has one local member, the others are chosen from Portland. Washington B has one local member and the remaining members are from the Spokane Club. These conditions are unusual, but have been satisfactory because of the keen interest shown by the far distant advisers, who have visited the chapters frequently. Montana A is fortunate in having her advisory board located in Bozeman. Valuable advice has been given and accepted in the right spirit and the chapters have been strengthened thereby.

This year all chapters have been chaperoned by refined, conscientious women eager to help the girls attain the goal of their desires—noble woman-

hood. To these loyal house-mothers $\Pi B \Phi$ owes much.

Every chapter, at the time of writing this report, has good financial standing.

The chapters are not without faults. They have had their problems and conquered them, thus developing strength.

As sponsor for Iota Province I wish to promise the national organization the support and cooperation of five chapters of as loyal hearted daughters of $\Pi B \Phi$ as are to be found in this whole country. If anything of value has been accomplished by this incumbent it has been because of the unflinching cooperation from all members of Grand Council, advisory boards and "my girls".

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE HANCHER BECK.

REPORT OF KAPPA PROVINCE PRESIDENT

Kappa Province President submits the following report to Grand Council of $\Pi B \Phi$ and Convention Assembled:

Each chapter in Kappa Province has been officially visited during the college year, in addition to the many informal visits I have had with the California A and B girls. At each chapter I felt the inspiration and enthusiasm resulting from Miss Onken's visits, the first visits of a grand officer since I have been Province President.

The average chapter membership is twenty-one, ranging from California Alpha's thirteen, to California Beta's twenty-eight. Membership campaigning in general was very successful. A new rushing system was tried at Stanford University and I am confident that if the fraternities would live up to the contract it would work out satisfactorily. The freshmen were to be pledged at the end of the year without any formal rushing. Complications arose at the beginning of the third quarter, however, when the fraternities suddenly began the forbidden concentrated entertaining, breaking their contract simply because they thought everyone else had. Pledging was allowed to take place then so as to put a stop to the excessive rushing. I agree with the university authorities that the fraternities failed to live up to the trust put in them and I am glad that our $\Pi \Phi$ chapter was willing to assume its part of the responsibility. They agreed to make every effort next year to live up to the contract, regardless of how strong the temptation may be to do what they suspect other fraternities of doing. This element of suspicion among fraternities is one of the weakest points in our whole system. As one Dean of Women said to me, how can the university feel confidence in the fraternities when they are so suspicious of each other. Aside from being responsible for Stanford's problem this very spirit has prevented the Panhellenic at the University of Southern California from being a constructive force, and it has caused a very unhappy Panhellenic situation for Nevada A. I feel that it is a duty to our national fraternity for every $\Pi \Phi$ chapter to try to bring home to its Panhellenic the importance of the fraternities keeping faith with each other, so that the universities will know that they are honest with themselves, so they will be with others. Otherwise, I feel that we have no more place in university life than has any other untrustworthy element.

The year has seen several happy changes in housing. Nevada A left the dormitory for a chapter house. Though at present they are renting, there is reason to believe from their successful management that they may begin working soon on a more definite plan. The beautiful new home of California Γ is a joy to the chapter and alumnae, both, and I feel that it is responsible in great part for the inspiration and enthusiasm which have

made this year so successful for the chapter. Arizona A has just leased a much better and more attractive house for next year. California Alpha's home is entirely paid for and substantial interior improvements have been made recently. The large porch at the side of the house is now being enclosed in glass. California B has had its first year in its beautiful new home and I feel that the financial problems involved have been met as well as could be expected with the chapter working alone. The alumnae house board seemed to fail to realize its responsibilities but fortunately a new board has now taken hold. With real business methods and close cooperation between the alumnae and chapter I believe that the financial plan devised for the purchase of the house can be worked out successfully.

Because this is my last report I want to omit other statements about conditions covered in detailed reports and leave a message with Kappa Province on two subjects which I have stressed so often, Scholarship and the Balfour Cup award.

It is a great satisfaction to report that a real advance has been made in scholarship. Not only is this evident in better grades but in the realization by the chapters that the national fraternity must meet the criticism that the fraternity system is a menace to good scholarship if records continually show non-fraternity students leading. Arizona A was presented with the scholarship cup, the good news reaching the chapter while I was with them. Nevada A leads the fraternities again, with five honor roll students. California B made real improvement and though records for the past year are not available, California Alpha's last reports show the best year in its history with three Phi Beta Kappas and third place among the fraternities. California I had a lower standing this year. Although individual marks were good two conditions due to poor health brought the average down. Because I sincerely hope that this improvement is founded on a permanent basis and will continue, I want to emphasize a point I have made before to the chapters. I have always felt that the time to think of improving scholarship is not just before examination with enforced study methods, but when freshmen are being chosen. If a freshman is obviously frivolous and uninterested in college work, why should she be blamed when her college record is only what should have been expected. I believe that the worth while freshman comes to college with a real purpose and ambition, and is anxious to talk about it to the older college girls from whom she might expect advice and encouragement. Too often rushing offers no opportunity for this, but there is great consternation when after initiation the freshman shows no interest in her work and receives marks accordingly. In brief, my idea of "an ounce of prevention" is for the fraternities to demand that along with the attractive personality and other requirements, a freshman show some interest in the work she plans to do in college, and have some idea of why she is there. The combination is entirely possible and not unreasonable to expect. I know from experience. Of many cases I could cite, I am thinking now of one of last year's Phi Beta Kappas who also held the highest honors college had to offer. She would smile with me at the ambitious goal confided on her registration day, long since forgotten probably, but it gave me all the index to her character I needed. If a chapter is honestly trying to raise its standing, I believe it should ask itself one question after a freshman has met all its other requirements, "Can we afford to take this girl in view of our obligations to meet the scholarship standards of our national fraternity?" We could ask nothing more than that. Instead of a chapter having a few real students trying to offset failures and incompletes we would have a well balanced group with an interest in their work and that would assure the result.

And now a word about the Balfour Cup. $\Pi B \Phi$ has given her chapters

a definite goal. I feel that no honor could ever come to a chapter which could equal that of receiving the Balfour Cup, signifying that it of all $\Pi\Phi$ chapters had most completely met its obligations to its college and fraternity. I know that my chapters have made winning it their ambition and I want to encourage them to continue working. It is a source of pride to me that the last report of the Committee on Survey and Standardization shows Kappa province in first place. California A held fifth place, with A rating and the four other chapters were among the first three with B rating. Just as New York I consistently held its A rating until it received the cup, I hope that our goals made will be maintained and increased. And while, I may not actually be in the convention to enjoy that greatest of thrills when it is presented to one of the Kappa Province chapters I will surely be there in spirit.

My work in Kappa Province has been a real pleasure and I could only ask for my successor that she receive the same loyal cooperation of the active girls and alumnae. I want to thank Miss Onken again for her advice and constant helpfulness.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPHINE WELCH WOOD

REPORT OF ALPHA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Alpha Province Vice-President submits the following report:

The routine work of keeping up-to-date the card files of alumnae in the province, noting address, club membership, "Arrow" subscription, etc., has been carried on side by side with the far pleasanter task of keeping in touch with the alumnae clubs and their activities.

There are ten chartered clubs in the province with a membership of approximately 350. Only five of the clubs are near an active chapter. Practically all of the clubs have printed programs planned early in the fall and every club except one (which has a large non-resident membership) has monthly meetings, one club having two meetings during the month. The type of meetings differ widely, except for the four prescribed as to subject, and includes such programs as a sausage roast, to which husbands and children are invited, a children's field day, a lecture at an Art Museum or a theatre party. Three clubs have held Panhellenic meetings, and the New York City Panhellenic Association, in which the New York $\Pi\Phi$ Phis have been most active since its establishment several years ago, is planning a clubhouse for fraternity women. The health meeting has not as yet become universal, as some of the smaller clubs have found it difficult to work up an interesting program, but with the aid of the health Committee this problem can surely be solved in the future.

In regard to the finances of the clubs, the budget system has proved to be most satisfactory where it has been used, and I strongly recommend that system to every club. The Rochester club with a membership of fourteen, has had this year the highest per capita contribution to the Settlement School, has contributed both to the Fellowship and Loan Funds, has made gifts to two active chapters, and I believe its success is in large measure due to its sensibly planned budget. The members pay in two installments during the club year and each member knows exactly what the amount of her obligation is to be. Another procedure which would probably help in the more business-like conduct of club finances is the sending of bills for dues early in the year to all prospective members.

The Settlement School has of course taken a large share of the interest and attention of each club. The sale of Christmas Cards is in general use as one means of raising money for the School but many other methods have

been tried most successfully, among which are rummage sales, card-parties, Christmas gift-shops, and an exhibition and sale of oriental rugs. The Boston Club, besides contributing to the general fund, has established the Jennie B. Allyn Memorial Fund for the nurse's work. They have already purchased a splendid kit of instruments and other equipment for the medical department. The amount raised by Alpha province for the School during the last year was \$438.82 from the active chapters, and \$2,535.90 for the clubs, while this year the active chapters contributed \$234.00, and the Clubs approximately \$2,977.17.

Every club in the province has contributed to the Fellowship Fund both this year and last year.

The clubs situated near an active chapter have assisted the chapter in rushing and in many other ways, and the Burlington club is bending every effort to help Vermont B in raising funds for a new chapter house. Several clubs which have no nearby chapter have adopted some chapter where there is no club and this arrangement has worked out splendidly, the active chapter usually receiving practical assistance in the form of gifts of various kinds, and the club a real inspiration and a great deal of enthusiasm.

The plan of working up Founders' Day celebrations in centers where there are no clubs has been attempted but met with indifferent success. Last year the attempt was made in two centers only where there were several Pi Phis. A luncheon was held in Albany, New York, and was enthusiastically attended. This year, in March, a letter was written to one person in every locality where there were three or more Pi Phis, sixteen in all. Two reunions were held, one in Providence, R. I., with an attendance of six and one in Albany, with an attendance, despite very bad weather, of sixteen. As a direct result of this meeting, the Albany Club plans to organize next fall and apply for a charter.

Practically the only work done relative to the isolated alumnae, has been in arranging the card file and taking care of any dues and Settlement School donations sent in. The amount of these, however, has been so small as to be practically negligible. I feel strongly, however, that more effort should have been made in some way to reach the isolated alumnae. It is obviously ridiculous that the work and the financial obligations of the province should be carried by some 350 members of clubs while there are more than four times that number of alumnae in the province. Surely these other alumnae would be willing to carry their share if they could be reached in an effective way. Since experience has proved that letters do not help greatly, might it not be a feasible plan to have inserted in a conspicuous place in each issue of the "Arrow" a perforated slip, with the reminder that the alumnae tax of fifty cents is payable for the current year, and the request that every alumnae not a member of a club tear off the slip and send it with her dues to the proper person? There might also be a space for the renewal of "Arrow" subscriptions and for donations to the Settlement School.

No record of the Alumnae work of Alpha Province can be complete without a tribute to Jennie B. Allyn, who worked so conscientiously and so lovingly for the welfare of the province. We trust that our spirit of devotion to $\Pi\Phi$ ideals may not fall too far short of hers, so that we may carry on the work she planned.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH VALET COOK

REPORT OF BETA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Beta Province Vice-President submits the following report:

There are still thirteen clubs in Beta Province with a slight decrease in total membership. Miami Valley does not have quite the ten members this

year as required. Philadelphia is the largest with seventy paid members. It is a disappointment that for the last two years there has been a gradual decrease in paid members, since Settlement School contributions and the club activities seem to be increasing. All clubs contributed this year and to date \$4,222.88 has been sent to Miss Stuart. This averages approximately \$13.50 per capita for each member which is most gratifying. Cleveland surpassed their own record by sending \$2,102.50 more than \$33.00 each! Several clubs sent gifts directly to the School at Christmas. I wish to thank all of the clubs for their response to the Settlement School by such generous help.

Early in the fall the list of duties of club officers was sent to each club. Instructions concerning Senior Farewell Ceremony slips have been sent to each club near a chapter and to each chapter and clubs have been encouraged to follow up this work by inviting the Seniors to become members.

The alumnae of Cincinnati were urged to meet for Founders' Day but at this time I have not heard whether they did so.

The feeling between chapters and nearby clubs seems to be unusually good according to reports from the clubs. Each club near a chapter reports having active delegates at its meetings and also having social functions together. Columbus is carrying on an active chapter house campaign and Pittsburgh has been helping Pennsylvania Δ to keep chapter rooms. They have also adopted the Mother-Daughter plan. Athens has offered to Ohio A a cup on which will be engraved the names of the seniors and sophomore having the most points in scholarship, campus activities, and general attitude. The Philadelphia club gave up its two French orphans and three Armenian orphans and devoted all its time and efforts to the Settlement School by means of a series of bridge parties. This Club should have a larger paid membership even though the alumnae are scattered. Its members enjoyed a Founders' Day visit from Miss Kate Miller.

Questions were sent to every club early in April in addition to regular correspondence but this report had to be written without any recent word from five clubs.

On the whole the conditions in Beta Province seem very encouraging. Interest in the Settlement School has increased in all of the clubs even though the larger contributions came from only two clubs. I would still work for better organization in the clubs and promptness in sending dues, reports, etc.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION BAKER.

REPORT OF GAMMA AND DELTA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Gamma and Delta Province Vice-President submits the following report:

The combined provinces, consisting in 1921 of nine clubs have been enlarged by the addition of four, Hillsdale and Southwestern Indiana representing the reorganization of former groups and Atlanta and North Carolina new ones. Correspondence has been carried on with and literature sent to groups in Niles, Michigan, and DeLand, Florida who are anxious to form chartered clubs and it is hoped that these will be established in the near future.

Most clubs show an increase in membership. Washington and Delaware leading in this respect. The paid membership of Gamma and Delta numbered 430 in 1923. There has been widespread enthusiasm in work for the Settlement School, the Washington, Richmond, Indianapolis and Detroit clubs contributions of \$1,168, \$250, \$664 and \$300 respectively being outstanding in point of achievement. In 1922 the contributions from the two provinces totalled \$2,627.63, in 1923 \$3,076.58, making a total of \$5,695.21 for the interim of conventions.

The Washington and Indianapolis clubs have been splendidly organized in their Settlement School program. Each club sent out in the fall an outline of the work proposed for the School, asking each alumnae to enlist as a worker on one committee or to make an individual contribution. The results attest the efficacy of this method. Indianapolis purchased the motion picture projector and screen so much desired for the School and sent the rest in cash. Richmond with only eighteen members gave an average of \$14 per capita for the School besides donating \$10 each to the Fellowship and Loan Funds, and to the two Virginia chapters. They have shown splendid ambition and initiative. Washington's sixteen per cent increase in membership is the direct outcome of a thoroughly worthwhile and interesting program and the adoption of the goal of \$1,000 as the minimum to be raised annually for the School. I wish every club could catch the inspiration that comes from working toward a goal apparently impossible of achievement but quite within our grasp when we really work for it. Especial credit is due the Baltimore club for its donation of \$100 given by individual subscription. In view of the fact that every member of this club has obligated herself for \$421 toward Goucher's \$6,000,000 endowment drive. One alumna, Grace Lewis, offered to give \$50 in the name of Maryland A provided the chapter raised a similar sum, which it promptly did. Miss Lewis makes the excellent suggestion, which I pass on to Convention, that "to stimulate each chapter in enthusiastic giving, one alumna be found for each of the active chapters to do the same thing each year, thus creating an annual income of \$6,500 from that one source."

The North Carolina club of fourteen members scattered over the state, and meeting four times a year in Chapel Hill, has started with a fine spirit of enthusiasm. Their chief and immediate interest is in helping the petitioning group at the University of North Carolina. I feel sure that they will develop into a strong club. Atlanta is handicapped by its isolation from any active chapter and by lack of experience in alumnae work. They have, however, a group of fine women, anxious to give effective service, and so will, I am confident, be a center of strength in the south.

Special mention should be made of the program of the Washington club, a copy of which is posted in the club's exhibit. The practice of having a speaker of national importance at each meeting, who gave stimulating talks on questions of broad interest, has proved a strong drawing card. One hour is devoted to business, 30 to 45 minutes to the speaker, with refreshments and a social half hour at the close. Baltimore, Detroit, Franklin, Indianapolis, and Hillsdale clubs also had very attractive programs.

While some clubs have spent their major efforts in raising funds for the School, others have been especially strong in cooperation with active chapters, and this is particularly true of the clubs of Delta province. Franklin has maintained a most efficient advisory board, and as a result of their efforts Indiana A has led all fraternities on the campus in scholarship and one girl has held the Panhellenic scholarship. Their Settlement School activity has been cooperative and the club has been strong in publicity work. Ann Arbor has kept in close touch with the chapter and planned most of its work with them. Bloomington with only fourteen members has undertaken and carried to a successful conclusion the purchase of a lot near the University and the building of a chapter house. It has been a Herculean task and splendidly performed and to those interested in learning the details, Mrs. Rott, delegate from Bloomington will be glad to give further information. Detroit shows an increase of 33 1-3 per cent in membership, 55 1-2 per cent in contributions to the School and reports meetings better attended than ever before. Like Atlanta, Lafayette has been somewhat handicapped by alumnae inexperience, being a new club with an active chapter only three years old.

They have had strong officers, have cooperated well with the chapter and with helps and suggestions from visiting officers, will, no doubt, share to a greater extent in national alumnae work. The Southwestern Indiana club of fifteen, coming from nine towns within a radius of fifty miles of Evansville has this year for the first time held monthly meetings. Their efforts have heretofore been directed towards financing Indiana Beta's house. Now they are eager and anxious to work for the School.

The great amount of time spent on the card catalogue could, in my opinion, be more profitably spent in constructive province work. I have found this catalogue of no value, since all needed information could be secured more quickly and effectively (because of the geographical classification) from the lists sent annually from Banta. Not content to rely wholly on my own judgment in this matter, I consulted my two predecessors, whose verdict was the same. I therefore, suggest that this task be omitted from the duties of province vice-presidents.

The following suggestions are offered by three of the clubs: by Franklin that "any suggestions for patronesses from any member of an alumnae club be submitted to the club as a whole and receive a majority vote before being submitted to the active chapter"; by Baltimore that "some definite procedure be decided upon, whereby an alumna is transferred—some scheme similar to that in use in active chapters"; by Washington that "alumnae clubs and active chapters be invited to hold a conference in Washington on the Friday and Saturday preceding the D. A. R. congress in the spring of 1924."

It will effect a saving of time and postage if all Settlement School contributions from active chapters as well as alumnae clubs are sent directly to province vice-presidents and I suggest that delegates carry back this reminder.

I would like to suggest also that all alumnae clubs have an open Settlement School meeting, at which the pictures of the School are shown, once in the interim of conventions, that the fraternity own two or three sets of slides, that clubs submit their dates of meeting to the custodian of the slides and that an itinerary be made by her, so that the pictures will be continually working. This is an excellent method of telling our friends why we ask their support for our School.

I propose that the name of Emma Harper Turner be made as enduring as her work by naming in her honor some building or other "permanent monument" at the School, and I ask the privilege of speaking on this point later.

I cannot close this report without expressing deep appreciation for the hearty and helpful spirit of cooperation shown by the secretaries and individual members of alumnae clubs, for the assistance of Mrs. Spiegel and Mrs. Brinkley in visiting and reporting on clubs, and to the fraternity for having given me the pleasure and privilege of having a small part in its national work.

Respectfully submitted,

EMILIE MARGARET WHITE.

REPORT OF EPSILON PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Epsilon Province Vice-President submits the following report:

When I look back over the work done by the alumnae of Epsilon Province since last Convention, my impression is that any development which may have taken place is that inconspicuous variety which is all the more dependable because of its slow, consistent growth. There are no spectacular events to record. To be sure there was great rejoicing when the new club at

Milwaukee was formed as the result of convention enthusiasm; but otherwise we have moved along in much the same way as usual.

During the interim of conventions it was my pleasure to visit the Peoria, Fox River Valley and Central Illinois clubs. Four others were visited by Mrs. Laurence, Province President, and the results which come from such visits are most gratifying. Indeed, I venture to say that if all the clubs of this province could have received an official visit there would be no decrease to report in Settlement School subscriptions and national dues. It is because I feel the importance of this part of alumnae work and its urgent demand for consideration that I recommend that Convention discuss some means whereby every alumnae club may receive an official visit during the interim of conventions.

The routine work of the alumnae department has been greatly facilitated by the system of receipts used by province vice-presidents for Settlement School subscriptions. I believe the work of the treasurer could be lightened and time saved for all if the same system were inaugurated for national dues. I recommend, therefore, that province vice-presidents be supplied with receipts books—similar to those used for Settlement School receipts—for the acknowledgment of national dues.

In closing this report I wish to express my appreciation to all Pi Pihis who are helping to carry on successfully the work in Epsilon province. Their loyal cooperation is significant of an interest which has refused to become merely a memory at the close of college days.

Respectfully submitted,

LELAH BELL DAVIS

REPORT OF ZETA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Zeta Province Vice-President submits the following report:

Since last convention Zeta Province has added one new club, the Waterloo Club, making a total of thirteen in the province. This year, national dues totalling \$178 have been collected, a slight decrease of \$8 from the preceding year, which is due to the fact that one club has been very slow in collecting dues. All the clubs show an increase in membership since last convention, meaning of course more interest and more enthusiasm.

The clubs have worked hard and earnestly for the Settlement School and have raised \$1,612 in 1921-22 and \$2,598.00 in 1922-23. These sums may not appear large in comparison with the amounts from other provinces but since they are more than three times as much as I was able to report at the Charlevoix Convention, they seem quite creditable. Special emphasis has been laid upon working throughout the whole year for the Settlement School instead of making just one effort to raise the money and it seems to have had its effect.

The clubs have all had the four required meetings during the year and most of the clubs have met once a month with programs of the usual type. In all the clubs near active chapters, hearty cooperation has been urged and advisory boards have helped to straighten out any possible difficulties.

In order to bring the active chapters and alumnae closer and to encourage scholarship, the alumnae of Zeta province at the Charlevoix Convention decided to award a silver loving cup for scholarship, as is done in some of the other provinces. Due to the fact that the scholarship report was not made out in the former way the cup was awarded to the chapter with the highest general standard and went to Iowa B for the year 1921-22.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN McCARGO GEPPERT.

REPORT OF ETA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Eta Province Vice-President submits the following report:

From nine chartered alumnae clubs in 1921 to thirteen in 1923—such has been the remarkable growth of Eta Province during the past two years. Several of these clubs had been organized for some time before they obtained charters which made their assimilation into the national organization a very simple process. Boulder, Colo., Sheridan, Wyo., Wichita, Kans., and Cheyenne, Wyo., the four new clubs deserve special commendation for the splendid manner in which they have functioned. Each new link formed in our alumnae department gives promise of a broader fraternity, a wider vision, a new step taken towards the fulfillment of our ideals and aspirations.

The necessity for increasing the number of paying members in the alumnae clubs of Eta Province has been constantly stressed with most gratifying results. During the interim of conventions 1921-1923, dues have increased from \$86 to approximately \$150. This is evidence of the consistent growth which is so necessary for the fullest development of our alumnae department. It shows an increasing zeal on the part of the officers and members of alumnae clubs to bring into the ranks of our Fraternity as many active paying members as they can recruit from resident alumnae of $\Pi B \Phi$. Too much cannot be said in commendation of the splendid work accomplished by the treasurer of the Denver and Lawrence alumnae clubs. They have worked with untiring effort to increase the dues in their respective clubs and the results have been exceptionally fine.

During the last two years the Settlement School has been a constant source of inspiration to the clubs in Eta Province. I am very much gratified to report that our subscriptions during that period have shown a substantial increase over previous years. There have been adverse local conditions this year in certain clubs which have made it difficult to raise money, but I am sure that the discouragement which these clubs have met will only serve to increase their efforts in the coming year. We have attained this year one goal towards which we have been earnestly striving—a record which shows that every one of our thirteen clubs and every one of our six active chapters have contributed financially to Little Pigeon. The total contribution for Eta Province in 1922-23 is \$1,700. In the ranking of clubs according to per capita contributions, Lincoln has headed the list each of the last two years. Her contribution each year has been approximately \$470 or \$18 per capita. Honors for the largest contribution from an active chapter in Eta Province have been held each year by Nebraska B, also located in Lincoln. It is interesting to note that the Wichita club, next to the youngest in Eta Province raised \$210 during the last year. This is indicative of the general attitude with which new clubs have met their responsibilities. The fact that the 1923 Convention is to convene at Estes Park in our very midst, gives promise of splendid results in Eta Province for the next year. A vision into the future would indicate that our clubs will meet with renewed inspiration and enthusiasm the challenge of a larger Settlement School contribution, and a broader national viewpoint as a direct result of the Convention.

The plan of working up Founders' Day celebrations in centers not having chartered alumnae clubs has just materialized in Eta Province this year. The Π Beta Φ is at Colorado Springs were invited to attend the celebration at Pueblo. The Π Phi Σ in Hutchinson had luncheon together on Founders' Day. Other centers were urged to get together informally, but at the present time, I have no definite news as to whether such plans were carried out. Particularly noteworthy were the reception and banquet held in Lawrence on April 28. The active chapter and alumnae were celebrating not only the founding of the fraternity, but also the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Kansas A. Realizing the benefits bestowed upon them by their Alma

Mater during those years, the active members of Kansas A presented to the University of Kansas a splendid memorial gift which will stand for all time as a fitting reminder of the loyalty of fraternity women to their Alma Mater.

Relations between Alumnae clubs and active chapters in Eta Province are very close in most instances. Rushing, house financing and other problems are rendered more simple by the aid which loyal alumnae are giving the active chapters.

May I take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation of the generous aid given me at all times by my predecessor, Mrs. Trott, who had the work in the province so well organized when she resigned two years ago. I wish also to thank the officers and members of the alumnae clubs in Eta Province whose unswerving loyalty and enthusiasm have given me a broader conception of the possibilities of our wonderful fraternity.

Respectfully submitted,

SARELLA HERRICK BREWER.

REPORT OF THETA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Theta Province Vice-President submits the following report:

Theta Province, comprising the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, has eleven active alumnae clubs distributed as follows: two in Arkansas, five in Oklahoma, three in Texas and one in Louisiana. Of these clubs, those at Houston, Texas and at Stillwater, Oklahoma have been organized since last Convention. The club membership in Theta Province is 235. This is very small, but in our province, the problem of the isolated BBΦ looms large. Though I have tried several plans, I have as yet found no satisfactory way of reaching and really keeping in touch with the many Pi Phis outside the clubs.

During 1922-1923 the Settlement School contributions from eight clubs amounted to \$919.32 almost twice that for the preceding year. National dues amounting to \$170 have been paid in two years. In addition, most of the clubs have given to the Fellowship and Loan Funds. Each year shows an increase in outside altruistic work. A copy of the financial statement sent to the Grand Treasurer is attached.

Naturally, all clubs are deeply interested in the work of the nearby chapters. It is a pleasure to report a closer cooperation between chapters and alumnae advisory boards. The great need for such cooperation and real understanding has been constantly stressed.

Because there is no way of forcing clubs to send in reports, dues, and so forth at a certain specified time, I have tried to effect a better organization within the clubs themselves. The results have indeed been gratifying. On the whole, there has been more team work within the clubs, and certainly more efficient cooperation with officers because of the improved club organization.

The routine work of Theta Province has been regularly and consistently attended to. Through the assistance of the active chapters in the province and the alumnae clubs, the file of members is as accurate and up to date as possible. In every instance, the active chapter written to responded promptly and fully.

The importance of a club delegate to Convention has been called to the attention of the various alumnae clubs many times. As the matter now stands, all but two clubs plan to send a delegate to this Convention.

This report would not be complete without an expression of my appreciation of the work of the visiting officers of the fraternity who have been

a great inspiration to the alumnae clubs and a decided help to me in reporting club conditions so fully.

Respectfully submitted,

KATHLEEN LITTLE

REPORT OF IOTA AND KAPPA PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENT

Iota and Kappa Province Vice-President submits the following report:

The work of the two provinces, with their files and accounts have been kept separately so I shall report on each province individually.

Iota Province: The work with Iota Province was hampered by the illness of the former officer in charge so that no records have been received and the files have had to be reconstructed as well as possible from mailing lists and ARROW files.

Portland has done splendid work and leads the province in subscriptions to the Settlement School with \$375.00. They published a most attractive year book with the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the members appended. Their generosity was not confined to the School for they assisted the two nearby chapters, Eugene and Corvallis, in their rushing and in their effort to own chapter homes. They have a regular Christmas charity; they have given this year \$125.00 to the Oriental Women's Colleges; \$25.00 to the Portland Community Chest, and \$10.00 each to the Loan and Fellowship Funds. I am giving space to this detailed account because it seems to me indicative of what a small but enthusiastic club can accomplish. Their list includes less than seventy alumnae (fifty-four are paid members) yet their achievements rival those of clubs with twice that number.

Seattle Club, formerly known as the Puget Sound Alumnae club, has also had a splendid year, with an enviable record of accomplishment. They have raised over eight hundred dollars for the building fund of the active chapter; have made several gifts of furnishings; have given \$350.00 to the Settlement School and have had an unusual number of delightful social affairs during the year. Their regular business meetings average about fifty in attendance while special parties bring out from seventy-five to one hundred.

The other clubs in Iota Province, with the exception of those in Montana, are flourishing. Eugene sent \$50.00; Spokane, \$52.00; Tacoma \$100.00; and Yakima \$38.00 for the School.

Kappa Province: the Los Angeles club shows a steady gain and reaches first place for both provinces with \$567.71 for the Settlement School. Their greatest problem is membership and several plans have been suggested to increase the attendance of the suburban alumnae. The members of one large group in the neighboring city of Long Beach, who have been meeting informally for some years, have organized and will undoubtedly develop into one of the strongest of our smaller clubs.

Northern California has gone back this year, due largely to their efforts to help the local chapter in the purchase of a beautiful new home, so their contribution only totals \$76.50.

Nevada is a constant joy with its prompt response to all requests, its desire to grow and its enthusiasm for $\Pi B \Phi$ and all of her interests. The Nevada Pi Phi's work closely with the active chapter and this is reflected in the interest of Nevada A in the Settlement School.

The Tucson Club is small but the province president reports that the interest is good and they sent together with the active chapter more than \$100.00 for the School.

My conclusions, after two years of work with the combined provinces, lead me to respectfully suggest to Grand Council that in this instance we

return to the former plan of an officer for each province. A glance at the map will show how great are the distances involved. It takes at least four and usually five days for a letter to reach the Northern clubs and a contact is difficult to effect and maintain under these conditions. Moreover, there is a psychological effect difficult to overcome when the officer is located at too great a distance from the club. I feel convinced that a province vice-president resident in one of the Northwestern states could accomplish much more than I have been able to, living more than a thousand miles from the nearest club in Iowa Province.

Respectfully submitted,

BLANCHE CHARLTON CURTIS.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EXTENSION

The Extension Committee begs to submit the following report to Convention, 1923:

For several years the Extension Committee has been trying to simplify the procedure in petitioning for a charter of $\Pi B \Phi$. Since the last Convention some of the working plans have been changed and other changes are suggested in order that as much time, correspondence and expense as possible may be minimized. As the scholarship requirements are very definite and as work cannot be started on the formal petition until they are met, it is necessary that the Committee have the official statement at the beginning of the work. For this reason, the Extension Committee which formerly worked in conjunction with the Scholarship Committee now takes full charge of this part of the work.

To inform the fraternity of the changes made, the method of procedure of petitioning $\Pi B \Phi$ follows:

1. The chairman of the Extension Committee, to whom requests are sent for information concerning petitioning, sends the "Preliminary Blank" to the group. This blank is filled out by the group and returned to the Chairman. It contains the information necessary to ascertain whether or not the college can meet the requirements in the matter of annual income, number of women students and number of women's fraternities established. It also contains facts about the group, its scholarships and the names and addresses of $\Pi B \Phi$ friends.

2. If the requirements are met, then the group is asked for the individual scholarship records, which must be free from condition and failure; the average of the women's fraternities and the all-college average, and the general average of the group petitioning. This general average must be higher than that of the women's fraternities and the all-college average.

3. If the group can meet the scholarship requirements, the chairman or one of the committee sends out inquiries on a form for that purpose, to the Grand Council, the Province President, the two nearest chapters, alumnae clubs and the $\Pi B \Phi$ s mentioned in the list provided by the group.

4. If the answers to those inquiries are favorable on the whole,

the Grand President is notified and the Province President inspects the group.

5. If the Province President's report is favorable the group may prepare the "Letter of Information." When the group petitions the province, this Letter may be typewritten, and copies are sent to the Grand Council, the Province President, Extension Committee, and the chapters in the province; when the group petitions Convention, it may be printed. Copies are sent to the above mentioned and all chapters of $\Pi B \Phi$. It contains a detailed report of the College and the group. Before the Letters are mailed, the Extension Committee sends a form letter to those who are to receive the Letter, asking them to consider the Information carefully and to report their decision to the Chairman of the Committee.

6. Following this, a representative from each of the two nearest chapters inspects the group. The final inspection is made by a member of Grand Council.

7. If the Grand Council member gives a favorable report, the work on the formal petition may be started. It contains individual pictures, college scenes and endorsements. If the group petitions the province, petitions are sent to the Grand Council, Extension Committee, Province President and chapters in the province. If the group petitions Convention the petitions are sent to Grand Council, Extension Committee, all Province Presidents and the chapters in the province, these petitions to be taken to Convention.

A special method of procedure to be sent to a petitioning group as soon as it is found that the group meets the requirements, will be a help and guide to the group and will save much needless correspondence. Printed scholarship requirements will also be added to the Committee supplies to be sent to petitioning groups.

Since the last Convention the Extension Committee has been in correspondence with thirty-nine groups. Of these, eleven have been definitely discouraged for various reasons. Reasons for discouragement have been:

1. Preliminary requirements could not be met.
2. Professional schools not within our jurisdiction.
3. College or university not a desirable field for extension.
4. Opposition by $\Pi \Phi$ chapters, alumnae clubs or individual Π Φ is.

Those discouraged include groups at: Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colorado; Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio; New York State College for Teachers, Watervliet, New York; Marshall College, Huntington, West Virginia; University of Redlands, Redlands California; Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa; Ohio Northern University, Ada, Ohio; Michigan Agricultural College, East Lansing, Michigan; Transylvania College, Lexington, Kentucky; University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee; and Hunter College, New York City.

Eleven groups asked for information but failed to return the

Preliminary Blank. These are University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio; a second group at Michigan Agricultural College, East Lansing, Michigan; a group at Atlanta, Georgia; Battle Creek Normal, Battle Creek, Mich.; Miami University, Oxford, Ohio; a second group at Carroll College, Waukesha, Wis.; the University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah; the faculty of Rollins College, Winter Park, Fla.; and of Illinois Wesleyan at Bloomington, Ill.; Western Reserve, Cleveland, Ohio; and Alfred University, New York City.

Six groups, although facing discouragement, do not wish to take it as final and are working in the preliminary stages. These are: University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Susquehanna University, Lelingsgrove, Pennsylvania; Waynesburg College, Waynesburg, Pennsylvania; The University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky; Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio; and Carroll College, Waukesha, Wisconsin.

Two groups have recently returned the Preliminary Blank; the University of New Mexico, Tucson, New Mexico; and Ohio Wesleyan, Delaware, Ohio. Monmouth College, after many years of prohibiting fraternities, has allowed locals to be established during the past year, which presupposes the establishment of nationals at a later date. The Alumnae of one of the former locals have been in correspondence with Grand Council and the Extension Committee, but no definite steps have been taken.

Three groups will present their Letters of Information at Convention. The University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky, and William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Virginia, can not present formal petitions because of their failure to meet the scholarship requirements. The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, has only been organized about a year and it promises to be a desirable field for extension with an exceptionally strong group with high scholastic standing. The University of Montana has sent out a Letter of Information but cannot petition Convention because of lack of endorsement from a visiting inspector.

Three groups are ready to petition Convention: $\Omega \Phi \Lambda$, of The University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho; $\Lambda \Sigma \Phi$, The University of Chattanooga, Chattanooga, Tennessee; and $B A \Phi$, The University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina. And there may possibly be a fourth, $Z X \Delta$, The University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota.

There have been no charters granted since the last Convention. The Extension Committee has at all times emphasized the extension policy of the fraternity—that of conservative extension. Only groups which have proved to be outstanding groups in a college or university which is a desirable field for extension, have been given any encouragement. Many groups have been discouraged at the time of their application and those groups which have desired to work on in spite of discouragement have been told frankly of the opposition they will

meet and the up-hill struggle it will be in continuing work toward a charter from $\Pi\beta\Phi$.

The committee wishes to thank the Officers, alumnae and chapters of $\Pi\beta\Phi$ for the prompt and helpful replies to all inquiries sent out by the committee. The success of the work of the Extension Committee depends upon this and its importance cannot be over-emphasized.

Respectfully submitted,

GLADYS MADIGAN,
MILDRED B. CATHERS,
RUTH BARRETT SMITH.
VIVIAN BRENGLE KRAUSE, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNITY STUDY AND EXAMINATION

To the Grand Council of $\Pi\beta\Phi$ and to Convention assembled the Chairman of the Committee on Fraternity Study and Examination begs leave to submit the following report for the period 1921-23:

The work of this committee consists in supervising study for active members and pledges and preparing the questions for examination. A radical change was made last fall, when, at the direction of the Grand Council, the chairman was instructed to lay out a course of study which should include all phases of $\Pi\beta\Phi$ activity and which should be covered in three series of announced questions. Accordingly the History, Constitution, etcetera were mapped out and questions covering this year's assignment were prepared. The Study for Pledges was printed several years ago; questions covering that were also sent to the chapters on December 1. As usual, the province supervisors guided the study and every effort was made to insure real study and not cramming. One of the supervisors feels that the answers were merely parrot work but several others are surprised that the replies show such individual thought and mastery of facts. On the whole the chapters seem to like the new arrangement which, of course, is more definite and takes less of their time. The examiners have graded very strictly and one suggests that, with the questions announced, the per cent for the Honor Roll should be higher.

The leading province is Beta (98%) with Pennsylvania A as the highest chapter (99 plus%). Of the sixty-five in our family Pennsylvania A is our ranking chapter. Pennsylvania A and Ohio A tie in the pledge reports while the leading province is Beta. During 1921-22 Beta Province had an average of 90% with Zeta a fraction in the lead and the ranking chapter was Missouri F.

These comparative ratings are always noted with some hesitancy, as, with ten people grading the papers an absolute standard is impossible. Each does her best, however, and the fraternity owes a real debt of gratitude to these ten busy women who conduct the varied correspondence with their chapters during the year and then spend

about forty hours correcting test papers. Although deeply interested in the work and convinced of its usefulness several, including the chairman, are asking to be relieved. The chairman has served the fraternity in an active capacity for thirteen years; five years as Alumnae Editor, three as chairman of the Fellowship Fund Committee and five as chairman of the Study and Examination Committee. During the last period, under the direction of the Grand Council, the Committee has published a Study for Pledges, and a Handbook of Pi Beta Phi; has instituted study for actives and pledges and introduced a uniform examination for pledges similar to the one for actives. This past year they have begun to lay out a three year course of study and hope by the time college opens in September to send each chapter a pamphlet on Lesson Plans for Pledges.

The years of service have been so rich in friendship and in opportunities to, at least try, to live up to vows made many years ago that the chairman realizes what a loss to herself her resignation will be.

Respectfully submitted,

SOPHIE P. WOODMAN

HONOR ROLL ANNUAL FRATERNITY EXAMINATION

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MAINE A—L. Kincade, E. Kingsbury, M. Manchester, R. Bessey, M. Friend, G. Armstrong, A. Ashley, M. Brackett, H. Douglas, M. Osbourne, M. Pickard, A. Ware.

VERMONT A—M. Axton, H. Bolton, M. Bolton, F. Caswell, M. Hicks, M. Graham, M. Long, M. Prince, B. Stilphen, M. Brown, R. Cowles, H. Field, N. Foster, H. Lingham, A. Wilkinson, H. Newton, H. Stone, D. Tellapaugh.

VERMONT B—F. Farr, P. Parlin, A. Sargent, M. Goodwin, M. Holman, D. Lang, A. Martin, E. Pollard, D. Smith, C. Chamberland, C. Goodsell, R. Moody, C. Somerville.

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PENNSYLVANIA Γ —M. Chambers, H. Conklin, G. Cooper, E. Epright, E. Filler, J. Hagerty, A. Kimmel, C. Learned, D. Line, M. Mountz, B. Raine, H. Shaub, K. Stevens, L. Tobias, F. Worstall.

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WEST VIRGINIA A—D. Bone, J. Cavens, L. D. Blatchford, A. England, M. Friend, E. Glenn, G. Hill, F. Juhling, L. Loehr, L. Martin, V. McNary, M. McNeill, F. McNinch, G. Muhleman, F. Sanders, F. Sprigg, R. Wade, M. Wieda.

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COLUMBIA A—N. Anderson, F. Berryman, M. Bowie, E. Booth, R. Foster, M. Gerry, M. Girts, R. Holmes, D. Haddox, M. Kayser, E. Kendrick, A. Mallan, Hellen Myers, M. Ruddiman, M. Schaaff, J. Stophlet, A. Waring, L. Williams, K. Wrenn.

VIRGINIA A—M. Akers, D. Arnold, M. L. Bradford, E. Chesterman, L. Drewry, M. Gilmer, M. L. Green, P. S. Jones, B. King, S. W. Mason, C. Page, K. Pewett, D. Potts, E. Prewitt, E. Ribble, N. Stinnett, A. Wood, A. Young.

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ILLINOIS Z—H. Barrett.

ILLINOIS H—H. Hayes, H. Crowder, M. Dewein, H. Jones, T. Scott.

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IOWA Γ—E. Daubenberger, M. Duke, D. Harriman, C. Jordan, E. Peterson, B. Taylor, F. Todd, M. Wilson, R. Barton, M. Dewell, K. Goepfinger, D. Kenworthy, L. Armstrong, A. Havner, D. McCarroll.

IOWA Z—L. Bowe, D. Norton, H. Thompson, P. Tinley, L. Westfall, K. Cox, E. Cotton, G. DeWolf, F. Williams, L. Lindeman, V. Lindeman, E. Shope.

MISSOURI A—J. Asbury, C. Bankhead, E. Estes, M. Fithian, M. Lewis, M. Robinett, T. Coleman, R. Blecher, J. Logan, R. Rea, C. Clark, M. Frank, V. Hale, S. Hickok, M. Williams.

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ETA PROVINCE

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KANSAS A—R. Ohmer, E. Heryer, C. Redman.

KANSAS B—D. Churchward, F. Martin, J. Caton, E. Fairchild, M. Higginbotham, A. L. Moore, E. Timmons.

WYOMING A—J. Beck, L. Tanner, R. Hasbrouck, I. Ward, B. Appleby, L. Haworth, N. Jones, R. Kimball.

COLORADO A—L. Cowan, M. McGowan, I. Mason, E. Noonan, A. Seal, H. Williams, R. Lannon, M. Larrick, J. Hastings.

COLORADO B—None.

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OKLAHOMA B—V. Bagby, J. Hale, M. Maroney, L. Glazner, W. Owen, E. Rouse, C. Edwards, B. Stewart.

LOUISIANA A—R. Burgess, A. De Buys, D. Felker, E. Stewart, W. Shields, U. Milner, A. Woaten.

ARKANSAS A—M. Campbell, C. Holmes, E. Russell, L. Turley, W. Johnson.

TEXAS A—H. Harris, J. Guthrie, M. B. Hubrich, E. Hughs, M. Milburn.

TEXAS B—W. Dees, E. Adams, L. Hines, E. Pierce, J. McGuire.

IOTA PROVINCE

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WASHINGTON A—D. Aldwell, D. Brassington, B. Ehrlich, G. Gemmel, D. Dunbar, H. Garretson, A. Calhoun, J. Cole, S. McClintock.

WASHINGTON B—R. Inkster, J. Oliver, M. Perry, R. Turner, R. Davis, M. Hackett, B. Turnley, L. Stone, L. Webber, L. Magee, C.

Bickelhaupt, H. Campbell, R. Chandler, M. Freakes, I. Getsman.
 OREGON A—M. Brown, M. Stauffer, M. Winbigler, P. Eakin, M.
 Watson.

OREGON B—F. Burdon, M. Goddard.

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CALIFORNIA A—F. Kuhne, M. E. Hubbard.

CALIFORNIA B—V. Cumming, V. Norwell, M. Rowe.

CALIFORNIA F—F. Mullin, G. Kelly, D. Haldeman.

ARIZONA A—E. March, D. Crepin, C. Fowler, Mary Franklin.

NEVADA A—B. Blattner, L. Grubman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SURVEY AND STANDARD- IZATION

For the Committee on Survey and Standardization the Chairman respectfully submits the following report:

This committee has endeavored, during this biennium, to follow in the footsteps of the last committee of which the Grand President was chairman. Reports on each of the 65 active chapters from national officers, province presidents and committee chairmen were graded into classes 1 through 5 (1 exceptionally strong; 5 exceptionally weak) on the following characteristics: I. Character of chapter—local or national, II. Co-operation, III. Sense of obligation to the national organization, IV. Place in college regard, V. Place in student activities, VI. Panhellenic relations, VII. Internal development, VIII. Standards, IX. Initiation versus graduation, X. Scholarship. The final ratings on each of these characteristics were then averaged. These averages represent the final standing of each chapter for the year. From these averages the chapters were given serial numbers, 1 to 65, the chapter averaging highest being placed 1, next highest 2, etc. Chapter ratings on each characteristic with final average and rank are shown by Table I. Each chapter delegate will probably wish to copy down her own chapter, record and give it careful study.

As the work of the committee on Survey and Standardization has continued now through one full college generation or four years, the chairman thought it might be worth while to make such tables and charts as would show the record of the chapters for four years. Table 2 and the large chart show the final averages and serial numbers 1-65, (with such skips as were necessary when there were less than 65 chapters) for the four years. Any chapter's record can be found and its tendency estimated by noting the serial numbers which represent its place in the national organization, in the successive years. Of course, the object of thus ranking the chapters was not to discourage or depreciate any groups but to inspire them to improve their rank or to maintain their high place if they rated high. To illustrate: Louisiana A has a remarkable record during the four years, ranking 63 in 1920, raising that to 18 in 1921 and then to 4 last year and this year

reaching first place. To give another illustration: New York Γ has held a place in the first nine chapters during each of the four years, ranking successively 1, 5, 2, 9. Each chapter should note first where she stands among the 65 chapters and second and of greater importance how she stands this year with reference to last year and this biennium with reference to last biennium asking the questions: Have we improved? Have we held our own? Or have we dropped back?

The following chapters show marked improvement this year over last: Missouri Γ gained 53 places; New York A, 46; Vermont A, 44; Pennsylvania Δ , 37.5; Iowa A, 36.5; Pennsylvania Γ , 34; and Indiana A, 31.5.

The following chapters dropped back over 30 places: Colorado B, Vermont B, Montana A, Virginia A, New York Δ , and Oklahoma A.

During the biennium, the following chapters have climbed upward over 20 places as follows: Louisiana A gaining 38; Oregon A, 36; Missouri B, 26; Illinois H, 24; Ontario A, 21. (The following chapters should give careful thought to the fact that they show a downward tendency of 30 or more points: Indiana Δ , Wyoming A, Kansas A, Massachusetts A, Colorado A, Pennsylvania A, and Nebraska B).

Some chapters have held relatively high, medium or low position in the fraternity during all four of the years. New York Γ has the highest average during the four years. Two other chapters Virginia B and Washington B have also maintained high records during all four years. Three chapters, Wisconsin B, Indiana Γ , and Texas B, are holding their own as good average chapters of the fraternity with their relative positions varying only a few places during the four years. (Five chapters, Indiana B, Illinois Δ , Maryland A, Washington B, and Illinois Z, are maintaining about the same relative position from year to year, but they could strive to raise that position to a higher average). Louisiana A, Pennsylvania Δ , Oregon A, and Texas A each show very marked annual improvement in their scores. (Unfortunately New York Δ , Columbia A, and California A seem to be on a toboggan.)

The committee is deeply appreciative of the cooperation which they have received from the many people asked to report to them. We would welcome suggestions as to how we could be of greater service to the active chapters.

Respectfully submitted,

HAZEL M. HARWOOD

COMMITTEE ON SURVEY AND STANDARDIZATION
COMMITTEEMAN SUMMARY
1922-1923

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ALPHA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Ont. Alpha	3	3	1.67	2	1	2	1	2	3	1	1.967	25
Me. Alpha	5	4	2.67	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	3.067	61
Vt. Alpha	3	2	1.62	1	1	2	3	2	1	2	1.862	14
Vt. Beta	3	3	2.31	4	3	3	4	3	3	3	3.131	62
Mass. Alpha	3	3	2.33	2	3	1	3	2	3	4	2.633	55.5
N. Y. Alpha	1	2	1.87	2	1	2	1	1	3	4	1.887	17
N. Y. Gamma	2	1	1.62	2	2	2	1	3	1	2	1.762	9
N. Y. Delta	3	2	2.33	3	2	2	4	2	1	5	2.633	55.5

BETA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Pa. Alpha	2	3	2.75	1.8	2	2	2.75	1.75	2	1	2.105	34
Pa. Beta	3	2	1.25	1.8	2	1	2	1.12	2	1	1.517	5
Pa. Gamma	3	2	2.25	1.9	2.25	2	1.12	1.87	2	1	1.939	23
Pa. Delta	2	1	1.25	1.9	4	1.75	2.25	1	3	1	1.852	12.5
O. Alpha	3	2	1.75	1.6	2	1.75	1.75	1.12	4	1	1.997	27
O. Beta	1	2	2.00	1.9	1.7	2	2.87	1.75	2	2	1.927	26
W. Va. Alpha	2	4	3.00	2	2	1.75	3.12	1.8	1	2	2.267	41.5

GAMMA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Md. Alpha	3	2	2.83	2	1	2	3	2	3	4	2.48	51
D. C. Alpha	1	2	2.16	1.8	2.5	2	1.83	1.87	3	2.33	2.04	30
Va. Alpha	3	2	1.93	2	3	2	3.75	2.5	3	1	2.41	49
Va. Beta	3	2	1.75	1	1	2	1	2	4	1	1.87	16
Fla. Alpha	3	2	2.16	2	2	2	2.25	2.5	4	2	2.39	48
Fla. Beta	3	2	1.67	1	2	2	2	2	4	1	2.06	32

DELTA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Mich. Alpha	3	3	1.67	2	2	3	3	2	2	4	2.56	53.5
Mich. Beta	3	3	1.67	2	3	2	3	2	2	4	2.56	53.5
Ind. Beta	3	3	1.67	3	3	2	3	2	4	2	2.66	57
Ind. Alpha	2	2	1.33	1	2	2	1	2	4	2	1.93	21.5
Ind. Gamma	2	2	1.67	3	2	2	3	2	3	1	2.16	37
Ind. Delta	3	3	2.00	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	2.50	52

ZETA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Ia. Alpha	3	1.5	1.58	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.75	1.6	2	1	1.74	8
Ia. Beta	2	1	1.00	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1.30	2
Ia. Gamma	2	1.75	1.97	2	2	2.2	1.5	1.12	3	3	2.05	31
Ia. Zeta	2.5	2.5	2.94	2.8	2.2	2.55	2.75	2.5	3	4	2.77	59
Mo. Alpha	2	1.5	2	1.9	1.87	2.5	2	1.19	2	3	2.01	29
Mo. Beta	2	2	1.62	1.25	1.6	2.25	1.8	1.25	3	4	2.13	29
Mo. Gamma	2	1.5	1.3	1.3	1	1.25	1.4	1.5	4	1	1.62	6

EPSILON PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Minn. Alpha	2	1.5	1.75	2	2.50	2.25	2	1.5	2	2	1.97	26
Wis. Alpha	1.5	2.5	2.50	2	2.5	2.5	2	1.5	3	2	2.20	38
Wis. Beta	2.5	2.5	2.25	1.5	1.5	2.5	2.5	2	3	2	2.22	39
Ill. Beta	3	2	1.67	2	3	2	3	2	3	1	2.267	41.5
Ill. Delta	2	2	2.33	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2.13	35
Ill. Epsilon	2	2	2.00	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	2.00	28
Ill. Zeta	2	2	3.33	2	2	2	2	2	3	4	2.43	50
Ill. Eta	2	1	1.33	1	2	2	1	1	5	2	1.83	10
N. Dakota Alpha	4	2	1.5	2	3	2	3	2	2	1	2.25	40

ETA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Neb. Beta	3.5	3.5	3.00	3	3	2.5	4	3.25	3	4	3.22	63
Kan. Alpha	2.5	2.50	2.50	1.5	2	3	2	2	5	5	2.70	58
Kan. Beta	2.5	1.5	2.25	1.5	1.5	3	2.5	2	4	2	2.27	44
Wyo. Alpha	2	4	2.5	1	2	1	3	2	5	1	2.35	47
Colo. Alpha	1.5	1.5	2.00	1.5	3	2.5	2	1	3	3	2.10	33
Colo. Beta	3.5	3	3.00	3	3	3	4.5	2	5	5	3.50	65

THETA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Okla. Alpha	3	2.5	3.25	3	2	2.5	3.5	3	4	4	2.97	60
Okla. Beta	1.5	1.5	1.00	1	1.5	2.5	2	1.5	5	5	1.93	21.5
Ark. Alpha	3	3	4.33	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	3.259	64
Tex. Alpha	1	1	2.00	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1.33	3
Tex. Beta	1	1	2.67	1	3	1	2	1	4	4	1.85	12.5
La. Alpha	1	1	1.33	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.036	1

IOTA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Mont. Alpha	2	2	3	1	1	1	3	2	4	4	2.30	46
Wash. Alpha	2.5	1.5	2.25	2	2	2.5	2.5	2.5	4	1	2.27	44
Wash. Beta	1	1	1.5	1	1.5	1.5	1	1	3	1	1.35	4
Ore. Alpha	1	1	2.25	1	1	2.5	1	1	3	3	1.67	7
Ore. Beta	2	1.5	2.25	1	2	3	1.5	1.5	4	4	2.27	44

KAPPA PROVINCE

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	Average	Rank
Cal. Alpha	1.5	2	2.06	1.06	2	3	1.05	1.06	3	2	1.91	19
Cal. Beta	2	1	1.56	1.8	2	2.5	1	1.06	4	2	1.89	18
Cal. Gamma	1	1	1.87	1.1	1.5	3	1	1.19	5	2	1.86	15
Ariz. Alpha	2	1	2.06	1.1	2	2.5	2.12	1.56	3	1	1.83	11
Nev. Alpha	3	1	1.87	1.1	2.5	3.5	2.12	1.5	3	2	1.95	24

ALPHA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Ont. Alpha	2.5	46.5	2.25	35.5	1.82	15	1.96	25
Me. Alpha	not installed		1.39	4	3.75	65	3.06	61
Vt. Alpha	2.9	57	2.18	32	2.99	58	1.86	14
Vt. Beta	2.33	35.5	2.65	49	1.77	10.5	3.13	62
Mass. Alpha	2.33	35.5	2.00	19.5	3.19	62	2.63	55.5
N. Y. Alpha	2.71	54	3.02	60	3.28	63	1.88	17
N. Y. Gamma	1.17	1	1.45	5	1.30	2	1.76	9
N. Y. Delta	1.67	7	2.35	37	2.01	20	2.63	55.5

BETA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Pa. Alpha	1.54	4	2.12	27	2.58	48	2.10	34
Pa. Beta	2.11	24	2.02	22	2.22	30	1.51	5
Pa. Gamma	2.35	39	3.16	62	2.88	57	1.93	23
Pa. Delta	3.30	62	2.80	57	2.67	50	1.85	12.5
Ohio Alpha	1.88	13	2.68	52	2.72	51.5	1.99	22
Ohio Beta	2.34	38	2.12	27	2.36	40	1.92	20
W. Va. Alpha	1.82	9	2.07	24.5	2.04	23	2.26	41.5

GAMMA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Md. Alpha	2.36	41	2.5	43	2.55	47	2.48	51
D. C. Alpha	1.38	3	1.15	1	1.81	13.5	2.04	30
Va. Alpha	2.05	19.5	1.35	3	1.72	9	2.41	49
Va. Beta	2.01	17	1.63	8	1.79	12	1.87	16
Fla. Alpha	2.12	26	1.68	11	2.28	35.5	2.39	48
Fla. Beta					2.08	24.5	2.06	32

DELTA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Mich. Alpha	2.52	48	3.5	65	2.34	39	2.56	53.5
Mich. Beta	2.5	46.5	1.55	6	2.26	33.5	2.56	53.5
Indiana Beta	2.62	60	2.25	63	2.87	56	2.66	57
Indiana Alpha	3.01	52	3.25	35.5	2.74	53	1.93	21.5
Indiana Gamma	2.15	27.5	2.5	43	2.19	29	2.16	37
Indiana Delta			1.33	2	3.66	64	2.5	52

EPSILON PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Minn. Alpha	2.57	51	1.85	16.5	2.15	28	1.97	26
Wis. Alpha	2.20	29.5	29.5	59	2.32	38	2.20	38
Wis. Beta	2.33	35	2.5	43	2.45	42.5	2.22	39
Ill. Beta	2.87	55	3.37	64	2.45	42.5	2.26	41.5
Ill. Delta	2.37	42	2.37	38	2.47	44.5	2.13	35
Ill. Epsilon	2.15	27.5	3.05	61	2.75	54	2.00	28
Ill. Zeta	3.35	64	2.54	46	2.50	46	2.43	50
Ill. Eta	2.25	32	2.83	58	2.25	31.5	1.83	10
N. Dak. Alpha					2.25	31.5	2.25	40

ZETA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Iowa Alpha	3	58	2	19.5	2.47	44.5	1.74	8
Iowa Beta	2.06	19.5	2.12	27	1.81	13.5	1.30	2
Iowa Gamma	2.55	49	2.07	24.5	2.08	24.5	2.05	31
Iowa Zeta	2.98	57	2.43	39	2.31	37	2.77	59
Mo. Alpha	2	16	1.35	16.5	2.39	41	2.01	29
Mo. Beta	3.27	61	27	53.5	2.12	26	2.13	36
Mo. Gamma	3.18	60	27	53.5	3.01	59	1.62	6

ETA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Neb. Beta	2.38	43	2.23	33	3.12	61	3.22	63
Kan. Alpha	2.02	18	1.66	9	2.28	35.5	2.70	58
Kan. Beta	2.07	22	1.84	14	1.87	17	2.27	44
Wyo. Alpha	1.55	6	1.81	13	3.03	60	2.35	47
Colo. Alpha	1.38	2	16	7	2.26	38.5	1.10	33
Colo. Beta	1.93	14	2.24	34	1.60	7	3.50	65

THETA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Okla. Alpha	3.56	65	2.05	23	2.14	27	2.97	60
Okla. Beta	1.83	11	2.65	49	1.35	3	1.93	21.5
Ark. Alpha	1.87	12	2.75	65	2.72	51.5	3.25	64
Tex. Alpha	2.10	23	2.17	29.5	1.83	16	1.33	3
Tex. Beta	2.20	29.5	2.17	29.5	2.02	21	1.85	12.5
La. Alpha	3.33	63	1.95	18	1.42	4	1.03	1

IOTA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Wash. Alpha	2.65	53	2.65	49	2.77	55	2.27	44.5
Mont. Alpha					1.16	1	2.30	46
Wash. Beta	1.77	8	1.80	12	1.68	8	1.35	4
Ore. Alpha	2.45	44	2.47	41	1.35	6	1.67	7
Ore. Beta	2.30	33	2.52	47	2.86	49	2.27	44.5

KAPPA PROVINCE

NAME	1919-1920		1920-1921		1921-1922		1922-1923	
	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank	Rating	Rank
Cal. Alpha					1.45	5	1.91	19
Cal. Beta					1.77	10.5	1.89	18
Cal. Gamma					2.00	19	1.86	16
Ariz. Alpha					1.89	18	1.83	11
Nev. Alpha					2.03	22	1.95	24

REPORT OF COMMITTEE FOR ATTENDANCE CUP

	<i>Total No.</i>		<i>Actives</i>		<i>Total Enrollment</i>
	<i>Present</i>	<i>Mileage</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Active Enrollment</i>	
Illinois E	20	1,118	10	35	387
Ohio B	14	1,435	11	23	306
Indiana Γ	15	1,288	3	29	241

Point I. MILEAGE

(Counting 50%)

Illinois E	$20 \times 1118 = 22,360$	50%
Ohio B	$14 \times 1435 = 20,090$	40%
Indiana Γ	$18 \times 1218 = 21,924$	49%

Point II. PROPORTION OF ACTIVES PRESENT TO ACTIVE ENROLLMENT

(Counting 25%)

Illinois E	$10/35 = .285 = 14.25\%$
Ohio B	$11/23 = .478 = 25.00\%$
Indiana Γ	$3/29 = .103 = 5.25\%$

Point III. PROPORTION OF TOTAL PRESENT TO TOTAL ENROLLMENT

Illinois E	$20/387 = .052 = 18.00\%$
Ohio B	$14/306 = .045 = 15.00\%$
Indiana Γ	$18/241 = .074 = 25.00\%$

	Point I	Point II	Point III	Total
Illinois E	50%	14.25%	18%	82.25%
Ohio B	40%	25.00%	15%	80.00%
Indiana Γ	49%	5.25%	25%	79.25%

(Calculation done by Lena Harper Trott, Colorado B, Louise Nell Tasher, Colorado B, Edith Valet Cook, New York B)

Respectfully submitted,

SOPHIE P. WOODMAN, CHAIRMAN

Two points of interest were brought out at the banquet in connection with the report and award of the attendance cup. First, the chapter which won this cup at the last convention won the Balfour Cup in June 1923: Louisiana A. Secondly, in making the award, Miss Woodman stated that at Swarthmore in 1910 the first presentation had taken place and called upon the chapter winning the cup at each Convention to rise. The result was:

- 1910—Nebraska B at Swarthmore.
- 1912—New York B at Evanston.
- 1915—Missouri Γ at Berkeley.
- 1918—Texas B at Charlevoix.
- 1921—Louisiana A at Charlevoix.
- 1923—Illinois E at Estes Park.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON THE UNDERGRADUATE LOAN FUND

The Chairman of the Committee on the Undergraduate Loan Fund submits the following report:

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FROM JULY 1921 TO JUNE 1923.

Receipts:

Grand Treasury (\$400 from Alumnae Dept). -----	\$1,000.00	
Alumnae Clubs -----	154.54	
Chapters -----	39.15	
Repaid Loans -----	960.00	
Interest on Loans -----	119.30	
		\$2,272.99
Balance June, 1921 -----		\$2,529.43
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		\$2,702.42

Expenditures:

1921-22 Loans -----	\$ 600.00	
1922-23 Loans -----	1,050.00	
		\$1,650.00
Balance June, 1923 -----		\$1,052.42

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR 1922-23

Receipts:

Grand Treasury -----	\$300.00	
Repaid Loans -----	860.00	
Interest on Loans -----	16.80	
Alumnae Club—Boston, Mass. -----	5.00	
Buffalo, N. Y. -----	5.00	
Burlington, Vt. -----	5.00	
Franklin, Ind. -----	5.00	
New Orleans, La. -----	25.00	
Northern New York -----	5.00	
Portland, Ore -----	10.00	
Richmond, Va. -----	20.00	
Rochester, N. Y. -----	10.00	
Springfield, Mo. -----	5.00	
Toronto, Canada -----	15.00	
Active Chapters (Arizona Alpha) -----	1.15	
Indiana Alpha -----	15.00	
Indiana Delta -----	5.00	
Texas Beta -----	5.00	
		\$1,325.95
		776.47
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		\$2,102.42

Expenditures:

9 loans of \$100 -----	\$900.00	
3 loans of \$50 -----	150.00	
		\$1,050.00
Balance May 31, 1923 -----		\$1,052.42

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF LOAN FUND SINCE ITS ESTABLISHMENT
IN 1912

The following table will show to what extent the Loan Fund has grown since its establishment as permanent in 1912, the loans granted, the amounts repaid, etc.:

From—	
Grand Treasury (\$900 from Alumnae Dept.)	\$3,350.00
Alumnae Clubs	291.29
Active Chapters	52.15
Gifts from Individuals	57.00
"Convention Daily"	80.00
"Convention Year Book"	15.00
Interest on Loans	101.98
Total May 31, 1923	\$3,957.42

YEAR	Loans Granted	Loans Repaid	Outstanding Loans	Balance
1912-13	\$ 225			
1913-14	200			
1914-15	200			
1915-16	450			
1916-17	455	\$ 250		
1917-18	400	175		
1918-19	250			
1919-20	525	540		
1920-21	1,175	710		
1921-22	600	100		
1922-23	1,050	860	\$2,289	
11 years	\$5,530	\$2,635	\$2,895	\$1,052.42

The Loan Fund is gradually becoming a factor in the national work of $\Pi B \Phi$. At each Convention we have been able to report a greater number of girls who have received assistance from our fraternity in time of financial distress.

Requests for information, usually resulting in loans, have been received from the Pacific to the Atlantic. The loans during the current year have numbered twelve and totalled \$1,050. Of the ten students aided, two were juniors, seven were seniors and one a graduate who needed a six weeks' course at a Y. W. C. A. Training School before assuming a position of responsibility. The loan last mentioned was granted for a short period and has been promptly cancelled.

The generosity of the last Convention and the support of Chapters and Clubs have enabled the work of the Loan Fund to continue on so large a scale. Today, 'tis true, the balance to our credit is gratifying but only \$100 of the \$960 repaid during the interim of conventions was received before April 15, 1922, the date upon which the accounts of the Loan Fund were closed last year.

The above table shows that the total loans granted to date amount to \$5,530 while the Loan Fund itself amounts to only \$3,947.42. $\Pi B \Phi$ has untold wealth in this "rolling stock," not only in dollars and cents accumulated but also in the gratitude engendered in the hearts of every $\Pi \Phi$ who has received assistance.

The chairman calls your attention to the present financial condition of the Loan Fund. On April 31, of this year there was a balance of \$1,052.42. A loan of \$100 has already been granted to one of next year's seniors and another senior has applied for a loan. Thus this balance will be cut by \$200.00. We have outstanding loans as follows:

\$445, overdue and drawing interest
 \$600, due July 1, of this year.
 \$300, due July 1, 1924.
 \$1,250, due July 1, 1925.
 \$200, due July 1, 1926.
 \$100, due July 1, 1928.

Of the \$445 now overdue, the time on one loan of \$200.00 has been extended and as yet we have received no assurance that the balance of \$245 will be repaid this year. As regards the \$600 falling due July of this year, \$100 has been paid since closing the accounts April 31; an extension of time has been asked for the payment of one loan of \$100 and the remainder to date have not been heard from. The above facts indicate that if the number of applications for loans for the ensuing year do not increase, the present Loan Fund moneys will be sufficient to meet all demands. On the contrary the financial outlook for the entire country is not promising enough to warrant the supposition that there will be no increase in the number of applications for aid, and furthermore our aim is to help an ever increasing number of girls if the occasions present themselves. When the latter year of the next "interim" is reached with only \$300 falling due, the Loan Fund may be without sufficient funds to meet the demands unless Convention repeats its generosity of two years ago and unless the clubs and chapters continue their support. After 1925, with \$1,250 becoming due that year, the Loan Fund should be self-supporting and, we trust, will total \$5,000 on that date.

The loans in most instances are paid when due. The few exceptions seem occasioned by illness or other untoward circumstances. Keen appreciation of the Loan Fund has been so frequently expressed that the committee feels that the girls realize their responsibility in discharging their debts and gratitude for the assistance they have been rendered. The Committee also feels that ultimately the Loan Fund should be adequate to help every deserving $\Pi\Phi$ who finds herself without sufficient means to complete her college course. Furthermore $\Pi\Phi$ should feel no humiliation in applying for the Loan Fund for aid.

The Committee wishes to thank all who have contributed so generously since last Convention. We wish that every club may remember the Loan Fund in their budget. We wish especially to commend the active chapters who have added to the Fund.

We urge those now benefitting from the Loan Fund to pay their loans promptly and not retard other deserving girls from receiving the same assistance that aided them in obtaining a college education.

In closing a long term of service the chairman wishes to thank all who have worked with her to make Π Beta Φ 's Loan Fund a reality, and all who have contributed to the growth of the Fund. It has been a pleasure to have taken an interest in worthy $\Pi\Phi$ throughout the length and breadth of the land.

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE L. BRADLEE

REPORT OF THE FELLOWSHIP FUND COMMITTEE

The Chairman of the Fellowship Fund Committee Submits the Following Report to the Grand Council and Convention Assembled:

The work of the Fellowship Fund committee this year has proceeded the same as shown in previous reports with each com-

mittee member writing and collecting funds from her respective chapters and clubs. Most of the provinces have shown hearty co-operation, Alpha, Epsilon, Zeta and Kappa have kept to their usual standard, which is always fine. Beta, Delta and Iota fell somewhat below, while Gamma, Eta and Theta show a splendid increase. Gamma province was without a representative until February when Mildred K. Bissell most capably took up the work and received a response from all chapters and from all clubs in the province. To her and to Alpha province and Dorothy Cleaveland goes the honor of 100 per cent provinces.

For new work this year the committee had printed about 3700 coin folders and mailed them out to the isolated alumnae. As this was only done in April a complete report of this project cannot be made at this time—but the committee is very much in hopes that a goodly sum will be added to the fund through this channel. About \$68.00 has been received thus far.

As the responses from the chapters and clubs have become more general, would convention advocate that the committee emphasize the increasing of the contributions, in order to complete the fund by 1925? This was the time set to complete the fund when this committee was first organized, but with the interruption caused by the war it has made it doubtful whether it will be possible or not. We would have to raise about \$170.00 in each province for the next two years in order to do this. Of course, we do not want to interfere with the Settlement School donations, but we would be able to turn our entire interest to the Settlement School, the Loan Fund and other $\Pi\Phi$ interests, if we could speedily get this endowment raised for the Fellowship. The committee I am sure, will do its part provided we have the promised help from the chapters and clubs.

The chairman would like to take this opportunity to thank her committee members for their hearty co-operation.

THE FINANCIAL REPORT SINCE THE OCTOBER ARROW (1922)
IS AS FOLLOWS:

ALPHA PROVINCE, DOROTHY CLEAVELAND, COMMITTEE
MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Massachusetts A	5.00	Toronto	\$15.00
Ontario A	10.00	Boston	5.00
Vermont A	15.00	Western Mass.	5.00
Vermont B	10.00	Burlington	5.00
New York A	10.00	New York City	20.00
New York F	10.00	Syracuse	10.00
New York Δ	10.00	Rochester	5.00
Maine A	5.00	Buffalo	5.00
		Northern New York	5.00
		Connecticut	5.00
		Isolated Alumnae	21.05
Total	-----		\$176.05

BETA PROVINCE, HELEN WITMER, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Pennsylvania A	\$10.00	Akron	\$10.00
Pennsylvania B	10.00	Columbus	10.00
Pennsylvania Δ	5.00	Ohio Gamma Alumnae	5.00
Pennsylvania Γ	10.00	Philadelphia	10.00
Ohio A	15.00	Toledo	5.00
		Isolated Alumnae	12.00
Total			\$102.00

GAMMA PROVINCE, MILDRED K. BISSELL, COM. MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Maryland A	\$10.00	Baltimore	\$10.00
Columbia A	10.00	Richmond	10.00
Virginia A	10.00	Washington D. C.	10.00
Virginia B	10.00	Atlanta	5.00
Florida A	1.00	North Carolina	5.00
Florida B	5.00		
Total			\$ 95.00

DELTA PROVINCE, EMILY HELMING, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Indiana A	\$ 5.00	Franklin	\$ 5.00
Indiana Δ	10.00	Indianapolis	10.00
Total			\$ 30.00

EPSILON PROVINCE, EDNA BROWN, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Minnesota A	\$10.00	Beloit	\$ 5.00
Wisconsin A	10.00	Carthage	4.50
Wisconsin B	10.00	Chicago	10.00
Illinois B	10.00	Minneapolis & St. Paul	10.00
Illinois Δ	5.00	Peoria	5.00
Illinois E	10.00	Champaign	5.00
Illinois H	10.00	Isolated Alumnae	5.00
North Dakota A	10.00		
Total			\$119.50

ZETA PROVINCE, FRANCIS MITCHELL, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Iowa A	5.00	Burlington	\$ 5.00
Iowa B	10.00	Cedar Rapids	5.00
Iowa Γ	25.00	Des Moines	5.00
Iowa Z	20.00	Indianola	5.00
Missouri B	10.00	Iowa City	3.00
Missouri Γ	10.00	Kansas City	10.00
		St. Louis	10.00
		Springfield	10.00
		Sioux City	10.00
Total			\$143.00

ETA PROVINCE, MARGUERITE G. MARTIN, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Nebraska B	\$10.00	Boulder	\$10.00
Kansas A	10.00	Casper	5.00
Kansas B	10.00	Denver	20.00
Wyoming A	10.00	Lawrence	10.00
Colorado A	10.00	Lincoln	5.00
Colorado B	10.00	Sheridan	5.00
		Wyoming	5.00
		Wichita	10.00
Total			\$130.00

THETA PROVINCE, ELEANOR FORWOOD COOKE, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
Oklahoma A	\$15.00	Austin	\$ 5.00
Oklahoma B	10.00	Dallas	5.00
Arkansas A	10.00	Fayetteville & Ft. Smith	5.00
Texas A	5.00	Little Rock	10.00
Texas B	5.00	New Orleans	25.00
Louisiana A	5.00	Houston	10.00
Total			\$110.00

IOTA PROVINCE, ALICE LODGE PEDDYCORD, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters	Clubs
	Portland
Total	\$10.00
	\$ 10.00

KAPPA PROVINCE, MERLE K. SWAIN, COMMITTEE MEMBER

Chapters		Clubs	
California A	\$15.00	Nevada	\$10.00
California B	20.00		
California Γ	20.00		
Arizona A	8.50		
Nevada A	10.00		
Total			\$ 83.50
Personal to Chairman			\$ 14.00
Interest			24.47
Grand Total for the Year			1,037.52
TOTAL in the Fund to Date			\$5,364.65

Respectfully submitted,
MARIE GATES SCHMID

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL EXCHANGE

The Committee On Social Exchange submits the following report:

Two letters have been written by the chairman of this committee to every active chapter of the fraternity and in some cases additional letters have been sent by other members of the committee. Responding to these, practically every chapter has sent us accounts of the most original and successful parties or stunts it has given.

We received on an average of three ideas from each chapter and from these we have filed and had typed eighty-seven clever and attractive entertainment ideas which range from the decidedly informal to the most formal of affairs.

As this committee was appointed only this spring we have had, as yet, very few calls to help the chapters but the material is now available to the entire fraternity and we are most anxious to be of real help to the active chapters next fall, by furnishing ideas for rushing parties and entertainments in general.

The girls are asked to carry on any correspondence, in regard to this work, with the committee member to whom their chapter has been assigned i. e.:

Alpha & Beta Provinces—Mrs. C. M. Clovis, Clarinda, Iowa.
Gamma & Theta—Miss Juanita Bass, 1216 Broadway, New Orleans, La.

Delta & Epsilon—Mrs. Herbert Kellar, 2611 Hartzell St., Evanston, Ill.

Eta & Zeta—Ernstine Biby, 1508 Jewell Ave., Topeka, Kansas.

Iota & Kappa—Dr. Icie Macy, University of California, Berkeley, California.

Respectfully submitted

EDNA WOOD MILLER

REPORT OF THE HEALTH COMMITTEE

The Health Committee submits the following report to the Grand Council for the year 1922-23:

During the year 1922-23 the health committee has endeavored to carry on the policy as outlined in the Secret Arrow of October, 1922.

The work for the year is perhaps best expressed through an analysis of answers to a questionnaire sent to all chapters. All except eight chapters, Illinois Z, Virginia B, Michigan A, Nebraska B, Colorado B, Oklahoma A, Oregon B, and California A responded to the questionnaire. The interest taken in the problems raised was very great in many cases. It is impossible to quote at any length, but most of the answers showed that careful consideration and discussion of the questions had taken place. Several chapters had competent persons, doctors or nurses discuss the questionnaire with them, and aid in the formulating of the answers. Many of the chapters spoke of the Students' Health Departments of their colleges, and of the instruction they received in personal and general hygiene, of the provisions for the prevention of and the care for disease among the students. In some cases college or chapter rules covered some or all the points raised by the questionnaire. A few colleges have health record cards which are issued by the physical education departments. One of these colleges offers prizes for health points as recorded by the cards, or has them count toward a university emblem. The Deans of Women in many of the colleges discuss the various questions raised with the women of the college, and the chapters cooperate with them in endeavoring to live up to college standards.

Local conditions, such as whether the college were a residence one, or the chapter lived in a fraternity house, influenced the answers to a large extent. Some chapters, however, discussed the problems from the larger point of view of the relations of these various questions to health, and particularly the health of the college woman. The opinion was almost unanimous that some health ideal should be set for the chapters, whether expressed as a set of

rules, or merely as an ideal based upon health knowledge, the using of which will lead to healthy, happy womanhood. It is the hope of the health committee that such an ideal may find formal expression in the Convention of 1923.

At the last National Panhellenic Congress our delegate, Dean May L. Keller brought up the question of a National Panhellenic Health Program. This was warmly welcomed. The result was that a unanimous vote of the eighteen national women's organizations was recorded in favor of a health program. The far-reaching effect of this movement should soon be felt. We are proud to feel that Π Β Φ has had the honor in pioneering in this as in other directions. The chairman of our Health Committee asks that a vote of confidence be given her, and permission be granted her to cooperate with the members of the National Committee on a Health program for National Panhellenic Congress.

The chairman of the Health Committee had several meetings with the Educational Committee of the American Social Hygiene Association, but was unable to come to any basis for mutual cooperation. We have still hopes that some arrangement may be possible whereby we can cooperate with the A. S. H. A. The splendid work that they are doing in connection with the Men's Interfraternity Congress makes us anxious to benefit by their experience and advice, should their committee and ours be able to come to some mutual method of procedure. We ask the continued support and confidence of Grand Council in this undertaking.

It has been due to the great distances between members of the committee, that have made impossible personal interviews and consultations, that we are not able to present at this Convention the Health Manual for use in active chapters and alumnae clubs. We crave your leniency in the matter and trust that it will be ready in the fall for use.

May I thank the chapters for their cooperation in carrying out the health program? We feel that through the year a deeper interest in matters of health has been aroused among individual members and chapters and clubs, and that the results of the health program should be far reaching.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH HEDGES MATZKE

SUGGESTED HEALTH RULES

I. Food and Water:

Three regular meals, one of them substantial, of well-cooked, plain nourishing food; fruit, vegetables and milk daily; avoid eating between meals except perhaps a little fruit. Eat slowly, at least 20 minutes for each meal; abstain, or be very moderate in the use of coffee. Do not indulge too greatly in sweets or pastry. Plenty of water between meals; 6 to 8 glasses of water daily, one on arising.

II. Clothing:

Conservative dressing in loose, plain clothing allowing perfect freedom of movement. Warm clothing for severe weather, rubbers or galoshes when the walks are wet. Low heeled shoes for college wear.

III. Exercise:

A definite amount of exercise daily in the out-of-doors, brisk walks, outdoor sports; $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 hour daily. Corrective exercises done systematically and regularly when necessary.

IV. Elimination:

Let nature function naturally. Warm bath 2 to 5 times a week. Every morning a cool or cold wash of face, neck, chest and arms. No hot baths unless just before retiring. Brush teeth twice daily at least.

V. Rest and Sleep:

Plenty of sleep: 7 to 9 hours. Retire by 11:00 P. M. Proper rest in a well-ventilated room. Regular hours for sleep. Retiring hours and rules for recreation evenings to be kept by entire chapter whether living in a chapter house or outside.

VI. Air:

Make Regulation regarding raising of windows 18 inches in bedroom. Regulation regarding sleeping in dormitory in chapter house unless excused by doctor. 30 deep breaths out doors daily.

VII. Posture:

Conscious posture testing. Employ good posture, erect and dignified. Erect sitting posture in classroom. When carrying books try to balance weight on each side of the body. When dancing be smooth, easy and graceful in movement.

VIII. Attitude of Mind:

Seek some healthful and enjoyable form of recreation as daily relaxation from study. Alternate work and play. Don't rush madly about trying to do ten things where you should do only two. Don't worry, be happy and cheerful. Keep busy.

IX. Miscellaneous:

No use of drugs unless prescribed by physician. Correct illumination when studying. Physical examination at beginning of the term. Prompt medical attention in case of illness. In case of serious illness, patient must be removed to Infirmary. Girls suffering from colds shall keep away from the rest of the chapter. Have specially marked towels. Avoid excess of dancing.

REPORTS OF CHAPTER DELEGATES TO THE TWENTY-SIXTH BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF PI BETA PHI

ONTARIO A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 7, active members 30. 1922-1923: initiates 8, active members 28. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 20; resident alumnae 56; total membership 130.

II. Honors. 4 first class honors, 7 second class honors, 1 Hamilton Fisk Biggar scholarship in household economics, 1 Edward Blake scholarship in modern languages; chapter ranked second among women's fraternities in scholarship; 3 class vice-presidents, 9 members of class executives, 1 representative to S. C. A. cabinet, 1 vice-president of Political economy club, 2 members women student's administrative council, 2 on executive of women's undergraduate association, 1 on university college undergraduate council, 1 on literary society executive, 1 senior representative to women's inter-collegiate debating union, 2 on social service committee, 1 reporter on "Varsity", 1 women's managing editor of "Varsity", 1 member athletic directorate, 1 president U. of T. women's hockey club, 1 manager U. of T. women's hockey team, 3 members college hockey team, 3 members college swimming team, 3 members college baseball team, 2 members college basketball team, 2 members of U. of T. women's basketball team.

III. Chapter Work. Recognition pin presented to freshman making highest grade, and shield awarded to sophomore taking highest standing. Compulsory for all members to put in a required amount of study each day, and to report weekly to the scholarship committee; fines for failure to fulfill this requirement. Weekly pledge meetings conducted by a senior, for pledge examination study. Each pledge receives special care and guidance by a senior or junior. Pledges manage one of the chapter's social affairs, and are required to present 2 original songs and a yell at the initiation banquet. They attend weekly suppers preceding active chapter meetings. Chapter divided into teams to raise money for charities; \$15 donated to Canadian Student Conference, \$20 to Settlement School. Dolls dressed for university settlement for Christmas, and one girl placed herself at disposal of settlement an afternoon each week. Dr. Edith Gordon spoke to the chapter several times on health and the health program, answered questions and had the girls fill out a questionnaire for her.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Membership campaign included teas, luncheons, motoring parties, 1 dance and 1 cabaret dinner. Initiation banquet and annual dance, birthday party, Founders' Day theatre party and banquet with the alumnae, bridge for funds for charity, annual 10-days houseparty at Georgian Bay. 1922-1923: Teas, luncheons, bridges, 1 dance and 1 cabaret dinner, for rushing; initiation banquet and annual dance, birthday cooky-shines and Founders' Day banquet with the alumnae, mothers' tea, 2 tea-dances and 1 bridge for charity funds; annual 10-days house-party at Georgian Bay.

V. Chapter House. A rented room within 7 minutes walk of the campus. China and glassware, a door-knocker, a set of curtains and a table lamp have been added to furnishings.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae attend as many active meetings and cooky-shines as possible; chapter executive works in co-operation with alumnae advisory committee; active and alumnae

members become intimately acquainted at annual house-party; alumnae greatly assist in rushing and usually take entire charge of one party, besides lending their homes for others. Each active girl has a Big Sister among the alumnae, and the annual letter keeps out-of-town alumnae informed of chapter activities.

MARGARET SPENCE

MAINE A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates, 9; active members 21. 1922-1923: initiates, 5; active members 17. May 1, 1923: resident active members, 16; total membership, 56.

II. Honors. 1 member $\Phi K \Phi$; chapter third in scholarship; 1 social editor, 1 alumni editor, and 5 reporters for college weekly, "The Campus"; 2 members of Contributors Club (literary); 1 president of Y. W. C. A. 1 chairman social committee; 1 chairman world fellowship committee; 1 secretary student government association; 1 junior delegate to student government conference at Randolph-Macon College; 1 vice-president, 4 members of Latin club; 3 Spanish; 2 members of Bangor symphony orchestra; 1 winner of "M" in tennis, 1 winner of class numerals; 1 winner of medal for expert rifleman; 1 treasurer, 2 members of rifle club; 1 leading part in play given by MASQUE and DOMINO; 5 parts in DOMINO play 1 vice-president of DOMINO; 1 senior representative to girls' athletic council; 1 associate editor of Prism; 1 president of Panhellenic; 4 members home economics club.

III. Chapter Work. Supervised pledge study held several times during year by a member of scholarship committee. Each freshman is under the charge of a sponsor. Scholarship has been stressed, and the seniors have offered "M" lockets to those who are able to remain on the "Dean's list" the whole year. \$20.00 was realized from a candy sale, and was divided between Fellowship Fund and Settlement School. Chapter contributions as individual pledges for our armory-gymnasium endowment fund amounted to \$1,560.00. Physical Directress lectured on health. Member urged to "go out" for some form of athletics.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Various feeds and hikes to our favorite river spots; entertained at patroness's homes; informal rushing dance; house party at close of college year. 1922-1923: annual initiation banquet and formal dance; cooky-shines; Founders' Day picnic.

V. Chapter House. No chapter house. Meetings are held in a recitation room in campus, and at a resident active's home.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae invited especially to initiations, pledge services, cooky-shines, dances, fraternity meetings, annual banquet and Founders' Day celebrations. Through individual correspondence we keep those far from us interested.

RUTH BESSEY

Vermont A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 7; active members 26. 1922-1923: initiates 10, active members 34. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 3; resident alumnae 7; total membership, 216.

II. Honors. Chapter average ranked with other fraternities, 1st one semester, 2nd three semesters; 2 members $\Phi B K$, 2 Banshees (senior honorary society), 1 class secretary, 1 associate business manager and 1 associate editor on college weekly "Campus"; 2 associate editors on college annual "Kaleidoscope"; 34 members, 1 president, 1 vice-

president, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 1 undergraduate field representative, 1 freshman representative and 3 members of the cabinet of Y. W. C. A., 2 Maqua delegates; 5 members, 1 secretary and treasurer of Apollo club; 10 members, 2 presidents of home economics club; 5 members of English club; 3 members of press club; 16 members, 1 secretary of dramatic club; 34 members, 1 president and 1 secretary of student government; 7 in choir; 2 junior play committee; 2 in cast of junior play; 1 president of Panhellenic council; 1 secretary and treasurer of Sunday Noon club.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship supervision maintained. Recognition pin given to initiate entering fraternity with highest standing. $\Pi B \Phi$ ring given to sophomore making the greatest increase second semester over the first. $\Phi B K$ key given to all those in chapter winning this honor. Promise of kitchen cabinet to chapter if first place is held for three successive semesters. 1921-1922: pledges met together each week, one of their number having charge of pledge study. 1922-1923: pledges met every week, a senior member having charge of pledge study. Each pledge has an upper class sponser. A benefit movie given yearly for Settlement School 1922, \$90.00 realized; 1923, \$100.00 cleared. Fellowship donation of \$15.00 each year. Every member of Vermont A personally pledged full quota to Middlebury's Million Dollar Campaign. Faculty calling. Presentation of picture to new sorority. Health program was given each year, 1922 discussion lead by visiting nurse of Middlebury, 1923 discussion lead by physical director of women's college.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Bacon bat; cooky-shine, Christmas freshman stunt night; formal dance; reunion for alumnae at Commencement; house party at Lake Dunmore. 1922-1923: 2 teas; Founders' Day entertained Vermont B at cooky-shine; 2 formal dances. House party at Lake Dunmore at end of year, cooky-shine for Miss Weaver.

V. Chapter House. No chapter house. Rooms rented for \$180.00 a year. The walls have been done over, and the floors refinished. New upholstery, curtains and pictures have been added.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae attend meetings, parties, and annual house party at Lake Dunmore.

RUTH C. COWLES

VERMONT B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 10, active members 32. 1922-1923: initiates 11; active members 28. May 1, 1923: active resident members 3; resident alumnae 18; total membership 163.

II. Honors. 3 members $\Phi B K$; 7 members of honor scholarship society, chapter first in scholarship during first semester 1922; 3 class vice-presidents, 1 secretary, 2 members on class executive board. 6 members on Cynic board, 2 women's editors Cynic, 2 members on Agriculturalist board, 1 women's editor Agriculturalist, 4 Ariel board; 37 members of Y. W. C. A., 2 undergraduate field representatives, 2 discussion group leaders, 8 cabinet members; 9 members of literary clubs, 1 secretary, 2 members of Inner Circle; 6 members of Akraia (senior women's honorary society); 3 members of Masque and Sandal (dramatic club), 1 vice-president; 8 members of dramatic club, 3 parts in college plays; 100 percent membership in Vermonters' club, 1 president Vermonters' Club; 3 members Silver Bay Club; 11 members of home economics club; 1 treasurer home economics club; 100 per-

cent membership and 2 president W. A. A.; 1 vice-president, 1 secretary, and 7 members on executive board of W. A. A., 2 delegates to athletic conference of American College Women at Cornell University, 2 varsity tennis managers, 1 member varsity honorary basketball team, 5 members on volley ball teams, 7 on baseball teams, 18 on basketball teams, 18 on hockey teams, 5 managers of class hockey and basketball teams, 1 member of rifle team, 1 secretary agricultural club, 100 percent membership in Student Union, 1 president student government, 1 vice-president, 1 secretary, 3 judiciary committee, and 11 on Student Union Council, 2 delegates to Student Union welfare conference, 1 delegate to student government conference at Wellesley, 2 chairmen of university sub-freshmen day, 18 members in glee club, 2 accompanists, 3 assistant business managers, 2 in quartette, 3 house presidents, 2 house vice-presidents, 7 on house committees, 2 fire captains, 2 members of lilac day committee, 1 writer of lilac day pageant, 1 chairman women's winter carnival, 4 members of Panhellenic, 1 manager girls' stunt night, 1 manager of college rummage sale, 1 member of student memorial fund committee, 2 riding coaches, 1 secretary Silver Bay Club, 1 delegate to Silver Bay, 1st prize for James Wilbur Essay, 2 members sophomore hop committees, 2 members junior prom committees, 2 members faculty-student council, 6 Julia Spear prize readers, 1 third prize Julia Spear, 2 members press club, 1 president of press club, class day speaker—1 class poet, 2 class historians.

III. Chapter Work. Chapter requires 79 percent grade for initiation. It maintains a school composed of older girls who give aid to freshmen. A recognition pin is offered the freshman who makes the greatest improvement in her work during the college year. Sponsors aid in looking after freshman scholarship. A scholarship cup is offered the upperclass girl who makes the greatest scholastic improvement. A senior takes charge of the pledge study and appoints a chairman and secretary for each meeting. This feature adds interest and variety to the study. Tests in preparation for the examination are given weekly. Each chapter member earns \$1.00 for the Settlement School. Reports of how earned are both amusing and interesting. Personal gifts are given to Y. W. C. A., Near East Relief, etc. and not as a chapter. These benevolences are engineered by the college. Personal donations are given to the college memorial fund. Several meetings have been given over to the discussion of the health program. Our athletic department has a system of health cards which many members follow as well as adhering to the rules of the annual good posture campaign. Awards are made yearly for the highest score. This works along in close connection with the $\Pi\Phi$ program. A silver character cup is given to the girl, who by vote of the whole chapter, most nearly lives up to the ideals of $\Pi\Phi$.

IV. Entertainment. Suzanne Hatte Shoppe unique rushing party involving style show, charming invitations, favors and program. Wedding party—formal ceremony with complete bridal party. Bride and groom chased by rushees with rice, shoes, etc. to Greenwich cabaret where unusual bridal pair have the wedding feast cake, etc. Party ended with fire in fireplace at the rooms, Arrow cakes and good old Arrow songs. Formal $\Pi\Phi$ dance was attended by girls in picturesque gingham gowns. Favors were sunbonnets to match gown. Men received the gold tie clasps with $\Pi\Phi$ engraved on them. Decorations—pastel latticed effects. Party for mothers, alumnae, and patronesses, supper and interesting program given by the freshmen. Celebration of Founders' Day with Middlebury girls. Cooky-shine in Vermonter's club-

house—a blue bird party, stunts, and a report of one of our girls who has been teaching the past year in the Settlement School. Cooky-shine to which patronesses were invited. Tea for mothers and faculty. Christmas party given by our freshmen to freshmen of other fraternities. Clever scroll invitations, Christmas tree, and stunts. Two initiation banquets and June spreads. House party at Cedar Beach given chapter during finals.

V. Chapter House. Fraternity rents a three room suite located near the campus. There is an alumnae corporation which is working hard for the house. The Mothers' Club has helped unceasingly and several sizeable donations have been given. A furniture fund has been started and rummage sales, bazaars, etc., have been carried on so that a house will soon be a reality.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are always made to feel welcome at regular meetings. Chapter delegates are sent at times to give reports of the chapter's scholastic and college activity. Cooky-shines to which the alumnae are always invited prove the best means for interest, good spirit and splendid cooperation between the two bodies.

MARY V. HOLMAN.

MASSACHUSETTS A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 5, active members, 19. 1922-1923: Initiates 8, active members 21. May 1, 1923: resident active members 20; resident alumnae 160; total membership 216.

II. Honors. Vice-president senior class, corresponding secretary senior class, senior social committee, chairman class day, secretary junior prom committee, 2 junior prom committee, junior social committee, sophomore class president, secretary sophomore class, treasurer sophomore class, sophomore social committee, sophomore executive committee, vice-president freshman class, freshman social committee, 2 Beacon staff, 5 Hub staff, 3 Chiro (honorary), 1 Chemia, 3 sociological club (elective), president Y. W. C. A., Y. W. C. A. undergraduate field representative, president Panhellenic, secretary-treasurer student council, 2 student council, 2 senior basketball team, 1 junior basketball team, sophomore basketball and baseball teams, glee club, college choir, treasurer and 1 on cabinet Inter-collegiate community service association, sophomore and junior class representatives ranking association, vice-president—executive committee and coach of dramatic club, chorus B. U. show, 2 Klatsch Collegium committee, first freshman editorial ever accepted by Beacon staff.

III. Chapter Work. In chapter meetings, all marks cuts and reasons, and number of hours of study are reported. Then the president either praises or warns chapters. Alumnae club presents a loving cup to sophomore with highest marks. Two girls tied this year. Freshmen pledges organize themselves, elect officers, and meet for study with help of upper classman at same time as regular chapter meetings. Annual rummage sale to raise money for Settlement School. Three girls give one afternoon a week to local settlement school work. \$850 in individual pledges to B. U. endowment fund. Health program—college gymnasium teacher gave a practical talk at chapter health meeting, actives attended alumnae health meetings, actives individually interested in athletics.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Tea in honor of Grand Secretary and Province President's visit. Informal Christmas dance, and shower and tea for chapter rooms. 1922-1923: chapter ran in informal inter-fraternity dance, and attended alumnae musical. Annually we have one or

two rushing parties, a spring and fall house-party, a Christmas cooky-shine and "slam" party.

V. Chapter House. 3 room apartment rented at \$75 per month. Located in student section of city near Fenway and a 20-minute walk from college. Four girls and chaperon live in it. The alumnae have given new rugs, chairs, a kitchen table, curtains, dishes, and linen to us.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Splendid advisory committee with usually one member present at chapter meetings. Actives attend alumnae meetings and furnish program at special meeting. Alumnae have special invitations to all parties, cooky-shines, initiation, and banquet. Celebrate Founder's Day and Settlement School meeting together. Spirit of friendliness and co-operation.

ELIZABETH J. HEMEON.

NEW YORK A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 16, active members, 30. 1922-23: Initiates 11; active members 28. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 9, resident alumnae 60. Total membership, 346.

II. Honors. $\Phi K \Phi$ (1), $\Pi \Omega$, (pedagogical), 1, 4 class vice-presidents, 20 members of class organizations, 3 class cheer leaders, 2 vice-presidents, 1 social chairman of organization, 1 women's editor of Onandagan, 1 assistant editor and 2 members of Onandaga board, 2 elections to dramatic society, 1 assistant editor of Daily Orange, 6 members of Daily Orange staff, 4 in musical comedy chorus, 3 chairmen of committees in Y. W. C. A., 1 cabinet member, 1 president, 2 vice-presidents of women's student governing association, (8) small board of W. S. G. A., 14 large board of W. S. G. A., 1 secretary of W. S. G. A., 1 rifle representative, 3 Dolphine S., 6 delegates to Y. W. C. A. conference, 2 student volunteer convention, 10 on basketball teams, 8 college daily reporters, 4 people in sophomore women's speaking contest, 3 leading parts in pageant, 15 minor parts, 8 members of English club, 2 officers of English club, 1 in senior class play, (1) $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ (honorary journalistic), 3 $\Pi \Upsilon$ (senior women's honorary), (2) $Z \Phi \Pi$ (oratory honorary), 1 $\Gamma \Upsilon \Pi$ (administration honorary), 8 members of women's glee club, 2 managers of women's glee club, 6 of university chorus.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship cup on which is engraved the name of the sophomore who has the best average. The pledges have regular meetings at same time as actives when upper-classmen and occasionally alumnae talk to them. They are supervised by juniors in their study of chapter work and songs. Supervised study for those whose averages fall below 75 per cent. Movie benefit, bridge parties, and subscription dance for Settlement School. Christmas party given annually for 30 children through associated charities.

IV. Entertainment, 1921-23: Rushing parties in form of theater-party in house, giving one act plays, refreshments afterwards at a favorite up-to-date tea room imitated in the house. Cabaret dinner given in house with entertainment between courses of dinner. Formal tea and bridge party for rushees and also their mothers (early in season when many mothers were present with entering students). Sunday night luncheon guests every two weeks. Formal tea for Verna Weaver. Faculty dinner once a week. Formal dancing party.

V. Chapter House. Owned by alumnae association, valued at \$35,000. A new davenport, chairs and lamp have been purchased. No definite repairs have been needed on house.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Joint meetings are held at least twice a year. Entertainments are given with the alumnae at house. Joint cooky-shines. Alumnae entertain various classes, freshmen-juniors, sophomores-seniors at home of a resident. Celebration

of Founders' Day together with big cooky-shine and party. Attendance of alumnae at all chapter parties, at least one at chapter meetings. Large attendance of alumnae at annual banquet and formal.

H. RUTH DE LANO

NEW YORK Γ

I. Membership 1921-22: Initiates 8, active members 32. 1922-23: Initiates 7, active members 30. May 1, 1923: resident active members 5; resident alumnae 9; total membership 123.

II. Honors. 1 first rank in scholarship in the university, 4 elections to ΦBK, 8 honor students. Fraternity ranked first in scholarship with exception of fall term 1922, when it ranked second. 1 class secretary, 2 class vice-presidents, 1 vice-president of Thelomathesian (student body), 1 president of Forum, 1 business manager and 2 members on the editorial staff of Women's Publication, 3 members of the literary society, 2 vice-presidents and 2 treasurers of mathematics club, 2 vice-presidents and 7 election to Mummies (dramatic society), 1 vice-president of radio club, 1 treasurer of chemistry club, 1 vice-president and 1 member on council in the student self-government association, 1 captain of the girls' basketball team, 2 members of college orchestra, 1 leader of glee club, 1 commencement speaker, 3 leads and 1 part in college plays, awarded freshman activity cup, 1922-23.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee investigates grades and reports delinquent students who attend supervised study hall. Members report cuts and reasons in chapter meetings. Pledges study on chapter meeting nights for an hour, after which chapter and pledges have a social gathering. Each girl earns her money to contribute to the Settlement School fund. Chapter cooperates with alumnae in giving annual Settlement School sale, held in chapter house. Chapter has subscribed one hundred per cent quota to Endowment Fund. Health questions have been discussed, but no definite action has been taken.

IV. Entertainment. Two informal and two formal dances are held every year. Two teas are given each term for mothers and friends. 1921-22: entertainment for agricultural women, entertainment for high school girls, original musical comedy given by freshmen on Founders' Day. 1922-23: Same as in 1921-22 and also entertainment for college non-fraternity women.

VI. Chapter House. A house valued at \$10,000 is owned by the alumnae and rented by active chapter. Improvements have been: library completely refurnished, dining room redecorated, roof of house remodeled, and house painted.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to all initiations, banquets, cooky-shines, and chapter meetings. They are entertained especially on Founders' Day. Annual alumnae banquet at Commencement time.

ALICE E. WHITE

NEW YORK Δ

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 16, active members (including initiates) 34. 1922-1923: Initiates 6, active members (including initiates) 27. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 3; resident alumnae 7; total membership 54.

II. Honors. 3 Phi Beta Kappas; 3 honor students; second place in scholarship among women's fraternities 1921-1922; 1 treasurer, 1 song-leader of class; 2 women's editors of Cornell Daily Sun (member of Associated Press), 1 assistant women's business manager of Cornell Daily Sun; 20 members of Y. W. C. A.; 2 Phi Kappa Phis, 2 Pi Lambda Thetas (national women's honorary society in education); 2 Mortar

Board, 2 Raven and Serpent (junior honorary society); 1 president, 1 treasurer, 1 business manager, 1 publicity manager; 4 active and 6 associate members of Cornell women's dramatic club; 3 representatives on women's self government association council; 3 in class basketball; 2 in class crew, 3 in class hockey, 3 in class tennis, 2 tennis doubles champions, 1 tennis singles champion, 3 in glee club, 18 parts in college plays; 3 in May dance festival.

III. Chapter Work. Initiates have upperclass advisers who supervise their schedules and study hours. Marks in examinations are reported orally at meetings. Each girl takes to her professors regular printed cards on which the faculty reports to the chapter the student's grades. If she is low in any subjects, conferences with the professors are arranged and she is put on study hours until her work shows definite improvement. Frequent talks are given at fraternity meetings by the senior chairman and junior assistant of the scholarship committee. Fixed study hours and discontinuation of social privileges for three weeks brought one girl from a conditioning average to a passing average in twenty hours of work. Pledges meet once a week; they conduct their own meetings but are supervised by a senior to whom they recite material assigned the preceding week for fraternity study. Active members occasionally address pledge meetings on topics such as fraternity spirit, campus activities, and scholarship. This year the chapter gave a bridge party for the benefit of the Settlement School. Each member in the chapter also gave individual contributions. The classes of 1922, 1923, and 1924 have pledged approximately \$3,000 to the endowment fund campaign. Papers on various health topics have been prepared and read at meetings by ten of the girls.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Following the regular parties during the fall membership campaign, the chapter gave an informal dance for the new pledges. During the year teas were given for national officers, our chaperone, the faculty, and university students. We always enjoy our Christmas party, when everyone receives inexpensive but very appropriate gifts. On Founders' Day we had a cooky-shine. The initiates gave the seniors a delightful farewell party. We always have special dinners on the birthdays of our girls. One of the usual and most popular affairs of the year is the chapter sleigh ride. 1922-1923: Besides the regular parties mentioned above, we gave a very successful tea dance in the fall and a formal this spring. This year we also added an Easter egg hunt to our chapter get-together and it proved so enjoyable that it will probably become one of the traditions of New York Δ.

V. Chapter House. Our house is rented; this year fifteen girls lived in the house, the rest of the chapter living in the dormitories. Since the last Convention we have either bought or received as gifts a tapestry living room suite, piano lamp, bridge lamp, new hangings for dining room and living rooms, I B Φ china and flat silver, silver tea service, silver fruit bowl, table linen, flower vases, candlesticks, and miscellaneous kitchen utensils.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Different girls are designated to call on our alumnae. They come to all teas at the house, and are occasionally invited to dinner. The alumnae entertain us on Founders' Day; this year they gave a lovely tea at one of the most popular tea rooms. We are planning to have a picnic together as soon as the weather permits. Five of our alumnae in town form the alumnae advisory committee. Every Christmas and spring vacation we arrange to have a luncheon at one of the hotels in New York city; usually about twenty Cornellians attend. This proves very effective in bringing old and new New York Deltas together.

EDITH T. KLENKE.

PENNSYLVANIA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: 7 initiates, 21 active members. 1922-1923: 9 initiates, 28 active members. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 24, resident alumnae 4, total membership 210.

II. Honors. 3 Φ B K, 1 Δ Σ P. 1921-1922: chapter ranking second; 1922-1923: chapter ranking, first. 1 class vice-president, 3 class secretaries, 1 art editor, 1 junior editor, 1 photographic editor, 5 staff of Halcyon, 1 news editor, 1 assistant alumni editor, 1 advisory board circulation manager of Phoenix, college weekly, 8 Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 2 U. R. 1 English club, 5 Little Theater club, 2 campus club, 2 classical club, 4 Mortar Board, 1 debate, 1 student government, 1 president, vice-president, 1 chairman of honor committee, 1 fire captain, 2 student conduct, 5 class hockey, 5 class basketball, 4 class gymnasium team, 4 varsity hockey captain, 4 basketball varsity, president of athletic association, manager basketball and hockey, 15 glee club, 3 chairmen dance committee, member prom committee, winners in college contests, 1 oratorical, 3 Cercle Francaise, president and vice-president of Somerville Society.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship: Study hall—very effective in improving the chapter average. Settlement School: Successful rummage sale and sale of Christmas cards. Health Problem: Solved by college requirements.

IV. Entertainments. Annual prom, annual Panhellenic tea, annual Π B Φ dance, Founders' Day luncheon, benefit card parties.

V. Chapter House. Chapter room situated in the west wing of the Main building, second floor. Improvements since June 1921: Walls repainted, new rug, new mirror, lamp shades and pillows.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Calling committee, rummage sale, chapter report at alumnae club meetings, annual chapter letter. Chapter letter reaches greatest number of the alumnae. Keeps them in touch with the college as well as the fraternity.

DOROTHY McCLAREN

PENNSYLVANIA B

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 11, actives 24. 1922-23: Initiates 5, actives 23. May 1, 1923: Resident actives 5, resident alumnae 16; total membership 242.

II. Honors. 1 cum laude (data for this year not available). Chapter held second place in scholarship among the fraternities. 4 secretaries, 1 class president of girls, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 3 members of L'Agenda board, 1 member of Bucknellian staff, 2 members of Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 1 president of student government association, 1 member of cabinet, 9 members of C. E. A., 1 president, 1 treasurer, 6 members of Frill and Frown (dramatic club), 2 members of Θ A Φ (national dramatic fraternity), 3 members of M Φ E (honorary musical fraternity), 11 members of the glee club, 1 president of Panhellenic association, 1 secretary of Panhellenic association, 6 members of athletic teams, 5 people participated in college plays, 1 May queen.

III. Chapter Work. Freshmen hold weekly meetings under the supervision of a junior, using the outline for freshmen study. A Π B Φ bracelet is worn by the freshman having the highest scholarship during the preceding semester. A scholarship committee investigates the grades of actives and pledges and reports any delinquent members. We earned money for the Settlement School by a benefit movie and personal contributions; we gave \$190 towards the construction of a new home economics building.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Hallowe'en dance, April Fools' day

dance, birthday party for the chapter, banquet for the pledges, reception to our patronesses. 1922-1923: formal dance, banquet for pledges, a play given by pledges on Founders' Day, Valentine Day dance, reception to our new patronesses, pledges entertained at a card party.

V. Chapter House. Houses for women forbidden. Suite in the dormitory was refurbished this year with the aid of our alumnae.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to all annual symposia, initiations and to all meetings and dances. The active girls take the freshmen to call on the town alumnae.

ALICE RUHL

PENNSYLVANIA I

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 6, active members 27, 1922-1923: Initiates 6; active members 23. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 5; resident alumnae 9; total membership 145.

II. Honors. 1921-1922 and 1922-1923 second in scholarship: 1 cum laude, 1 class secretary, 2 class historians, 1 on all college social committee, 3 on Microcosm staff (annual), 1 on Dickinsonian (weekly), vice president of Y. W. C. A., 10 on Y. W. C. A. cabinet, all members of Y. W. C. A., 1 treasurer of Harmon literary society, 1 on program committee of McIntyre literary society, 3 delegates to Eaglesmere Y. W. C. A. conference, president of Panhellenic, president, vice-president, head proctor of W. S. G. A. (Metzger dormitory), 4 on women's senate, 1 on honor court, 5 in dramatic club, 12 in Philomel club, 2 major parts in commencement play, 6 in operetta, president of athletic association, 5 on athletic committees, 2 in charge of health program, 4 in class day exercises, 2 honorary orations.

III. Chapter Work. Pledges must have an average of 75 before being initiated. Scholarship committee posts marks in room. Freshmen liable to loss of social privileges if marks aren't up. $\Pi\Phi$ bracelet offered by Lancaster alumnae club each year to girl whose marks show greatest improvement over previous year. Pledges required to meet at rooms every Wednesday afternoon. 1921-1922 contributed \$45.00 to Settlement School. 1922-1923 contributed \$95.00. Dressed dolls for prisoner's children, sent boxes to mountain children (college work). Individuals contributed to college endowment drive. Health program started. Health cards for girls in charge of Π Phis. Required physical instruction under capable instructor.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: pledge dance, formal dance, Founders' Day banquet given by Lancaster alumnae club in Harrisburg, Commencement banquet, teas, cooky-shines, sleighing party, 1922-1923: pledge dance, formal dance, St. Patrick's Day, Founders' Day banquet in Harrisburg, Christmas party, Mothers' Day party, teas, cooky-shines, progressive dinner given by alumnae.

V. Chapter House. Room rented on Main street, few doors from college. New silver and linen.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae invited monthly to fraternity meetings. Girls call on alumnae. Invited to all entertainments. Alumnae willing to help us in all entertainments and in drive for Settlement School. Commencement banquet usually attended by alumnae.

JANE HAGERTY

PENNSYLVANIA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 4, active members 10, 1922-1923: Initiates 3, active members 12. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 10, resident alumnae 35, total membership 58.

II. Honors. 1 $\Sigma K \Phi$ (honorary foreign language fraternity), 1 $\Phi A E$ (honorary history fraternity), 1 vice-president, 1 chairman of fresh-

man finance committee, 1 college editor Junior Owl, 1 college manager, 1 society editor, 1 sophomore editor, 1 freshman editor, 1 contributing editor to Panther, 1 associate editor for Pitt Weekly, 4 reporters for Pitt Weekly, 5 committee members of Y. W. C. A., 1 member of Quill club, 1 Owen (honorary sophomore society), 3 Turtles, 7 Framasors, 2 captains of W. S. G. A. committees, 1 member of senior court of W. S. G. A., 5 members of W. S. G. A. committees, 1 captain swimming team, 1 glee club member, 1 member Pitt Players, 3 in Pitt Week Pageant, 2 Pitt Week committee members, 2 junior prom committee members, 4 places in beauty contest, 1 winner in oratorical contest.

III. Chapter Work. $\Pi B \Phi$ recognition pin presented to pledge making highest average. Regular meetings of pledges held each week conducted by a senior. A regular course of study on the chapter roll, constitution, handbook, etc., was required. All grades presented to chairman of the scholarship committee and she interviews the individual teachers if necessary. Christmas boxes sent to the Settlement School. Chapter cooperated with the alumnae at a benefit bridge to raise money for the Settlement School. Sent to the Loan Fund \$15. Contributions made to the Canton College in China. University doctor addressed the chapter on health. University supervision of health.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: 1 formal dance, 1 novelty dance, 2 cooky-shines, Founders' day luncheon. 1922-1923: 2 novelty dances, 2 teas, open house, 1 theater party, Founders' Day luncheon.

V. Chapter House. Three room apartment rented, ten minute walk from campus. New furnishings—rug, lamp, curtains, victrola, silver and kitchen utensils.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae meetings held in chapter rooms. Two members of the active chapter attend each meeting. Invitations to all chapter functions extended to the alumnae. Mutual rushing. Annual banquet and bridge held with the alumnae. One alumna supervisor of all house committees. During the past year these methods have been unusually successful.

MARY E. BURKE

OHIO A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 13, active members 32. 1922-23: Initiates 15, active members 30. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 15, resident alumnae 24; total membership 274.

II. Honors. No chapter of $\Phi B K$, two elections to Cresset, local honorary society. First semester 1922-23, second in scholarship. Class offices: vice-president sophomore class, chairman sophomore Skit committee, 1 on freshman skit committee, 1 on junior prom committee, 1 on senior hop committee, 6 in $B \Pi \Omega$, (honorary musical), 7 in Oyo, (honorary literary), 3 members and president of $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ (honorary art), president, secretary and treasurer of $\Phi \Psi \Theta$ (home economic fraternity), 3 in home economics club, 5 and vice-president of Kindergarten club, 4 and secretary and treasurer in classical club, 1 in history club, 1 in psychology club, 12 in choral, 12 in glee club, 3 in school music club, 2 in Y. W. C. A. cabinet, president and vice-president of woman's league, 4 on Athens staff (college annual), 4 on Green Goat staff (college humorous), 4 on Green & White staff (college weekly), 1 on Green & White board of control, 6 in French club, 2 in English club.

III. Chapter Work. Pledge study for our freshmen was conducted by a senior girl at weekly meetings. As an incentive to our pledges to raise their scholarship we initiate the pledge with the highest scholarship in the fraternity scholarship pin. Once a month the chairman of the scholarship committee reads the grades with the professors' criticisms, after which scholarship adviser comments on report and of-

fers advice. A C average is required for initiation. In 1921-22 we sent \$35.00 to the Settlement School. In 1922-23, \$50.00 was contributed. We help in an annual Christmas party given for poor children by Ohio University. Each girl pledges \$1 a year to the Constantinople fund, and in 1922 we pledged \$20.00 each to the O. U. Memorial building fund.

IV. Entertainment. Every year one formal dance, one informal novelty dance, one Commencement breakfast or tea dance, are given. The pledges give an annual Hallowe'en house party or carnival, and at Thanksgiving, Christmas, pledging, initiation and Founders' Day we have either cooky-shines or banquets. The week-end before Commencement is called "Mothers' Week" and we endeavor to entertain all the mothers who can visit us.

V. Chapter House. We are not permitted to have chapter houses, but we have a fraternity hall located in a university building with all the other fraternity halls. We pay annual rental of \$40.00 for our hall and we have had hardwood floors put in and new draperies this year.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The alumnae have a standing invitation to fraternity meetings and the pledging and initiation celebrations and at the Founders' Day banquet the chapter entertains the alumnae. The alumnae also help us entertain mothers. This year our alumnae presented a cup to us on which will be engraved each year the names of the most representative sophomore and senior.

MARY F. PEOPLES

OHIO B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: 30 active members, 16 initiates. 1922-1923: 34 active members, 17 initiates. May 1, 1923: 23 resident active members, resident alumnae 90, total membership 212.

II. Honors. 4 members of $\Sigma \Delta \Pi$, (honorary speech arts), 3 members of $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ (honorary journalistic), 3 members of Mortar Board (girl's senior honorary), 3 members of Chimes (girl's junior honorary), 8 members of Browning dramatic society, 2 members of Strollers' dramatic society, 4 members and 1 secretary of Girls' glee club, 1 cabinet member, 1 secretary and 1 treasurer of the Y. W. C. A., 2 sub-chairmen of Y. W. C. A., 1 president, 1 vice-president, and 3 members of the freshman Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 1 president of woman's Panhellenic, 1 president, 1 secretary, and 5 representatives of woman's student council, 1 president of the Middle Western association including national delegates, with conference at Ohio State, 1 member of student affairs committee, 1 chairman of the board of control of Pomerene Hall, 2 delegates to Y. W. C. A. convention at Eaglesmere, 1 delegate to W. S. G. A. convention at Cornell, 1 delegate to western convention at Salt Lake City, 3 members on the Makio staff (annual publication), 4 on the Sun-Dial staff (comic magazine), 5 on the Lantern staff (university daily paper), 2 on the junior prom committee, 2 on the senior prom committee, 1 vice-president of senior class, 1 May Queen, 15 in the May-fete celebration. Entered in the baseball, basketball and tennis tournaments, 3 members on athletic teams.

III. Chapter Work. The freshmen have fraternity study once a week supervised by a senior until after the examination. Each freshman girl has a sponsor in the active chapter who advises and helps her. Grades are read in joint meetings of active members and pledges. Many of the girls do social settlement work. A huge Christmas box was sent to the Settlement School last year. The health program was discussed in meetings and helped greatly.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: A formal dance, and several picnic parties and dances were given. 1922-1923. A formal dance, 5 house dances, a tea dance and bridge parties. Spreads and cooky-shines have been given almost weekly at the chapter house.

V. Chapter House. We now have a two year lease on a large house. We are conducting a house fund campaign and hope to have our home within the next year. The alumnae have taken over the responsibility of this campaign.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. By an alumnae advisory committee and joint spreads and meetings. The alumnae are invited to our meetings and parties and many of them come. The actives and pledges are invited to all alumnae meetings.

DORIS E. FREY

WEST VIRGINIA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 7, active members 31. 1922-1923: Initiates 6, active members 31, pledges 2. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 9, resident alumnae 6; total membership 66.

II. Honors. 1 honor student, 1 secretary of senior class, 2 secretary of junior class, 1 member English club, 35 members of Y. W. C. A., 3 members of social service committee, 2 members of membership committee, 4 members of big sister committee, 1 member of cabinet, 1 Eaglesmere representative, 1 Eaglesmere committee, 1 fellowship committee, 2 members of Monticola staff, 1 assistant editor of Agriculturist, 1 editor of Agriculturist, 2 members of the agricultural association, 3 members of the Dramatic club, 3 members of Entre Nous, 3 members of Laurel, 2 members of Columbian literary, 5 members, 1 vice-president and 1 secretary of Te Pralyapratimas, 2 members of Reteas Jichancas, 5 members and 1 treasurer of X club, 14 members of educational club, 1 member Seo Beowulf club, 2 members and 1 secretary of Greek club, 7 members and 1 treasurer of home economics club, 1 member of Economics club, 3 members of Grange, 4 members, 1 secretary and 2 treasurers of student government association, 3 representatives and 1 president and 1 secretary of Panhellenic, 1 basketball business manager 1921-22, 2 managers of freshman basketball, 1921-22 and 1922-23, 1 member of varsity basketball team 1922-23, 1 member of second team 1922-23, 1 president of athletic council, 1 treasurer of athletic council, 1 general manager of tennis team, 2 members of tennis club, 1 secretary of press club, 3 members of women's music club, 7 members of university choir, 5 members of glee club, 1 member of Phil Harmonic orchestra, 1 in cast of spring play 1922, Elsie in "Turn to the Right," fall play 1922, lead in "Come Out of the Kitchen" and 2 members of Newman club, 1 senior representative on student government board.

III. Chapter Work. Average grade of 80 per cent required before initiation; any girl whose average falls below 80 per cent has her social privileges restricted. Pledges are organized. At pledge meetings an upperclassman meets with pledges, gives them the history of Pi Beta Phi and discusses the Settlement School. Christmas gifts given to children at Orphans' Home; \$30.00 given to Settlement School 1921-22; \$60.00 given to Settlement School 1922-23.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Initiation banquet, Founders' Day cooky-shine, state alumnae represented; 2 formal dances, 1 pledge party, Panhellenic tea in honor of Miss Woodward, formal dance for freshmen, buffet luncheon for freshmen, dinner given active chapter by patronesses and one given by alumnae. 1922-23: formal dinner dance for freshmen; formal semester dance in January; formal dinner dance given by alumnae at Mont Chateau on Cheat River; Panhellenic tea in

honor of Miss Woodward, Founders' Day cooky-shine, state alumnae represented; open tea for freshmen, entertained each men's fraternity, 1 girl is asked from each fraternity for Sunday dinner.

V. Chapter House. House which accommodates 20 girls and a chaperon is rented; chapter and alumnae bought living-room suite; chapter bought Baby Grand piano, velour draperies and curtains. A console table, mirror and candlesticks were given by senior class. House under same rules and regulations as at dormitory. Have rules for health program—3 regular meals a day, 8 hours sleep, 1 hour exercise. Girls weighed every week. If underweight, have certain methods which must be followed.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae individually invited to initiation banquets, cooky-shines, dances and parties. One member of advisory board present at meeting. Alumnae gave dinner dance in honor of active chapter. One active member present at alumnae meetings.

ELIZABETH REED

MARYLAND A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 9, active members 34. 1922-23: Initiates 9. May 1, 1923: Active members 34, resident alumnae 51; total membership 233.

II. Honors. 1 sophomore president, 2 vice-presidents, 3 sergeants at arms, 2 treasurers, 4 members on college annual board, 1 member Goucher College Weekly board, 1 business manager glee club, 1 member intercollegiate community service association board member, I. I. C. S. A. delegate to New York charity organization society Junior month, 3 members executive board student organization, 4 hall presidents. 1 member at large of student organization, 2 members of executive board of athletic association, 4 members class basketball teams, 4 members swimming teams, 11 members of baseball teams, 6 members of army-navy hockey team, 12 members of class hockey teams, 4 members tennis teams; 1 general chairman of senior dramatics, 1 leading part, 6 minor parts in senior dramatics, 2 leading parts, 2 minor parts in junior dramatics; 1 scenery chairman of junior dramatics, 1 boatribe chairman, 2 leading parts, 2 minor parts in boatribe play, 4 leading parts in Agora productions, 1 leading part in glee club operetta, 1 scenery chairman for Agora, 2 general chairmen for class promenades, 4 committee chairmen for proms, 1 chairman of decorations for junior-senior banquet, 2 college cheer leaders, 1 May Queen, 6 attendants to the May Queen.

III. Chapter Work. All below grade notices are reported to the scholarship chairman who acts as adviser. The freshmen are organized under the fraternity study chairman who meets with them each week to assist in preparation for pledge examination. The freshmen join the active chapter at a weekly supper in the rooms. \$100 was contributed to Settlement School and \$10 to alumnae scholarship fund. Individual members contributed to college campaign for \$6,000,000.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Pledge banquet at Hotel Stafford, fall and spring dances at Hotel Stafford, initiation houseparty at Bel Air, Maryland, Christmas party in the rooms, Founders' Day supper with the alumnae, reunion celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of Maryland A including a banquet, two teas and a supper. June houseparty at Sherwood Forest. 1922-23: Pledge banquet at Hotel Stafford, Christmas party, bi-monthly teas for fraternity and non-fraternity friends and faculty, etc., local and national Founders' Days at dinners with the alumnae, initiation houseparty at BelAir, Maryland,

mid-winter dance at Hotel Stafford, June houseparty at Sherwood Forest.

V. Chapter House. One room with a kitchenette rented on Charles street, entirely redecorated by alumnae, 1921-22. New Victrola and silver bought by chapter.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Many alumnae come to our meetings and houseparties. Annual supper given by the alumnae in June.

RUTH OSBORNE BLAKESLEE

COLUMBIA A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 10, active members 22. 1922-23: (pledged 2nd semester this year): Initiates 4, active members 24. May 1, 1923: Resident alumnae, 101; total membership 232.

II. Honors. 3 Sphinx honorary society, 1 hour glass honor society, 2 graduation with distinction, (1922), first in scholastic rank, 7 class offices held, 5 on annual magazine or paper staff, 3 in Y. W. C. A., all officers, 4 in honorary societies (see above), 3 on rifle team, 1 on basketball team, 4 in tennis.

III. Chapter Work. 85 per cent average is required for chapter to be able to bid. 85 per cent average is required on the part of the student to be eligible for a bid. Pledges must make an average of 85 per cent before being initiated. No one can be initiated with a flunk. A bracelet is given to freshman girl attaining the highest average. Results—higher averages obtained. We permit freshmen to preside at pledge meetings. We have alumnae speak at pledge meetings. We give a tea dance each year for the Settlement School. Freshmen carry milk bottles in which they collect pennies for the Settlement School. We buy Christmas cards. We aid the alumnae in giving bridge parties and rummage sales. No action taken in health program, as we have no chapter house.

IV. Entertainment. Fall rush dance at country club, annually, Thanksgiving tea dance to entire college, annually, Christmas dance, annually, Settlement School tea dance, annually, senior breakfast at a wayside inn, annually, luncheon given annually by all Pi Phis in Washington, active and alumnae. Progressive luncheon for freshmen, 1921-22. Luncheon at Lafayette Hotel by alumnae for freshmen, 1922-23, tacky party 1922-23 (chapter girls dressed as men and escorted freshmen girls to the party.)

V. Chapter House. We rent quarters on the third floor of No. 2022 G. street, N. W., which is one of the university buildings.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. We aid the alumnae in their various activities for the good of the fraternity. We invite the alumnae to all our parties. We have some of the alumnae speak to the freshmen in pledge study class. This method of maintaining alumnae interest has proved very successful.

ANNA FRANCES WARING

VIRGINIA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 12, active members 24. 1922-1923: Initiates 8, active members 20. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 2, resident alumnae 7; total membership 101.

II. Honors. 1 ΦBK, 1 vice-president, 2 secretaries, 1 treasurer, 2 athletic managers, 1 assistant manager of classes, 1 statistics editor of annual, 2 assistant editors, 2 advertising agents of magazine, 1 editor-in-

chief of weekly paper, 1 assistant editor, 44 members of Y. W. C. A., 1 secretary of Y. W. C. A., 3 members of Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 1 member of executive board of Y. W. C. A. committees, 2 chairmen of Y. W. C. A. committees, 4 members of freshman cabinet, 21 members of secret societies, 1 secretary of the executive board of student committee, 2 chairmen of standing committees, 11 members of student committee; 1 vice-president of athletic association, 1 treasurer and 2 secretaries of athletic association, 3 members of the executive committee, 3 on the athletic board, 10 members of class hockey squads, 11 members of class basketball squads, 2 members of the all-star college hockey team, 16 in indoor meet, 14 in Field Day, 12 R. Ms., 1 president of the Sock and Buskin club, 1 chairman of program committee of Sock and Buskin club, 8 members, 4 in casts of club plays, 1 lead in club play, 14 in casts of class plays, 2 leads in class play, 1 president of the debating council, 1 secretary, 1 member on the team representing Randolph-Macon in the annual triangular debate, 4 members, 1 vice-president of international relations club, 2 members, 1 leader of the college orchestra, 12 members of orchestra, 2 chairmen of May Day committees, 6 in the May court, 21 in May Day, 1 in statistics, 1 in type pictures in annual.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship is under the supervision of a scholarship committee which looks after the scholarship of individual girls and endeavors to raise the fraternity standing. Each quarter's grades are read in chapter meetings. At the end of the year a cup is given to the sophomore making the highest average. This has raised the fraternity average. This year a reward was offered to the pledge making the highest average. The general average of the pledges was unusually high; the pledges are organized into a group having its own officers. This group meets once a week with a member of the chapter as supervisor; yearly contributions are made to the Settlement School, through the local Panhellenic contributions are made to local charities, members assist in work done among the waitresses and at the orphanages in the city, individual subscriptions to the voluntary gift; a set of suitable health rules has been drawn up and posted.

IV. Entertainment: 1921-22: 4 teas given by the resident alumnae for the chapter, initiation cooky-shines, Founders' Day cooky-shine, stunt given the chapter by pledges. Panhellenic tea. 1922-23: Valentine party given the chapter by patrons, dinner party at tea room, followed by a theater party, annual Founders' Day banquet, breakfast in honor of visitors from Virginia B, tea for Miss Evans, stunt given by pledges for chapter.

V. Chapter House. Owned. Value \$3,000. Three room bungalow and sun parlor. Sunparlor added last year and the dining room enlarged. New living room furniture, draperies, 1 linoleum rug for kitchen.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to attend all initiation and pledge ceremonies and all social functions. One faculty member regularly attends chapter meetings. Annual alumnae letter sent from the chapter. Non-resident alumnae are urged to visit the college and the chapter as often as possible. These methods of maintaining the interest of the alumnae have been very successful.

MARIAN GILMER

VIRGINIA B

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 5, active members 18. 1922-23: Initiates 15, active members 25. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 1, resident alumnae 2; total membership 83.

II. Honors. No chapter $\Phi B K$. 9 members Freyal (honorary society). 4 honor roll students (average above 90 one semester), first place in comparative chart for fraternity scholarship. 3 class presidents and 6 class officers, 1 vice-president student body, 1 member executive council, 3 members on Spinster (annual) staff, 1 editor-in-chief, 1 business manager and 3 members Hollins Magazine staff, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 1 undergraduate representative, 4 members cabinet Y. W. C. A., 1 representative national Y. W. C. A. conference at Hot Springs, Arkansas, 1 captain and 2 members college basketball teams, 4 members sub-team, 1 captain and 6 members college hockey teams, 2 captains and 1 member class basketball teams, 1 captain and 6 members class hockey teams, 3 members baseball teams, 1 cheer leader, 2 members Monogram club, 1 president state club, 1 president and 4 members of dramatic board, 13 parts in plays, chairman and 2 members S. G. A. nominating committee, 1 member Y. W. C. A. nominating committee, 1 member Y. W. C. A. nominating committee, 2 assistant librarians, 6 members T-A-R, 4 members Dragon, 25 members in other social clubs, 8 members Cotillion club, 1 delegate to student government conference at Richmond, Va., 1 president and 5 members student forum, 1 president Panhellenic, 1 May Queen.

III. Chapter Work. Pledges have regular meetings at which a senior presides, where a systematic study of parliamentary law, $\Pi B \Phi$ activities and history, and general fraternity information are discussed in open forum following outline for pledge study supplied by chairman in charge of examinations in province. System of sponsors adopted, to assist pledges, scholastically, and in other ways. Scholastic interest aroused through classes, class averages being read at end of each quarter and recognition of class with highest average being awarded at Commencement banquet. Recognition pin given after initiation to initiate making highest average first semester as a pledge. Members failing any work are expected to put maximum preparation on that subject. Comparative standard of chapters in local Panhellenic stressed. Regular donation made to Settlement School and Fellowship Fund. Philanthropic contributions made to outside needs as foreign students friendship fund and maintenance of Italian orphans. Several meetings during year devoted to health program; series lectures given by senior hygiene students.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Party and stunts given for old members by pledges. Party to the pledges by old members. Christmas party with "slam" presents immediately preceding Christmas holidays. Party at "T" room in honor of province president. Three cooky-shines given during year. Party at "T" room given chapter by seniors. Party given chapter by the patronesses. Annual banquet held at hotel during Commencement. 1922-23: Rushing party. Party given new members at "T" room. Christmas party with 'slam' presents immediately preceding Christmas holidays. Party at "T" room in honor province president. Party at "T" room in honor Grand Secretary. Two cooky-shines throughout year. Tea given by resident member.

V. Chapter House. No fraternity houses at Hollins. Chapter room in West building.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are kept in touch with chapter activities by personal letters, invitations to all ceremonies, such as pledge service, initiation, etc., and such social functions as banquets, etc. A wedding present from the chapter is sent to all alumnae who are married. Alumnae are urged to visit their Alma Mater and chapter whenever possible.

ELIZABETH L. CLACK

FLORIDA A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 6, active members 13. 1922-23: Initiates 8, active members 9. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 5, resident alumnae 14; total membership 123.

II. Honors. $\Pi\Phi\Phi$ leading other two fraternities in scholarship, winning scholarship cup. Reporter on Stetson Collegiate Weekly, president Y. W. C. A., secretary Y. W. C. A., chairman social service committee Y. W. C. A., $5\Phi B$ (musical fraternity), $4\Delta Z P$ (athletic), Y. W. C. A. president honorary member, 2 student government association 1922-23, sophomore class representative, senior class government association 1921-22, 3 S winners on basketball team, 1922-23, 1 S star, 3 S winners 1921-22, 5 glee club members. College plays: "Highwayman", 2 chorus, 1 milk maid; 2 ladies Richard III, Richelieu, Hamlet; Queen of Denmark, 1 Virgin; Senior play: principal role, 1 chorus girl, 2 fire-fly, spirit of the forest, 2 Indian maidens, 2 dancers, 2 wind spirits, senior play Johnny, principal role, 2 minor; A Quiet Family, 2 roles; Mrs. Ben Bibbs, 2 roles; Pirates of Penzance, 3 roles; May fete, 1 dancer.

III. Chapter Work. Florida has endeavored to have its members reach high goals in scholarship by a co-operative effort to win each year the J. B. S. Panhellenic scholarship cup which goes to the fraternity on the campus which is able to hold the cup three consecutive years. Pledge meetings have always been most successfully held when some one especially appointed senior has complete charge and responsibility of the meetings for the entire year. Several bridge parties have been given at the various hotels in DeLand to raise money for the Settlement School. The health program questions were all discussed and then a vote taken after each topic had been presented in the form of argument for and against the issues advanced in the program. Florida A has no fraternity house and many of the questions answered themselves by university ruling.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Progressive dinner, rushing party, cooky-shine on pledge day, card party for Settlement School, initiation banquet at College Arms, patroness tea, luncheon at Ormond Beach given by patronesses. 1922-23: Dinner at Daytona Beach, rushing party, cooky-shine, pledge day, initiation banquet at De Sota Hotel, patroness tea, moving picture show—benefit, open house day.

V. Chapter House. Room used by Florida A is large one occupying about one-fourth of the space above the college library. Additions in furniture since June 1921 have been cushions, new curtains and over draperies.

FLORIDA B

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 8, active members 18. 1922-23: initiates 15, active members 24. May 1, 1923: resident active members 0, resident alumnae 1; total membership 46.

II. Honors. 2 class vice-presidents, 2 class secretaries, 2 class treasurers, 12 on class committees, 6 members of junior-senior banquet committee, 1 class athletic manager, 1 class representative on student government, 1 college cheer leader, 1 on Flambeur staff, 42 members and 1 treasurer of Y. W. C. A., 3 on smaller cabinet, 7 on larger cabinet, 1 on Y. W. C. A. commission, 8 on Y. W. C. A. committees, 1 teacher of Freshman Bible class, 1 leader of student fellowship group, 1 delegate to Y. W. C. A. conference, 12 members of education club, 5 members and 1 secretary and 1 treasurer of classical club, 10 members and 1 president of history and social science club, 1 member of Blue Ridge club, 6 members and 1 president and 1 vice-president of dramatic club, 5 members and 1 treasurer of home economics club, 2 members and 1 secre-

tary of student government freshman commission, 1 president, Jacksonville club, 1 secretary Tampa club, 1 secretary-treasurer Polk County club, 5 entries and 1 first place on field day, 6 entries on water sport day, 6 entries and 1 champion for three years of tennis tournament, 6 on class baseball teams, 4 on class basketball teams, 1 student assistant in gymnasium, 2 members of life saving corps, 6 members of glee club, 3 members of chapel choir, 1 graduate in expression, 3 college plays, 1 chairman of fashion walk, 1 chairman of senior coronation, 1 director and 1 member of college orchestra, 1 captain and 1 lieutenant of fire department, 1 patrol leader of girl scouts, 1 interlocutor in minstrel, 3 parts in coronation, 4 in junior-senior wedding, 2 maids and 6 parts in May festival, 1 May queen, 1 voted "peppiest" girl in college.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee members personally see professors and procure grades of all girls each quarter and criticisms asked concerning low grades. Girls required to remain behind study sign every night until average is reached. This method is very successful. Method of keeping interest in activities: chapter divided into two groups with two girls making highest grades as captains. Competition between these groups for points. Party given by losing team to winning team. Pledge meetings held weekly under supervision of chairman of scholarship committee with provision for special study. Visiting alumnae talk to the pledges concerning fraternity matters. Pledges are initiated in turn according to their average. Annual gift of freshmen to chapter. Box of clothes given to Settlement School, \$5 given to Fellowship Fund, social service work done by individual girls, \$30.00 contributed to Panhellenic scholarship, member of Red Cross, individual donations to Near East Fund and National Reform, and Y. W. C. A. Had prominent nurse speak to chapter on health; have health standards for girls to keep.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Large tea for Miss Clark, installation banquet, 1 formal dance, tea and dinner for Miss Turnbull, Founders' Day banquet, weekly "get together" parties. 1922-23: Formal dance and tea dance during membership campaign, freshmen entertained freshmen of all other fraternities with an advertisement party carrying out the advertising idea in invitations, costumes, decorations, special numbers, refreshments; actor and actress dance for other fraternities, each girl bringing a non-fraternity girl. The room was decorated as a movie studio and everyone represented a movie star. Banquet for Mrs. Brinkley, Founders' Day banquet, tea for patronesses, freshmen entertained chapter at a formal banquet.

V. Chapter House. Room and tower used next to sun parlor of Bryan Hall, opening into upper atrium. Floor lamp and cedar chest bought last year and new curtains, rug, and furniture this year.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Send Round Robin letters to all alumnae telling the work of the active chapter and college activities. Resident alumnae frequently attend chapter meetings, initiation, activities, and always help us when called upon. Have special meetings with visiting alumnae.

Alice Albury

MICHIGAN A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 19, active members 33. 1922-23: Initiates 13, active members 34. May 1, 1923, resident active members 6, resident alumnae 13; total membership 280.

II. Honors. Honor students 1921-22, 9; 1922-23, 7. Rank first among all fraternities, 1921-22, in 1922-23, first. 6 members of Col-

legian staff, 2 members of Winona staff, 2 class vice-presidents, 5 secretaries, 2 treasurers, 1 chairman junior prom, 2 presidents and 10 other offices of literary societies, 3 leads and 4 other roles in $\Theta \Lambda \Phi$ plays, 2 maids of honor and 8 attendants in May Fete, 2 managers of the Washington banquet, 6 officers and 37 members in Y. W. C. A.

III. Chapter Work. The pledges were organized and weekly meetings were conducted with an upperclassman in attendance. Stress was placed on parliamentary rules. Fraternity study was held weekly, with an upperclassman in charge. Martha McGrew pledge study was used for the last three meetings and proved very satisfactory. Each pledge is requested to earn a dollar which with the money contributed by the active chapter is sent to the Settlement School. The money for this year was turned into the house fund since the alumnae club was contributing to the Settlement School support. Baskets and linen from the school were sold. A room in the newly remodeled dormitory was furnished by the local chapter and alumnae and dedicated to Michigan A charter members. Many of the active members made pledges to the college campaign fund. At the white gift Christmas, conducted by the Y. W. C. A. the local chapter contributed liberally to the support of a family.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: A tea was given to introduce our house mother. The one rushing party of the year was a unique wedding of Ima Freshman to $\Pi B \Phi$. The wedding was preceded by a formal dinner. Joint semi-formal party with $KK \Gamma$. Founders' Day was celebrated with Michigan B. A Settlement School tea and Jesse L. Gaynor musical program. Theater and dinner party at Jackson, Michigan, our nearest city. The traditional Commencement luncheon. Pledging, a dinner and Christmas party. Initiation and banquet. 1922-23: Panhellenic ruled against formal parties during rushing but provided for four engagements for each fraternity with each new girl. Annual pledging, dinner, and Christmas party. A formal dance with men as guests. "Track-meet" breakfast for $KK \Gamma$. Spring Japanese party. Commencement breakfast for alumnae.

V. Chapter House. In previous years Michigan A has rented a furnished house in which at least ten women have lived. In May 1923, Hillsdale college purchased two houses, one of which will be rented to our local chapter thus settling the housing question for us. The house will be run on the dormitory plan and room will be provided for at least sixteen young women. Michigan A owns a few pieces of good furniture and from time to time others will be purchased. Dinners at night are the only meal served at the chapter house, the others being taken at the women's dormitory.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. We urge all alumnae to attend the active chapter meetings. The advisory board is a source of advice and help for the many problems of the chapter. The alumnae club has been formed and the chapter now realizes and appreciates the benefit of the club working with it. Our alumnae share our social events with us and this gives them an opportunity to see the members in active social life.

EVAN NELL CROW.

MICHIGAN B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 10, active members 35. 1922-1923: Initiates 7, active members 32. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 3, resident alumnae 20; total membership 329.

II. Honors. 2 third places on comparative scholarship chart. 4 Φ B K, 1 vice-president junior class, president Y. W. C. A., vice-president Y. W. C. A., 3 cabinet members, president, secretary and treasurer of woman's league, chairman and president of League Life Membership Campaign fund, chairman intercollegiate committee, 7 members Wyvern, the junior honorary society; 4 Mortarboard, senior honorary society; 2 members Stylus, literary society; 1 chairman of junior girls' play, 3 chairmen committees of the play and 16 members of the cast. Senior play, 1 leading role, 3 chairmen committees, and 8 members of cast, 8 members of freshman spread committee, treasurer of spread, president and secretary of glee club, 12 members of club, 2 members Michigan Daily Paper staff, 2 members Michiganensian staff, 1 member Gargoyle Magazine. Members of athletic teams: 6 basketball, 7 hockey, 8 baseball, 3 tennis, 3 members of athletic board, 1 tennis manager, 1 hockey manager; 2 members girls' educational club, 1 member mandolin club, 4 members of Masques, and 4 members Mummies (dramatic club) chairman of sophomore social committee, junior member of social committee, 1 member of judiciary council.

III. Chapter Work. We have a scholarship committee composed of three members with a senior as chairman, who keeps a card catalogue of all the girls' grades and absences from classes. Each girl has a card, and every Monday night at meeting she writes on this card any grades she has received in her subjects and all of her absences. In this way a close record of each girl's work is kept. If a girl seems to be falling behind in her work she is warned by the scholarship committee, and her permissions are limited.

The freshmen are organized, elect their officers, and hold meetings at the time of chapter meetings under the supervision and direction of a senior. A part of each meeting is devoted to fraternity study and instruction.

This year we are planning to raise \$75.00 for the Settlement School. We have contributed \$225.00 towards the new women's league building, earned by a rummage sale and puppet show entertainment. Every Christmas a needy child is outfitted, and entertained by the girls. We gave 100 per cent to the Fresh Air Fund; contributed to the student Christian association for poor children's Christmas party.

We discussed the Health Questionnaire in fraternity meeting, and each girl wrote out her answers to all questions.

Before each regular fraternity meeting we have an executive board meeting, composed of all the officers of the fraternity, to discuss the business to be brought up in meeting. We have found this an excellent way to eliminate many useless discussions.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: We gave bridge party for benefit of women's league, tea for foreign students, farmerette dinner dance. 1922-1923: Every Wednesday evening we gave faculty dinners in order to become better acquainted with our professors, and these dinners have proven very enjoyable and successful. We entertained the new dean of women at a novel dinner. Each Thursday afternoon we serve tea at the house for all the girls, and any transfers and alumnae who care to drop in. This year we gave the first of our annual mothers' houseparties which proved to be a huge success. All the girls invited their mothers to stay at the chapter house from Thursday until Sunday, and we entertained them with bridge teas, a formal dinner, May breakfast, Cap Night and spring games, and gave them lovely silver houseparty favors.

The annual party for the seniors was given by the juniors at 10:30 p. m. the night of "Swing-Out." The seniors wore caps and gowns and

the juniors dressed in evening dress, and we had refreshments and sang college fraternity songs.

Our rushing season this year included many new parties such as the "Pullman luncheon" when our dining room was arranged to represent a dining car, and girls dressed as colored waiters gave a unique dance.

V. Chapter House. The house is owned by the Michigan B association. The present value is estimated at \$45,000. We have accommodation for 23 girls, chaperon, a maid and cook. Improvements and additions are: house painted and redecorated, new hall rug, sun parlor refurnished, two mahogany serving tables for dining room, mahogany library table, a bridge lamp and a table lamp, new tan silk draperies for the first floor, new set of china, davenport-end table, silver tray, candlesticks, and a new telephone on the third floor.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. An informal luncheon and entertainment was given for all our alumnae and the Detroit alumnae club. All our alumnae are of course urged to attend Founder's Day luncheon and our initiation banquet. Each member of the active chapter calls on each town alumnae during the college year as far as possible. We invite resident alumnae to dinner on guest nights. Representatives from the active chapter attend each meeting of the Ann Arbor alumnae club. Representatives of the active chapter were sent to the annual meeting of the Detroit alumnae club and were delightfully entertained. We urgently invite our alumnae to avail themselves of our guest room to spend week-ends with us as often as possible.

ELIZABETH R. LAUVER

INDIANA A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 13, actives 28. 1922-23: Initiates 14, actives 35. May 1, 1923, Resident active members 11, resident alumnae 68; total membership 355.

II. Honors. 2 Alphas (requirements same as for ΦBK), 2 magna cum laude, 2 cum laude, 8 honor students. Chapter ranks in scholarship above all other college organizations. 4 class offices, 1 assistant business manager, 1 associate editor, 1 reporter on staff of annual, 1 associate editor, 1 reporter of paper staff, Y. W. C. A. membership 100 per cent, 5 members of cabinet, 1 member of $\Pi K \Delta$, 4 members of dormitory executive council, 11 positions on athletic teams, 14 members of woman's athletic association, 18 members of glee club, 9 parts in college plays, 7 members of dramatic club, 1 charter member of national dramatic society, 3 inter-collegiate debaters, 5 class debaters, 5 members of A. X. A. Honor student of college, 2 May Queens, 3 voted among 5 most beautiful coeds, 2 among 5 most popular coeds.

III. Chapter Work. The freshmen are organized, elect officers, and hold meetings at the time of chapter meetings, under the supervision of upper classmen. A portion of each meeting is devoted to fraternity study and instruction. Scholarship requirements for freshmen, C+. Standing scholarship committee composed of a member from each class with a senior chairman. Chart was made showing class ranks in scholarship as a method of improving scholarship. Money was raised for the Fellowship and Loan Funds, and for the Settlement School. Sent Christmas box to the Settlement School. Health program discussed at chapter meetings.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Initiation, cooky-shine and slumber party, tea for faculty members and wives, tea for Province President. Christmas party (kid party to which all brought gifts for Settlement

School), spring theater party, houseparty at close of college. 1922: Initiation banquet and slumber party, tea for faculty wives in honor of new Dean of Women, dinner for some members of the College Board of Directors, patronesses' tea, Christmas party, convention dinner in honor of Miss Onken.

V. Chapter House. Chapter house is rented. $\Pi\Phi$ is the first woman's organization to maintain a house. Chapter has started a house fund.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to attend chapter meetings and all special services such as initiation. Alumnae club and actives celebrate local Founders' Day with a cooky-shine. Chapter keeps in close touch with advisory committee. An annual spread on the campus for actives, alumnae and patronesses closes the college year. These methods are successful.

FAY ECCLES

INDIANA B

I. Membership. 1921-22. Initiates 10, active members 40. 1922-23: Initiates 15, active members 38. May 1, 1923: resident active members 2, resident alumnae 20, total membership 403.

II. Honors. 2 $\Pi\Lambda\Theta$, one $\Theta\Lambda$, junior class treasurer, '24, editor-in-chief of college annual, 2 members of the staff of the annual, 6 members of the staff of the college daily, two freshman Y. W. C. A. commission, 6 $\Theta\Sigma\Phi$ and president of $\Theta\Sigma\Phi$, one $X\Delta X$ (honorary musical), 3 Garrick club (honorary dramatic), one member of student government association, five on the tennis team, one in baseball, 6 in swimming, 2 in soccer, 1 "I" sweater, 1 swimming instructor, 6 members W. A. A., ten in the glee club, 5 in college plays, won the Show Down cup for the best fraternity stunt, 3 Pleiades (honorary social), 2 $\Sigma\Delta\Phi$ (honorary dramatic and debating), 2 on junior prom committee, 2 on class committees, 9 on all campus committee for the Memorial Drive, 2 in orchestra of the university.

III. Chapter Work. Each year we give a pin to the one who makes the greatest improvement in scholarship. This has led to much competition especially among the freshmen. Our alumnae gave us a silver loving cup and every year the name of the girl with the highest average is placed on it. The first semester we had study hall for the freshmen supervised by an upper classman. Each freshman was required to study three hours each day. The pledges were organized, having a president, secretary and treasurer. They held regular weekly meetings at which time the vice-president of the chapter met with them to aid in their fraternity study and to notify them of matters of importance. Each week they were assigned a lesson and a careful record of class grades are kept. Every year we sell baskets of the Settlement School and this year the alumnae gave a bazaar at which they sold a great number of them. One fraternity meeting each year is devoted to a Settlement School program. Our chapter gave \$1,000 to the Indiana Memorial Drive fund.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22. Our outstanding social affairs were a formal dance and the faculty reception. We also gave three house dances, one of which was given by the freshmen and a reception for our Province President. 1922-23. Again this year we gave a formal dance and faculty reception. Our freshmen entertained us with a very clever Christmas party and a matinee dance. We gave a reception for our Grand Secretary and for our chaperon. We had a number of dinner parties to entertain the freshmen of the different fraternities.

V. Chapter House. In the summer of 1922 we built a new chapter house valued at \$35,000 and accommodating thirty-five girls. Since then we have added many new pieces of furniture as follows: 3 large rugs, 2 cane and velour davenports and 3 chairs to match, a grand piano and a large tapestry chair.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Our alumnae are so interested that we do not need to take special means to obtain their assistance and co-operation. They helped finance our house and a special committee chosen from the alumnae club supervised the building of it. Once a month the advisory board comes to dinner and then they discuss fraternity business with the president, house manager and the chaperon. We send representatives to alumnae meetings and they send representatives to our meetings. Once each year we entertain the alumnae and their husbands at dinner. We invite them to all pledging and initiation ceremonies and to the annual initiation banquet.

KATHRYN YEAGER

INDIANA I

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 14, active members 31. 1922-23: Initiates 13, active members 29. May 1, 1923: resident active members 24, resident alumnae 176, total membership 242.

II. Honors. In comparative chart, once third. No $\Phi B K$ chapter, 3 $\Phi K \Phi$, 1 graduate scholarship, 2 assistant professors in English for two years, 1 assistant physical culture department for two years, vice-president of senior, junior and sophomore classes; secretaries senior, junior classes; 1 member junior prom committee; 2 student representative speakers for Founders' Day; 1 senior class poet; 2 Endowment Fund committee; 5 Drift staff (annual); 4 Collegian; 1 president, 1 secretary, 3 cabinet members, 12 committee members of Y. W. C. A.; 2 Philokurian literary society. Honor societies: 4 Scarlet Quill, 2 presidents and one treasurer of Scarlet Quill, 2 vice-presidents of $\Phi \Delta \Phi$, 3 Scarf club, 1 vice-president and 1 treasurer of Scarf club, 4 French club, 4 classical club, 1 vice-president and 1 treasurer of classical club, 5 W. A. A., one president; 8 glee club, 7 operetta, two leading parts in operetta, 21 dramatic club, 1 dramatic club secretary, 3 leading parts, 2 minor parts in dramatic club plays, 2 debating team, 1 winner in journalistic conference, 1 composer of glee club musical comedy, "Short and Snappy", 3 basketball squad, 1 chairman of Home-coming stunt committee, 1 chairman dramatic club Vaudevilles, junior class beauty, all university beauty.

III. Chapter Work. During the semester there is a rivalry between the classes to lead the scholarship in the fraternity. The winning class winning the scholarship is entertained by the other classes in some clever and original way. This year a $\Pi B \Phi$ bar pin is to be given at the close of the year to all actives who have an average of 85 for the entire year. Every effort possible is being made to improve the chapter's scholarship. Study classes are formed in various subjects, a month before final examinations, directed by an upper classman who has successfully passed the course. This is helpful to upperclassmen as well as the freshmen. A system of fines is in effect for the active low grades. For each hour flunked the girl pays the chapter \$1.00, for each hour of E, \$.75, for each hour below C, \$.50. In order to eliminate cutting of classes we have another system of fines of \$.50 for each overcut. In an effort to raise the freshman grades we have raised the initiation average. A month preceding finals, pledges are on a form of probation, having no social engagements except week-ends. Two weeks

before the finals they are allowed no social engagements at any time. This is to help the freshmen rest and be in proper physical condition for the examinations. This also gives them sufficient time for review. The freshman having the highest average for the first year receives a silver loving cup. The freshmen are organized, elect their officers and hold meetings at the time of chapter meetings under the supervision of one of the censors. A part of each meeting is devoted to some phase of fraternity study. A system of sponsors, to assist the pledges, both scholastically and in other matters has been a great source of help. Every effort is made to keep pledges interested in and in touch with the chapter to help them become good actives. Sent part of proceeds of a card party, also a check for \$20 to the Settlement School. Many assist in social service work at Christamore Settlement House, City Hospital, Red Cross, and in Juvenile Court work. Contributed generously to Armenian Relief and the Needlework Guild of America. The health program has been adopted. Hiking, riding, basketball and regular bi-weekly gymnasium are the various forms used to improve health conditions.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22. Reception for Mrs. Page, (new patroness) and the advisory board; reception for the whole college; tea for the alumnae club; Christmas formal—decorations laurel and poinsettias made into a lattice work, hand decorated placards for each organization on the campus were placed around the walls, the programs were made by the pledges, hand decorated in wine and blue; pledge valentine dance; state dance; Founders' Day celebration; June supper dance, June luncheon at an alumna's home in Southport, decorations—summer flowers, wine and blue balloons, hand made place cards. 1922-23. Reception for alumnae; open house for whole college; tea for $\Pi\Phi$ mothers; football breakfast at Severin Hotel on the day the team returned from the last game; pledge dance at the Irvington Country Club, Christmas formal at an alumna's home in Martinsville, chartered double-headed special interurban, Christmas decorations and wine felt programs with $\Pi\Phi$ in blue, Christmas tree with individual gifts for everyone, also a two course spread served on small tables decorated with poinsettias. Annual pledge vaudeville for actives and alumnae, six acts including a clever one-act play "Sally For Keeps", besides other clever, original acts ending with a new song composed by one of the pledges. Founder's Day celebration and the state dance—decorations, peach blossoms also baskets of wine carnations and blue delphinium, and an electrically lighted "Arrow", favors brown leather card cases with mirror, memorandum pad and pencil, on the outside $\Pi\Phi$ crest in gold, brown leather tight wads for the men.

V. Chapter House. Is rented. 7 room house with dormitory. Bought following furnishings since 1922: one divan, 1 mahogany gate-leg table, 1 floor lamp, 4 wicker chairs, 1 mahogany rocker, 4 mahogany chairs, living room draperies and curtains, dining room draperies, 4 beds, 1 refrigerator, 2 kitchen tables, 1 stove, 1 kitchen cabinet, 2 kitchen chairs, 1 set of dishes. Alumnae and parents gave the chapter divan pillows, hall lamp, table lamp, polychrome mirror, also refurnished the chaperon's room, 1 dining room table, 1 buffet, 1 set of $\Pi\Phi$ silver, 1 stove, 1 sofa, 1 mahogany end table.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to almost all parties and dances. Home-coming day we entertain them with a spread at the house. Alumnae and the chapter celebrate together Founder's Day luncheon and annual fall banquet at which time prospective members are also entertained. The alumnae have been a

great help in our summer rushing campaign, offering their time, support and homes for entertaining. An active member is present also at almost every alumnae meeting while some alumnae generally attend our weekly meetings. An annual tea is given by the chapter for the alumnae. The methods we use seem to be very successful as our alumnae are very interested in our work.

LA VONNE LARISON

INDIANA Δ

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 14, active members 28. 1922-1923: initiates 13, active members 36. May 1, 1923: resident active members 9, resident alumnae 13, total membership 72.

II. Honors. No chapter of ΦBK here. 1 secretary of sophomore class, 1 secretary of freshman class, 1 secretary junior class, 1 historian of senior class, 1 co-ed issue editor on paper staff, 36 members Y. W. C. A., 2 presidents Y. W. C. A., 1 undergraduate representative Y. W. C. A., 3 cabinet members Y. W. C. A., 14 members of National Eurodelphian literary society, 1 president, 1 vice-president, 2 treasurers of National Eurodelphian literary society, 6 members of Philalethean literary society. 1 censor, 1 vice-president, and 2 members of independent literary society, 1 secretary and 5 members of KΔII, (national honorary educational fraternity), 2 members of ON (national honorary home economics society), 2 members of ΦXΓ (local honorary literary society), 1 president, 2 junior advisors, and 33 members of home economics society, 35 members of Purdue in China Club, 1 delegate at large of the national student department Y. W. C. A., 30 members of Purdue Union and 1 secretary, 1 member of student council, 3 members girls' glee club, 2 leading parts in college play, 5 took part in college play, 6 took part in Harlequin Show, 1 May Queen, and 2 May Queen attendants.

III. Chapter Work. Supervised study room for freshmen four nights a week from 7:30 to 10:00. Freshmen are organized among themselves and hold meetings each week devoting part of the time to pledge study under the supervision of a senior. Social activities for any girl restricted if any grade falls below passing. No girl is initiated not having a grade average of 80 per cent. Members become inactive if grade average is below 80 per cent and remain so until average is brought up. Report of scholarship of each member of chapter given every month at a specified meeting. A silver loving cup presented by the chapter alumnae to be held each month by the class that maintains the highest scholarship record during the month and the letters of the class having held it the greatest number of times engraved on it at end of year. Scholarship rank is higher this year than last. Every pledge initiated this year. Received \$25.00 clear from candy sale and bridge party for Settlement School. Also money from fines and cleaning agency given to Settlement School. Christmas party and toys bought for Monon Shop's children. Money paid for building Purdue Union Building and money given to Purdue In China Club. Health lectures given fraternity throughout the year.

IV. Entertainment. 1922-1923. Formal dance each year, May Day house party for mothers, reception for president of the university, 2 informal dances, buffet dinner for patronesses, pledges entertain pledges of other fraternities, and a buffet dinner for the home economics faculty.

V. Chapter House. House is rented. Plans being made for buying

a lot to build. One parlor entirely refurnished with a table lamp, davenport, winsor table, victrola, three chairs. The other parlor contains re-upholstered chairs and davenport. Silver tea service given by chapter alumnae. 1 new double deck bed added to set, rug for chaperon's room given by patronesses, dining-room redecorated, and wood work in parlors and dining-room refinished.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to formal dance, cooky-shine, breakfast given in honor of mothers, and chapter meetings. Annual Founders' Day celebration given with alumnae. Members of chapter invited to alumnae meetings. Alumnae gave a luncheon for seniors also a dinner party for the pledges.

ELIZABETH SCHMIDT

MINNESOTA A

I. Membership 1921-22: initiates 9, active members 31. 1922-23: initiates 8, active members 31. May 1, 1923: resident active members 20, resident alumnae 140, total membership 258.

II. Honors. 1 Φ BK; 3 honor roll students (sophomore and freshman); 1 vice-president of junior education class, 1 member of Daily staff, 2 Daily reporters, 1 member Daily board of publishers, 1 member of Ski-U-Mah staff, 1 staff member and 1 department head of Gopher, 10 captains and 30 team members of campus drives, 1 division commander, 6 captains, and 18 team members for stadium drive, 2 Mortarboard, 1 member of all-university council, 1 president, 1 vice-president, 1 vocational chairman, 4 commissioners, 1 cabinet member of Y. W. C. A., 1 delegate to Lake Geneva, 2 delegates to Hot Springs, 1 vice-president and 3 board members of W. S. G. A., 1 president, and 2 board members of W. A. A., 1 "M" winner, 1 delegate to Boulder 1 member of senior hockey and basketball team, and 1 member of freshman basketball team. 4 members of Θ E (literary society), 1 member of Thalian (literary society), 2 members of Θ Σ Φ (honorary journalistic fraternity); 1 member of Δ Φ Δ (honorary art fraternity), 2 presidents of Pinafore (sophomore organization), 1 president of Bib and Tucker (freshman organization), 3 members of Pots'n Pans (home economics fraternity), 1 member of Cap and Gown cabinet (senior organization), 1 president and 1 treasurer of art department, 7 members and 1 officer of dramatic clubs with 1 lead in If, 1 lead in Dulcy, 1 lead in Litmus, 1 lead in Will-'o-the-Wisp, and 1 David Garrick, 4 class committee chairmen, 8 class committee members, 10 big sisters.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee appointed to look after grades of whole chapter, but especially after those of the freshmen. Supervised study is held for the freshmen every day in case of especial weakness the freshmen are tutored by upper classmen, with the result that their marks are greatly improved. As a penalty for a failure or a condition, both freshmen and upper classmen forfeit one of their allotted evenings a week. Pledge meetings are conducted regularly by an upper classman, who tries to bring the pledges into a close and firm relationship with the ideals of Π Φ . A successful vaudeville was given last year for our Settlement School, and this year we are planning a benefit moving picture show. Our chapter contributed 100 per cent to our recent stadium drive, and loyally supports all campus drives. A plan of wholesome and sensible living has been adopted for the health program.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: 3 informals, 2 formals. Our first informal was given in honor of our new pledges. Winter formal given at

the house and was a St. Valentine's supper dance. Our last party of the year was a formal dinner dance at the LaFayette club, "Π Φ Vauducal" given at Women's club. 1922-23: 4 informals, 2 formals, Winter formal given at Minnesota club in St. Paul, Spring formal to be a dinner dance at Radisson Inn on Christmas Lake. Mothers' Club, Province President, and Dean of Women entertained at an informal Monday night dinner. Exchange dinners once a week with other women's fraternities.

V. Chapter House. Owned by alumnae association and rented by active chapter. Valued at \$16,000. In the summer of 1922 had new curtains, new lamp, furniture repainted and upholstered, stucco repainted. February 1923, a new Grand piano.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Committee appointed to keep in close touch with alumnae association. Resident alumnae always welcome at all of our initiations or cooky-shines. Active chapter gave a tea for the alumnae during Miss Onken's visit. Both active and alumnae chapters combine in working for our bazaar, and in celebrating our Founders' Day. Alumnae have entertained all the active chapter at a dinner at house about 3 times a year, and gave us wonderful campaigning party this year at the home of Mrs. Cates on Kenwood Parkway.

JULIA V. PATTY.

WISCONSIN A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 17, active members 39, pledges 5. 1922-23: Initiates 12, active members 38, pledges 5. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 1, resident alumnae 24; total membership 369.

II. Honors. 1 election to ΦΚΦ, 1 election to ΘΣΦ, 1 sophomore scholarship honor, held second place in scholarship of whole university for period of 14 semesters. 6 class officers, 6 on Mortar Board, 6 on staff of university annual, 2 on staff of daily Cardinal, 40 members, 1 president, 1 vice-president, 1 undergraduate representative of Y. W. C. A., and 12 Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 6 Wisconsin delegates to Y. W. C. A. convention at Lake Geneva, 10 on membership and finance drive, 3 on campus religious council, 6 in crucible, 2 in art club, 2 in ΔΦΔ, 15 in W. A. A., 4 on W. A. A. board, 1 "W" wearer, 3 in orchessus, 10 in outing club, 3 on outing club board, 1 president of outing club, 1 in women's commerce club, 1 in Dolphin club, 1 in glee club, 3 in eutenics club, 2 in ΓΑΕ, 20 in Union Memorial drive, 2 vice-presidents of inter-collegiate club, 1 on joint committee, 1 chairman of homecoming button sale, 1 chairman European relief drive, 2 on S. G. A. board, No. 3 S. G. A. officers, 1 on S. G. A. judicial committee, 2 on varsity hockey team, 1 on varsity bowling team, 2 on varsity baseball team, 2 on varsity basketball team, 4 on swimming teams, 3 swimming honors, 14 on class teams, 1 in Union Vodvil, 1 in Wisconsin horse show, 4 in badger Ace section, 6 on prom committees, 8 in mystic circle, first prize women's costumed group university jamboree, second prize individual costume.

III. Chapter Work. We have a scholarship chairman who looks after the grades of the whole chapter. Each pledge chooses a chapter mother from among the seniors, and these mothers emphasize the importance of our scholarship standard. We have pledge study hall conducted by an upper classman every week night of the first semester, where the pledges have supervised study hours. We appoint one girl in the fall to take charge of pledge meetings and different girls are appointed to speak to them on activities, scholarship, proper behavior and fraternity spirit. A bridge party is given every spring to raise money for the Settlement School. Six girls are spending several hours a week

at the Bradley Memorial Hospital for crippled children and several more work at the Neighborhood house in the foreign quarter. The chapter is supporting an Armenian orphan and contributed \$10 to the Fellowship Fund. About twenty chapter members gave \$50 apiece to the Union Memorial drive, everyone contributed to the China drive, the European student relief fund, and the baby welfare fund, and all Y. W. C. A. members contribute to that organization and its charities. The health program has been brought up in several chapter meetings and discussions have been held. We feel that our living conditions are extremely fine, excellent food, housing conditions, ventilation, light and warmth, and due to our location everyone gets plenty of exercise out of doors. The house is well kept and clean.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Rushing parties in the fall, Vanity-fair party, studio party, formal dinner dance; dance given for pledges by actives, oriental dance given for actives by pledges, other dances during year, Christmas costume party at which the pledges gave their stunt, cooky-shines every month to which alumnae are invited, Founders' Day banquet, formal dinner dance, alumnae banquet. 1922-23: Formal tea and rushing parties in fall, studio party and formal dinner dance, open house dance, active and pledge dances, Christmas costume party and pledge stunt, buffet-supper for second semester rushing party, monthly cooky-shines, spring bridge party, formal dinner dance, alumnae banquet.

V. Chapter House. Our property is owned by the chapter and valued at \$45,000. Twenty-four actives live in the house. We have our fraternity meetings, cooky-shines, and parties in our own house. The entire first floor has been redecorated and new furniture, curtains, drapes, rugs and lighting fixtures installed. A sleeping porch accommodating seventeen people and open on two sides with screen and glass windows, valued at \$1,500 has just been completed.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The chapter invites resident alumnae to initiations, chapter meetings, cooky-shines and Founders' Day. All alumnae receive invitations to spring formal and to the annual banquet. Letters are being sent out this year to every alumnae club asking cooperation in our early rushing

ANITA HAVEN

WISCONSIN B

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 14, active members 30. 1922-23: initiates 12, active members 31. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 5, resident alumnae 15; total membership 89.

II. Honors. 3 cum laude graduates, chapter second in rank in scholarship, 1 class vice-president, 1 vice-president, 1 secretary associated students, 3 members sophomore council, 2 society editors, 1 women's editor, Round Table (semi-weekly student newspaper), 1 women's organization Codex, biennial book, 13 members, 1 vice-president, 1 undergraduate representative, 1 secretary, 1 music chairman Y. W. C. A., 1 conference delegate, 3 members Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 2 members Ka-Ne, girls' literary-journalistic society, 1 girls' forensic club. 7 elected to Beloit Players, 3 in Shakespeare society, 2 members college orchestra, 2 presidents, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 1 vice-president women's student government association, 5 members women's student council, 12 on hockey class teams, 10 basketball, 6 baseball, 1 tennis champion, 1 high jump record, 1 swimming manager, 1 dancing manager, 12 members women's athletic association, 1 vice-president, 1 treasurer, 1 president, 1 secretary. 2 business managers, 12 members of glee club, 11

Capella choir, 4 vesper choir, 4 parts in plays given by Beloit Players, 1 part in French play, 1 voted by student body as the most beautiful girl in college, 1 prize for best paper on archaeology (\$25), 1 prize for excellence in mathematics (\$50).

III. Chapter Work. Freshmen required to study at library before initiation. Social privileges taken away when grades are low. Each initiate has a sponsor who gives any advice or help necessary. Scholarship chairman reads low grades in chapter meeting. This is effective in raising scholarship of chapter. Weekly meeting of pledges before initiation. Sold baskets made by Settlement School. Subscribed \$10 to Fellowship Fund. Dormitory regulations cover points made in health program and chapter lives according to these.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Rushing banquet, tea for Province President to which representatives from other groups were invited, initiation banquet, formal dance at hotel, alumnae bridge party for benefit of Settlement School, cooky-shine on Founders' day, spring picnic for prospective students, chapter sings every two weeks to which alumnae were frequently invited, sing for visiting alumnae and reunion banquet during Commencement week. 1922-23: Tea dance and banquet for prospective members, also a dinner given by alumnae, informal dance at new chapter house, tea for Province President to which representatives from each group were invited, benefit bridge party, entertained non-fraternity freshmen girls at a sing, formal dance, initiation banquet, Panhellenic tea in honor of Grand President and General President of ΔI who happened to be in Beloit at the same time, entertained Wisconsin A at Founders' Day luncheon, informal spring party at chapter house, chapter supper and sing held every third Sunday evening, alumnae banquet at Commencement time.

V. Chapter House. With aid of alumnae purchased new house June, 1922. Value \$9,500. Women of the college must live in dormitories. We rent the upper floors of house and use the downstairs for chapter purposes. Beautiful surroundings and conveniently located. Purchased new rugs, curtains and gavenport.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae entertained by chapter at occasional sings. Special attention is given to reunion of chapter and alumnae Commencement week and at home-coming. Alumnae assist chapter in every way. They are invited to all initiation ceremonies and banquets. Resident alumnae join with chapter in most social events. They have use of chapter house at any time. We appreciate greatly their support and interest in the active chapter.

PHYLLIS ARNEMAN

NORTH DAKOTA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 39, (31 at installation), active members 18. 1922-1923: Initiates 10, active members 19. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 12, resident alumnae 6; total membership 50.

II. Honors. 2 fall elections and 1 spring election to ΦBK ; first in scholarship second semester, 1922; 3 on Dean's list second semester, 1922, 2 first semester, 1923 (first thirty in scholarship in College of Liberal Arts; 1 Gansle cup (highest average for four years); 6 class offices, 5 on Dacotah staff (annual), 2 on Student staff (paper), 1 office and 14 members in Y. W. C. A., 3 ΦA (honorary educational), 4 $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ (national art), 1 Gray Gown (commencement usher), 1 senior girls honorary, 4 $N \Delta H$ (local home economics), 1 national and 2 local officers, with 1 member $\Sigma A I$ (national musical), 1 officer and 6 members Spanish club, 1 officer and 5 members Cercle Francais, 1 ivy speaker, 1 class

poet, 1 president and 2 members Dean's assistant council, 1 president and 1 secretary Panhellenic, 1 president of women's league, 1 president of women's senate, 1 basketball team, 4 volley ball team, 5 aesthetic dancing class, 2 in orchestra, 5 in glee club, 1 instructor in public school music, 1 in charge of operetta, 1 in charge and 6 assistants for Campus Cut-up Circus, 5 Dakota Playmakers (dramatic), 7 parts in college plays, first and second in poster contest, 1922; second in DeRemer contest (art), 6 on Carney song contest committee, Memorial Day float, 1922; second in home-coming day float contest, second in contest for selling Dakotahs.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee of one member from each class obtains grades every six weeks. Pledge marks read and commented on before active chapter; conferences with professors for those below 80. Active marks read at chapter meetings. Pledges are organized, and meet every week under the leadership of the chairman of the freshman committee for fraternity study, written and oral recitations. Those not receiving an average of 80 for a month's work must take a make-up test over the work covered. Roll-call answered with the number of cuts and reason for cutting; pledges required to attend two college activities each week. Twice a week two pledges take turns cleaning the downstairs rooms and hall. We hold an annual song contest between the classes, each one having to sing the Anthem and one other $\Pi\Phi$ song, besides two original chapter songs. The three losing classes go together to buy a present for the house. The last two years we have sponsored a movie, returns being sent to the Settlement School; donated twice to the Student Armenian Relief, once to the Christian College Fund, and to a fund for building a woman's building on the campus.

IV. Entertainments. 1921-22: During rushing,—bridge luncheon, formal dinner, Toonerville Trolley Ride, Gooblinato Spookioso party, and farewell P. O. P. dance ($\Psi\Omega\Psi$); formal reception at installation, mother's tea, faculty tea, formal party with Roman pillar decorations in wine and blue; Founders' Day banquet; tea for representatives of other fraternities to meet Mrs. Tannahill; picnic breakfast and informal afternoon for Miss Woodman. 1922-1923: bunco party, Robin Hood costume party, decorated with boughs and leaves, used games centering around arrows, with doughnuts and pop in mugs for refreshments; Cupid tea (tiny carved cupids given as favors), formal dinner at which doll lamps were given to prospective members; our first birthday party; tea for mothers, tea for Mrs. Laurence, open house for newly installed $B\Theta\Pi$, $A\tau\Omega$, and $\Sigma A E$; Founders' Day banquet; cooky-shine and dance at Country Club, dinner for patronesses, Dean of Women and president's wife, dinner for National President, a Founder, Central Traveling Delegate and delegate from Alpha chapter of $\Sigma A I$, national music sorority, which held its convention here; dinner for delegates visiting local chapters of ΔZ , $\Delta \Gamma$ and $A\Phi$; formal party.

V. Chapter House. Have rented house. Alumnae just bought house for next year valued at \$7,800. Since June, 1921, have bought archives box, desk, 2 card tables, 8 folding chairs, 3 cots, 3 dressers, 2 easy chairs, 2 pictures, $\Pi\Phi$ shield, lampshade, 3 rugs, buffet, curtains and drapes for bedrooms and chaperone's room, piano; pledges of two years gave 2 rugs, portieres, polychrome mirror and the alumnae gave a victrola.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Resident alumnae attend cooky-shines and parties; Christmas party given when most alumnae in town, special cooky-shine during Easter vacation period for alumnae; invited to annual formal party; vice-president sends monthly letters to

every alumna which keeps them in touch with active chapter affairs. The fact that they have given a victrola and a new house this year testifies to their interest in us.

MILDRED ODELL

ILLINOIS B

I. Membership. 1921:22: Initiates 11, active members 13. 1922-23: Initiates 13, active members 26. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 6, resident alumnae 24; total membership 350.

II. Honors. 2 honor students, 1 magna cum laude; 1 first rank in scholarship, reports of 1922-23 are unknown at present, 2 class presidents, 1 vice-president, 2 treasurers, 1 secretary, 3 places on annual staff, 1 assistant editor and 2 reporters of weekly publications, 1 president, 5 members of French club, 1 president and 6 members of psychology club, 1 secretary and treasurer of $\Theta X \Delta$ (honorary national chemical fraternity), 1 president, 1 vice-president, 1 secretary, 1 corresponding secretary, 5 members of $\Lambda \Phi \Delta$ (honorary national three arts fraternity), 1 secretary, 4 members of Campus Players (dramatic club), 1 vice-president, 1 secretary, 8 members of home economics club, 1 president, 3 members of Lombard musical club, 2 presidents, 1 chairman of social committee, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 2 members of judicial committee of student government of women's dormitory, 4 members of student council, 1 manager, 2 captains, 11 members of hockey teams, 1 captain, 6 members of basketball teams, 14 members of women's athletic association, 3 members of varsity basketball team, 1 president, 1 secretary, 1 manager, 12 members of girl's glee club, 2 leads in senior class plays, 3 parts in dramatic club plays, 4 solo dances, 18 dancers in May festivals, 1 first prize, 1 honorable mention in D. A. R. contest; 2 firsts in Townsend contests.

III. Chapter Work. We use the method of supervised study with all pledges in order to improve our scholarship and we find it very satisfactory. We also have a scholarship committee which keeps on record the grades of each of the girls in the chapter. The chairman of this committee reads the grades of mid-semester in chapter meeting. A scholarship cup is presented by the alumnae to the freshmen or sophomore having highest grades. Girls with averages below "C" are deprived of social activities. Pledges meet once a week with active girls, at which meetings fraternity study is carried on, and a discussion of various problems held. We assisted the alumnae associations in giving dances in order to raise money for the Settlement School. Individual contributions made by girls in chapter to college funds for endowment. Regular hours are kept by each girl throughout her college year. All freshmen and sophomores must take some form of physical education. Formation of horseback riding club made by girls which affords both pleasure and outdoor exercise to its members.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Informal rushing dance given at Knoxville Country club, cooky-shine given at bungalow for prospective members, formal dance at Elks' club in Galesburg, an attractive spring party at Country club to which prospective members were invited, various cooky-shines at bungalow throughout the year, slumber party and breakfast at home of a resident pledge, tea given for college faculty at bungalow, 1922-23: Rushing house party at country home of active girl, formal dance at Elks' club in Galesburg, formal dance at home of resident pledge, tea given in bungalow for faculty of college, spring party given at Knoxville Country club.

V. Chapter House. Bungalow situated on campus, owned, valued at

\$5,000. Bungalow used for informal parties, fraternity meetings, cooky-shines and is opened for use of chapter girls and alumnae during the day. We have made several improvements since June 1921, new cement floor in basement of house, new light shades, new table lamp, books for library, pictures, new chairs given by alumnae and several new kitchen utensils.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Each active girl of chapter is an associate member of the alumnae association and attends meetings and reports are given of chapter work by president. We also have an active advisory committee which cooperates with active chapter in scholarship, social activities and ceremonies both pledging and initiation. They gave a Christmas party in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Illinois B at Lombard and presented various articles to the bungalow equipment. The alumnae entertain the active girls at luncheons and card parties and are present at regular fraternity meetings once a month to advise and help settle any problems which arise and of which we are in doubt. We find our methods very successful.

HARRIET GREGERSON

ILLINOIS Δ

I. Membership. 1921-22: Initiates 15, active members 32. 1922-23: Initiates 8, active members 28, pledges 5. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 10, resident alumnae 42; total membership 359.

II. Honors. 1921-22: Chapter was first in scholarship. 1922-23: 1 $\Pi B \Phi$ Fellow, 1 $\Phi B K$, 1 Commencement speaker, 1 magna cum laude, 3 cum laude, 7 general honors, 2 special honors in Latin, 1 first prize Lawrence in freshman Latin, 1 special honor in French, 1st prize Rebecca Lawrence Louny Essay (critical literary essay); 2 treasurers, freshman class; 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, sophomore class; 1 treasurer, junior class; 1 vice-president, senior class; 4 members elected to Mortar Board (girl's honorary senior society), 2 presidents, 1 member $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ (honorary journalistic fraternity); 3 members, 1 president; 2 vice-presidents, 54 members of Y. W. C. A.; 7 cabinet and 8 on council, 1 delegate to National Y. W. C. A. Conference at Hot Springs, 2 delegates to Lake Geneva conference, 2 members of freshman commission; 2 members of polity club; 7 members of English club, 1 member to biology club, 9 members and 1 president of Cercle Francais, 3 members and 1 vice-president of Circulo Espanol; 1 assistant editor, 2 art editors and 5 board members of the Gale (college annual), and 7 reporters on the Student (weekly paper); 6 members in Knox Players club, 2 parts in senior class play, 2 leads and 6 parts in college plays; 8 members, 2 librarians, 1 soloist, 1 president, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 1 in quartet of girl's glee club; 2 members of student council; 5 members of Whiting Hall council, 6 board members, 2 presidents, 1 secretary, 2 marshals of W. S. G. A.; 2 Knox delegates to W. S. G. A. convention (at Ithaca, N. Y. and Columbus, O.); 8 members of girls' "K" club (athletic society); 9 members of class basketball teams; 6 members of class hockey teams; 3 members of all-college girl's basketball team; 6 members of girls' baseball team; 1 captain of girls' rifle squad; 2 members of girls' debating team; 5 girls and 1 solo dancer in May Fete; 19 members, 1 secretary of L. M. I. (Ladies Mutual Improvement Society).

III. Chapter Work. Roll called answered by number of "cuts" taken during the week. These are averaged at the end of the month and the three girls with the most form the committee for the next cooky-shine. Mid-semester grades are read at chapter meetings. Three alumnae on

advisory (board) committee in charge of grades come to this meeting and discuss grades with the girls. A scholarship cup is given to the sophomore having the highest average. A scholarship committee composed of a senior, a junior, and a sophomore having highest grades in their respective classes work for better grades among girls and get personal reports from their professors. Freshmen required to pass a semester's work with C in each subject before being initiated. Only one initiation a year. Those whose work is unsatisfactory are limited in social activities. Pledges elect officers, pay small dues, and hold weekly meetings under the supervision of pledge study chairman. Upper class girl acts as advisor to a freshman and is responsible for her scholarship and activities record. We have assisted the alumnae association in various Settlement School benefits such as bake sales, dances, etc. We have helped solicit in the annual tag day of the Knox County Free Kindergarten Home. Our members presented two stunts at school carnival. A doctor discussed with us in chapter meeting the national health recommendations. We adopted a simple set of health rules.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: House party and cabaret dance for prospective members. Pledges entertained active chapter with St. Patrick's Day party and vaudeville. Formal dance, spring dancing party and a cooky-shine with men as guests at the home of one of our patronesses. Pledges entertained Illinois B pledges with dinner dance. 1922-23: Progressive house party and carnival for rushing. Pledges entertained active chapter with rustic dinner party and play "Modern Romeo and Juliet." Formal dance, spring dancing party and spring luncheon. Illinois B and Illinois A were hostesses at the biennial Panhellenic luncheon. Men who are $\Pi B \Phi$ relatives were entertained at a cooky-shine. Mother's Day tea given in cooperation with Mortar Board Mother's day program. Prospective members invited to teas, cooky-shines, luncheons, etc.

V. Chapter House. Faculty ruling prohibits chapter houses for women.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Active girls are associate members of Galesburg alumnae club and attend all meetings. Alumnae are invited to all pledging services, initiations, spring parties and formal dances. Advisory committee advises on all prospective members and are invited to all rushing parties. Founders' Day celebration with alumnae and Lombard chapter. Our alumnae have a strong organization and take an active interest in the chapter. Town alumnae especially kind in offering their homes for cooky-shines and membership parties. The alumnae entertain the chapter each year. Chapter help with alumnae reunion cooky-shine given during Commencement week. Each chapter girl given a list of alumnae to call on during the year.

CARMEN SANKEY

ILLINOIS E

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 16, members 18. 1922-1923: Initiates 14, members 23. May 1, 1923: resident active members 16, resident alumnae members 76; total membership 297.

II. Honors. 2 ΦBK , 2 $\Psi \Sigma$, 3 Mortar Boards, 1 Bonbright scholarship prize for highest rank in classical studies, 3 university scholarship members (2 years); 1 assistant in political science department, 1 assistant in botany laboratory; 1 secretary-treasurer and 3 members freshman commission, 1 president of freshman girls, 1 president of sophomore girls, 2 sophomore social committee, 2 freshman social committee, 1 vice-president of junior class, 1 senior social chairman, 3 sophomore publicity

committee, 4 on Northwestern Daily, 3 on Purple Parrot, 3 on Circus Solly, 2 assistant liberal arts editors of Syllabus (year book); 1 president, 2 cabinet, 4 council, 30 members of Y. W. C. A., 1 delegate to national convention at Hot Springs, 1 delegate to Geneva conference; president, 1 secretary, 10 members of Alethenae; 5 Shi-Ai members; 1 president of mandolin club; 2 Medill press club members; 1 head of tennis, 30 members of W. A. A.; 5 on Circus Board; 1 president, 1 vice-president, 1 treasurer, 3 house of representative members of W. S. G. A.; 1 vice-president, 3 members of student council; 3 members of house council; 9 hockey squad, 4 tennis team, 2 winners of semi-finals in double tournament of tennis, 4 baseball team, 3 archery team, 4 rifle team, 2 volley ball team, 2 track, 2 basketball team, 1 swimming (holds Northwestern University backstroke record), 2 glee club; 3 in Campus Players, 2 in Prentice Players, 3 in Shakespearean players, 1 May Queen, 6 in May Pageant, 2 winners of Syllabus Beauty Contest, one of whom was voted most beautiful girl in the senior class of 1922, other the most democratic girl of class of 1923 as well as most beautiful; won prize for selling most Hermit and Crow tickets; 12 in W. A. A. musical comedy (Milady's Band Box).

III. Chapter Work. Supervised study for freshmen with required amount of at least 15 hours of study during the week. Worked fairly well for most of the girls. Active girls each week at meeting gave a report of number of hours of study, of cuts, of activities. Worked out well in most cases, but our average fell from 8th place to 10th among the 17 Greek letter organizations for women. This was due to two girls dropping out of college before semester examinations, and one girl in the chapter making a minus average. Pledge meetings held once a week for an hour were supervised by an older active girl; special meetings once a month were held in which helpful criticism, which had been talked over in previous meetings of the actives, was given. A few days before initiation pledges had to declare their ideas from a sheet of questions prepared by the actives before the active chapter on the aims and ideals of ΠΒΦ; ΠΦ pledge to Settlement School; Christmas baskets, stockings, 40 dolls dressed for Northwestern University Settlement, \$5 pledge last year, \$10 this year, for Northwestern University Settlement annual picnic; gave up semester dance, money went to Student Friendship Fund \$126, \$25 to Northwestern University for avenue of memorial elms, \$10 to ΠΦ Fellowship fund.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Hurdy-Gurdy rushing party. Everybody danced to music played by a hurdy-gurdy man in gypsy costume, interior of house like a gypsy den, fortune-telling by professional palmist dressed as a gypsy—all made an attractive party. Freshman party for active, Christmas party for chapter. 1922-23: Tea for all university girls in honor of Mrs. Laurence, card party and food sale at North Shore Hotel, freshman party to actives of luncheon and bridge at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, tea for all fraternity men to meet our freshmen.

V. Chapter House. University approves of chapter houses. Will lend each woman's fraternity \$20,000 as soon as it raises \$20,000. Illinois E has now \$12,000 in cash and pledges. Plan to build in 1924 on quadrangle system. One room on 4th floor of Willard Hall (girls' dormitory) now rented for chapter-room.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Common interest of working for house fund thru series of food sales, card party, house association in which actives and alumnae worked together for house fund through series of food sales, card party, subscription dance, movies, and

four rummage sales. Alumnae association once a month gives fraternity suppers to the active chapter; Founders' Day and luncheons at Mandel's tea room at which actives supply the program; meetings of chapter officers with advisory board, supervision of scholarship by alumnae member, invitations sent to all alumnae to all dances, teas, "cozies," Flowers, notes, and calls.

MARGARET KNIGHT SHIPPEN

ILLINOIS Z

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 9; active members 25. 1922-23: initiates 12; active members 25; May 1, 1923: resident active members 6, resident alumnae 26; total membership 289.

II. Honors. 1 junior preliminary honors; 1 Freshman scholarship cup; 1 secretary junior class; 1 member of senior ball, junior prom, sophomore cotillion, and freshman frolic committees; 1 member of Siren staff, 4 members of Daily Illini staff; 39 members of Y. W. C. A., undergraduate representative; 9 cabinet members and 3 members of freshman commission; 3 members Mortar-board, 3 members $\Psi \Xi$ (honorary psychology); 1 $\Lambda \Sigma \Nu$ (honorary phys. ed.); 1 $\Sigma \Delta \Phi$ (public speaking); 1 member $\Delta \Phi$ (debating); 3 members W. A. A.; 3 members Shi-Ai (interfraternity); 3 members, 1 critic and 1 historian of Alethenai; 1 member Illiola (literary); 1 vice-president of womans' league, 1 junior adviser; 2 senior advisers; 5 members of 1st council; 1 member, secretary, of woman's honor commission; 1 vice-president, 1 treasurer of Blue Feather (freshman organization); 8 members, 2 captains of class hockey teams; 1 member basketball team; 3 class and 1 varsity bowlers, 2 members and 1 captain of class swimming teams, 3 members of class track teams; 1 member glee club; 1 varsity debater; 1 lead in operetta; 8 in chorus of operetta; 1 lead in play "Dulcy," 3 in beauty section of annual.

III. Chapter Work. Keep charts of grades and make reports at weekly chapter meeting, have rules that deprive any one reported down in any subject, from engagements, had freshman study hall but was not considered successful, prize awarded to girl making highest average and to one making most progress. All this is done under the supervision of a scholarship committee of three upperclassmen. Rummage sale held for Settlement School. Old clothes contributed to local charities. \$20 contributed to endowment fund. \$1000 contributed by chapter and \$3500 by individuals to a Memorial Stadium. Daily exercise recommended for all members and required of all freshmen. All those living in chapter house required to be in bed by 11 p. m.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: formal in March and Spring Party given by Freshmen; Formal Founders' Day banquet. 1922-1923: black and white cabaret dinner given for prospective members; Christmas dance in December and formal in March.

V. Chapter House. Own house. Value \$18,000. Have new piano, Brunswick phonograph, chinaware, rug, awning and porch furniture.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. We entertain alumnae at dinners, teas, and invite them to our formal party. They come to our meetings and we are invited to theirs. They help us in rushing and talk to the new pledges. Our alumnae are invaluable to us and we attempt to show our appreciation of their advice and cooperation in these and many other ways.

HELEN BARRETT

ILLINOIS H

I. Membership. 1921-22, initiates 9, active members 24. 1922-23: initiates 7, active members 19. May 1, 1923: resident active members 13, resident alumnae 35, total membership 157.

II. Honors. 1921-22: scholastic rank among fraternities, first; 1922-23, first; 1921-22, 1922-23, 2 Kappa society; 10 high honor students; 8 representatives Panhellenic banquet; 6 IIMΘ members, (local honorary fraternity); 4 IIMΘ members; 11 student council members; 1 president Y. W. C. A., 1 vice-president, 1 secretary Y. W. C. A., seven members of Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 1 winner Brown debate; 7 chapel choir; 13 English club members; 14 members dramatic club; 6 members household arts club; 7 members art guild; 2 winners all college beauty contest; 2 winners all college popularity contest; 6 freshman popularity contest; 3 girls' glee club; 8 staff members of Decaturian, (the weekly publication); 5 department editors of Millidek, (the university year book); 4 leads in plays; 29 chairmen committees; May Queen each year, 2 queen attendants; 1 president home economics club; 1 vice-president dramatic club; 1 secretary Panhellenic; 1 vice-president student council; 1 treasurer art guild; 1 secretary IIMΘ; 1 secretary dramatic club; 1 treasurer dramatic club; 1 Woman's Home Companion prize; 1 first prize French contest; second prize French contest; 1 peace prize; 3 J. M. U. Ites; 1 delegate student volunteer convention; 1 all-star basket ball team; 3 varsity tennis players; captain freshman soccer team; 1 member freshman commission; 1 secretary freshman class; 1 secretary sophomore class; 1 vice-president junior class; 1 president junior class; 1 editor-in-chief Millidek; 1 assistant editor Millidek; 2 editor-in-chiefs Decaturian.

III. Chapter Work. The freshmen are an organized group, with their own officers. They meet each week to study IΦ history and Settlement School. Grades read every six weeks, grade below 'C' barring from all except one social function a week, below "C" no dating allowed; a system adopted of reporting student activities each week for merit, with a gift at the close of the school year to the active girl having the greatest number of points. Gift of recognition pin to freshman having highest average. One feature of chapter work this past year has been the informal dinners every Thursday night during the winter months, when other fraternity and non-fraternity women have been guests. This helped in creating a more democratic feeling on the campus. House fund increased by rummage sales, mite boxes, and the annual card party given by the alumnae. Settlement School Fund was raised by the sale of Christmas cards and gifts. Fund for the starving children of the Germans and Austrians.

IV. Entertainment 1921-22. A progressive rushing dinner held in the homes of our alumnae. Each house was decorated to represent the seasons of the year. Within a week of the opening of college, "open house" was held for faculty and students of the university. Pledge banquet at Hotel Orlando. Formal dance held the second semester. Tea held in the chapter house for Mrs. Laurence, our Province President. Card Party for Settlement School in charge of alumnae. Officers of all fraternities on the campus were our guests. Tea for patronesses. Two of our patronesses gave a spring luncheon at the Hotel Orlando for Mrs. Laurence. Founders' Day luncheon at Yellow Lantern in charge of alumnae and the actives. One of the active girls gave a dinner dance for the active chapter at Staley Club. A luncheon for our mothers was held at the chapter house in June. The annual June breakfast was given in the county in the home of an alumna. 1922-23: Membership

campaign dinner at Staley Club. It was a pirate party given by the alumnae. The pirates stopped us upon entering, took us across the plank to the boat and seated us at a large table where many jewels and jewel boxes were found. Favors were jewel boxes and a dagger with which to open the box. Recognition pin awarded to freshman having the highest grades at the pledge banquet held at Hotel Orlando. Buffet supper held at chapter house for Mrs. Laurence and also a Christmas party. Card party for Settlement School in charge of alumnae. A buffet supper for Mrs. Nickerson, National Vice-president. Founders' Day luncheon and a stunt given by alumnae, "The Courtship of Miles Standish." Bridge party for our alumnae at chapter house. Formal dance at country club. Mothers and Fathers party in May. June breakfast with business meeting to discuss next year's plans. We also had a cooky-shine after initiation in February.

V. Chapter House. Rented by twelve girls and chaperon living in the house. Gift of rug for living room. Miscellaneous shower by resident alumnae.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Open invitation to alumnae to attend chapter meetings. Alumnae take charge of rushing parties, entertain active chapter on Founders' Day and at a June breakfast. Advisory Board meets with active officers. Alumnae join us at pledging, initiation, cooky-shines. Their loyal interest and co-operation with the active chapter is invaluable.

ELLEN KLINE

IOWA A

I. Membership, 1921-1922: initiates 7, active members 18. 1922-1923: initiates 11, active members 22. May 1, 1923: resident active members 7, resident alumnae 30; total membership 488.

II. Honors. 2 $\Pi K \Delta$ members; 4 elections to $I \Phi$ (honorary local scholastic fraternity). No comparative rankings in scholarship are made by the college. 1 class president; 4 class secretaries; 1 assistant editor and 3 members of Wesleyan Croaker staff, 6 members of Wesleyan News staff; 2 presidents, 4 cabinet members and 100 per cent membership in Y. W. C. A.; 1 president and 1 secretary of Panhellenic; 2 intercollegiate debaters; 1 president and 5 members of English club; 3 members of social science club; 2 members of home economics club; 1 president, 1 secretary and 2 members of biological society; 1 president, 4 board of control members and 14 members of W. A. A.; 1 house president of Hershey Hall; 4 members of Hershey Hall council; 6 on class basketball teams; 1 president and 9 members of glee club; 1 member of ladies' quartet; 2 class basketball team captains; 1 lead in class play '23; no class play '22; 2 leads in dramatic club plays.

III. Chapter Work. Each pledge has a $\Pi \Phi$ mother who helps and advises her in every way possible. The scholarship committee procures the grades each month, which are read in chapter meetings. Regular study periods supervised by an active girl are arranged for those low in their class work. The pledges were organized and held their meetings each week under the leadership of a senior girl. The plan of rotating officers has been found very satisfactory, and round tables concerning general chapter problems proved valuable and very interesting. Detailed minutes of the pledge meetings were read in chapter meetings. Local charities undertaken have been largely under the direction of Y. W. C. A. rather than of the chapter. One chapter meeting was devoted to the discussion of health problems. The need of a definite health program was emphasized before the girl students by the doctors who came under the auspices of W. A. A.

IV. Entertainment, 1921-1922: Theater party given for men friends, formal dinner given by pledges for actives, spring party with men as guests. 1922-1923: Tea in honor of alumnae, patronesses and faculty wives, formal dinner on St. Valentine's Day in form of a cabaret party with men as guests, formal dinner given by pledges for actives at Hotel Brazelton, 3 engagements have been announced and on each occasion the fiance' presented a 5 pound box of candy to the chapter.

V. Chapter House. Faculty ruling prohibits fraternity houses for girls at Wesleyan. Chapter rooms are rented near the college. A panel mirror and davenport have been added to the room furnishings.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The advisory board attend all rushing parties and approve pledges. We consult the advisory board on problems of scholarship and finance which arise. They attend fraternity meetings. The alumnae entertain the actives and patronesses at least once a year. Founders' Day is celebrated with the alumnae. Initiation is held in the home of an alumna and the entire alumnae chapter is invited. The alumnae chapter takes an active interest in the chapter and individual members are especially kind in offering their homes for entertaining.

NORINE BECKER

IOWA B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 14, active members 34. 1922-1923: initiates 11, active members 34. May 1, 1923: resident active members 14, resident alumnae 33, total membership, 359.

II. Chapter ranked 1st in scholarship for two semesters and second for the last semester; 2 annual honor students; 5 class officers, (2 vice-presidents, 3 secretaries); 4 members of Zenith staff (annual); 1 editor-in-chief of Zenith, 1 member of Literary Quarterly staff; 3 members of Simpsonian staff (weekly); 1 editor-in-chief of Simpsonian; 4 cabinet members and 100 per cent membership in Y. W. C. A.; 2 members of $\Pi K \Delta$ (honorary forensic fraternity); 6 members of $M \Phi E$ (honorary musical fraternity); 37 members of literary societies and 17 officers; 5 members of student council; 13 members of home economics club and 2 officers; 1 inter-collegiate debater; 1 inter-collegiate orator; 3 members of glee club; 1 reader for glee club; 4 members of college orchestra; 8 members of choir; 1 "representative woman", 10 in Y. W. C. A. society circus, 10 members of Les Beaux Esprits (honorary French Club); 35 members of W. A. A. (national athletic association) and 8 on W. A. A. board; 1 lead and 4 in cast of plays.

III. Chapter Work. Grades of actives and pledges read every six weeks and help given to those with low grades. High scholarship is stressed continually. Bracelet given at end of year to best all around freshman, for which scholarship counts 50 per cent. Comparatively few low grades have resulted. Pledges organize and after a business meeting with the actives every week adjourn for a short meeting of their own. A senior has charge of pledge study and a short written examination is given frequently to prepare for the final pledge examination. Each pledge has a sponsor who aids her in learning fraternity life. Chapter cooperates with alumnae in Settlement School work. Doll bazaar and benefit movie, 25 cents apiece at alumnae club monthly meeting for Settlement School fund. \$10 for education of needy Christian students. College in midst of endowment campaign, chapter expects to contribute. Regular hours, balanced diet and chaperon's weekly health report to Dean of Women.

IV. Entertainment, 1921-1922: Progressive dinner given during membership campaign week. A favor dance after last course. Cooky-shine for Miss Hawkins. Founder's Day dinner. Spring formal at home of one of alumnae. 1922-1923: Progressive dinner for rushees. Tea in honor of new local sorority. St. Patrick's pledge party for actives. Tea for town mothers. Founder's Day luncheon and annual spring formal.

V. Chapter House. The house, which accomodates 12 girls and chaperon, is rented by the chapter. A gateleg table, two Windsor chairs, an overstuffed davenport, a floor lamp, and a rug have been purchased since June 1921. A Cheney phonograph was given to the chapter by the alumnae. A fine tennis court has greatly improved the back yard, and a new porch swing and a vacuum cleaner have added to the comfort of the house.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The alumnae club has luncheon and business meeting every month to which four actives are invited. Alumnae are invited to attend pledging and initiation ceremonies, and after the latter we have a cooky-shine or dinner together. The actives and alumnae celebrate Founder's Day together and at Commencement time an alumnae breakfast is given to which the active chapter is invited. There is a fine feeling of cooperation and friendship between the active chapter and alumnae club.

CATHARINE CARPENTER

IOWA Γ

I. Membership 1921-22: initiates 16, active members 42. 1922-23: initiates 11, active members 37. May 1, 1923: resident active members 4, resident alumnae 38, total membership 342.

II. Honors. 1 member ON, honorary home economic society; 1 membership $\Phi K \Phi$; 3 memberships $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ (journalistic); 2 junior advisory board; 3 Mortar Board; 1 Gosling; 2 sophomore council; 3 freshman commission; 2 associate editors on Iowa Homemaker; 5 on editorial and circulation staff; 4 on staff of Green Gander; 2 on staff of Iowa State Student; 2 on 1923 Bomb Staff; 1924 Bomb staff 9; 2 on Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; 1 woman's guild; 1 Iowa Homemaker publication board; 12 in Veishea, all college celebration, 1922; 10 in 1924; 2 in charge of floats; 7 in big student musical comedy, "Melody Magic"; 4 roles in other plays, 2 leads; 6 annual home economics vaudeville; 1st and 2nd place in beauty contest; 2 captains big sister movement; 8 big sisters; 1 treasurer big sister movement; 1 president of Panhellenic; president $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$; 2 treasurers of $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, 1 treasurer Mortar Board, 1 secretary of sophomore class, 1 delegate to $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ national convention; 4 W. A. A.; May Fete honors; cup for house decorations at home-coming.

III. Chapter Work. The Pledges are organized and hold their meetings for fraternity study every week with a junior girl as their leader. Both pledges and actives are required to answer roll call with 2 activities each week. A fine of 25 cents for each activity is imposed for failure to take part. The money goes to the Settlement School. Every month a faculty member or other person of interest has been asked to talk to us. Discussion groups have been held every week during the winter. At least two faculty members have been entertained at the chapter house every week. Old clothes have been given to Y. W. C. A. \$50 to the Fellowship Fund; Simpson Fund supported.

IV. Entertainment 1921-22. Three dances, one a masquerade which was a great success; a formal at the Sheldon Munn Hotel and an informal house dance; Panhellenic tea in honor of our Panhellenic pres-

ident; open house during home coming; Founders' Day cooky-shine. 1922-23: Semi-formal at country club; pledge dance (formal) at Sheldon Munn Hotel; picnic dance at the country club; bridge party at which 2 persons were invited from every fraternity house (men and women.) Three teas; Founders' Day banquet at the Maples; banquet and bridge given by the pledges to the actives at the Sheldon Munn Hotel.

V. Chapter House. Chapter house owned, value \$30,000. Twenty-three girls in house 1921-22. Bench for piano. New tapestry for furniture in card room. 1922-23: new davenport, 2 new Windsor chairs, new victrola, floor lamp.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. All alumnae meetings held at the chapter house. A bazaar and benefit bridge for the Settlement School and the senior breakfast were also given by the alumnae at the chapter house. All actives call on two alumnae each quarter to keep and gain closer friendship. The alumnae gave a dinner party at the Judge Tee home for the actives during rushing.

MARCELLA DEWELL

IOWA Z

I. Membership 1921-22. Initiates 19, active members 35. 1922-23: initiates 12, active members 30. May 1, 1923: resident active members 4, resident alumnae 32, total membership 395.

II. Honors. 3 Φ B K, sophomore secretary, junior secretary, 1 Hawkeye board; 1 Hawkeye staff; 15 members of Y. W. C. A.; 4 freshman commission; 2 Y. W. C. A. council; 3 Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 17 literary societies; 1 Θ Σ Φ (honorary journalistic); 2 Γ E Π (honorary commerce) Π A Θ (honorary educational); 4 Staff and Circle (advisory board to Dean Women, 1 home economics club, 1 philosophical club, 1 humanist club; 6 Ivy Lane; 3 commerce club; 1 women's council; 2 Seals; 5 W. A. A., business manager of W. A. A. vaudeville; 4 dancers in W. A. A. vaudeville, 2 glee club, 2 chorus, lead and 1 other role in "Beyond the Horizon", 1 "Faith Healer"; 1 Bath Road; 4 university players. May Queen in Iowawa parade; winner of beauty contest; 2 representative women.

III. Chapter Work. Dates of older girls taken if average not up. Delinquency reports read in fraternity meeting. If grades are low, supervised study for freshmen by respective sponsors. Pledge breaking resorted to on a strictly scholastic basis, 4 pledges having been broken. We removed ourselves from probation and our average is rising. Pledge meetings organized, upper classmen give talks and suggestions, point system used for initiation, pledge study carried out. Pledges put on entertainment for older girls once a month. Settlement School donation, \$50.00. Iowa Memorial Union, every girl pledged something. In 1922, Π B Φ ranked first of women's fraternities in amount pledged. Health: local physician gives program, girls asking questions.

IV. Entertainment. Open house, chaperon's tea, pledge tea, home-coming team, rushing teas, Hallowe'en dinner, Christmas kid party, tea dance given by pledges, spring dancing party during 1922. 1923: rushing teas, open house, chaperon's tea, pledge tea, home-coming tea, pirates' party, Christmas kid party, tea dance given by pledges, rushing party breakfast, house dance, Sunday dinner guest of faculty members. Pirates' party was original. Girls wore dark skirts and white waists, both men and women wore bright sashes. Refreshments, sandwiches, coffee and pumpkin pie; invitation, skull and cross bones; chairs old cracker boxes. Home-coming tea, all alumnae and visiting Pi Phis invited.

V. Chapter House. House rented. Purchases: 24 dining room chairs, 1 dozen silver knives and forks, drapes for living rooms and dining room, davenport covered with tapestry, 2 new upholstered chairs 2 rush bottom chairs, 1 nest of tables, 1 end table, 1 fire-bench, 2 table lamps, 2 rugs, 4 dressers, 17 single beds.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae with husbands are invited to dinner at various times. Advisory board of five members asked to dinner once a month at which time reports are signed. Interest has been aroused over building. Friendly spirit between chapter and alumnae.

GAIL DE WOLF

MISSOURI A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 17, active members 42. 1922-1923: initiates 10, active members 33. May 1, 1923: resident active members 7, resident alumnae 18; total membership 285.

II. Honors. 1 election to ΦBK ; 1 master's degree; 1 election to KTA (scholastic journalism fraternity); 1 election to A Z II (scholastic romantic language fraternity); secretary and treasurer of freshman class; president of sophomore women; and treasurer of senior women; president of journalism school (1922); vice-president of journalism school (1923); junior representative on women's council (1922-1923); secretary and treasurer of student body; vice-president of education club; 2 members of freshmen executive; 2 members of sophomore cabinet; sophomore assistant of Savitar; associate editor of Savitar; 1 member of Showme staff; 3 members of Y. W. C. A. cabinet; head of Y. W. C. A. finance department; entire chapter members of Y. W. C. A.; 1 on Mortar Board (national honorary senior fraternity); 9 members of $\Gamma\text{A}\text{X}$ (honorary advertising club); 2 members of $\Theta\Sigma\Phi$ (national honorary journalistic fraternity); 5 members of Mallet press club (honorary journalistic fraternity); 4 members of women's journalism club; 5 members of Z E (honorary inter-fraternity); 4 members of Junglejanes (pep organization); a founder, vice-president and secretary, 3 members of freshmen commission; 3 members of Sketch club; 1 member of Daubers' Art club; 2 members of dramatic club; 6 members of education club; 1 vice-president; 3 members of Spanish club; 5 members of home economics club; 4 members of glee club; 1 member of committee for journalism week; 8 members of women's executive council; secretary of women's student government; 3 members women's tennis tournament; winner of all class tennis tournament; 2 on sophomore hockey team; the lead in Blood and Sand; 5 in the Breeze Bug; 2 in Bambino; 7 in fashion show; 1 of leads in Ninth Deacon, and 5 chorus girls; 2 Savitar queens; 1 harvest queen; 1 scoop queen; 1 winner of contest in writing spring festival pageant; queen of 1922 barnwarming.

III. Chapter Work. Pledge study is carried on in weekly meetings under the supervision of one of the active members. There is a special study of $\Pi\text{B}\Phi$ history and also a discussion of the pledges' relation to the active chapter, and their position and responsibility on the campus. A standing committee on scholarship is appointed each semester. A report is given in chapter meeting every 8 weeks of each girl's work. Any girl falling below a specified average gives up certain social privileges. Organized study hall one afternoon and three nights a week for everyone. Four teams with a captain at the head to check up on each girl. At the end of the year the two teams having the highest average are entertained by the other two teams. \$50 is given each year to Settlement School, \$5 given to associated charities, \$100 pledged to each

girl for university memorial building. There was an organized health committee that worked with Dr. Matzke. There was a series of exercises taken by each girl every day. Posture and breathing were stressed particularly. Only walking shoes are worn on the campus. The exercises were taught to the freshmen every week and practiced daily.

IV. Entertainment, 1921-1922: Open house for freshmen. "Lucky Party" informal dance given at Daniel Boone Tavern Friday the 13th. Annual Founders' Day banquet, turkey dinner for M football men, tea for visiting mothers. 1922-1923: Open house for freshmen; Valentine formal at Daniel Boone Tavern, tea for Miss Onken, luncheon for Exie Gray, whose marriage took place March 29, a supper party honoring Mr. Ganz, director of the St. Louis Symphony, bridge party for chaperon, Founders' Day banquet.

V. Chapter House. Our house is owned by the chapter and valued at \$25,000. A sleeping porch has been built, new davenport and floor lamp, new silver set; chapter room mahogany table; table lamp; clock; two dozen dining room chairs.

^VI. The loyal interest and co-operation of our alumnae are of great assistance to us. The alumnae attend meetings and initiations whenever possible. They also join us with us in our social functions. Rush parties are often given at the different homes of our alumnae.

RUTH BELCHER

MISSOURI B

Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 15, active members 39. 1922-1923: initiates 12, active members 36. May 1, 1923: resident active members 32, resident active alumnae 110, total membership 180.

II. Honors. 1 sophomore honor student, 1 senior honor student, first and third rank among fraternities in scholarship, 1 vice-president and 1 secretary of freshman class; 1 vice-president of sophomore class; 1 vice-president of junior class; 2 associate editors of The Hatchet (yearbook); 4 on Dirge staff; 5 on Student Life staff; 5 officers of Y. W. C. A., 30 members; 6 members of Tanea (literary society); 2 members of Clais (freshman honorary society); 4 members of Ternion (junior honorary society); 5 members of Mortar Board (senior honorary society); 2 members of Pleiades (honorary hockey society); 3 members of W. Club, 2 members of Cleats (honorary soccer society); 1 member of legal sorority; 1 vice-president of Thrysus dramatic club, 20 members, (vice-president and treasurer for next year); 1 president and 1 treasurer of W. A. A., 5 on board and 16 members; 3 officers and 8 members of women's self governing association; 21 on class hockey teams; 2 captains and 9 players on basketball teams; 12 on baseball team; 2 captains and 8 players on soccer teams; 4 records broken in track; 9 in track meet; 7 on volley ball teams; championship in rowing and canoeing; 10 in hiking clubs; 3 on council of McMillan Hall (girl's dormitory); 1 vice-president; 2 presidents (alumnae) of women's union; 1 undergraduate officer; 1 officer Tower; 5 members, 2 officers of Ken Mair (debating society), 4 members, 2 on debates, (president for next year); 1 Dandelion Queen, 2 Hatchet Queens, 1 Student Life Queen; 3 chairman of junior prom committees; 2 presidents, 2 other officers and 20 members of combined glee and mandolin clubs; 1 officer and 5 members of chapel choir; 2 leads in annual dramatic productions; 7 in monthly plays; 3 leads in Shakespearean plays; 4 leads in May Day productions; 6 in dancing parts; 1 chairman of May Day.

III. Chapter Work. Chapter divided into two teams, seniors as captains. Competition between two groups for first place on basis of

scholarship and sportsmanship. Losing team gave party to winning team. Pledges also placed on teams with upperclassmen, who supervised their daily study hours. Scholarship committee obtained monthly reports from professors as to progress of both pledges and actives. The reports were given close attention. Pledge meetings under supervision of a junior; plain pin given to best all-around freshman. Sold candy and stockings to raise money for Settlement School; subscribed to St. Louis community drive; chapter was 100 per cent in subscriptions to Student Relief Fund; 1 chairman of Fund; annual health talk given by doctor, cooperation with school health regulation authorities.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Formal dance, pledges entertained chapter with informal dance, large tea for college in May. 1922-1923: Formal dance, pledges gave dance and Christmas party for Settlement School. Luncheons for visiting delegates from other fraternities.

V. Chapter House. Large room in McMillan Hall, girls' dormitory. Refurnished with new rug, drapes, 2 Windsor chairs, end table, lamp, telephone stand, cabinet, and new slip covers for other furniture.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Resident alumnae attend meetings and social affairs, become acquainted with new girls and give large party where everyone becomes acquainted with the new girls. Vice-president attends alumnae meetings. Founders' Day celebrated with alumnae Founders' Day banquet. Advisory board keeps in close touch with chapter work. Alumnae and chapter have cooky-shines together every month.

MARGARET STEELE

MISSOURI I

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 14, active members 25. 1922-1923: initiates 10, active members 27, resident active members 16, resident alumnae 45, total membership 173, May 1, 1923.

II. Honors. 1 Commencement speaker; 1 second honor student; 1 cum laude; 2 departmental honors; second rank among fraternities in college; 2 class vice-presidents; 3 class secretaries; 2 on Sou-Wester staff; 4 on Mirror staff; 100 per cent Y. W. C. A. membership; 1 treasurer, 6 on cabinet Y. W. C. A.; 1 president woman's league; 2 on executive board; 12 members of Lauriferae literary society; 2 presidents; 1 vice-president; 1 secretary; 15 members of La Podrida literary society; 1 president, 2 secretaries, 1 social chairman; 1 member of student senate; 3 members of Skiff (honorary senior organization); 10 members of glee club and 1 vice-president, 1 reader, 1 accompanist; 2 in senior class play; 2 firsts, 1 second, and 1 third in declamatory contests; 1 in junior class play; 11 members of dramatic club; 1 publicity director; 1 costume designer; 2 Sou-Wester queens.

III. Chapter Work. Grades of all students were procured each month in order to keep members informed as to their work. Pledge meetings were held weekly under the supervision of the chairman on pledge study. Alumnae members talked to pledges on fraternity matters. The freshman making the highest grade had her name engraved on the scholarship cup. Various gifts were sent to the Settlement School. No definite action was taken on the health program, as the college program covered most items.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Formal Christmas dance, Christmas bazaar, Founders' Day banquet at Chamber of Commerce, Pledge party for actives, informal spring dance at Doling Park. 1922-23: Sunday afternoon cozies by resident girls, informal dance in Drury gymnasium, formal reception and tea for opening of new chapter rooms, party for

alumnae club, garden dance in gymnasium, pledge Valentine party for actives, Founders' Day banquet at Sansone Hotel.

V. Chapter House. Chapter rooms one block from Drury campus, consisting of entrance hall, very large living room, kitchenette and bath. Rent is paid by assessment. New draperies were gifts of alumnae club, and a handsome mahogany clock was the gift of the freshmen. A "shower" from actives, alumnae, and patronesses completed the furnishings for the new rooms.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Our alumnae club is remarkable in its interest and activity and the active chapter is much indebted to it for guidance and aid. Two active members attend every alumnae meeting and one alumnae member is present at each active meeting. The advisory board has regular meetings in which matters of common interest are discussed and conclusions reached. The active and alumnae cooperation is invaluable.

MARY BURTON GEORGE

NEBRASKA B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 13, active members 34. 1922-23: initiates 15, active members 35. May 1, 1923: active resident members 8, resident alumnae 42, total membership 311.

II. Honors. 1 APT; chapter third in scholarship among fraternities of the university; 2 IIAΘ; freshman secretary; vice-president junior class; 1 on Awgwan staff; 3 on daily paper, associate editor; 2 on annual; 5 on Y. W. C. A. staff; 1 XΔΦ (national literary); 2 ΘΣΦ (national journalistic), president; 3 Silver Serpent (junior honorary); 3 ΞΔ (sophomore honorary), vice-president; 2 Valkyrie (senior honorary) president; 2 Mystic Fish (freshman honorary), vice-president; 2 freshman commission; 3 members ΔO (national musical); lead in Kosmet club play, 8 in chorus; 1 member of university players; lead in French play; headline act in girls' cornhusker show, stunt in carnival; 3 in University night performance; 2 chosen among ten Nebraska beauties; 1 chosen of the six most prominent girls of Nebraska University; secretary of local Panhellenic; 3 members of local Panhellenic.

III. Chapter Work. Freshman study is held every evening from 7:30 to 9:30. As a result we have had only three conditions from the members of the freshman class. Anyone who falls or is conditioned is deprived of her dating privilege until the condition or failure is removed. The scholarship this year has been gratifyingly high. For the benefit of the Settlement School we gave in April, a benefit bridge breakfast. We had dancing and cards, raffled off candy and cakes. The affair was well patronized and we cleared a large sum of money, at the same time making better known to the university the nature of this piece of Pi Phi's altruistic work. Numbers of the girls have worked on every campaign and drive for both college and local charities. Our chapter was more than one hundred per cent in contribution to the new stadium. We have limited the hours of study to 12:00 p. m. that there may be no overwork at the wrong hours. We urge the girls to take up athletics and encourage plenty of healthy exercise.

IV. Entertainment. The rose dinner and the gingham luncheon were the most successful of last year's rushing parties. The parrot luncheon was an outstanding feature of this year's season. Each year sees the formal, the Spring party, the banquet, Founders' Day cooky-shine, at least two other cooky-shines, teas for the chaperon and visitors, and some type of entertainment for other fraternities.

V. Chapter House. House is owned. Value is \$35,000. The house

was seriously damaged this summer by water-soaking caused by defective plumbing. As a result the entire building had to be done over. The first floor was like-wise refurnished.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. We are very fortunate in having alumnae who are actively interested in our chapter. The alumnae invite two of the active girls to be present at their meetings and our meetings are always open to them. They take an important part in our membership campaigning, advising us on all of our entertaining. We have as many cooky-shines together as are thought advisable. Our banquet is under their direction. In short, cooperation in every phase of our chapter life is fostered between the active members and the alumnae.

EMILY ROSS

KANSAS A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 12, active members 28, 1922-23: initiates 16, active members 33. May 1, 1923: resident active members 10, resident alumnae 47, total membership 456.

II. Honors. 2 $\Phi\beta\kappa$; 2 Torch (honorary senior society); 2 $M\Phi E$ (musical sorority); 3 $T\Sigma$ (dancing sorority); 3 $\Delta\phi\Delta$ (art honorary); 1 president and 1 vice-president of women's student government association, and 5 members of W. S. G. A. council; 1 delegate to W. S. G. A. national convention in California; 3 members of the Y. W. C. A. first cabinet; and 3 members of the second cabinet; 1 delegate to Y. W. C. A. national convention; 1 president of senior girls; 2 members of Quill Club (honorary English society); 4 elections to Pen and Scroll (honorary junior English society); 1 editor of *Oread Magazine*; 5 members of glee club; 4 members of the executive committee for the Stadium-Union drive; 6 members dramatic club, 2 roles in senior plays, 2 leads in dramatic club plays; 1 president of women's athletic association, 3 members of W. A. A. board, 1 delegate to W. A. A. national convention; 1 president of "K" girls' club, and 2 other members; 1 president of house presidents' council; 2 captains of basketball and hockey teams (varsity and class) and 9 on class and varsity teams; 1 president of $\Gamma E \Pi$ (honorary economic); 2 members of Jayhawker staff; 1 member of $\phi\Sigma$ (honorary research society); 1 member botany club; 2 members graduate club; 2 members of French circle; 1st place in K. U. Karnival; 2nd place in Jayhawker sales contest; 1 president home economics club, 4 members; 10 in K. U. Follies; 6 in K. U. fashion show; and 12 in K. U. Karnival; 2 members of "X" (political society); 4 on class committees; 1 president of bacteriology club, 2 members; 2 members of zoology; 2 members of sociology club; 2 members of physical education club; 1 member of graduate club; 2nd place in inter-mural basketball tournament.

III. Chapter Work. According to local Panhellenic ruling no freshman can have a date before 4 o'clock in the afternoon. No girl making grades below C can have any afternoon dates, freshmen making below grade named have afternoon study hall and are not allowed to go down town more than once during week. All freshmen must attend study hall every night. The freshman who makes the best grades during the semester wins the scholarship bracelet on which her name is engraved. Freshmen have meetings at regular fraternity time during which time they study $\Pi\beta\Phi$ and fraternities in general. A Christmas bazaar is given annually to raise money for the Settlement school. A benefit bridge was given also this year for the same purpose. Of the \$900 raised by the town alumnae for the 50th Anniversary Memorial.

\$80 was given by active chapter. $\Pi B \Phi$ made the largest contribution to the Stadium-Union Drive. Christmas gifts are given to poor through Y. W. C. A. Ruling has been made that lights shall be out in the house at 11 o'clock at night. No food is allowed to be carried into the house by the girls.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Open house for new freshmen, tea for house mother, formal dinner dance. 1921-1922: House party for rushees with dance at country club and house dance. Panhellenic tea. Open house for freshmen, tea for house mother, and freshman party for upperclassmen. 1922-1923: Tea for Miss Onken, and Spring formal for rushees. Fiftieth anniversary banquet and reception for alumnae.

V. Chapter House. Owned by Kansas house association of $\Pi B \Phi$. Value \$22,000. Room for 24 girls. 1921-1922: Bought draperies, new furniture and rugs for both living rooms. 1922-1923: Redecorated upstairs, new piano, new hall furniture, and new hot water heater. Linoleum for bath rooms and kitchen.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae attend initiation, cooky-shines, freshman farce and Founders' Day. Had special meeting with alumnae in town to discuss rushing. Two active girls are sent to alumnae luncheons which occur once a month. Started annual meeting with alumnae club at chapter house. Close cooperation with joint committees of active girls and alumnae planning for the fiftieth annual celebration. Cooperation with advisory board is most helpful factor.

MARGARET STUBBS

KANSAS B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 12, active members 28. 1922-1923: initiates 13, active members 30. May 1, 1923: resident active members 9, resident alumnae 2, total membership 143.

II. Honors. 1 $\Phi K \Phi$; 2 ΩN ; 1 senior honors; $\Pi B \Phi$ first in scholarship spring and fall of 1921-22 and 1922-23; 1 vice-president, 3 secretaries, 2 historians, 2 presidents and 6 members worlds' life saving corps, American Red Cross; 8 members women's athletic association; 7 on class swimming teams, 2 on varsity swimming; 4 on class tennis teams, 2 on varsity tennis; 2 on class hockey teams; 2 on class baseball teams; 2 Women's K fraternity; 2 wearers of K sweaters; 100 per cent membership in Y. W. C. A., 1 on first cabinet, 1 on second cabinet, 4 big sister captains, 20 committee members; 7 freshmen commissioners; 100 per cent membership in girls' loyalty league; 2 on executive council, 4 on committees; 2 S. S. G. A. council members; 1 assistant manager junior prom; 2 in Purple Masque (dramatics); 2 leads in plays; 2 in glee club; 3 in Frivol; 4 in Follies; 6 members of literary societies; 2 in PRIZ (junior honorary); 3 in XIX (senior honorary); 1 in Beacon (senior honorary).

III. Chapter Work. We have strict dating rules for girls whose grades are low. Have study hall for freshmen, and we award a silver loving cup to the individual receiving the highest grades. These methods seem quite effective and serve as incentive toward keeping $\Pi \Phi$ at the head of the list, where she has now been for four successive semesters. The freshmen have pledge meeting at the time of regular fraternity meetings. They assign their own duties, make their reports of activities, etc. The actives and the alumnae work together for the Settlement School. Last year we sent \$190, this year \$135. The total amount was \$325. Kansas State College is building a stadium, and every $\Pi \Phi$ has pledged the amount assigned. Every member of Kansas B has a health examination, which is given by the college physicians

and nurses each year. This examination is taken whether the girl is active in athletics or not.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: rush week entertainments, football banquet for coaches and letter men, freshmen dance, initiation cooky-shine (alumnae and actives), annual Founders' Day banquet, spring dance, 1922-1923: rush week entertainments, football banquet for coaches and letter men, freshman snow festival, initiation cooky-shine (alumnae and actives), annual Founders' Day banquet, spring dance, silver musicale as a benefit for the Settlement School.

V. Chapter House. Owned and valued at \$11,000. Additions: a sun parlor was built adjoining the living room, new davenport, two new rugs, floor lamp, gateleg table, French mirror, the kitchen all refinished, new "Hoover" cleaner, a gift from several of the alumnae.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The alumnae approve all girls before pledging. Alumnae attend pledge services, initiation services, and chapter meetings. Two active girls attend each alumnae meeting. The advisory board takes especial interest in chapter doings. The alumnae give a candle light dinner dance which is our very nicest party during rush week. The alumnae and actives work together for the Settlement School, and entertain together on Founders' Day. The active chapter sends New Year's greetings, in form of a bulletin containing all news, activities, etc., to all Kansas Betas.

FAITH MARTIN

WYOMING A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 10, active members 24. 1922-1923: initiates 13, active members 30. May 1, 1923: resident active members 4, resident alumnae 17, total membership 146.

II. Honors. 1 $\Phi K \Phi$ (senior honorary); winners of president's honor books in bacteriology, home economics, psychology, commerce; 3 class vice-presidents, 2 class secretary-treasurers; 3 on annual staff; 3 members on the Branding Iron (college paper); 7 on the Y. W. C. A. cabinet; several on Y. W. C. A. committees, 1 member Quill Club (literary); 7 on women's athletic association; 1 head of track; 1 head of tennis; 1 vice-president of W. A. A., 1 president and 1 secretary W. A. A.; 1 member of Iron Skull (sophomore honorary); 3 members $\Phi \Upsilon \Theta$ (home economics honorary); 4 members $\Theta \Lambda \Phi$ (dramatics); 1 president of women's league; 7 home economics club; 1 member of Potter law club; 3 Newman club; 2 Blue Pencil; 1 vice-president A. S. U. W.; 8 members in glee club; 5 members in chorus; 1 member in band; 12 members had parts in college plays; basketball teams: 3 freshmen, 1 sophomore, and 2 seniors; 6 on track team.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee reads reports of grades every six weeks and study hours are observed by those having low grades. Freshman having highest average during the first year has her name engraved on the freshman scholarship cup. Pledge meetings held at the same time as the active chapter meetings. Gave card party for the benefit of Settlement School. Health program discussed by chapter.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: annual informal May dance. 1922-23: annual informal May dance, annual Founders' Day program, teas for alumnae, friends and fraternities.

V. Chapter House. House owned. Value is \$17,500. House was bought already furnished.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae approve all girls pledged. Chapter meetings are always open to alumnae. They are invited to pledgings, initiations, annual banquet, cooky-shines, May

dance and all teas and receptions. Special letters are sent to all alumnae telling of university and fraternity affairs and inviting them to attend.

ROWENA C. HASBROUCK

COLORADO A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 19, active members 47. 1922-1923: initiates 12, active members 36. May 1, 1923: resident active members 5, resident alumnae 44, total membership 376.

II. Honors. 2 elections to ΦBK ; 1 to $I \Sigma II$; 1 to $K \Delta II$; 1 class secretary, 3 freshman commission; 1 member of Coloradoan art staff, 1 exchange editor of Dodo, 2 Silver and Gold reporters; 3 Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 1 vice-president, 8 on committees Y. W. C. A.; 1 member of Memorial Building Fund committee; 1 woman's representative of the European students' relief committee; 1 on junior prom committee; 1 on freshman dance committee; one president of women's student government association, 4 in house of representatives; 2 in senate; 1 treasurer of women's student government association; 1 junior representative of women's student government association; 9 members of women's athletic association including 1 president, and two treasurers; 1 president of glee club; 1 assistant librarian, 1 vice-president, and 9 members of glee club; 1 on chapel choir; 1 secretary of women's league, 2 in women's league orchestra; 2 in mandolin club; 1 member of make-up committee for all plays; 3 members of players' club, including 1 secretary; 2 in Little Theater plays; 1 on senior play committee, 1 took lead in operetta, 2 took leads in senior play, 1 in "Country Cousin" given this year; 6 in women's league vaudeville; 10 in May Fete dances, 3 queen's attendants, 1 on May Fete musical committee, 1 sophomore marshal in May Fete, 1 king, 1 winner of beauty contest.

III. Chapter Work. Freshmen must pass all hours before being initiated, report of scholarship, study table for freshmen who fall below a certain average, freshman scholarship cup and ΦBK cup, social privileges taken away from girls with low grades, upper classman made a "sorority mother" to one freshman at the beginning of the year, annual freshman gift from house, from alumnae. Freshmen give vaudeville every year after formal Thanksgiving dinners; annual Christmas bazaar, proceeds being divided between Settlement School and house fund; contribution made to men's athletic house; presents given to fraternities who recently moved into new homes, suppers often on Sunday evening together; \$50 raised from benefit card party for the furniture fund; annual beefsteak fry on one of the nearby mountains.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Tea for Miss Elizabeth Gamble, one formal dance, two house dances, each fraternity entertained at the beginning of the year, senior breakfast. 1922-1923: tea for our chaperon, Mrs. White. A certain night of each week is set aside for exchange dinners between the women's fraternities, professors and their wives very often are invited to dinner, tea for fraternities, dinner for a representative of $A \Phi$ who came to inspect a local petitioning group, senior breakfast.

V. Chapter House. House valued at \$15,000, owned by Boulder alumnae club; gifts received of table linen and furniture from alumnae and town mothers of Pi Phiis, several bed rooms papered and downstairs hall; new draperies for chapter room, floors redone, yard latticed in, pavement of street in front; new parkings and cement driveway.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Chapter meetings of active girls always open to alumnae; alumnae asked to entertainments given

by the active girls, alumnae in charge of initiation banquet. Governing board of active chapter and advisory board of alumnae meet once every month to discuss work of each group.

DOROTHY BELL

COLORADO B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 17, active members 28. 1922-1923: initiates 11, active members 29. May 1, 1923: resident active members 22, resident alumnae 186, total membership 321.

II. Honors. Scholarship: Kedros 6, (honorary junior girls' fraternity); class offices held: junior vice-president 2, sophomore secretary, freshman secretary; 4 on college annual board; paper staff 3; total membership Y. W. C. A., offices Y. W. C. A. 3; Evans literary society 8; ΦA literary society 14; $\Lambda \Sigma X$ (honorary chemical fraternity) 1; $\Lambda Z \Phi$ (honorary French fraternity) 2; Quill 3; Scroll and Torch 3; glee club 3; French club 12; drama club 12; classical club 1; press club 2; big sister offices 2; Rilling athletic club 2; parts in college plays 5; May Queens 2; winner junior beauty contest; 11 members in the 40 Immortals.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship report twice each semester. Chapter scholarship cup, the sophomore having highest average for two years has her name engraved on the cup. The city Panhellenic association gives a cup to the women's fraternity with the highest scholastic average. The result is competition and desire for higher grades. Pledge meetings every Wednesday afternoon, the work is divided in sections to be learned; then one day is set aside for a whole review. This has been very successful, as shown by high fraternity grades. Thirty dollars has been sent to the Settlement School. No contributions to college funds for endowment or building. As the girls do not live at the Bungalow the health program consisted in a health talk by a graduate nurse and health suggestions from the women's athletic instructor.

IV. Entertainment. 1921: progressive rush dinner, fraternity suppers, pledge dance, waffle sale, alumnae Christmas party, Christmas dance. 1922: initiation banquet, rush party, faculty tea, Founders' Day luncheon and tea, high school tea, dance at Motor club, senior luncheon, mothers' tea, rush dance Hosa Lodge, luncheon and theater party, breakfast and card party, Chinese party, progressive dinner, combined pledge and active dance, fraternity suppers, alumnae party, formal dinner dance 1923: musical comedy, "Leave It to Jane" cast supper, mock initiation, initiation banquet, card party, faculty tea, and spring dance.

V. Chapter House. Bungalow is owned. Valued at \$3,000. Improvements are: painting entire bungalow outside, walls and ceilings retinted inside, floor scraped and waxed and all new furniture since June 1921.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Social affairs and entertainments or plans for money raising always bring the alumnae and active members together. We have a Christmas Party for the alumnae each year at the bungalow and everyone enjoys it very much, as old friendships are renewed and new ones made. The alumnae are always invited to the functions given by the chapter and many of them come, especially the younger alumnae. So far we have been unusually successful in cooperating.

EVA V. ARONSON

OKLAHOMA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: active members 41, initiates 15. 1922-1923: active members 31, initiates 16. May 1, 1923: resident active members 3, resident alumnae 16, total membership 217.

II. Honors. 1 Φ B K; treasurer senior class; 1 member of Oikonomio; vice-president of Craig county club; vice-president, president, treasurer of Philoligian, 6 additional members; lead for 2 years in the junior burlesque; 4 in chorus of burlesque; 1 member of Blue Pencil; 3 members of Φ M Γ ; 1 member of oratorical council; 1 member of Δ Ψ K, 2 members of glee club; 1 member of Sooner stock players; treasurer of IIA (petitioning Mortar Board); 3 members of Duck club; 1 member of junior Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 3 members of Indian club; 1 member of Γ E Π ; executive of democratic board; 1 member of financial committee, 1 member of program committee, 1 member social service committee, 1 member of membership committee of Y. W. C. A.; 1 part in "The Yellow Jacket", lead in "The Tempest"; unanimous membership in Y. W. C. A.; 1 president of Panhellenic; president of women's council; 1 member of Zetaethian; 2 members of junior basketball team; Π Φ basketball team winners in the American League of inter-sorority basketball; 1 captain of junior team, 3 Pi Phis on all-sorority basketball team, 2 members of French club; 1 member of Whirlwind staff; 3 members of art club.

III. Chapter Work. Study Hall every night for freshmen, all not making the required average for initiation cannot have dates on week nights. Have paid \$2,000 on lot, pledged \$300 for Stadium Fund, contributed \$14.00 to the Fellowship Fund and to the Settlement School. Also contributed to both last year. Have pledge meetings every Monday night for study on fraternity examination, an upperclassman in charge. These meetings are very successful and much more is accomplished than in individual study. Grades of initiated girls read in meeting and discussed.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Tea twice a month for all fraternities. Pledge stunt in form of a cabaret. Founders' Day banquet at Skirvin hotel in Oklahoma City. 1922-1923: Several teas, open house for new pledges, Hallowe'en party given by pledges, Christmas party, George Washington party given by pledges, formal dinner and cooky-shine during track meet. Founders' Day banquet at Skirvin Hotel in Oklahoma City.

V. Chapter House. Rented, but moved into a new and much better house this year. Bought a new set of good dishes. All girls live in the house. It is close to the campus.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Local alumnae are invited to all chapter meetings, initiations and cooky-shines. Keep in touch with state alumnae by personal letters, and issue small pamphlets each spring giving interesting information about chapter and its social life.

MARY PATTON

OKLAHOMA B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 17, active members 24. 1922-1923: initiates 12, active members 25. May 1, 1923: 7 resident active members, resident alumnae 7, total membership 79.

II. Honors. 3 elected to Φ K Φ (one senior first in commerce and marketing; and one third in science and literature); chapter ranked first on campus in scholarship during 1921-1922; first during fall quarter 1922-1923; and second, winter quarter 1922-1923. Vice-president of fresh-

man class; treasurer and secretary of senior class; 3 members of Red-skin (annual) staff; editor-in-chief and news editor of Orange and Black (student newspaper); 50 per cent membership in Y. W. C. A. (two officers elected for next year); 4 members $\Theta \Delta \Phi$; 3 members $K \Delta \Pi$ (education); 2 members $\Pi K \Delta$ (forensic); 1 $\Delta \Sigma \Lambda$; 2 members and secretary of efficiency council; 2 members Order of Gregg artists; 4 members education society; 2 members commerce club; 3 members and 2 officers of science and literature society; 7 members and one officer of French club; 3 members Spanish club; 4 members and 2 officers of art club; 1 secretary-treasurer of federation of county clubs; members of girls' varsity debating team each year; 10 members dramatic club; 1 member student senate each year, (officer for next year); business manager glee club, 2 members; leading feminine roles in all five college plays given in past two years besides several minor parts, 2 mistletoe favorites, first year, all-college favorite, second year; two battalion sponsors; 3 members Red Cross life-saving corps; 1 letter for athletics; freshman and upperclass member on soccer, hockey, and basketball teams.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship is improved by competition within chapter and losing side gives cooky-shine to winning side. Girl who makes highest average has name engraved on chapter cup. Recognition pin is awarded to pledge making highest average. Pledges have supervised meetings each week. A Settlement School dance is given annually and assessments complete Settlement School fund. Ten dollars is donated yearly to Good Fellows' Fund, Christmas charity movement. A box of dressed dolls is sent at Christmas to Settlement School. Health program is followed by having health talks prepared, and by keeping rules.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Rush events were dance, lawn party, and slumber party, reception for Mrs. Kribs, annual formal dance, pledge dance, formal dinner for initiates at home of chaperon, senior breakfast. 1922-23: Rush events were cabaret dinner-dance, slumber party, bridge party, line party, and luncheons. Reception for Province President; tea for chaperon; formal dance; pledge dance; formal dinner; cooky-shines; reception for Arrow Editor; senior breakfast; Mothers' Day entertainment.

V. Chapter House. House overlooking campus is rented.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Corresponding secretary sends annual letter to alumnae reviewing all chapter work for the year. Alumnae in state are notified of dates of initiation and formal dance and many come back for these events. Efforts are reasonably successful, though not all alumnae respond in proportion to the effort we make to reach them, since those farther away usually fail to answer our letters.

For BILLIE OWEN
By MILDRED MARONEY

ARKANSAS A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 19, active members 27. 1922-1923: initiates 15, active members 28. May 1, 1923: resident active members 4, resident alumnae 4, total membership 160.

II. Honors. 3 members of Skull and Torch (junior-senior honorary scholastic society); student making highest grades in college of arts and sciences 1923; 3 honor students; chapter ranked 2nd in scholarship 1921-1922. 1 junior vice-president; 1 senior vice-president; 1 sophomore representative on vigilance committee; 1 junior represent-

ative on vigilance committee; 1 sophomore Razorback representative; 1 associate editor of Razorback; 1 art editor of Razorback; 1 associate editor, 1 society editor, 3 on staff of Traveler; 100 per cent membership in Y. W. C. A.; 1 president, 1 secretary, 1 finance chairman, 1 Bible study chairman, 1 publicity chairman, 1 meetings chairman, for Y. W. C. A.; 2 sponsors for girls' reserves; 3 members of A T (honorary literary fraternity); 8 members of Sapphic literary society; 1 president, 1 secretary of I K (honorary journalistic fraternity); 1 president, 1 secretary of $\Phi A \Theta$ (honorary historical fraternity); 4 members of Blackfriar dramatic club; 3 members of Σ (secret social fraternity); 3 members of Parakeet club, 1 secretary-treasurer; 1 member of library club; 1 member of Mathematics club; 5 members of education club; 1 president, 2 members of advisory council; 2 on champion volley ball team; 2 winners in tennis tournaments; second place in inter-sorority basketball; 7 members of class teams; 6 members of girls' glee club; 4 leads in Little Theatre plays; 3 in A. B. C. club production; 8 in Y. W. C. A. annual benefit play; 1 in Y. W. C. A. stunt; 3 in Y. W. C. A. pageant; 2 representatives of college in semi-centennial pageant; 9 in semi-centennial pageant; 3 in Agri Follies; 3 in production of "As You Like It"; 1 Razorback beauty; 2 winners in beauty contest; 2 sponsors for football games; 1 battalion sponsor; 2 company sponsors; 4 in May fete.

III. Chapter Work. We have supervised study (no telephone calls after seven-thirty on week nights), report of scholarship every four weeks before fraternity meeting, and competition for chapter scholarship cup. Pledges must meet special requirements before being initiated. They organize and meet weekly for the study of fraternity history etc. Short talks given by an upper classman at each meeting. Annual contributions have been made to the Settlement School amounting to about \$50.00, 24 Christmas stockings filed for Mission School children, contributions made to European Relief fund, gymnasium building fund; Y. W. C. A. drive.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Open house for freshmen at first of year; 2 informal dances, tea for Panhellenic members, tea for Miss Onken, tea for patronesses, cooky-shine and freshman stunt on Founders' Day, tea and luncheon given during state convention. 1922-1923: House party for rushees at summer resort, open house for freshmen, bunking party, dinner dance, bridge luncheon, informal house dance, cooky-shine on Founders' Day, freshman stunt and feast.

V. Chapter House. Rented. Have purchased new living room suite, bed room suite, piano and had floors done over. New linen and glasses contributed by alumnae.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae are invited to attend chapter meetings, cooky-shines and stunts. Founders' Day banquet and other social affairs help to keep us in close touch with alumnae.

DORIS GLADDEN

TEXAS A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 12, active members 22. 1922-1923: initiates 13, active members 19. May 1, 1923: resident active members 6, resident alumnae 28, total membership 295.

II. Honors. 1 student assistant; 1 vice-president of class; 2 members of Texan staff; 1 chairman of women's council; 1 chairman of freshman commission; 2 members of sophomore commission; 2 members of Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 5 members of Asbel literary society; 4 members of Sidney Lanier literary society; 1 president of Pennybacker debating society; 3 members of Cactus sales staff; 11 members of Cap and Gown;

4 members of honor secret society; 1 member of honorary literary and public speaking society; 2 members of honorary business administration society; 2 girls on Cactus beauty page; 3 duchesses and 3 maids representing the university at annual state celebrations; 1 queen of varsity circus; 3 girls on leading ladies page of the Cactus; 18 members of Rabbit Foot club; 1 president of Rabbit Foot club; 18 members of Angler club; 10 members of Court-o-plaster; 2 members of Turtle swimming club; 1 winner of an athletic T. Chapter has won scholarship cup for 2 successive years.

III. Chapter Work. Freshman meeting once a week, freshman supervisor, upper classman for every freshman, open meetings once a month. Scholarship chairman, grades read before fraternity meeting, C plus average required by the chapter for initiation. Girls work through the Y. W. C. A. at Old Ladies Home, Children's Home, and Missions. Each girl, through clubs on the campus, donates towards sending poor girls through college. Donation to Settlement School.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Tea for Province President, tea for patronesses, Founders' Day picnic, tea for Grand President. 1922-1923: Tea for patronesses, Founders' Day picnic.

V. Chapter House. Rented. New living room set, new Grand piano.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Chapter delegates go to alumnae meeting and alumnae delegates come to chapter meetings, an alumnae representative at each Panhellenic meeting. Cooky-shines and stunt parties for alumnae, active members and pledges. Alumnae give annual Founders' Day picnic. Alumnae give aid and encouragement during Rush week.

BELLE T. NASH

TEXAS B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: active members 22, initiates 7. 1922-1923: active members 22, initiates 8. May 1, 1923: resident active member 1, resident active alumnae 19, total membership 61.

II. Honors. 4 class officers, secretary-treasurer of council of religious organizations; president, vice-president, secretary, 2 cabinet members of Y. W. C. A.; 2 Rotunda staff; 3 Campus staff; 5 members of Arden club; 1 member of junior Arden club; 1 Z Φ H; vice-president and 8 members of A P T (art); 2 vice-presidents of Workshop, 20 members of Workshop; 3 Swastika (social); 1 Herron club; 1 history and political science club; 1 member of the students' association council; president of Panhellenic; vice-president and publicity chairman of woman's self governing board; 2 members of the mandolin club; 2 members of tennis club; 4 members of swimming team; 2 members of choral club; 12 brotherhood of man pageant; 2 members of costume committee for pageant; 1 duchess of May Fete of 1922; 2 goddesses of May Fete; 1 chairman of social committee for freshman class; 5 members of junior class social committee; 3 popularity.

III. Chapter Work. An average of B is required of each initiate and all grades falling below this mark are subject to fine. This has proved to be a satisfactory means of keeping the scholarship of the chapter up to the standard. The chairman of the scholarship committee obtains the unsatisfactory grades of the freshmen from the office, and the upperclassmen coach those who have been reported. Each upperclassman is responsible for the work of one freshman. The vice-president has charge of the pledges and the course suggested by the committee of study and examination is followed. The province president and advisory committee meet with the pledges during this time to give the talks. Second semester initiation is provided for pledges making

an average of C plus. Social service work is done at Hope Cottage, sewing is done for the baby camp. Other altruistic work is done with the cooperation of the United Charities in providing food and clothing for dependent families. Often through the year chapter and pledges meet with a speaker from the outside to talk on health problems.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: alumnae entertained chapter and rushees with a breakfast at the country club, teas are given each month honoring each woman's fraternity, Founders' Day celebration with a luncheon of both alumnae and chapter. 1922-1923: tea given for patronesses and new Dean of Women, monthly teas given honoring each woman's fraternity, theater party and buffet supper carrying out Valentine motif, alumnae breakfast honoring chapter and rushees, Founders' Day celebrated with a big cooky-shine and stunt party by active chapter and alumnae. Sixty-eight Pi Phis were present.

V. Chapter House. Texas B occupies a large room in the dormitory very attractively furnished. We are planning to have a cottage next year for the chapter house.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The vice-president of the active chapter attends all the alumnae meetings. The alumnae are invited to teas given by the chapter. The alumnae club is a very active organization and the members are extremely interested in the activities of the chapter. The splendid cooperation of the alumnae advisory committee and the chapter have furnished a very close bond between the two groups. We find that a big cooky-shine, such as was given Founders' Day in which both alumnae and chapter met, is a fine means of strengthening the bond of fellowship. We find the alumnae ever ready to help us when called upon.

JANE MCGUIRE

LOUISIANA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: initiates 11, active members 21, 1922-1923: initiates 2, active members 25. May 1, 1923: resident actives 18, resident alumnae 108, total membership 227.

II. Honors. 3 Φ B K; chapter rank 1st in scholarship; 7 class offices held; 3 places on annual, 1 on magazine, 5 on weekly; 3 members of Y. W. C. A., 3 cabinet offices; 4 in senior honorary society; 6 offices in other societies; 11 offices in student government association; 10 positions on athletic teams; 4 members of glee club; 17 parts in college plays; 1 winner debating contest; 5 members of intercollegiate debating teams; 1 May Queen, 2 maids in May Courts; 2 winners in popularity contest.

III. Chapter Work. The scholarship is under the supervision of a committee composed of one member for each class, with the senior as chairman. This committee makes periodic visits to professors and thus keeps in touch with the standing of each girl in every class. Sophomores must make an average of 75 to be eligible for initiation, the chapter must have an average of 80 to be able to initiate. As there is sophomore pledging very little is done with pledges. Yearly contributions are sent to the Settlement School and the chapter has taken as its specific social service work the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Tours through interesting parts of the city are conducted every year for out-of-town students who have no other means of seeing the city. A contribution of table silver was given to the co-operative house, and \$12.50 to the Near East relief. In connection with the health program, the chapter is well up in athletic and health requirements of the college.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Founders' Day banquet, Christmas

party in chapter room, Bohemian rushing party, rushing picnic, three cooky-shines. 1922-1923: Founders' Day banquet, Christmas party in chapter room, Black and White rushing party, second rushing party at Spanish Fort. Both rushing parties were very successful. There were many small tables around the rooms, at which actives, alumnae and rushees were seated. Thus the freshmen were not overwhelmed by too many older girls, and more intimate conversation was made possible.

V. Chapter House. None. Room in house of a member.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The alumnae attend Founders' Day banquet, pledgings, initiations, and cooky-shines, and an annual tea given in the chapter room. On the whole our alumnae are rather interested in the active chapter. Two members from the active chapter attend all meetings of the alumnae club.

PERRINE DIXON

MONTANA A

I. Membership. 1921-22: initiates 18, active members 21. 1922-23: initiates 9, active members 18. May 1, 1923: resident active members 7, resident alumnae 3, total membership 57.

II. Honors. 1 $\Phi K \Phi$; 1 honor student; chapter ranks second in scholarship for two years; 3 class vice-presidents; 1 class secretary; 1 president, 1 vice-president, 1 sergeant-at-arms, 9 members A E Θ (literary); 8 members of art club; 1 vice-president of Student Christian Association; 1 vice-president chemistry club; 1 vice-president Y. W. C. A.; 4 members Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 2 presidents, 1 vice-president, 1 secretary, 7 members home economics club; 1 secretary 6 members Tormentors (dramatic club); 2 reporters Exponent (weekly paper); 2 assistant editors Montanan (annual); 1 president, 1 treasurer $\Phi T O$; 1 president, 2 members Cap and Gown (senior honorary); 2 members in cast of "The Truth"; 2 members in "Loot"; 8 members in cast of "Honeymoon Trail"; 2 winners in popularity contest; 1 winner of speed hike; 1 winner swimming contest; 1 winner target contest; winner of second place in tennis contest; winner of second place at Y. W. C. A. stunt night for 2 years.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee personally sees instructors every quarter to discuss grades of members below 75. Freshmen must have a B average to be initiated. Girls below a C average are put on social probation. Supervised pledge study. Scholarship restrictions brought chapter average from third to second place. A self-service dinner is given at the chapter house each Monday night as a "get-together" between actives and pledges. A rummage sale was given for the benefit of the Settlement School, a box of clothing was sent to the Associated Charities.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Formal reception and dance, black and white party, Pierrot and Pierrette costumes were worn, the men's costumes being sent with the invitations, color scheme carried out with imitation snow and icicles; formal dinner given by the pledges; spring party at Three Bears Inn. 1922-23: rushing party given at Cave Creek camp of one of the patronesses. The Dumb-Bell party given was a huge success, although it was one of the least expensive. Picture post cards were used as invitations, decorations were remnants of former parties, as were the programs, the dance program was reversed, i. e., began with "Home Sweet Home", the refreshments were served in reverse order with ice-cream and cake first, and salad last. Founders' Day entertainment in afternoon and formal banquet that evening.

V. Chapter House. Chapter house is rented. Eleven girls live in house.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae attend initiations and cooky-shines. Alumnae editor in chapter sends out a news letter each month, which has been very successful in maintaining interest.

RUTH DAVIDSON

WASHINGTON A

I. Membership. 1921-22: initiates 16, active members 35. 1922-23: initiates 16, active members 33. May 1, 1923: resident active members 12, resident alumnae 120, total membership 316.

II. Honors. 2 in $\Phi\Sigma X$ (national commercial honorary); 1 in $M\Phi E$ (musical honorary); 1 class officer, 8 on class committees; 9 in women's league dramatic groups; 2 leads and 5 casts in campus dramatic productions; 1 president and 2 members of Red Domino (women's dramatic honorary); 5 members of associated university players; 2 members on the board of control; 1 member of Tolo Club (highest honor for women); 2 members on business administration council; 30 on Y. W. C. A. committees; 2 chairmen, vice-chairman, 1 member on Y. W. C. A. cabinet; 10 on departmental committees, 1 chairman, 4 vice-chairmen; 8 on Daily staff; 2 on Columns (monthly publication) staff; 3 on Tye (annual) staff; 2 on varsity athletic teams; 9 on class athletic teams, 1 captain; 2 members of W. A. A.; 1 vice-president of women's league; 12 committee members, and 2 chairmen, 14 members of A. S. U. W. committees, and 1 chairman, 2 Mommooks.

III. Chapter Work. The freshmen are organized with a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer. The meetings are held once a week under the supervision of the freshman adviser (the vice-president of the chapter). Fraternity study and personal suggestions are the chief business of these meetings. Each freshman has an upperclassman adviser or sponsor to whom she may go for any aid or advice. The week-end before initiation is devoted to a program of serious talks to the freshmen by members of the alumnae on different phases of college and fraternity life. This takes the place of freshman training. At the weekly meetings upperclassmen talk to the freshmen on chapter life. Grade cards are sent out in mid-quarter to instructors and grades are read in chapter meeting. As a means of raising scholarship the chapter has levied a tax of \$2.00 on every hour of E and \$1.00 on every hour of D brought into the chapter. The name of freshman girl having the highest average is put on the freshman scholarship cup. A study table is maintained from 7:30 to 9:30 on study nights for freshmen and pledges in the house. This has been found to be very effective during the quarters that it has been held as it is a great help in enforcing quiet hours. The girls took an active part in the community chest drive and the house contributed. Freshmen girls are active in Foreign Mission work, devoting part of each week to teaching foreign children. Several girls are prominent in day nursery and orthopedic hospital work. 1921-22: each girl in the chapter gave \$1.50 to the Settlement School. 1922-23: \$30 was raised for the Settlement School and \$10 for the Fellowship Fund. The university has such an extensive health program that it does away with necessity of the chapter doing very much in that direction. Each girl keeps a health card, in connection with her gymnasium work, stating that she has taken an hour's outdoor exercise daily, has not eaten between meals, is in bed by 10:30 four nights a week, etc. Every girl is required to take a physical and medical examination at the beginning of the college year.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: pledge, initiation, Founders' Day banquets, pledge informal given by alumnae, cooky-shines, tea for house-mother, fathers, brothers and faculty members invited to dinners, 1 formal, 2 informals, spring house-party, 2 card parties, bazaar dance, senior breakfast, spring musicale and dance, alumnae picnic for the chapter, freshmen luncheon for the chapter. 1922-23: pledge, initiation and Founders' Day banquets, fathers and faculty members to dinners, 1 formal, 2 informals, homecoming banquet for alumnae, cooky-shines, senior breakfast, tea for Miss Onken, tea for house mother, 3 card parties.

V. Chapter House. The house is rented. Our \$7,500 lot is paid for and plans are almost completed for a \$35,000 chapter house. We are making every effort to raise the money so that we can build in the fall. The mothers and alumnae have made gifts of silverware, china, and linen.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. The alumnae give a breakfast for the senior girls every year. The active chapter gives an annual bazaar with the alumnae. Alumnae members are invited to come to any chapter meetings except when we vote on rushees. We ask alumnae opinion on rushees. We invite them to our informals or formals and teas. We have a calling committee for alumnae. A member of the advisory board attends our regular chapter meetings and assists us in any questions that we do not understand. Last year we started to edit the Pi Phile a magazine containing chapter and alumnae news and sent a copy to every alumnae.

DOREEN ALDWELL

WASHINGTON B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 17, active members 32. 1922-1923: initiates 10, active members 32. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 2, resident alumnae 3; total membership 155.

II. Honors. No chapter of $\Phi B K$ nor of $\Sigma \Xi$ is here. $\Phi K \Phi 1$. Mortar Board 5, president of Mortar Board 1, \$50 prize awarded by Mortar Board to junior for scholarship service, and leadership given this year to a Pi Phi, 1921-1922, 86.11; 1922-1923, 86.80. Rating: First on campus. Class offices held, 15. Director of College Revue, W. First on campus. Class offices held 15. Director of College Revue, W. S. C. booster state campaign trip 2, Chinook staff, 10 members, assistant editor, Chinook, Cougar Paw artist 1, Evergreen Staff 7, editor of Pine Needle 1, society editor 1; Y. W. C. A. 10 cabinet members, president, vice-president and secretary; president and vice-president of freshman commission; Eurodelphian literary society members 5, secretary 1; $\Phi M B$ honorary education fraternity 2; $\Sigma K \Phi$ honorary foreign language 1, secretary, history club 1, president; Spanish club 1, secretary; $M \Phi E 2$, president and secretary; Ellen H. Richard's club 5, president; $O N 2$, 1 treasurer, 1 secretary; Scribblers' club 3; fine arts club 5, 1 vice-president; women's athletic association 6 members, 1 treasurer, 5 members of honor teams; women's glee club state tour 8 members, 1 president, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 1 vice-president; 1 member of mixed quartet; 1 member of double quartet; 1 feminine role with boy's glee club; Mask and Dagger, honorary dramatic society, 4 members, 1 president, 1 secretary, 2 vice-presidents. Plays: 12 leads, 13 parts; 4 military sponsors; women's league 1 president, 1 secretary, 1 treasurer.

III. Chapter Work. Pin is given each year to freshman having highest grades. Week-end dates are forfeited according to the number of hours of C and lower. One-half of the house receiving the highest

grades are entertained by the half receiving the lowest at the end of each semester. This is very successful and affords competition. Systematic supervised chapter study-room first four nights of week. Weekly pledge meetings, organized with president and senior adviser. Annual contributions to Settlement School. Contribution to Fellowship Fund. Paper drinking cups, and other articles furnished for health. 11 o'clock retiring rule.

IV. Entertainment. 1921: Informal dance, black and white decorations, programs, and favors. 1922: Spring formal, $\Pi B \Phi$ and $A X \Omega$ picnic, informal dance, informal house dance, formal tea. 1923: Spring dance, formal banquet Founders' Day celebration.

V. Chapter House. Living in rented house but are organized under the Washington B building association. Own a lot, value \$4,000 and have plans drawn for a house, value \$20,000. Mrs. Monroe, our house-mother, returns for her tenth year with us next fall. New mahogany table and chair, new clock, new hall mirror equipped with electric lights, bathroom repainted and new linoleum.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. In place of our annual alumnae letter this year we sent out the Pi Phi Periscope, a small paper giving the chapter news for the year. Personal letters sent to alumnae urging them to attend initiation. Alumnae always invited to attend cooky-shines, chapter meetings and social functions. Wedding gifts sent to alumnae.

CAROLYN BICKELHAUPT

By R. Davis.

OREGON A

I. Membership. 1921-22: Active members 39, initiates 11. 1922-23: active members 32, initiates 12. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 3, resident alumnae 19; total membership 128.

II. Honors, $\Phi B K$ installed April 14, 1923 with 4 Pi Phis as charter members of the group. 1 graduated with honors in mathematics, being the first in 4 years to try for them in this department. This won for her an assistantship in the department. 1 secretary of sophomore class, 1 on Annual staff; 1 artistic staff of comic magazine; 2 daily newspaper staff; 1 poetry editor Sunday Emerald staff; 2 members Pot and Quill (literary society), 1 secretary of the society; 2 members Scroll and Script (Mortar Board since April 28, 1923). 100 per cent membership Y. W. C. A. with 3 on cabinet, 1 treasurer; 5 members Dial (discussion group) 1 secretary and 1 president; 1 Mask and Buskin (dramatic); 2 university players; 1 president of woman's league, 1 vice-president, 1 treasurer; 3 on executive council; 2 members Tre Nu (vocational fraternity); 4 members glee club, 1 soloist, 1 president; 3 members $M \Phi E$; 1 members $\Phi \Lambda \Pi$, 1 secretary; 2 $Z K \Psi$ (forensic); 8 members Kwama; 1 vice-president Triple A, 1 secretary freshman commission; W. A. A. 2 on council, 1 treasurer; 5 on class swimming teams, 1 captain freshman team; 1 secretary normal arts club, 1 secretary-students art league; 2 winners of Gerlinger cup (most fully developed junior woman); 1 winner Albert prize (most all-around senior man or woman); 1 on home-coming directorate 2 years, 3 on junior week-end committee, 1 music activities committee, 1 student council.

III. Chapter Work. Freshmen required to study at chapter study table under supervision, and all others with grades below average required to report there every college night except Sunday. Strict quiet hours are maintained after 7:30 p. m.; lights out at 11 p. m. on week nights. The name of member with highest average for year engraved on

chapter loving cup; similar practice maintained for the freshmen to encourage scholarship. Grades posted each month. 4 hours studying required during week-end and 6 hours from those with less than average grades. Forfeiting dates abandoned as number of hours studied seemed most important feature. 3.5 required for initiation. Older girls help underclassmen plan study schedule. Average has been improving each term but others rise in like proportion. The vice-president meets once each week with the freshmen to discuss their problems, reports of their scholarship are given, and other instructions with the idea of making them more familiar with fraternity life and duties are taken up by the girl in charge. Amounts sent to Settlement School: large quantity of prunes in 1922 and \$10 in 1923. Loan Fund \$10 in 1922. Gift of milk to several destitute families during 2 weeks of Christmas vacation. Gift of \$1,000 endowment policy to university in 1923 to be paid within 10 years to the Student Union fund. Health program—Efficient care of students by university. Personal hygiene and physical education required. All girls sleep on sleeping porches. Insistence on 11 o'clock bed time rule. House athletic rivalry. 12 in organized sports on university campus. Hearty approval of Dr. Gordon's health program also. Won canoe fete trophy in 1922.

IV. Entertainment. Annual events: Annual chapter birthday dinner with original $\Pi\Phi$ songs from each class as well as a gift for the house. Home-Coming entertainment for alumnae. A Christmas party. Week-end devoted to mothers with invitations sent to all active $\Pi\Phi$ mothers. Junior week-end entertainment, picnic dance, cooky-shines after pledging ceremonies, entertainment of classes for each other; brothers' dinner, Sunday night teas and musical for parents and alumnae. 1921-1922: Formal dinner dance, exchange dinners with other women's fraternities, and weekly dinners for faculty members, men's fraternities, or Eugene residents; 2 informal dinner dances. 1922-23: No formal dinner dance. Usual tax levied but applied on building fund. Informal dance. Benefit dance in Portland during Spring vacation.

V. Chapter House. New \$30,000 home being built. Ready for occupancy with opening of college in the fall. Organized under building corporation. Each girl pledges \$100 before initiation payable in 5 years after graduation, or after she leaves college. Now living in rented house with 23 girls in house, 4 in annex. House chaperon is business manager. Recent purchases: 2 mahogany tables, light fixtures, sunporch shades and furniture, vacuum sweeper, electric water heater, Victrola. Gifts: floor lamp, several large money gifts, dishes, linen, hall mirror, hall rug. We employ janitor, cook and maid.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae included in all social and fraternity functions. Active girls attend alumnae meetings and the alumnae are invited to our meetings in return. Close bond between the two branches of the fraternity through campaign for a new chapter house. The alumnae benefit bridge tea for the chapter house netted welcome amount. Close connection with Portland alumnae. Personal invitations sent to all Oregon alumnae for home-coming and for chapter birthday banquet. Alumnae helpful in membership campaign. Always welcome at meals, or on visits to the chapter whenever possible if living elsewhere.

VIRGINIA PEARSON

OREGON B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 18, active members 28. 1922-1923: Initiates 11, active members 22. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 3, resident alumnae 4; total membership 113.

II. Honors. 1 honorable mention for Waldo prize, 1 secretary of senior class, 1 vice-president of senior class, 1 secretary of junior class, 1 vice-president of senior class, 1 secretary of junior class, 1 vice-president of sophomore class, 1 member of $\Phi\Theta K$, 1 vice-president of $\Phi\Theta K$, 1 member student body social committee, 2 members of woman's council, 1 secretary woman's council, 1 secretary woman's league, 4 members Mask and Dagger, 1 vice-president of Mask and Dagger, 2 members Forensic society, 2 members Lyceum club, 3 members on second cabinet of Y. W. C. A., 1 publicity committee of Y. W. C. A., 1 chairman of programs for Y. W. C. A., 3 Beaver department editors, 1 assistant manager of Beaver, 1 member directory staff and associate editor of directory, 5 Barometer members, 2 members executive board woman's league, 2 members Madrigal club, 3 citation members, 3 leading parts in college plays, 1 social committee member of freshman class swimming team, stage manager of woman's stunt show, 4 members in fashion show, 2 on sophomore cotillion committee, 1 on junior week-end committee, 1 on senior table committee, 1 on senior table committee, 1 on senior cap and gown, 1 member co-operative managers association, 1 secretary of co-operative managers, 2 assistants to greater O. A. C. committee, 1 member point system committee, 1 member on home-coming week-end committee.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee of three, one sophomore one junior, one senior, who receive report of members twice a term. Any girl falling below average of 85 per cent at mid-term is on probation for the remainder of the term which means that only one week-end night date is allowed. Five hours of study over the week-end are required or a date is forfeited. Study table is observed and lights out at 10:30. The average of the house was raised quite a bit under the new system. The pledges elect their own chairman and are supervised by the vice-president. They entertain the pledges of all other houses each year. The annual tea for the Settlement School was not given this year due to the crowded campus social schedule. We are also buying our house so that all extra time is being devoted to raising money for that. A donation was given by each girl and a box sent at Christmas. Last year the chapter sent \$30.00 and the Christmas box. Nine dollars a year is being given by each student to the student union building. Efficient service by health department on campus in co-operation with physical education and home economics departments.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1923: Tea for Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Beck, May 17 set for annual chapter birthday banquet as chapter was installed in summer. Home-coming week-end for alumnae. Junior week-end for high school students. Formal dance. Several informal parties. Exchange dinners with fraternities. 1922-1923: Reception for Miss Onken, alumnae entertained with dinner Founders' Day, several informal dances and picnics, picnic with Oregon A, home-coming week-end for alumnae, junior week-end for high school students. Did not have formal dance but collected tax and turned over to house fund. Brother tea. Luncheon for chaperon.

V. Chapter House. Buying house, value \$14,000. Improvements: new drapes for lower floor, hot water tank installed, new mahogany furniture and two overstuffed davenports for living rooms, five new pictures, three ivory chiffoniers, one study room refinished. Minor gifts of linen, silverware, mirror, dishes, light fixtures. Payments complete on furniture.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Chapter letter sent out quarterly. Girls also urged to write personal letters. Invitations to

home-coming week-end and invitations. Alumnae interest better since purchasing house. Pledges from alumnae pay the yearly notes.

ANN McPHERSON

CALIFORNIA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Active members 23, initiates 5. 1922-1923: Active members 14, initiates 2, pledges 7. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 1, resident alumnae 8; total membership 181.

II. Honors. 3 Φ BK. Chapter ranked third highest in 1922, 20 members of class committees. Y. W. C. A.: President, vice-president, members of committees 20; junior opera lead 1922, 6 junior opera chorus 1922-1923; 3 Ram's Head chorus 1922, 7 in 1923; French orphan benefit play, leading role 1922, 1 lead in women's spring pageant 1922 lead, 4 in chorus. 4 hockey class teams, 2 all-star team (varsity); 3 basketball class teams; 2 tennis class teams, 1 all-star (varsity) tennis team; 2 on swimming class teams, 1 all-star (varsity); 3 Cap and Gown (women's honor society), 1 women's council (disciplinary), 2 members of women's conference (executive), 1 women's editor of Daily Palo Alto, 2 Quad staff (Annual), 2 Schubert club (vocal), 1 Stanford music club (instrumental), 2 'S' society (honorary athletic society), 1 women's service board, 2 Stanford Lane clinic committee, 1 Masquers (honorary dramatic society), secretary, treasurer women's athletic board, 1 Θ Σ Φ (national journalistic), 1 student memorial committee, 1 Panhellenic president, 1 French club, 1 German club, 1 women's club house board.

III. Chapter Work. A scholarship committee, composed of one member from each class, keeps in touch with the work of each member of the chapter. Social privileges are denied those who fall below the 1.77 average. Those who fall far below the average are required to spend three hours in the library every afternoon and two hours in the evening. Quiet hours are enforced in the house except from 4 p. m. to 7 p. m. daily. The Panhellenic ruling is upheld in that no pledge may be initiated unless she has a C average. Bridge party given in 1922 and proceeds submitted for Settlement School. Contributions made by each active member in 1923 and proceeds sent to Settlement School committee. Old clothing gathered up and given to service board for the local poor. Gift of stockings filled with toys, to children of Stanford Convalescent Home each Christmas. Y. W. C. A. campaigns always well supported. Other campus drives well contributed to, this chapter usually leading all other women's fraternities on the campus in percentage of members contributing. One girl appointed as head of health program. Her duty is to supervise health conditions in the chapter and to give advice on this subject to any chapter member who may desire such.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-1922: Spring dance, decorated with hawthorn, quince blossoms, and balloons; Settlement School bridge party, proceeds sent to Settlement School committee; tea for housemother with student representatives and faculty invited. 1922-1923: Formal tea in order to meet all the new freshmen. Decorations of autumn flowers. A five-to-eight dinner dance given Spring quarter to entertain new women students. Yellow crepe paper and fancy candle-sticks used on each table, with individual corsages for each girl. An informal dance Fall quarter for the purpose of entertaining new girls.

V. Chapter House. House owned, value \$19,000. Improvements: Two over-stuffed chairs, davenport recovered, new draperies, wicker furniture for porch, basement stairs removed and telephone booth installed. The den, bedrooms, bathrooms, and halls repapered and painted, and the front porch glassed in.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. All resident alumnae are interested in the house association and are present at its meetings which are held in the chapter house. They have now formed an alumnae club in Palo Alto and are taking even a more active interest. Alumnae are always invited to initiations, teas, and other such affairs. Membership in either the Los Angeles, the northern alumnae, or the Stanford alumnae club, is encouraged, alumnae of San Francisco have taken more than an active interest this year in helping us make the necessary improvements on the house.

GERALDINE E. WATT.

CALIFORNIA B

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 8, active members 29. 1922-1923: Initiates 11, active members 22. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 12, resident alumnae 7; total membership 292.

II. Honors. 1 $\Phi\beta\kappa$, 4 honor students, 1 on Blue and Gold, 2 Occident, 1 junior editor and 5 on staff of Daily Californian, Y. W. C. A. chairman of membership, all under classmen work on committees, secretary of dramatics social service department, 1 English club (literary), 4 Prytanean (activities), 1 ΔE (art), 2 economics club, 1 Torch and Shield (activities), 1 $\theta\Sigma\phi$ (women's national journalistic), 1 $T\Psi E$ (psychology), 1 women's swimming team, 1 wearer of circle (C), College plays: 2 leads and 13 minors in Parthenia, lead and 3 minors Senior extravaganza, junior farce co-authors 1923: 2 girls in house wrote it all. 1 lead, 3 minor parts. Little Theater minor parts.

III. Chapter Work. We have a chairman of scholarship who keeps a record book of everyone's marks for the week. Every Monday night she calls the roll in big meeting and the girls give all their marks for the week. In this manner we keep track of what everyone is doing and so can give a helping hand when necessary. When the president calls the roll, the girls are honor bound to answer at the same time as to how many classes they did not attend during the week and at the end of the month pay the treasurer fifty cents for every class not attended. (They are excused by the president for illness or any very legitimate excuse, unavoidable). We as a group attempt to create an air of strong disapproval against an individual member who receives a low mark so that the public humiliation will serve as a punishment and if the mark is low an explanation must follow. When our mid-semester marks come in, if any are deficient the university sends them to the president of the house and the offenders are called into upperclassmen meeting to explain themselves and be reprimanded and must forfeit one evening engagement for each deficiency received until such a period of time has elapsed to satisfy the instructor that the deficiency has been raised. We think our results are all that are to be desired, and we find that we are more strict than other houses on our campus. We have a large room on our third floor which is fitted up for a study hall and all underclassmen are compelled to study here from 7:30 to 9:20 every night. An upperclassman is always present to maintain order. No underclassman is allowed to go to the library at night. We have no difficulty with the scholarship of the girls who live in the house but only with the girls who live outside the house in their own homes, and whose study we cannot so readily supervise. We are at present seeking to remedy this. Our pledge meetings are conducted by the housemanager who has charge of freshmen, largely because she has so much work to be done and one cannot have too many "bosses" in a house. It is usual for us to give a card party for the Settlement School. Local charities and con-

tributions for campus building funds are cared for by individual members, but in certain drives such as the Red Cross, etc., the house usually aims to be one hundred percent in its individual contributions. The health program we adopted as a matter of form but felt that it was entirely unnecessary in our case since our university goes much farther in requiring certain standards in this line.

IV. Entertainment, 1921: Formal dance, an informal dance, a Hallowe'en party (only for the girls), a Christmas party, 1922: spring semester, an informal house warming in the new house, various card parties, and dinner dances before the freshman and sophomore inter-sorority dances. 1922: fall semester a formal tea, formal dance, Hallowe'en party, Christmas party, various card parties, a recital, a Christmas bazaar, 1923: spring semester dinner dances before the freshman and the sophomore inter-sorority dances, various card parties, etc. Every semester we have several faculty dinners and teas to meet the faculty and faculty wives. Every Monday night we have about two alumnae and two of the active mothers for dinner so that they may meet the girls. Our Hallowe'en parties are great successes and are designed to draw the girls closer together. Every class puts on a stunt and a prize is awarded for the best. We all come in costume and play all the old games and have a modern cooky-shine later. Two features are always the peanut hunt with a prize for whoever gets the most, and ice cream cones. It is usual to have one rush party each week throughout the year.

V. Chapter House. Owned; valued at \$65,000. Our mothers furnished up our drawing room for us and a freshman class fitted up a tiny little room to be used as a guest room and always ready for the unexpected guest.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. We invite two alumnae to dinner every Monday night before meeting and urge them to our functions of rushing or big teas, etc., and try to encourage their cooperation with us but we find to our sorrow that we are only partially successful.

VIRGINIA R. CUMMING.

CALIFORNIA I

I. Membership, 1921-1922: Initiates 13; active members 27. 1922-1923: Initiates 11, active members 26. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 19, resident alumnae 250; total membership 117.

II. Honors. Scholarship: February 1923, first of men and women's national fraternities. Two semesters no failures. Vice-president of junior class, 2 presidents of tennis club, president of Panhellenic, president honorary art sorority, president sociology society, president of associated women students, 2 on student body executive committee, financial secretary of Y. W. C. A., social chairman of Y. W. C. A., chief big sister, art editor of Wampus, 1 on Trojan staff (university newspaper); 2 on El Rodeo staff (year book); lead in junior play, 6 on tennis club, 2 varsity tennis players; secretary, treasurer of Amazons and 5 members secretary and 2 in Torch and Tassel (senior honorary); treasurer of Z Φ H (oratory); vice-president Lance & Lute (dramatic); 1 in Spooks and Spokes (junior honorary) 2 in Δ Ψ K (physical education); 1 delegate to Δ Ψ K convention, 1 tennis manager, 1 baseball manager, 3 on swimming team, 3 members of Palette & Brush, 2 in Le Cercle Francais, 1 in commerce club, 11 in sociology club, 1 in choral club, 2 on executive committee of women's athletic association.

III. Chapter Work. Our scholarship chairman looks after the grades of the fraternity. Our scholarship has been improved by restrict-

ing social privileges of girls receiving scholarship deficiency notices, by imposing a fine of \$25 for a failure, \$5 for a condition, or incomplete. We have raised the scholarship requirement of pledges. Part of money from annual bazaar sent to Settlement School, contributed to Fellowship Fund, assisted in society circus (children's hospital benefit, taken an active part in raising money for Panhellenic scholarship fund, U. service campaigns Y. M. and Y. W. drives. Every girl contributed to \$10,000,-000 for the U. S. C. drive, and California Gamma Permanent House Fund.

IV. Entertainment. 1921: Tea in honor of Mrs. Wood, tea in honor of pledges, Founder's Day banquet, formal at San Gabriel, annual bazaar for Settlement School and house fund. 1922: Christmas formal at San Gabriel Country club, charter day luncheon, football banquet, fraternity exchange dinner, formal reception for Miss Onken, reception for Mrs. Von Kleinsmid, wife of the new president of the university, given by alumnae and active chapter; annual bazaar, campaigning cabaret dinner especially successful, formal rushing party at home of Mrs. R. B. Von Kleinsmid. 1923: Dance in honor of pledges, Founders' Day banquet, entertained 2 fraternities, luncheon for the mothers of girls in the active chapter (advisory board assisted in this).

V. Chapter House. We are buying our house. Value \$18,000. It is situated on the most attractive street near college. $\Pi\Phi$ is the only fraternity to buy its own house. The new furniture bought by the chapter and pledges includes 1 large rug, reed furniture for 1 room, fernery, gate-leg table, four mahogany chairs, sheets and pillow slips, furnace (alumnae helped us with this). Furniture given by friends includes 2 lamps, velvet drapes for entire down stairs, curtains and drapes for the rest of the house, stair carpet, dining room table, porch swing.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Monthly meetings held at chapter house. Alumnae attend initiations, chapter meetings, cooky-shines and join with the girls in giving the annual bazaar for the house fund. We are especially fortunate in having an alumnae club that is interested in the affairs of the active chapter. Alumnae have had charge of our permanent house fund and made possible the purchase of our chapter house. Alumnae and chapter have given two card parties for permanent house fund. The advisory board is very active and is a great help in solving chapter problems.

DOROTHY HALDEMAN

ARIZONA A

I. Membership. 1921-1922: Initiates 9, active members 29. 1922-1923: Initiates 12, active members 25. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 8, resident alumnae 24; total membership 91.

II. Honors. Highest scholarship rating of all organizations on campus for year 1921-22 and first semester 1922-23 (last semester not yet known). Solomon scholarship cup won twice by chapter, 4 elected to $\Phi K \Phi$, 5 Honor students, 2 county scholarships, 2 class secretaries, president woman's self government association, 2 treasurers W. S. G. A., 5 on council (executive board of W. S. G. A.), president varsity villagers (town girls' organization), Secretary-treasurer varsity villagers, vice-president home economics club, secretary-treasurer house managers association, president W. A. A., 2 vice-presidents W. A. W., treasurer W. A. A., 8 elected to W. A. A., delegate from university to W. A. W. conference at Stanford. 1 athletic letter awarded, vice-president and secretary university riding and polo club, 5 in annual university

horse show, three ribbons won, also a silver loving-cup for expert jumping, 3 on Y. W. C. A. cabinet, 6 elected to Wranglers (honorary literary society for women), a president Wranglers, 10 elections to Sock & Buskin (honorary dramatic club), vice-president and 1 on executive board of Sock & Buskin. 5 leads in major productions, 14 places on casts, 6 elected to $\Theta A \Phi$ (national dramatic fraternity), 9 in senior follies, 7 in university fashion show, 7 in dance drama (2 solo parts), 4 charter members woman's press club, secretary woman's press club, 4 departmental editors Desert (annual publication), 9 on Wildcat staff (weekly publication), 2 department editors Wildcat, 5 awarded journalistic "A". Editor Wrangler's Edition Wildcat, chairman tradition committee, 9 on class hockey teams, 1 captain, 1 on all college honor team, 1 on honor baseball team, 3 on honor dancing team, 2 class dancing captains, Vice-president Wranglers. Campus Queen in annual celebrity contest (most all-around girl on campus). Arthur Hamilton Otis prize for highest standing in history of art. Second place in all-state music, 2 in orchestra.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship committee, consisting of one member from each class with senior as chairman, keeps careful file of all grades. Report made in meeting of all delinquents. Causes ascertained. Delinquent students limited to one date a week, until delinquency is removed. We are careful to see that this time is used for actual purposes of study. Pledge meetings very successful with upper classman in charge. Each week a different member from the chapter speaks to the pledges on some assigned topic. This has benefitted the actives as well as the pledges. Besides regular pledge assignments various topics are discussed with the purpose of broadening the pledges and giving them the right outlook on college and fraternity life. No girl is allowed to criticize a pledge directly, all suggestions going to her through the sponsor. We require the highest average on the campus for initiation. Before initiation each pledge is required to compose a fraternity song and write a very careful theme on an assigned topic of fraternity interest. This is read to and accepted by the chapter. A recognition pin is awarded to the pledge who at the time of initiation has rated highest on the following points: scholarship, pledge examination mark, willingness and good nature in performing house duties, democratic spirit on campus and friendliness with campus girls, activities. Once a week we have exchange dinners with other women's fraternities. During the past two years there has been no fraternity antagonism among the seven women's fraternities. Two benefits for the Settlement School were held at the chapter house, one a waffle breakfast with bridge and dancing afterwards, and the other a Spanish supper. Each year in the fall we have given a large bridge benefit at the Santa Rita hotel for local charity. Next year the proceeds of this affair are to be donated to the university for a student union building. We donated complete furnishings for one patient at St. Lukes in the Desert (tubercular hospital.) We have entertainments for, and make regular visits to the different hospitals. Last year we had complete charge of one ward at the government hospital for disabled soldiers. The university rulings are very strict about matters of health. We cooperate in every way with the health department, and adhere to all rules carefully. We require attendance at all university health lectures. $\Pi \Phi$ is represented in every line of sport.

IV. Entertainment. 1921-22: Exchange dinners with men's fraternities, tea for mothers and relatives, formal at Clearwater Lodge, Christmas dance, Yule Logs with fairy fuel gave light for moon-light dances, all Christmas greenery, etc., used. Breakfast at country club for

university week guests; spring flowers and colored peanut birds used for decoration. 1922-23: Tea for Miss Onken, tea for rushees, wine and silver blue dolls with crepe paper hoop-skirts entirely covering plate of refreshments given for favors, formal dance at Santa Rita roof-garden.

V. Chapter House. Rented. With money left from house we bought new curtains, porch furniture, dining room furniture, piano lamp, etc. At Christmas time the alumnae presented a complete set of silver. 11 girls living in house at present. Now buying own piano. Bought beds.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Our alumnae cooperate with us in every way possible. They are backing a movement to own the chapter house. The first Monday of each month we invite any who care to attend our meetings. Our advisory board is very strong and a real help to us. Alumnae gave Founders' Day banquet and invited active chapter as guests. The alumnae club and the active chapter gave a joint benefit for the Settlement School. Alumnae are invited to cooky-shines, initiation, formal pledging and formal dance, and take a sympathetic interest in all our undertakings.

DORIS CREPIN

NEVADA A

I. Membership. Initiates 22, active members 28. 1922-23: Initiates 13, active members 31. May 1, 1923: Resident active members 12, resident alumnae 24; total membership 112.

II. Honors. 2 regent scholarships; 6 honor students including 1 highest in university; $\Pi B \Phi$ first among university organizations 1922. 3 class vice-presidents, 2 class secretaries, 2 Y. W. C. A. cabinet members, 1 Y. W. C. A. delegate, 6 members $\Delta A E$ (honorary literary society), 1 secretary, 1 treasurer, 1 member Clonia (debating society), 1 vice-president, 1 member Athenides (new honorary women's society), 4 members Campus Players (dramatic society), 1 member $\Sigma \Sigma K$ (honorary chemistry society), 5 members Gothic N (athletics), 2 presidents, 1 vice-president, 1 secretary, 1 women's athletic manager, 1 vice-president women's athletic association, 1 vice-president home economics club, 1 vice-president agricultural club, 1 president L. F. G. (Manzanita Hall association), 1 treasurer, 1 member executive committee; 1 vice-president associated women students, 1 sophomore representative in associated women students, 1 member A. S. U. N. finance control committee, 1 president Panhellenic, 1 captain champion class basketball team, 11 winners of letters or sweaters for athletics. $\Pi \Phi$ basketball team defeated $\Delta \Delta \Delta$ team, 1 member glee club, 1 member orchestra, 1 lead "Sally For Keeps," 2 parts "Teeth of the Gift Horse," 1 part "Come Out of the Kitchen," 3 parts senior play, 1 vaudeville act by entire chapter at benefit show.

III. Chapter Work. Scholarship is kept at a good standard by the vigilance of the scholarship committee in reporting cuts and delinquents subject to fine at each meeting. Each freshman has a sponsor who admonishes her if necessary. Pledges hold meetings under their own president and officers, but an active member supervises fraternity study. The chapter's annual waffle breakfast nets around \$15.00 for the Settlement School and fines for cuts total about \$20.00. This year we also gave a card party for the Settlement School and the Fellowship Fund (\$54.00). We have donated to the campus Y. W. C. A. \$10.00 and to the associated women student carnival for their scholarship. One social meeting for alumnae and actives consists of health talks and appropriate stunts. Athletics are much encouraged.

IV. Entertainments. 1921-22: A formal Hallowe'en favor dance, and an interesting slumber party were given for prospective members. Pledge stunt night with alumnae, and an informal dance for initiates in the spring. In July a moonlight swimming party and picnic were enjoyed by local active members and alumnae. 1922-23: A formal tea was given for the entire campus on the opening of our new chapter house. An oriental favor dance followed pledging. We joined with the other women's fraternities in giving a dance for K A Θ, newly installed. Nevada's home-coming day was open house for all visiting graduates and alumnae. Josephine Wood asked that we give no functions during her visit. The women's organizations attended a reception to meet our Grand President. An informal dance, second semester, for our initiates and alumnae. The annual Founders' Day banquet was given. A swimming party and picnic for Π Φ seniors was concluded by the last meeting of the year.

V. Chapter House. Rented. 12 girls lived in the house this semester, including two pledges. Furniture to date which has been bought: 3 piece overstuffed set, mahogany back table, lamp, vacuum cleaner, and sewing machine. A shower for the house included flat silver from alumnae and pledges, besides pictures, linen, etc.

VI. Maintenance of Alumnae Interest. Alumnae representatives attend meeting once a month when they are consulted on the work of the active chapter. Monthly social meetings are given together, one being a pledge stunt night. We observe the birthday of Δ P whose members petitioned Π Φ for our chapter. Founders' Day is observed by actives and alumnae together.

ALICE NORCROSS

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF GRAND COUNCIL

Grand Council held its annual meeting at the Hotel Stanley Estes Park, Colo., June 20 to 25, sessions on the twenty-fourth and on the morning of the twenty-fifth being devoted to joint meeting of the Province Presidents.

Careful consideration was given to the detailed and general reports of all officers and committee chairmen, and chapter conditions for the past year were carefully reviewed. General problems and policies were discussed, and recommendations were formulated to be submitted to convention for action.

A ceremony to be used at the installation of chartered groups was adopted.

Grand Council unanimously voted to amend Stat. VII, Sec. 7, "Convention Expenses," by adding the words "except such expenses whose payment is authorized by the alumnae sessions" so as to read:

Sec. 7. Convention Expenses.

All expenses necessary to the convening of Convention shall be paid from the Convention Fund except such expenses whose payment is authorized by the alumnae sessions.

Stat. IV. "Chapter Regulations," was amended by striking out the entire Section 15, "Announcements."

With the Province Presidents, general matters of policy and internal development, as well as convention plans in brief, were considered. The Province Presidents were delegated to formulate recommendations and necessary constitutional changes, to be presented to convention, covering:

1. The duties of incorporated house boards or persons responsible for finances in chapters maintaining a residence.
2. Dismissals.

Epsilon Province President was elected Chairman of the Province Presidents.

The Grand President appointed a committee of Province officers, whose chairman was Kappa Province President, to revise the typed Manual for Province Presidents.

FRANCESE ROMA EVANS,
Grand Secretary

Following Convention, Grand Council met jointly with the retiring and newly elected Province Presidents. The main business considered was the revision of the outline for grading chapters under the Committee on Survey and Standardization. The endorsed revision follows:

CO-OPERATION

- A. With College or University.
 1. Place in College Regard.
 - a. Helpfulness.
 - b. Dependableness.
 - c. Democracy.
 - d. Ethical standards.
 - e. Business responsibility.
 2. Place in Student Activities.
 - a. Comparative standing with other women's fraternities on campus.
 - b. Proportion of active members participating.
 3. Initiation versus Graduation.
 4. Scholarship.
- B. With the National Fraternity.
 1. National Viewpoint.
 2. Co-operation with
 - a. National Officers.
 - b. Province President.
 - c. National Committee on Scholarship.
 - d. National Committee on Fraternity Examination.
 3. Scholarship.
 - a. Collegiate scholarship as compared with that of Pi Beta Phi chapters.
 - b. Fraternity Examinations.

4. Ambition.
- C. With the Chapter.
 1. Internal Development.
 - a. Efficiency of chapter meeting.
 1. Character of chapter meeting.
 2. Soundness of financial condition.
 3. Assumption of individual responsibility.
 4. Discipline.
 5. Unity.
 2. Atmosphere.
 - a. Congeniality.
 - b. Culture.
 - c. Courtesy
 1. To members of Pi Beta Phi.
 2. To guests.
 3. To chaperon.
 - d. Conduct.

The joint session also suggested the change in terms from Exceptionally Strong, Above the Average, Average, Below the Average, and Exceptionally Weak, to Strong, Good, and Weak.

At the post-convention meeting of Grand Council, it was decided that the tenure of office for members of the Settlement School Committee be changed to four years. It was agreed that members be so appointed that there would never be more than two new members on the Committee at any one time, except on account of resignation; that the ultimate term of office for each member should be four years, no member being eligible for re-appointment at the time of the expiration of her term of office. The Grand President announced the appointment of Nita Hill Stark as Chairman of the Settlement School Committee, of Sarah Rugg, Melinda Stuart, and Frances Curtis as committee members. It was decided that the fifth member should be an alumna chosen from the far west.

The Grand Council discussed the visiting of chapters, and made tentative plans for the installation of the three newly admitted groups; it further expressed itself as favoring the continuation of the extension policy, held to during the past interim of conventions, which would allow petitions to be presented only to convention.

The Council expressed itself as favoring definite provision for medical care by a competent physician for the next convention, and acknowledged its extreme debt of gratitude to Phyllis Higgenbotham for her splendid, unselfish service to the 1923 Convention.

A request from the American Committee for the Restoration of the University of Louvain for publicity and financial assistance from chapters and clubs was considered. The Grand Council

decided that it did not approve of appeals to chapters and clubs for such purposes, that the publicity in the Arrow would be expensive and results uncertain, and that $\Pi B \Phi$ could best help the cause by contributing \$25.00, the approximate cost of Arrow publicity.

The Grand Council expressed itself as favoring the appointment of sponsors for pledges by the Executive Councils rather than by the haphazard methods now in use by chapters, and wished to offer the suggestion to chapters that "at least once monthly between pledging and initiation, the Executive Council carefully consider whether or not pledges are fulfilling all scholarship and conduct requirements, and that, when failures are apparent, the sponsors should have the help of the Executive Council in working for improvement."

Unfinished business of the Grand Council was disposed of, and work for the coming year was tentatively organized.

FRANCESE ROMA EVANS,
Grand Secretary

EDITORIALS

THE INSPIRATION which permeated the largest convention in the history of Pi Beta Phi should carry us far on the road to the achievement of our ideals; the added strength of our three new groups, Idaho Alpha, Tennessee Alpha and North Carolina Alpha should give us permanent command of new territory and our natural growth and development should continue to make us worthy of the name Pi Beta Phi.

• GOATING. Although the Grand Council passed a ruling last year which made Sec. 23, Statutes IV read as follows: "No form of mock initiation, 'Goating,' or similar probation of pledges shall be permissible at any Pi Beta Phi chapter," some chapters failed to interpret the full meaning of the law. The intention of the Council was not to *limit* "Goating" nor just to prohibit it "outside of the chapter house" but positively to forbid it in any form anywhere.

The members of the Grand Council believe that anything which will in any way detract from the womanly ideals of our fraternity is absolutely foreign to us and should not be tolerated.

University authorities usually do not oppose fraternities without cause and if we are to maintain our place in the high respect of those in command we must prove ourselves worthy and do nothing either inside or outside of our chapter homes unworthy of our fraternity ideals and standards.

THE WORD RUSHING has for the past few years been avoided and as a substitute the words "membership campaigning" and similar expressions have appeared in the columns of THE ARROW. Such an arrangement was evidently made at the editors' conference of the national Panhellenic Congress some years ago, but the editor cannot see that the word "campaigning" is more dignified nor more elucidating than "rushing." Hence, with the approval of the last convention, she is returning to the use of the word "rushing" for where is there another expression which can more clearly and easily define the form of entertainment accompanying the fraternity system during "rush" week than just that word.

WITH THE BEGINNING of the present volume, two new names appear on THE ARROW staff, that of Lorena Accola Fitzell, Colorado A, as Alumnae Editor and Carolyn Reed, Nebraska B, as Chapter Letter Editor. The Editor wishes to express deep appreciation of the work of their predecessors, Geraldine E. Mars who has re-entered the University of Iowa for the purpose of obtaining her Master's Degree this winter, and Mabel Scott Brown, who was appointed Cataloguer to succeed Lillian Freund, resigned. The entire fraternity owes a great debt of gratitude to Lillian Freund, who during the past two years has devoted her entire time to the compilation of the 1923 Catalog and who by her untiring efforts has collected and preserved much invaluable data pertaining to members of Pi Beta Phi.

ARE YOU THOROUGHLY acquainted with our Pi Beta Phi Magazine Agency? Blanche Reisinger, Maryland A, manages for the fraternity a regular, commercial magazine agency and gives all profit to the Settlement School. Miss Reisinger can take care of orders for every magazine handled by any magazine agent or bookstore owner. She can give the same reductions, club prices, and other special inducements offered by magazine dealers. Can you think of a simpler way in which to make money for Little Pigeon?

Right now is the time to think of placing your Christmas subscription orders or of renewing your old subscriptions. Very few gifts are enjoyed as thoroughly as good magazines and what is more they last through the entire year. Send at once to Miss Reisinger for her magazine price lists—you can save money for yourself besides helping Pi Beta Phi.

A NEW SPELLING method must be in vogue as the editor discovered the following new specimens in the reports of the convention delegates: "a rug was boughten," "members of honory societies," "member of the tract team," dozens of "sophmores,"

"many parcipetents in college activities," and various "treasures" of classes. Edit this yourself.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The address of the new Alumnae Editor is: Lorena Accola Fitzell, (Mrs. Grant R.), 1359 Race St., Denver, Colo.

Mounted and hand illuminated copies of the "IF" for Pi Phis, may be had for 50c each by writing to California Gamma, 647 W. 28th St., Los Angeles, Cal.

The "Sweetheart Song" on pages 131 and 132 of the new Song Book should be credited to Wyoming A instead of to Montana A.

The latest edition of the SONGS OF PI BETA PHI which was edited by Laurel G. Cissna contains eight new songs and five new sets of words written to familiar tunes. \$1.50 each. Anne Stuart, 1906 D Street, Lincoln, Neb.

Lucile Kile, 6 Saffer Court, Urbana, Illinois has been appointed as Pi Beta Phi reporter to Banta's Greek Exchange.

Lost and Found! The following articles were turned over to the *Arrow* Editor by the Hotel Stanley and the owners of same may have them by writing and instructing Mrs. Spring where to send them: Two large conventions pictures marked "Anna Waring" and "Miss Bradley," a small Pi Beta Phi pennant and a P. E. O. pennant.

Convention Pages—If you did not receive your page ribbon to keep, please notify Mrs. Spring.

Alumnae Club Reports are published in the October issue only. No late reports can be published during the year.

Pictures Wanted! Kodak, pictures of interesting groups hikers, riders, etc., taken at Estes Park or on post-convention trips are wanted for use in the December *Arrow*. Please send the pictures to the *Arrow* Editor by October 20.

Magazine Subscriptions should be sent to B. G. Reisinger, 235 East Lafayette Ave., Baltimore, Md., and will be taken care of promptly. All profit goes to the Settlement School.

STANDING INSTRUCTIONS TO CORRESPONDING SECRETARIES OF CHAPTERS AND CLUBS

During 1923-24 *THE ARROW* will be published the first week in October, December, March and June.

For the December *ARROW* all material must be in the hands of the Editors by October 20. Special instruction will appear in the *Bulletin*, issued October 1.

For the March *ARROW* all material must be in the hands of the Editors by January 15. Special instructions for this number will be issued the first week in January.

For the June *ARROW* all material must be in the hands of the Editors by April 15. Special instructions for this number will be issued April 1.

Bear in mind that the Editors live two days' journey from the publisher, that all their work has to be done by mail, which is uncertain nowadays and you will realize how much depends on your promptness.

Please send chapter letters direct to the Chapter Letter Editor, Carolyn Reed, 518 Ft. Washington Ave., Apt. 5a, New York City, N. Y.

Please send all Alumnae Personals and In Memoriam notices direct to the Alumnae Editor, Lorena Accola Fitzell (Mrs. Grant R.), 1359 Race St., Denver, Colo.

In working throughout the year please follow these instructions:

1. Typewrite all contributions on paper of uniform size (11x8½ inches). Always use a *double spacing* on the typewriter. This is essential for printer's corrections.

2. Chapter letters should average 300-500 words in length and should be designated to interest first, the fraternity at large; second, your own alumnae. Chapter-letter stationery may be obtained from the Chapter Letter Editor. Every letter should have the following heading:

Name of chapter Date of charter Name of college

Date of Pledge Day fixed by your local Panhellenic

1. Names of girls *initiated* (*not pledged*) since last letter was written, giving home addresses and date of initiation.

2. *Alumnae personals* should be arranged as printed in the June issue of *THE ARROW*. Study this form carefully. They should include:

(a) Engagements, marriages, deaths, birth.

(1) In reporting marriages, give full name of husband, college, fraternity, occupation, and address as well as date of marriage.

(2) In reporting deaths give full name, and date of death, together with class year and chapter of deceased.

(b) Occupation and changes of address.

(c) Names of alumnæ studying in other colleges or who were enrolled in a summer school.

(d) Title of books, magazine articles or newspaper articles written by Pi Phis.

(e) Special items of general interest.

In collecting the alumnæ personals seek the cooperation of each member of the chapter.

In mentioning an unmarried woman, do not use the prefix "Miss."

In mentioning a married woman, use the prefix as: Mrs. Sidney Smith (Rosa Hall, '02).

If one of your members has written a book, write and ask her to have the publishers send a copy to THE ARROW for review.

3. Always send two copies of personals concerning marriages and changes of address to Mailing List Clerk, Mrs. C. E. Temple, 231 N. Mary St., Lancaster, Pa., who has charge of the mailing list and should be consulted on any question concerning it.

4. If death occurs among members, either active or alumnæ, make arrangements at once to have In Memoriam notice sent to the Alumnæ Editor.

MINUTES OF TWENTY-SIXTH CONVENTION

(Continued from page 26)

Pledgeship." It was led by Theta Province President assisted by Eta Province President, Illinois Epsilon, Louisiana Alpha.

The session was adjourned upon motion of Oregon A.

Fifth Session, Saturday, June 30, 9 A. M.

The fifth regular session of Convention was opened with the reading of the Ritual. Roll call showed Theta Province Vice-president, Florida A and Indiana A absent; Beta Province Vice-president and Epsilon Province Vice-president tardy.

A Round Table on "The Internal Development of Chapters" was led by Epsilon Province President assisted by Iota Province President, Montana A, Minnesota A, Kansas B, California F, Illinois A, Wyoming A, Maryland A, California A, Washington B, Illinois Z, Michigan B, Oklahoma B, Arizona A, Colorado A, and Washington A.

Announcements were made by the Arrow Editor, the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Secretary, the Convention Guide, and the Music Director. Condensed minutes of the preceding sessions were read. Greetings were received from the Denver Panhellenic Association, Alpha Phi, and Alpha Sigma Phi of the University of Chattanooga.

The report of the Committee on Survey and Standardization was read by Dean Roberts of Ames, and was accepted upon motion of Iowa B.

The report of the Committee on Loan Fund was read by the Grand Secretary, and was accepted, upon motion of Washington A.

Wisconsin A, chairman of a committee appointed by the Grand President to present to Convention constitutional amendments covering the formation and the duties of chapter Executive Councils, reported as follows:

Duties of the Executive Council shall be:

1. To advise and to assist the President.
2. To meet at least once during each interim of regular chapter meetings.
3. To act as a board of final decision in matters which the Council determines should not be considered by the entire chapter, and during the interim of chapter sessions.
4. To go over the list of prospective initiates no less than two weeks before initiation for the purpose of determining whether or not each one has lived up to conduct regulations.

Illinois A moved that the report be accepted. Carried.

The Grand Treasurer submitted the following recommendations for Convention action:

1. That \$150 be presented to the Cataloguer.
2. That \$70 be presented to the Editor of the Song Book.
3. That \$250 be given annually to the Settlement School.
4. That \$200 be given annually to the Loan Fund.

Indiana A moved that a constitutional provision be made whereby any pledge who has not met college and chapter scholarship requirements in two semesters cannot be repledged until such requirements are met. The motion was lost.

Colorado B moved that Stat. V, Sec. 9, "Withdrawal of Pledge," be amended by adding "b" to read as follows:

- b. The pledge of a girl who leaves her own college to enter another, shall automatically expire upon her registration at the second educational institution.

Carried.

Upon motion of California F, the Grand Council was empowered to make any necessary constitutional changes in regard to the formation and duties of chapter Executive Councils.

Epsilon Province President moved that the motion and the amendment laid upon the table at the preceding session be taken up. Carried.

The motion of Maryland A that the recommendation "That all incorporated house boards or persons responsible for finances in chapters owning or maintaining a house or an apartment must present an annual report to the Grand Treasurer and to the Province President concerned, not later than January 15" be amended by striking out the words "owning or maintaining a house or an apartment" and inserting the words "maintaining a residence" was carried. The motion as amended was carried.

Epsilon Province President, as chairman of the Province Presidents, submitted the following recommendations:

1. That Stat. V, Sec. 2, a, "Honorable Dismissal," be amended by adding the words "or upon the instigation of the chapter," so as to read:
 - a. Upon unanimous consent of the chapter to which application is made, or upon instigation of the chapter.

Adopted as read upon Motion of Pennsylvania A.

2. That Art. V, Sec. 7, a, "Dismissals," be amended by inserting the words "who have asked for dismissal" between the words "members" and "may" so that the section shall read:
 - a. With the consent of the Grand President, honorably dismissed members who have asked for dismissal, may (upon virtue of certificate of honorable dismissal) be reinstated in any chapter desiring to receive them.

Ohio A moved adoption. Motion was lost.

Wisconsin A moved that Art. V, Sec. 7, "Dismissals," be amended by striking out a and b and substituting a to read:

a. Dismissed members can never be reinstated.

Carried.

Kappa Province President moved that the Grand Council be authorized to amend the constitution to provide that no less than two weeks' notice be given the Grand President in cases of Honorable dismissal, and that the consent of the Grand President be required in all such cases. Carried.

Invitations to hold the next Convention in the east were received from the Philadelphia Alumnae Club, New York A, and Massachusetts A.

Florida B moved that Convention authorize Balfour to make a small sized shield bearing the coat-of-arms. Carried.

Florida B moved that Convention authorize Balfour to reduce the size of the Mother's pin. Carried.

Missouri B moved that the action of the last Convention authorizing the use of a $\Pi B \Phi$ monogram for male relatives, be rescinded. Motion was lost.

Louisiana A moved that, if possible, an alumnae club be obtained to make initiation robes and to give the profit to the Settlement School. Carried.

It was suggested that each chapter elect an assistant corresponding secretary and an assistant treasurer.

Illinois A moved that Balfour be authorized to reduce the size of the monogram for male relatives. Carried.

The Committee on Nominations, through its chairman, Beta Province President, presented its report which was accepted upon motion of Wisconsin B. Dorothy Woodward was nominated from the floor for office of Beta Province President. The Grand President appointed as election tellers Pennsylvania A, Maryland A, and Montana A. The voting, which was done by secret ballot, resulted in the election of the following officers:

Grand President—Amy Burnham Onken, Illinois E, Chapin, Illinois.

Grand Secretary—Frances Roma Evans, Louisiana, 708 San Antonio St., Austin, Texas.

Grand Treasurer—Anne Stuart, Nebraska B, 1906 D. St., Lincoln, Neb.

Arrow Editor—Agnes Wright Spring, Wyoming A, Box 566, Fort Collins, Colorado.

Historian—Sarah Eikenberry Sigler, Iowa B, 703 W. Ashland Ave., Indianola, Iowa.

Alpha Province President—Lulu Clark Ingraham, Virginia A, 185 Pleasant St., Brookline, Mass.

Beta Province President—Dorothy Woodward, Virginia A, 315 Locust St., Clearfield, Penn.

Gamma Province President—Mary Rayner Brinkley, Virginia A.

Delta Province President—Edith Rhoades Spiegel, Indiana F, 321 E. 49th St., Indianapolis, Ind.

Epsilon Province President, Olive Keller Laurence, Minnesota A, 3120 Humboldt Ave., S. Minneapolis, Minn.

Zeta Province President—Edith Curtiss Shugart, Iowa F, Edgewood Farm, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Eta Province President—Vivian White Scott, Colorado A, 918 Pennsylvania Ave., Boulder, Colo.

Theta Province President—Juanita Bass, Louisiana A, 1216 Broadway, New Orleans, La.

Iota Province President—Grace Hancher Beck, Iowa A, Campbell Hotel 23rd and Hoyt Sts., Portland, Ore.

Kappa Province President—Netta Lucille Young, California F, 1846 North Harvard Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif.

The convention Music Director recommended that a standing committee on songs be appointed. Upon motion of North Dakota A, the recommendation was adopted.

The chairman of the Committee on Resolutions submitted the following report:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, the Twenty-sixth Biennial Convention of $\Pi B \Phi$ is about to adjourn, and whereas it desires to express appreciation for the many favors extended to it, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, delegates and guests at the $\Pi B \Phi$ Convention assembled, give expression to our delight in having with us our cherished Founder, Inez Smith Soule. Our only regret has been that more of our beloved first group of $\Pi \Phi$ sisters could not have honored Convention with their presence.

That to our beloved Grand President, Amy Burnham Onken, we wish to express our sincere gratitude for her untiring devotion to the ideals and work of $\Pi B \Phi$. Her service has been an inspiration to many chapters, clubs, and individuals, and we convey our deepest appreciation to her.

That to our esteemed Grand Vice-president, Anna Robinson Nickerson, our thanks be extended for her faithful and valuable service in the dual capacity of leader of Pi Phi's large alumnae body of which all active members are so righteously proud, and of her work with the active body as a member of Grand Council. Of the advances and improvements she has made, especially in the alumnae work, we are doubly appreciative.

That to Dr. May Lansfield Keller, our President Emeritus, we are grateful for the deep interest she unceasingly shows in the fraternity,

Her personality at Convention has meant so much to every one who had even the slightest contact with her.

That to our other Grand Officers, Francese Evans, Secretary, Anne Stuart, Treasurer, and Agnes Wright Spring, Arrow Editor, we express our most grateful acknowledgement of their unceasing and loyal services throughout their terms of office.

That to Sarah Pomeroy Rugg, who twice at great sacrifice assumed the office of Chairman of the Settlement School Committee when the regular chairman was forced to retire, we extend our undying gratitude for her splendid work.

That to Evelyn Bishop, Melinda Stuart, Nita Hill Stark, and other members of the Settlement School Board, we offer sincere thanks for their constant and earnest labor. We especially thank Miss Miller for her services and regret her resignation.

That to Phyllis Higginbotham we wish to express our devotion and appreciation, not only for her efficient work as nurse of the Settlement School, but also for cheerful and willing service extended night and day to the guests whose Convention time was marred by illness.

That to Marion Dale, Editor-in-Chief of the Convention Daily, to Carolyn Reed, Manager, and to Willa Ferris, Business Manager, and to their efficient staff of workers, we offer the thanks that are due them for carrying to distant Pi Phi the spirit of Convention.

That we wish to thank Sarah Sigler, Historian, Lillian Freund, Cataloguer, Geraldine Mars, Alumnae Editor, Florence Clum Temple, Mailing Clerk, and Mabel Scott Brown, Chapter Letter Editor, for their unflinching attention to the work of their respective offices.

That we express to the retiring officers our appreciation for their splendid work in the departments with which they were associated.

That to Sophie Parsons Woodman, and to her able assistants our thanks be extended for the work and help which they have given us as the Committee on Fraternity Study and Examination. The new plan of study and examination has proved very successful.

That to all chairmen and all workers on the various committees of the fraternity we convey our grateful thanks.

That we extend to the Province Presidents our appreciation for their time, loving thought and constructive help given each of their chapters. Their visits are such wonderful inspirations to the chapters.

That our gratitude be expressed to the Province Vice-presidents for their zealous work with the alumnae clubs. Their combined efforts were responsible for many of the large gifts from clubs and active chapters to the Settlement School.

That to Mrs. Fitzell, our very efficient Convention Guide, and to Mrs. Trott, Chairman of Hospitality, and to their able assistants, we offer our heartfelt appreciation for their months of service as well as for their unflinching resourcefulness in surmounting difficulties which has made possible the success of our Convention.

That we offer to Mr. and Mrs. Allen our sincere thanks for solving in so delightful a manner our transportation problems.

That we convey to Mr. Stark our gratitude for his co-operation.

That to Mr. Clatworthy we extend our thanks for the pictures which mean so much to us. We are very grateful for the inestimable pleasure which he added to our recreation hours by his illustrated talk.

That to the hotel management and to the employees who have been unflinchingly courteous and considerate in serving us under extremely difficult conditions, we offer our appreciation.

That we extend our thanks to Mr. Balfour for the very beautiful souvenirs presented to delegates and visitors.

That we are duly grateful to the Misses Pifer for their assistance in making our recreation trips so delightful.

That our thanks be expressed to Mrs. Kilgore, Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. Libby, Founders, Alpha Omicron Pi, Denver Panhellenic Association, Gamma Phi Beta, Colorado Delta Gamma, Zeta Tau Alpha, Alpha Phi, Chi chapter of Kappa Delta, Denver Alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta, Denver Nu Nu of Alpha Chi Omega, Sarella Herrick Brewer, Anna Lytle Tannahill Brannon, Dr. Edith Gordon, Dr. Edith Matzke, Dallas Alumnae Club, Alpha Delta Pi, Denver Alumnae Club, Elva Plank, and the Governor of the State of Colorado for sending such a hearty greeting to Pi Beta Phi during its Twenty-sixth Convention.

That to the Chicago Alumnae Club we express our heartiest thanks for their hospitality en route to Estes Park, and to the Pi Phis at Ames, Iowa, and to the Omaha and Denver Alumnae Clubs for their delightful entertainment.

That our thanks be extended to all members of California F and of Vermont A and B for the oranges and maple sugar so much enjoyed by all members of Convention.

That to Laurel Cissna, Editor of the Song Book, we extend our sincere appreciation of her faithful services.

That the New York Alumnae Club receive sincere thanks for supplying Convention with the programs for the Settlement School evening.

That to Gladys Mathew of Colorado A, we express our appreciation of her efforts to make this in truth a "singing convention."

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH BLAKESLEE, *Maryland A.*

EDITH KLENKE, *New York Δ*

ELIZABETH BROOKS, *Ohio B*

ELLEN KLINE, *Illinois H.*

BLANCHE C. CURTIS, *Iota and Kappa*

Provinces, Vice-president, Chairman.

Texas A moved the acceptance of the report. Carried.

Delta Province President presented and moved the adoption of the following resolution:

The Province Presidents wish to express their appreciation of the splendid constructive policy of Grand Council for the past two years. It has been a pleasure to work with such an efficient executive force.

Carried.

The newly elected officers of the fraternity, present at convention, and the alumnae officers elected by the alumnae session, together with Mabel Scott Brown, Columbia A, Cataloguer, were formally installed.

Virginia B moved that the Twenty-sixth Biennial Convention of ΠΒΦ be declared formally adjourned. Carried.

Convention was closed with the reading of the Ritual.

FRANCESE ROMA EVANS,

Grand Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE CONVENTION SESSIONS OF THE ALUMNAE DEPARTMENT

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1923, 9:30 A. M.

The first Alumnae session of the 26th Biennial Convention of Π Β Φ Fraternity was called to order by the Grand Vice-president with the Alumnae Editor acting as secretary.

After the singing of the anthem and the reading of the ritual, the secretary read credentials of alumnae delegates from the following clubs:

Northern New York, New York City; Syracuse, N. Y.; Western Mass.; Boston, Mass.; Connecticut; Central Pennsylvania; Cleveland, Ohio; Columbus, Ohio; Morgantown, W. Va.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Franklin, Ind.; Southwestern Indiana; Bloomington, Ind.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Richmond, Va.; Hillsdale, Mich.; Washington, D. C.; Chicago; Peoria, Ill.; Springfield, Ill.; Decatur, Ill.; Central Illinois; Minneapolis; Ames, Iowa; Burlington, Iowa; Columbia, Mo.; Indianola, Iowa; Iowa City, Iowa; Kansas City, Mo.; Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; Springfield, Mo.; Casper, Wyo.; Sheridan, Wyo.; Cheyenne, Wyo.; Laramie, Wyo.; Boulder, Colo.; Denver, Colo.; Colorado Springs, Colo.; Lincoln, Neb.; Omaha-Council Bluffs; Manhattan, Kan.; Oklahoma City, Okla.; Norman, Okla.; Stillwater, Okla.; New Orleans, La.; Dallas; Austin, Tex.; Fayetteville-Ft. Smith, Ark.; Bozeman, Mont.; Seattle, Wash.; Portland, Ore.; Los Angeles; Tacoma, Wash.; Tucson, Ariz.

The Grand Vice-president next explained that although only alumnae delegates and officers were entitled to vote in the alumnae session, debate was open to any one present.

Announcements followed.

Greetings were read from Inez Webster, guide of the 1918 convention.

Reports, next in order, were accepted as read by Grand Vice-president, Alumnae Editor, Treasurer, and Province Vice-presidents, the Chairman of the Settlement School Committee and Treasurer of Settlement School.

Moved and seconded that alumnae session recommend that Grand Vice-president and Province Vice-presidents be elected in alumnae sessions and that necessary constitutional changes be made. Carried.

Moved and seconded that alumnae session recommend that the fraternity revert to its former plan of having a separate Province Vice-president for Gamma and Delta Provinces and for Iota and Kappa Provinces. Carried.

The Chairman appointed the following club delegates as members of the nominating committee: Theta Province Vice-presi-

dent, Chairman; Washington, D. C., Chicago, St. Louis, Seattle.
 Moved and seconded that session adjourn. Carried.

Session was held for distribution of the Gatlinburg number of the Sevierville, Tenn., "*Montgomery's Vindicator*," by the Settlement School Committee.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1923, 2 P. M.

The second regular session of the Alumnæ department on $\Pi B \Phi$ was called to order by the Grand Vice-president.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Announcements.

Province Vice-presidents submitted the following recommendations:

1. That instructions be prepared by the national organization to be sent to all alumnæ clubs in the fall. Accepted.

2. That the corresponding secretary of every club be required to subscribe to the ARROW. Motion amended thus: That the corresponding secretary of every club be an ARROW subscriber. Rising vote showed that the amendment was carried, 37-16. A substitute motion was made by Miss White, following discussion: That all alumnæ clubs be required to subscribe to THE ARROW for their corresponding secretaries, if the corresponding secretary is not already a subscriber. Carried. Substitute motion carried.

3. That receipt books be used for club dues modeled after Settlement School plan. Carried.

4. That a guest book be kept by clubs. Carried.

5. That alumnæ clubs in cities or towns with active chapters, be responsible for the $\Pi B \Phi$ life of transfers until affiliation takes place. Carried.

6. That Grand Council be requested to make the following constitutional changes:

To strike out B of Statutes III, Section 13. Carried.

To strike out C of Statutes III, Section 13. Carried.

To insert in Statutes III, Section 13, the words "To collect all Settlement School moneys from clubs, chapters, and individual members." Carried.

To insert in Statutes III, Section 13, the words "To forward to the Grand Vice-president the annual reports from club presidents." Carried.

To strike out the word "Grand" and insert the word "Province" before Vice-president in Statutes VIII, Section 4, f. Carried.

New business.

Moved by Indianapolis Alumnæ Club and seconded, that the chairman appoint a committee to prepare a skeleton constitution for use by alumnæ clubs. Carried.

Washington, D. C., asked the endorsement of alumnae session of a conference of Eastern Provinces at Washington, preceding the D. A. R. Congress in the spring of 1924. She also requested that the committee on hospitality should include only Washington, D. C. members, and that the committee on program should be headed by a Washington alumnae chairman. She further requested that the December ARROW contain a general outline of the proposed conference. Endorsement of the conference moved by Springfield, Mo., seconded. Carried.

New York presented the following resolutions:

Whereas: The New York Alumnae Club has contributed generously toward the support of the $\Pi B \Phi$ Settlement School and its Fellowship Fund as well as to other worthy Fraternity charities; and

Whereas: It has no intention of relinquishing any of its responsibilities toward such fraternity obligations in the future, but rather intends to assume larger responsibilities as increased memberships will allow; and

Whereas: It is the consensus of opinion of the Executive Committee of the New York Alumnae Club that "Taxation without Representation" is not a sound policy upon which to build a united fraternity; be it therefore

Resolved: That necessary steps be taken to effect a reorganization of $\Pi B \Phi$ Fraternity which will give its alumnae associations an equitable voice in the election of all officers having in charge the directing and distribution of funds raised in full or in part by these alumnae associations.

(Signed) CAROLINE S. BROWN,

Chairman.

MARIE W. STEBBINS,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Moved and seconded that these resolutions be referred to a committee to be appointed after Convention, which should study the circumstances during interim of conventions and make proper recommendations for a reorganization of the alumnae department at the next Convention. Carried.

Moved by Washinton, D. C. and seconded that the name of Emma Harper Turner be made as lasting as her work, by naming for her some building at the Settlement School. Carried.

Moved by Indianola and seconded that \$200 be contributed by the alumnae department to the Loan Fund in interim of conventions.

New York next recommended that shares be taken by $\Pi B \Phi$ in a Panhellenic building to be erected in New York City. Springfield, Ill., moved the appointment of a committee headed by the Grand Treasurer, to investigate this project. Amendment moved to strike from motion "headed by Grand Treasurer." Carried.

Substitute motion made and seconded; that a committee be appointed to ascertain the sentiment of alumnæ clubs and active chapters in regard to the Panhellenic building proposition. Lost. Original motion lost.

The nominating committee submitted the following report:

Grand Vice-president—Anna R. Nickerson (Mrs. David D.)
 Alpha Province Vice-president—Edith Valet Cook (Mrs. Robert J.)
 Beta Province Vice-president—Marion Baker,
 Gamma Province Vice-president—Emille Margaret White.
 Delta Province Vice-president—Lulu Mignonne McCabe Zirpel
 (Mrs. Walten).
 Epsilon Province Vice-president—Lelah-Bell Davis.
 Zeta Province Vice-president—Helen McCargo Geppert (Mrs.
 John W).
 Eta Province Vice-president—Sarella Herrick Brewer (Mrs. Bruce
 B.)
 Theta Province Vice-president—Lucille Shuttee Blair (Mrs. J. M.)
 Iota Province Vice-president—Harriet R. Johnstone.
 Kappa Province Vice-president—Blanche Charlton Curtis (Mrs.
 Perce H.)

Election of officers, with tellers Northern New York and Springfield, Ill., resulted in the election of officers nominated by the committee.

Moved and Seconded that the alumnæ session express its hearty thanks to Mr. Clatworthy for his assistance on the Settlement school program. Carried.

Meeting adjourned to a Round Table at 4:30 on Ways and Means with Marion Baker, chairman.

GERALDINE E. MARS,
Secretary.

REPORTS OF ALUMNAE CLUBS

ALPHA PROVINCE

BOSTON ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1901—CHARTERED 1906

President—Abbie P. MacKinnon, (Massachusetts A), 128 W. Brookline St., Boston, Mass.

Vice-president—Mrs. F. A. Cronin (Helen Gainard, Massachusetts A).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. C. Blake (Edna Coates, Massachusetts A).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. George Rae (Mirriam Taylor, Massachusetts A), Dover, Mass.

Treasurer—Mrs. C. F. Evans (Dorothy Clements, Massachusetts A).

Resident Alumnae—160.

Members of Club—64.

Average Attendance—40.

The Boston alumnae club feels that the past year has been quite successful, although its membership has not been as large as was expected. We tried to boost the number of members by sending letter to all Massachusetts A alumnae asking them to join us if they were not already members in some other alumnae club.

We have felt particularly happy about what we have been able to accomplish for the Settlement School. We have raised, by contribution, the sale of Christmas cards, and a Salmagundi sale and tea, more than \$500, including the Jennie B. Allyn Memorial Fund, which is being used for equipment for the nurse at the School. The Salmagundi sale, a new feature this year, proved quite successful.

As in the past, we have contributed to the active chapter, and have endeavored to keep in close touch with the girls. Usually one or more of the chapter have been at our club gatherings. One of our meetings was given up to assisting the active chapter at its rushing party, which was held at the home of one of the alumnae.

At our Vital Health meeting we had the pleasure of listening to a talk on posture by Miss Leah Thomas.

Other new feature of our year's program were a musical and a guest night. Several Pi Phi's who could not attend any afternoon meetings were with us that evening.

Our March meeting was devoted to the Settlement School, with some new views of the School and a talk by Mrs. Rugg. As last year, guests were invited.

Our Founders' Day celebration, in which the active chapter joined with us, took the form of a delightful dinner and entertainment, following a business meeting, at the Twentieth Century Club. Founders' Day usually brings out a few whom we do not see at any other time.

Our May meeting was given over to the younger generation. The inclement weather kept many at home, and caused the merry-making to be carried on indoors.

The last good times scheduled on our program are a garden party and a seashore picnic, when we hope the weather-man will be kind to us.

We hope that other clubs have enjoyed their year as much as we have ours. Greetings to all.

ABBIE P. MACKINNON

BURLINGTON, VERMONT ALUMNAE CLUB
 CHARTERED 1914—REORGANIZED 1919

President—Mrs. R. P. Tuttle, (Helen Barton, Vermont B), 12 Converse Court, Burlington, Vt.

Vice-president—Loretta Dyke, 483 S. Union St., Burlington, Vt.

Secretary—Mrs. C. A. Morse, (Mabel Gillis, Vermont B), 3 Wilson St., Burlington, Vt.

Treasurer—Ruth Catlin, Pearl St., Burlington, Vt.

Resident Alumnae—18.

Members of Club—16.

Average Attendance—9.

The Burlington Alumnae Club has been meeting monthly during the past year. The dues are one dollar, fifty cents of which is sent to the national treasurer.

One of the biggest projects of the club is to raise money for our chapter house. We contributed approximately \$100 to the house fund. The alumnae also helped the Mothers' club with their Christmas sale. The Mothers' club has been very active and through their efforts more than \$500 have been raised for the house fund.

Throughout the year the club has attempted to keep in close contact with the active chapter. On Founders' Day we joined with the chapter in entertaining the chapter from Middlebury.

This year is our twenty-fifth anniversary. We plan this summer to raise money through picnics, which will enable us to make some special anniversary gift.

Our contributions have been: Fellowship fund, \$5; undergraduate loan fund, \$5; Settlement school, \$10; house fund (approximately) \$100; Founders' Day celebration, \$5; individual contributions, \$7.50.

BARBARA HUNT

CONNECTICUT ALUMNAE CLUB
 ORGANIZED 1920—CHARTERED 1920

President—Mrs. Glover Campbell, Windsor Locks.

Vice-president—Helen Brown.

Secretary—Avice E. Kent (Mrs. G. R.), 21 Chestnut St., West Haven, Conn.

Treasurer—Edith Chamberlain Porter (Mrs. Gall).

Resident Alumnae—78.

The Connecticut Alumnae Club of Pi Beta Phi has struggled through the year 1922-1923. The word "struggled" is used advisedly, for although we have a list of seventy-eight (78) Pi Phis living in Connecticut we are so widely scattered that it seems impossible to get together in adequate numbers.

We have held regular monthly meetings, four in Hartford and four in New Haven, from which cities and some nearby towns, the active membership is drawn.

We held four meetings with special programs. At the meeting with a health program a member of the State Board of Health, Dr. Lamphere, spoke on "Child Hygiene". Miss Miller, with Settlement School slides was most interesting at our Settlement School meeting.

Our Founders' Day Luncheon was unusually enjoyable, although the number present, seventeen, was small. This luncheon was held in New Haven in the Anson Phelps Stokes House, at present the home of the Faculty Club. This is an appropriate place to hold such an affair as the house is historically interesting and reminiscent of college atmosphere.

The meeting on the constitution was not neglected, so we feel that we still have a right to "struggle".

We have been able this year to make our largest contribution to the Settlement School. This is due largely to the efforts of an enthusiastic Hartford member, Ruth Deemer (Florida A and Michigan B).

Our Alpha Province Vice-President, Edith Valet Cook, is a member of our club. Without her, and her whole hearted support our struggle would soon result in a demise.

We sincerely hope that all Connecticut Pi Phis who read this will rally to an enthusiastic moral and financial support for the year 1923-1924 and help to make the Connecticut Alumnae Club a successful club in every way.

AVICE E. KENT

NEW YORK ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1903—CHARTERED 1907

President—Mrs. Clyde Brown (Caroline Schwefel, Ohio A).

Vice-president—Mrs. O. C. Martin (Elinor Harmon, Indiana B).

Corresponding Secretary—Josephine Sniffen, (New York Δ) 37 Broadway, White Plains, N. Y.

Recording Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Stowell C. Stebbins (Marie Winsor, Michigan B).

Registrar—Mrs. Norman G. Shidle (Ethelwyn Bower, Pennsylvania A).

Resident Alumnae—430.

Members of Club—145.

Average Attendance—53.

The year 1922-23 with the New York Alumnae Club was planned with two objectives in mind, first, to endeavor to do bigger things for "Little Pigeon," and second, to make each one of our meetings of greater interest to the large number of Pi Phis scattered throughout New York and its vicinity.

Our activities in connection with the Settlement School work have been many and varied. Under the guidance of a most efficient and resourceful chairman, Mrs. C. Garne Cleaver, we have contributed \$2140 to the school. Approximately one half of this amount was obtained through contributions. The other half was obtained as follows; from sales of Christmas cards, \$303.12; receipts from card party given at the Waldorf Astoria during February under the direction of Mrs. Samuel McKeown \$285.00; rummage sale held during March under the management of Mrs. Ivan Wright, approximately \$300.00; receipts from other sundry activities made up the balance. When you add to this \$175.00 received from a rug sale, together with \$100.00 secured from magazine subscriptions, \$100.00 in books given to the school library and a \$5.00 subscription to the National Geographic Magazine our total contribution is raised to over \$2,500.00.

We contributed \$20.00 to the Fellowship Fund—or twice the amount contributed last year.

The club has held its regular meetings, the first Saturday of each month at 2:30 o'clock. Five of the meetings were held in the homes of members; one was held at the hostess house at Governor's Island, one at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and our cooky-shine at Adelphi College in Brooklyn.

The initial meeting of the year was held in October at the home of Mrs. William Lough, where we had the rare privilege of hearing all about "Little Pigeon" from Miss Evelyn Bishop, and enjoying a most interesting and comprehensive talk on "Japan and Its People," by Mrs. Lynde Tucker.

We were entertained by Mrs. W. P. Jackson and Mrs. Emma Davison at Governor's Island during November. An historical sketch of Governor's Island was presented by Chaplain Edmund Banks Smith. A Christmas

party to which we all brought our tiny gift for teachers and children at Gatlinburg, was given in December at the home of Mrs. Clyde Brown.

In January we had the unusual privilege of meeting at the Metropolitan Museum of Art and listening to a splendid lecture on some of the works of art, by Miss Edith Abbott of the Metropolitan Staff. Our Settlement School meeting, each year stands out as one of the most important features of the year's program—and we have voted 1922-23 a banner year in this respect, for we have been fortunate in having as member and enthusiastic co-worker the National Chairman, Miss Kate Miller. Her address, at this meeting on "Pi Beta Phi in the Highlands" gave us an insight into the big things the school was doing and made us realize more than ever the need of our loyal support. Federal Judge Jerry B. Sullivan's address on "Americanization" was most inspiring.

Our cooky-shine was held in March at the Adelphi College in Brooklyn with Florence Hubbard as hostess. A splendid talk on "Our International Responsibilities" by Ida Wright Bowman, was enjoyed by the club at our April meeting, held at the home of Elisabeth Thomson. Reports from the executive officers were read, officers for the coming year elected, and a questionnaire on fraternity study, prepared by Mrs. Horace Wilcox completed the program.

There were 95 members present at our Founders' Day Luncheon which was held on April 28, at the Hotel McAlpin. At this time Mrs. Francis H. Sisson very gracefully presented the Grace Lass Sisson prize, a beautiful bronze statue, to Mrs. Ivan Wright, who won the contest on the best account of the events of the past year in the club. We all enjoyed the informal program that followed, especially the singing of the "Founding Song" by Mrs. Steere Mathew in her charmingly quaint old-fashioned gown.

The May meeting was a musical one arranged by Mrs. Dora Neil Raymond at the home of Mrs. O. C. Martin in Richmond Hill. Miss Neil, a cousin of Mrs. Raymond, sang some of the lovely Negro Spiritual Songs, accompanied by Anne Garrison, Texas A. It was an unusual treat to hear Harold Morris, the composer, play some of his own selections, which were most enjoyable.

ELIZABETH HEITMULLER LOVE (Mrs. E. T.)

THE PARADE OF THE WOULD AND THE WOULD'N'T SOLDIERS OF PI BETA PHI

(With acknowledgments to Balieff and apologies to no one)

Here we are again, rolling up our flags and putting them under our arms, blowing the last toot on our tin horns, heaving a deep sigh of relaxation, and preparing to steal away home. The Parade of the Would and the Would'n't Soldiers of the 1922-1923 Alumnae Club has just passed.

Unable to choose my "section de predilection" and handicapped withal by last year's rummage sale shoes, I decided I would be no asset to the procession, and so remained on the side-lines. Mine is the happy task to chronicle the event, bring out the high lights as I have observed them, and pass them on to our successors of next year to be equaled or surpassed.

There were about ten sections in the parade, made up of marchers from the length and breadth of our fair land, breezy Westerners, sedate New Englanders, nonchalant, attractive-spoken Southerners, hard-working New Yorkers, far away Brooklynites, and even those from Westchester, Richmond and Queens, a motley throng, with Jerseyites sparsely pied. But in spite of the divergence of color, creed, and class, I was impressed by the interesting point of contact between each marcher and every other one. They were all filled with memories of that dear little goat they once

rode, memories of Horace, of Homer and of Xenophon, of higher mathematics (peace to their ashes!), of ethics, of psychology and of logic, of four happy years, the like of which will never come again. They were inspired with the same ideal, a higher, freer, and more cultured type of womanhood, womanhood with the heart of the Puritan, the culture of the Grecian, and the morals of the Christian, as someone has well said.

The sections were most interesting on account of their variety. Some were serious, some gay, some educational, some cultural, some social.

On the banner carried by one section I saw the words "Governor's Island", a section led by Mesdames Davidson and Jackson. Each marcher represented an episode in the history of that island. As I watched, I wondered if every onlooker was as ignorant as I of the past of the island and its men.

Another section was led by our Mrs. Brown. Her marchers were dressed in green and red, decorated with holly and mistletoe and in the midst was Old Pelznickel himself. As they marched they sang Christmas carols of many lands, of "le petit Noel", so dear to the French heart, of the "Tannenbaum" of the Germans and of our own Bethlehem Babe. Kris Kringle had a large pack on his pudgy back into which were thrown from every direction toys, money, books, and clothing for our dear children of the Little Pigeon.

Then came the Metropolitan Museum section led by a well-known art lecturer. This section had spent an "intime" afternoon in our great museum, being given very instructive close-ups of its extremely rare and interesting treasures. The enraptured gaze of these Pi Phis showed that they had glimpsed the culture and art of peoples long since passed into the dust of time. I know they were wondering if, after all, we have greatly progressed in this particular field.

Our president came next with her section. She was assisted by Judge Sullivan, who had been instructing the marchers on how to be more worthy Americans and how to be most helpful to our foreign brothers and sisters whom we wish to be loyal to our flag. He had inspired the women of the section with a love of our Constitution and a stern sense of responsibility for its maintenance such as they had never felt. One half of the section was in charge of Miss Miller and portrayed the progress of our Settlement School from its inception to the present with special emphasis on its aims and ideals. It must indeed have thrilled every Pi Phi not only with pride but also with high purpose that the work so nobly begun shall be carried untiringly forward. What though we rack our brains and weary our brawn in our frantic attempts to finance this worthy cause—that we coax, cajole and coerce the innocent passer-by to buy our cards, candy and cast-offs, our perfumes, pungents and pomades. The end justifies the means; and what greater cause could engage our efforts than that of teaching those deprived of the finer things of life how to get the things they ought to want.

Following these sections came others presenting a Russian dance, music by Brahms, several singers, artists, civic welfare enthusiasts, cooky-shiners merry and gay, and pale-faced rummage-salers, victims of many a sleepless night, all these complementing the other sections and, as it were, adding spice to an otherwise heavy menu.

And now it has passed, the Pi Phi Alumnae Club parade of 1922-1923, and again I review it in my mind's eye. It was not as large as some parades of the Club, yet I believe it was more alive and more helpful than many. It has given us all kind thoughts, happy associations, and much mental and cultural food, all of which broadening influences are sufficient *raison d'être* for any club.

FLORENCE COBB WRIGHT

NORTHERN NEW YORK ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1914—CHARTERED 1914

President—Mrs. Charles W. Bird (Bernadetta Charbonneau, New York I) 3 Goodrich St., Canton, N. Y.

Secretary-Treasurer—Dorothy K. Cleaveland, (New York I), 11 University Ave., Canton, N. Y.

Resident alumnae—9.

Active members—26.

Average attendance—9.

This year we have been fortunate in having nine resident members, the largest number we have ever had. We have been especially glad to have our ex-cataloger, Edith L. Carpenter, of Vermont here.

We have held seven regular meetings at the homes of the different members, including those required by the constitution. In December we held our annual gift sale at which we cleared \$100. As a result we sent \$35 to the Settlement School, \$5 each to the Fellowship and Loan funds, and \$35 to the New York I chapter house fund. We also put a new Yale lock on the front door of the chapter house, for our Christmas gift to the chapter.

Between terms we had a Candlemas Eve party for the chapter pledges. In March one of the alumnae invited the club to her home to meet Miss Verna Weaver, who was visiting the chapter. On Founders' Day the alumnae, patronesses, and mothers were the guests of the chapter. The program was furnished by this year's initiates, who gave an original musical comedy. Late in May we entertained the seniors at a picnic in Mayfred Clafin's woods. Last August we held our summer picnic on the St. Lawrence, at the camp of one of the girls. About twenty alumnae and actives attended.

We are planning to hold informal meetings every two weeks during the summer, to make articles for our sale.

DOROTHY K. CLEAVELAND

ROCHESTER ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1914—CHARTERED 1914

President—Ethel Troass Baker (Mrs. Harold, New York A).

Secretary—Evelyn Richmond (New York Δ), 371 Glenwood Ave.

Treasurer—Ruth H. Nethercut (Mrs. W. R., Indiana I).

Resident Alumnae—20.

Members of Club—14.

Average Attendance—9.

This has been a prosperous year for the Rochester Club, and we are so proud of our record that it is going to be the first thing we shall tell about. We sent \$169.00 to the Settlement School this year: \$73.00 was in the form of pledges and the rest cash donations and the proceeds from the sale of Christmas cards. We gave to the Loan and the Fellowship funds, sent a gift of linen to the Syracuse and the Cornell chapters, and sweets to the Settlement School teachers at Christmas time, besides leaving a small reserve to start off the new year. Who says a budget doesn't pay?

Our meetings have been delightful and much enthusiasm has been manifested. We had a sausage roast for the husbands, a Christmas party for the children, and a luncheon and a cooky-shine. Our "nearest chapter" meeting was a field meet with Syracuse and Cornell as rivals.

Founders' Day was celebrated with a luncheon at the University club, and a theatre party afterward.

We plan to keep in touch through the summer with an occasional family picnic. Greetings and best wishes to all Pi Phis.

JANE BECHTLE HESTON

SYRACUSE ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1903—CHARTERED 1906

President—Ruth Caldwell Kinney (Mrs. Harold), 127 Cambridge St., Syracuse, N. Y.

Vice-president—Roberta Flaherty Posthill (Mrs. Thomas).

Recording Secretary—Dorothy Alvord.

Corresponding Secretary—Theresa Elmer Nostrant (Mrs. Howard F.), 873 Ackerman Ave., Syracuse, N. Y.

Treasurer—Leora Sherwood.

Resident Alumnae—75.

Members of Club—48.

Average Attendance—32.

Our year's work has been much the same as in the past. A change in meetings has been made, however, a quarter of them being held with the active girls. All enjoy these very much.

We gave our usual bridge party for Settlement School last fall and made \$106. This was an increase of \$26 over last year. The Christmas cards brought us \$90, and our food sale in January cleared for us \$64.65. We are planning to have another sale this coming year.

We were more than pleased to have Miss Weaver with us in March and attend the meeting at the home of Mrs. George Gray.

We celebrated Founders' Day and had a cooky-shine with the active chapter. The freshmen entertained with a clever stunt. We are all much pleased with the active girls, as Pi Phi heads the list with the highest average in scholarship for the past semester.

Several members of the club hold prominent offices in other women's clubs. Mrs. J. W. Brooks (Gertrude Sherritt) is president of Syracuse University Club and Sara Patterson holds the same office in the Zonta Club.

The club regrets losing Mrs. Bowen (Roberta Campbell), who took a position in Philadelphia on June 1, as physical director of the central branch of the Y. W. C. A.

No plans have been made as yet for this summer.

We send greeting to our sister clubs.

THERESA ELMER NOSTRANT

TORONTO ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1911—CHARTERED 1912

President—Jessie Rogers, Ontario A, 11 Lamport Ave., Toronto, Ontario, Can.

Vice-president—Firenza Gilray.

Corresponding Secretary—Jean McQueen, 146 Warren Rd., Toronto, Ont., Can.

Recording Secretary—Eardley Green.

Treasurer—Mrs. Harry Goss (Edith Barton).

Resident Alumnae—52.

Members of Club—30.

Average Attendance—25.

As in the previous years, the regular monthly meetings of the Club have been held at the homes of the members. Buffet supper was served at 5:30, the remainder of the evening being devoted to business.

Our meetings have been most interesting. The meeting devoted to the Health Programme took the form of answers to a questionnaire on "Health Hints as We Practice Them", conducted by Edith Gordon. Another interesting meeting was a review of Fraternity History. Teams were chosen, and the successful one was presented with a box of candies which was for-

warded to our sister, Wilma Thompson, who has been ill for some time past. Phyllis Higginbottom wrote advising us that more bandages would be very acceptable, so at the final meeting a large number of bandages were rolled and sent on to the Settlement School.

The Birthday Party was celebrated with the active chapter at their attractive rooms, our gift being a substantial donation of china to the chapter. A cabaret dinner, given at Grace Ryrie's home was the Alumnae rushing stunt this year, and it was indeed a most jolly party.

Funds for the Settlement School were raised in various ways. A new idea was to collect twenty-five cents at each meeting from girls not donating food for the supper. We held two very successful bridges during the year, and the proceeds from the sale of Christmas cards brought our total up to \$60. This with the bandages and four surgeon's jackets and caps comprised our year's work for the Settlement School.

Our local philanthropic work consisted of the making of forty babies' nighties for the Women's College Hospital, and the forwarding of three boxes containing food and clothing to the fire sufferers at Haileybury.

The club and the active chapter joined in celebrating Founders' Day. In the afternoon, a bridge for the alumnae was given at Jessie Rogers' home, and afterwards a dinner at the Diet Kitchen, at which a large number of both active girls and alumnae were present.

The Little Sister movement was taken up very enthusiastically by the club. It has greatly helped to bring the active girls and the alumnae even more closely together. In a few days little sisters and big sisters will be enjoying a wonderful holiday at the house-party which is being held at "Kapstan Inn", Georgian Bay.

With best wishes to all Pi Phis,

JEAN GREIG

WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1910—CHARTERED 1910

President and Corresponding Secretary—Anna F. Metcalf (Mrs. Alvin).
167 Davidston St., Springfield, Mass.

Treasurer and Recording Secretary—Hettie Craighead.

Resident Alumnae—9.

Members of Club—20.

Average Attendance—8.

The first meeting of the year was held in Northampton at the home of Mary Reynolds Swift. Nineteen Pi Phis attended this meeting. We had hoped to have Mrs. Calvin Coolidge with us but something prevented her at the last minute from being present. During the winter three meetings were given up on account of sickness and conflicting activities. On March 3, Miss Fannie Denio of Springfield entertained us in her house with a Hansel and Gretel party. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent playing cards. On March 28, an informal luncheon was given at Forbes and Wallace's as a farewell party to Mrs. Brown who was leaving for Florida April 1. Mrs. Brown had been active in helping us sell California products for the benefit of our Settlement School Fund. During the year we raised \$70 for the Settlement School and five dollars for the Fellowship Fund.

Miss Craighead had charge of our Founders' Day meeting which we celebrated with a luncheon at the Highland Hotel. We gave a shower at that time to Grace Hayes, Vermont B, who was married on April 30 to Mr. Edward Bultner of Plymouth, Mass. Mrs. Lawfort, formerly of the Buffalo Club, will be chairman of the program committee for the coming year. We are planning our out-of-door picnic for June which will complete the year's activities.

JENNIE McLELLAN DALE

BETA PROVINCE

AKRON PI BETA PHI ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1917—CHARTERED 1918

- President—Mrs. U. M. McCaughey, Ohio A.
 Vice-president—Mrs. Rhys D. Evans, Ohio A.
 Treasurer—Mrs. Charles D. Miller, Illinois H.
 Secretary—Miss Carolyn Steadman, (Illinois E), Talmadge, O.
 Resident Alumnae—20.
 Members of Club—20.
 Average Attendance—20.

Akron Alumnae Club has completed a most successful year. Meetings were held on the first Thursday of each month followed by tea. There has been a unity of purpose and coordination not present other years. The program which was made out at the beginning of the year has been closely followed.

One hundred and fifty dollars was sent to the Settlement School, the proceeds from a rummage sale and the Christmas cards and gift book, ably managed by Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Crecraft, chairman of the Altruistic Committee, was instrumental in collecting gifts for the Children's Home at Christmas. She also arranged for an all day meeting at the home for sewing.

Mrs. McCaughey has enthusiastically represented ΠΒΦ in the Panhellenic Alumnae Association this year. The Akron Panhellenic is a very active organization, supporting a house for members, the success of which is due in no small way to Mrs. Crisp.

Founders' Day was celebrated with a luncheon at the Woman's City Club in Canton with the Pi Phis of that city as hostesses. The luncheon was followed by bridge at the home of Mrs. Russell Burt.

We regret losing Mrs. John T. Dye, our president, who has moved to California, but were glad to welcome two new members into our club this year. Mrs. Kenneth Ewart, Ohio B and Miss Carolyn Steadman, Illinois E.

HELEN HOSSLER HOGUE

ATHENS ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1907—REORGANIZED 1919—CHARTERED 1907

- President—Mrs. D. R. Zenner (Pauline Shepard, Ohio A), W. State St., Athens, Ohio.
 Vice-president—Anna Pickering, (Ohio A).
 Secretary—Doris Z. Nazor, (Ohio A), 99 S. Court St., Athens, Ohio.
 Treasurer—Florence Carr, (Ohio A).
 Resident Alumnae—24.
 Members of Club—22.
 Average Attendance—18.

This year has meant a great deal to all members of the Athens Alumnae Club. Regular meetings have been held at the homes of the members, the first Tuesday of each month.

April was a particularly busy time. In place of the regular meeting, the club had the girls of Ohio A as guests at a banquet which immediately followed the annual initiation, April 7. On April 14, it was a great pleasure to have Miss Francese Evans, our Grand Secretary, visit us. The active chapter entertained with a tea in her honor in the afternoon and, that evening, Miss Evans met informally with the Alumnae Club, giving us many new ideas for the work of the coming year. Founders' Day was celebrated with a banquet at the Varsity Inn, to which Ohio A invited the club.

We have raised \$125 for the Settlement School, largely through dona-

tions. We have undertaken to sell the Royce products also and are meeting with marked success. Under the able management of our president, Mrs. Zenner, the orders are now going in monthly so that the fund for next year is no longer small. We are sure it will be larger than that of any other year in our history.

The Alumnae Honor Cup presented to Ohio A will be engraved with the names of the Senior and the Sophomore "Honor Students" in time for the annual Senior Farewell Service. These will be the first two names to adorn the cup.

At Commencement time this year we will sponsor a dance for all returning Pi Phis, actives and resident alumnae. On June 9, the club will also entertain all Pi Phis and Pi Phi mothers with an outdoor cooky-shine.

We are not certain of having a representative at convention this summer but hope to have at least one who, with the girls who go from Ohio A can bring back the enthusiasm and inspiration for greater effort, always found at Pi Phi gatherings.

DORIS Z. NAZOR

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED, 1921

President—Mary Bartol Theiss (Mrs. Lewis, Pennsylvania B), Muncy, Pa.

Vice-president—Mary Simpson (Mrs. F. M., Pennsylvania B).

Secretary—Helen E. Swartz, 106 E. Broadway, Milton, Pa.

Treasurer—Grace Slifer Drum (Mrs. M. L.)

The Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club of Central Pennsylvania closed the year 1922-23 with a meeting on April 27 at the home of Miss Eliza Martin. At that time the treasurer reported a balance of \$18.35 in the treasury. We are glad to say that the baskets which we had sent to us from the Settlement School were sold for \$6.18.

Some years ago the club instituted the custom, which now has become an annual one, of holding open house at the homes of members for all returning Pi Phis during Commencement Week. Nothing seems to please the newly returned alumnae more.

While there are few salient points in the report for the term, the club feels that it has had a successful year, and it looks forward to a better year still for 1923-24.

HELEN ELIZABETH SWARTZ

CLEVELAND ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1907—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. R. P. Burrows (Marie Anderson, Minnesota A), 1735 Shaw Ave., East Cleveland.

Vice-president—Mrs. G. L. Bitting (Lella Soule, Michigan A).

Corresponding Secretary—Elsa Meckel (Ohio F), 1507 Grace Ave., Lakewood.

Treasurer—Mrs. A. R. Curtis (Frances Carpenter, Colorado B).

Recording Secretary—Elaine McElroy (Michigan B).

Resident Alumnae—95.

Members of Club—65

Average Attendance—45.

As more and more Pi Phis move to Cleveland and bring with them ideas and suggestions from other clubs and active chapters, our club grows in enthusiasm. We have had splendid attendance all year, have carried out all required programs, and have worked harder than ever for the Settlement

School. Our meetings are held the first Saturday in each month, from October to June, a luncheon being served at one o'clock. Each hostess has five assistants to share the work and the expense.

We have just sent to the Settlement School \$2,102, which sum was accumulated by the sale of rummage, Royce's extracts, Christmas cards from Mrs. Gutgesell, Cowan Pottery seconds, Shield's rubber goods, water melon pickle, etc. A birthday box and taxi fares collected by those driving to and from meetings added small amounts. Elsa Meckel made and sold lovely handkerchiefs and gave the proceeds to the fund. At our annual Settlement School program \$450 were given in donations. This money came from club members, husbands, isolated Pi Phis and a few interested relatives and friends. Pi Phis who sent checks from out of the city were Mrs. Mary Sadtler, Miss Mella Van Meter and Mrs. Kale.

On Founders' Day we had a luncheon at Hotel Olmstead. Mrs. Burrows then showed us the Settlement School lantern slides and Mrs. Curtis gave us a most interesting talk about the pictures.

At the April meeting it was voted to give Mrs. Curtis \$100 from our treasury toward her expenses to convention. With a visit to Gatlinburg, followed by convention, she will probably be so enthusiastic she will inspire all of us to work harder than ever another year.

During the summer we continue the sales of our various wares, have card parties and meetings for mending rummage, and try to look up all new Pi Phis in Cleveland.

FLORENCE H. KEWLEY

COLUMBUS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1900—CHARTERED 1912

President—Dorothy Irvine Lambert (Mrs. F. A.), 1404 Fair Ave.

Vice-president—Ernestine Ball.

Secretary—Margaret Foster, 1828 Franklin Ave.

Treasurer—Margaret McIntyre.

Resident Alumnae—65

Members of Club—40.

Average Attendance 35.

The Columbus Alumnae Club with its forty active members has had many delightful meetings during the past year.

Each month a Pi Phi opens her home and with the aid of four assisting serves a lovely dinner which is followed by a social evening.

The chief work of our club was raising money for a new Pi Phi House at Ohio State University (our nearest active chapter) and for the Settlement School. The whole amount, \$170, which we made through our sale of cards at Christmas time, was sent to the school.

The present chapter house was so badly in need of some new furnishings that we felt it necessary to send on to the active girls \$125 to be applied on new furniture to make their homes as attractive as possible. They are eager to own a chapter home and when the proposition was presented to the club, it was decided that we take the business of buying a house in charge.

Under the direction of Dorothy Beeke, who was made chairman of our House Fund, \$8425 was raised by individual pledges, of which \$1,000 has already been paid into a local Building and Loan Association, where it will draw interest until used. During the year the club raised \$306 for the Fund by giving a bridge party, a rummage sale, and a white elephant sale. We made such a good start this winter and all of the members became so enthusiastic that we hope to keep adding to this amount and soon have Ohio B in a chapter home owned by Pi Phis.

Every year the Columbus Alumnae Pi Phis join with the active girls

here at Ohio State and celebrate Founders' day. Seventy-five attended this formal banquet held at the Maramor. Louise Shepard Hengst acted as toast mistress and a number of clever responses were given. The freshmen pledges gave a very clever stunt, called "Campus Types."

Another annual affair of our club is a cooky-shine held at the chapter house with the active girls. This gives the alumnae a very welcome opportunity to become better acquainted with the active girls and pledges.

A number of our club members are going to the Pi Phi Convention at Estes Park this summer and I know will return with greater inspiration and many new plans for our club next winter.

We send most cordial greetings to our sister clubs and best wishes for the coming year.

HELEN SHEPARD BRETSCHEIDER

LANCASTER ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1920—CHARTERED 1921

President—Mabel Richards Greist (Mrs. George W.), College Ave.

Vice-president—Lydia Rekestraw Bushing (Mrs. Marvin E.)

Secretary and Treasurer—Grace M. Schaeffer.

Resident Alumnae—11.

Members of Club—10.

Average Attendance—6.

In September the Lancaster Club held a card party at the home of Mrs. J. C. Forney for the benefit of the Settlement School. Each member of the class was responsible for the providing of cards, bridge scores and tally cards as well as players for one table. The receipts amounted to \$25. The club used various other means of raising money during the year, the most remunerative of which, was the selling of Christmas cards. Altho the amount of \$250 seems small as compared with that raised by the Philadelphia Club, yet we feel that our club, consisting of merely ten active members, did fairly well.

At our January meeting in the Y. W. C. A. building, the club organized some new plans for the future meetings. Instead of having the regular business meeting after luncheons it was decided that these should be held at afternoon meetings in October, February, March and June, at the Y. W. C. A. building. There are to be six evening meetings at the homes of the club members, the hostesses to be chosen alphabetically. At two of these meetings we plan to sew for the hospital. To encourage members to attend meetings we are assessing a fine of fifty cents to be put into the Settlement School fund, for absence for any reason.

About forty-five Pi Phis attended the annual Founders' Day banquet at Harrisburg. Altho ten Chapters were represented, Pennsylvania B and Pennsylvania T appeared in the greatest numbers.

The Lancaster Club extends a cordial invitation to Pi Phis to visit or to join our club.

GRACE M. SCHAEFFER

MIAMI VALLEY ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED—OCTOBER 1920.

President—Mrs. W. E. Leonard (Kathryn Crawford), 517 Irving Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

Vice-president—Helen Painter.

Secretary—Alberta Frank, 21 Gerlaugh Ave., Dayton, Ohio.

Treasurer—Mrs. Robert Steinmetz (Edith Kline).

Resident Alumnae—14.

Active members—12.

Average attendance—8.

The Miami Valley Alumnae Club labored under the difficulties of losing some of its most enthusiastic members this year. However, when we re-organize in the autumn, we are expecting a reinforcement from new graduates, and alumnae who have moved to Dayton from other cities.

Our most important work and our greatest pleasure came through our efforts to earn money for the Settlement School. Various means were employed. In the autumn we held a rummage sale, the second, which the Miami Valley Club has supported. At Christmas time, one of Mrs. Gutesell's books was engaged, and each member of the club sold cards to add to the Settlement School fund. Our last attempt called for individual effort, each member being asked to earn one dollar as an addition to our annual contribution.

The meeting, at which Founders' Day was celebrated, was held at the home of our president, Mrs. W. E. Leonard. Following dinner, a business meeting was held, after which, a program of music and recitations was enjoyed. Mrs. A. C. Sillerton of Yellow Springs, whom we hope to have as a member of our club this coming year, invited us to hold our last meeting at her home. We decided that our annual picnic should be held at this time, and all Dayton Pi Phi's who were members of active chapters were invited to attend.

The prospects of the year 1923-24 are very bright and we are hoping for a most prosperous year.

HELEN M. PAINTER

MORGANTOWN ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1921—CHARTERED 1922

President—Angie Friend, (West Virginia A), 69 Grandview Ave, Morgantown, W. Va.

Vice-president—Mrs. Elton Warman (Della Carle, West Virginia A).

Corresponding Secretary and Recording Secretary—Blanche E. Price, 117 Greene St., Morgantown, W. Va.

Resident Alumnae—8.

Members of Club—14.

Average Attendance—7.

The Morgantown Alumnae club activities opened in the fall with those of the active chapter, when during rushing season the alumnae donated \$100 to help the girls on refurnishing the living room to get ready for the new girls.

On September 14, the Alumnae Club met at the home of Stella Duncan-Gregg for the purpose of making plans for the year, rushing season, etc., the only meetings held after that were those of the advisory board until after our visit from Miss Evans. Miss Evans, Grand Secretary, visited the chapter on February 9, 10 and 11, and her visit was most helpful.

On February 27, 1923 the Alumnae club met at the home of Della Thompson-Warman, for the purpose of getting a new start in our work, after the holiday season. The club made plans to follow Miss Evans' advice and send a representative to each meeting of the active chapter. We made plans for the coming of Miss Woodward to have a tea at Della Warman's after an afternoon spent in the mountains at Mt. Chateau Hotel on Cheat River.

March 13—The alumnae club met at Della Warman's. The examination questions had been distributed among the members and were answered and discussed at this meeting. Some very interesting and instructive reports were given. Several girls from the active chapter visited the club. All contributed in answering the examination questions.

The club raised \$15 by voluntary subscriptions for Settlement School besides \$5.50 by annual pledges totaling \$20.50 to the Settlement School. The club planned to promote the alumnae mother idea and appointed members of the club to take charge of the three pledges. *

April 3, Alumnae Club met at the home of Helen Ambler. This meeting was devoted to the Settlement School programme.

Angie Friend gave a "Brief History of the Settlement School"; Blanche E. Price, "Present Day Settlement School"; Ann Traubert, "Beginnings of Settlement School"; Margaret Ford, "Future of Settlement School."

Visiting Pi Phis attended this meeting; Margaret Finch from New York alumnae club; Elsie Carle-Roach and Helen Bowers W. Va. A alumnae, and Gladys Hill from the active chapter.

April 16, the Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club met at Margaret Ford's apartment. This meeting was devoted to the study of the history and constitution of Pi Beta Phi.

Margaret Ford discussed "Beginning of Pi Beta Phi at West Virginia University. Helen Ambler discussed "Beginning of Pi Beta Phi at W. Va." We had several Pi Beta Phi visitors at this meeting. We discussed plans for making out our programme for next year.

April 28, Founders' Day at House with active chapter. Several old girls were back, among them Gladys Muhlman and Helen Potter. At 6 o'clock a picnic dinner was served with all girls sitting in a circle on the floor in the dining room, around a May pole for a centerpiece with wine and silver blue streamers. The girls sang Pi Beta Phi songs during the dinner hour, and after dinner the Alumnae Club put on a stunt pantomining one of Robert W. Service's poems. The active chapter followed with a playlet, "The Beginning of Pi Beta Phi." Everybody had a fine time.

May 5, the Pi Beta Phi alumnae and active chapter held their spring party, a dinner dance, at Mt. Chateau hotel on Cheat, a beautiful summer resort in the mountains. About 60 couples were present. This was our most attractive and elaborate party and was enjoyed by all who were there.

May 14, the alumnae club met at the home of Helen Ambler for the purpose of electing officers, completing the year's reports and discussing other matters of importance.

BLANCHE E. PRICE

PHILADELPHIA ALUMNAE CLUB CHARTERED 1902.

President—Miss Grace Filler (Pennsylvania Γ), Wayne, Pa.

Vice-president—Mrs. George Hadzits (Gertrude Crombach, Indiana Γ).

Recording Secretary—Miss Ethel Johnson (Columbia A).

Corresponding Secretary—Miss Frances Miller, (Pennsylvania A), 4027 Powelton Ave., Philadelphia.

Treasurer—Miss Edith Cugley, (Pennsylvania A).

Resident Alumnae—100.

Active Members—75.

Average Attendance—35.

Under the leadership of our capable president, Mrs. Griffith, the Philadelphia Alumnae Club has completed a most successful year. Following the custom established the preceding year, luncheons and meetings were held at the College club the second Saturday of each month, commencing in October and ending in April.

Our Grand Vice-president, Mrs. Nickerson, was in attendance at the first meeting and delivered a talk which served as a stimulating influence throughout the year. We are also indebted to Mrs. Gillette, a Pennsylvania Alpha, now residing in England, for her instructive talk on university life at Oxford.

An elaborate assortment of baskets and covers, made by the Settlement School children and mountaineers, were displayed and sold at the December meeting. At the same time a quantity of miscellaneous articles were assembled and packed in a Christmas box for the Settlement School girls.

In accumulating funds for the Settlement School, a spirit of rivalry was fostered by dividing the Alumnae Club into seven geographic districts, each district being under a district chairman, who was imbued with the idea of capturing first honors for her district. Through the medium of card parties and personal contributions, this work was successfully carried out. A substantial sum was also realized from the sale of Christmas cards, as in preceding years.

The February club meeting was held in Swarthmore, after which the Pennsylvania Alpha chapter conducted its initiation ceremonies.

The annual Founders' Day luncheon marked the culmination of the year's activities and was held at the Longacre hotel, Philadelphia. Miss Kate B. Miller, chairman of Settlement School, was the principal speaker, and outlined very comprehensively the school needs and accomplishments. By her sound logic and sincerity of purpose, she left with everyone a genuine appreciation of individual responsibility for the future success of this great undertaking.

With just a little tinge of pardonable pride, we refer in conclusion to our illustrious Founders, Mrs. Grier and Mrs. Turnbull, both guests at the Founders' Day luncheon, and the living embodiment of the finest and most inspiring principle of Pi Beta Phi. May we all be unsparing in our allegiance.

PITTSBURGH ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1907—CHARTERED 1909

Resident Alumnae—100.

Members of Club—40.

Average Attendance—25.

The year 1922-1923 has been a very successful and interesting one for the Pittsburgh Alumnae Club. This year the number of members attending meetings has been increased over that of other years. By inaugurating the plan of having an informal luncheon before the regular business meeting we have found that the number attending has been greatly increased.

This year the Alumnae Club has been able to do more for Pennsylvania Δ than ever before. By helping them financially the active girls were able to secure a very attractive, three-roomed apartment which has been a very great help to them in their rushing.

The annual bridge for the benefit of the Settlement School was held at McCreery's dining room, Saturday afternoon, February 17. At this bridge \$209.57 was cleared. Through the sale of the Christmas cards sixty dollars additional was added. However, due to the fact that the active chapter was greatly in need of financial support from the alumnae club in order to maintain their apartment it was decided to send but one hundred dollars of this money to the Settlement School and to put the rest of it in the house fund for the chapter. This action was thought necessary because of the large number of girls graduating this year and the few who will return to school next fall.

Founders' Day was celebrated with a luncheon at the Fort Pitt hotel. About forty members from the club and the entire active chapter were present to celebrate the fifty-sixth anniversary of the founding of our fraternity.

This year the club was particularly fortunate in having as one of its members, Miss Frances Evans, Grand Secretary of Pi Beta Phi, who was attending the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

The active chapter is planning to keep the apartment open all summer. A benefit bridge for the house fund is planned for sometime in July.

The Pittsburgh Alumnae Club takes this opportunity of sending greetings to all other alumnae clubs and to welcome all Pi Phis in the vicinity to its meetings.

GENEVIEVE MCSWIGAN

TOLEDO ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1913—CHARTERED 1914

President—Mrs. Arthur Fox, (Ruth Sadler), Carrolton Rd., Parkside, Toledo, Ohio.

Vice-president—Olive Wright.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Earl W. Huffer (Helen Burnham), 2259 Fulton St., Toledo, Ohio.

Treasurer—Mrs. Sholto Douglas (Madge Somerville).

Resident Alumnae—27.

Members of Club—21.

Average Attendance—12.

Toledo Alumnae Club has had a very interesting year, although we have nothing unusual to report.

We sent two hundred dollars to the Settlement School again this year, the money having been earned by means of a rummage sale. We try, so far as possible, to earn our money in one big drive, as most of our girls have so many local charities, clubs, etc., demanding their time, it seems best to concentrate on one big effort early in the fall for Pi Phi. Because of the difficulties attending the finding of a suitable room for rummage sales, we expect to try some other plan for raising our quota this year.

We have already started a Pi Phi card club, meeting once a month, to earn Settlement School money. Each member pays fifty cents a meeting. The hostess gives a ten-cent prize and refreshments limited to two things. Our main effort will probably be a big card party given down town early in the season.

Our meetings this year have consisted of six business meetings, afternoon tea affairs, three cooky-shines, evening parties, and one card party honoring Pi Phi husbands and friends. This latter has proven invaluable in fostering and furthering friendly relations among all local Pi Phi families and friends.

We have been fortunate in receiving several new Pi Phis this winter, whose affiliation has been doubly welcome to us because many of the older members have moved to other places.

Altho plans for the coming year are, as yet, immature, the prospects for a successful season are very promising. The Toledo Alumnae Club, keen in its interest in Pi Phi, extends greetings to sister clubs and wishes them all a most successful year.

HELEN B. HUFFER

GAMMA PROVINCE

BALTIMORE ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1900

President—Louise Van Sant (Maryland A) 411 Hawthorne Road, Baltimore, Md.

Vice-president—Mrs. H. E. Corner (Eleanor Diggs, Maryland A).

Secretary—Katharine B. Hopper (Maryland A), 1405 John St., Baltimore, Md.

Resident Alumnae—26.

Members of Club—26.

Average Attendance—15.

The Baltimore Alumnae Club has held its regular monthly meetings in the active chapter rooms, alternating Friday evening meetings with Saturday luncheons. The program was arranged by the officers of the club at the close of the preceding year and the first meeting in October was devoted to the general business of putting their plans into operation. At the November meeting Elsie Bender and Isabelle Schultz gave informal talks on their vacation time in Europe. They showed pictures and postcard views in discussing their trip. Isabelle Schultz travelled on the Reinhardt Scholarship from the Maryland Institute, one of the highest honors awarded an art student. The December meeting was devoted to packing a box for Little Pigeon. As we imagine this was a common experience in many clubs it is needless to enlarge upon the fun and Christmas spirit attending this rite. We thoroughly enjoyed the usual Christmas luncheon, held in a downtown tea room where those of us employed in the city could have a few minutes with the out-of-town alumnae.

Representatives from the active chapter have attended many of our meetings and in January the president, Ruth Wallace, gave an interesting talk on recent Pi Phi history and changes in the constitution. She outlined plans for initiation and house party and a number of the alumnae joined the active girls in a real frolic at the Country Club at Bel Air.

Our interest in the Arrow was crystallized in a talk by Roberta Everngam Finkebinder at the February meeting, at which time a committee was appointed to secure subscriptions. A card party was given for the benefit of the Settlement School and individual pledges solicited from the club members.

It is only natural that after the usual consideration of national fraternity questions our interest should center in the local chapter, the Panhellenic situation at Goucher, and with us, the ever-present problem of helping the six-million dollar campaign to place Goucher on her beautiful new campus.

Our annual reunion supper at Sunset Knoll, the home of Helen Doll Tottle, was a real "home-coming" for the visiting alumnae and an inspiration to the regular club members. After supper we had an informal meeting when we laughed at the joys and sorrows of the past year and became enthusiastic over plans for next winter.

KATHARINE B. HOPPER

NORTH CAROLINA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED—CHARTERED

President—Millicent P. Lawrence (Mrs. A. S.) Chapel Hill.

Vice-president—Mrs. Joseph T. Weaver.

Secretary-treasurer—Jane White Comer, (Mrs.), Chapel Hill.

Resident Alumnae—21.

Members of Club—18.

Average Attendance—6.

As is the custom of our club we have held four meetings during the year 1922-23. They were as follows:

November 3, 1922: Meeting and luncheon at the home of Mrs. Alfred S. Lawrence. Subject for discussion: History and Examination questions. January 26, 1923: Meeting and luncheon with Mrs. W. E. Caldwell. Subject: Settlement School. April 28, 1923: Founders' Day celebration with Mrs. Alfred S. Lawrence. May 15, 1923: Meeting and luncheon at the home of Mrs. Lawrence. Subject B A Φ, the petitioning group at the University of North Carolina. Alumnae officers were re-elected.

During the year we have sent \$15.50 to the Settlement School, \$5 to the Fellowship Endowment Fund, and we have met our local expenses.

Most of our time and thought have been devoted to the situation surrounding the petitioning group. This group proceeded in a dignified manner, in full cooperation with the University authorities, believing they were to be the first national in, when out of a clear sky, during Mrs. Brinkley's visit of inspection, March 28, came the news that $\chi\Omega$ had been running (sub rosa) since January 20. You can imagine what a bomb this was to us. After a good deal of investigation and conference with President Chase and Pi Phi officers, it was decided that $\beta\lambda\phi$ should be allowed to prepare its petition and to present it at Convention meeting June 25-30 at Estes Park, Colorado. Needless to say since then our efforts have been toward having this petition granted. It will mean much to us, more to Pi Phi, and infinitely more to the petitioning girls if this chapter goes thru.

The North Carolina Alumnae Club sends sincere greetings to its sister clubs.

JANE WHITE COMER

WASHINGTON ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1899—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. T. N. Alford (Adelade Taylor, Columbia A), 5407 39th St.

Vice-president—Mrs. Wilson Compton (Helen Harrington, Ohio Γ), 2900 Cathedral Ave.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Stuart J. Mackey, Columbia A, 1201 M St.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. C. R. DeLong, Ohio B, 1910 Hamlin St. N. E.

Treasurer—Mrs. Karl D. Loos, Illinois E, 2116 Kalorama Rd.

Registrar—Mrs. Palmer Pennedy, Columbia A, 2001 16th St.

Resident Alumnae—150.

Active Members of Club—101.

Average Attendance—50.

"Successful years" have become a habit with the Washington Alumnae Club, but the year 1922-23 has been successful in the superlative degree under the leadership of Helen Harrington Compton, Ohio Gamma.

The membership has grown from 85 to 101—all of whom are working members—active in meetings and working on committees.

Our program for the year has been different and unusually interesting. The committee with Vibert Potts Duncan as chairman decided to make use of the talented husbands of Washington Pi Phis and planned each meeting to cover some interesting field. The first was addressed by Major General Eli H. Helmick who spoke on the operations at Brest at the close of the war when he was in command. The November meeting was devoted to the "Far East Question" and Mr. Stanley Hornbeck of the State Department, and a well known authority on Eastern affairs gave a very interesting talk, taking the place of Dr. Paul Reinsch, whose sudden illness and death was a great shock to us all. The December meeting was devoted to our health program and of course, Dr. Harvey Wiley was our speaker.

In January Mr. R. D. Duncan, Jr., explained to us the mysteries of the Radio. In March we enjoyed a splendid musical program arranged by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bibbins, assisted by Miss Josephine Houston, who had just made her debut at Aeolian Hall the week before to a delighted audience.

In April, Mrs. Henry Wallace entertained the club and had Mr. Perkins from the Department of Agriculture show a series of very interesting films, as a substitute for Secretary Wallace, who was out of town. Right here I cannot help telling you all what splendid club members our members, prominent in the official and social life of Washington, are—for besides lending

their homes and husbands for meetings, they have found time to attend almost every meeting; have done "Stunts" and "dressed up" and have worked at all our benefits, rummage sales, etc.

At the May meeting Dr. William E. Culbertson, Vice Chairman of the U. S. Tariff Commission made clear to us in a most interesting manner the mysteries of the Elastic Tariff.

The February meeting was our one public meeting of the year and was Settlement School night. The meeting was held at the Church of the Covenant and was open to the public. In spite of a blizzard over two hundred people gathered to hear the story of our Settlement School, as so splendidly told by Kate Miller of New York and illustrated by the school lantern slides. The Washington Club also gave an original sketch of life in the mountains, and by means of living moving pictures, showed what a change Pi Phi school is making. Also a very creditable display of the mountain handiwork was exhibited and sold. The meeting was a great success and we felt that we had interested to a greater extent the public which has supported our bridge parties and benefits so generously in the past.

As always, the Settlement School has been our first and greatest consideration, and under the efficient direction of Dorothy Smallwood Geare the fund reached proportions unknown to us before. Our card party netted us \$294.60; a rummage sale brought in \$276.52; the sale of Xmas cards amounted to \$353.87 and the sale of Royce products and various other things together with personal gifts brought our fund up to \$1,270.

Almost equal to the campaign for funds for the Settlement School has been our campaign for a Greater Sociability among all Pi Phi alumnae and "actives" and their families. With this in mind a large evening card party was held at the A. A. U. W. Clubhouse in January. In February a lovely luncheon for Columbia Alpha and their rushees was given at Hotel LaFayette. Monthly luncheons were held at a downtown tea room, and a May Supper was given at the home of our President, Mrs. Compton.

The Founders' Day banquet under the chairmanship of May Merritt De La Mater was an extravaganza of fun and merriment which was much enjoyed by 102 Washington Pi Phis at the Grace Dodge Hotel. From beginning to end the Washington Alumnae Club has had a record breaking year of activity and pleasure.

PRISCILLA H. THOMPSON

RICHMOND ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1915—CHARTERED 1916

President—Pauline Turnbull, (New York A), Westhampton College, Richmond, Va.

Vice-president—Mildred Bates, (Virginia B).

Secretary—Mrs. J. A. Connelly (Spray Maybee, New York A), Boketa Park, Richmond, Va.

Treasurer—Mrs. H. O. Stone (Mirian Leckey, Virginia B), 411 N. Allen Ave.

Resident Alumnae—21.

Active Alumnae—17.

Average Attendance—12.

The Richmond Alumnae Club has held monthly meetings on the second Tuesday night at the homes of members. In September we were forced to hold a reelection of officers on account of the resignation of our President, Mary Bullington, and Secretary, Virginia Lee Cox. Mary Bullington is now Y. W. C. A. Secretary in Danville, Virginia, and we are very proud of her splendid work. Although Virginia Lee Cox is still a contributing member

of the Club, she is unable to attend the meetings on account of her press work, which keeps her busy at night.

Although this reelection caused a little delay, it was not long before the Club was in good running order. Our first financial venture was the selling of Christmas cards and novelties, from Mrs. Gutgesell, to help make up our Settlement School Pledge. We cleared \$61.06 from the sale of these articles. In March we had a benefit card party and cleared \$90.60. Together with the money raised and the money received from pledges, The Richmond Club has contributed \$250.00 to the Settlement School and \$10.00 each to the Loan Fund and Fellowship Fund. We have also sent a present to each of our two nearest Chapters, namely Virginia A and Virginia B.

We are so glad to have Miss Gertrude Beggs back with us this year after her two years' furlough, which she spent in China. Miss Beggs has had many interesting things to tell the Club and our only regret is that more of you could not enjoy her with us.

We are very fortunate in having Mrs. Mary Rayner Brinkley, Gamma Province President, as a member of our club. Through Mrs. Brinkley, we are able to keep in touch with the active Chapters in our province.

Our Founders' Day celebration this year was in the form of a luncheon held on Saturday, April 28, at the Mortor Inn. This little Inn is quite a delightful place for a luncheon and is situated about five miles outside of Richmond on the Three-Chopt Road. The members motored out at one-thirty on Saturday and although the weather was rather gloomy, it did not dampen our spirits and everyone seemed to enjoy herself immensely. A very charming letter from Mrs. Nickerson was read at the luncheon.

The Richmond Club has no definite plans for the summer, but we are looking forward to the fall, when we will resume our meetings.

JUDITH RHOADS

DELTA PROVINCE

ANN ARBOR ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1913—CHARTERED 1914

President—Mrs. A. E. White (Margaret Arnold, Ohio B) 1417 S. University Ave., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Vice-president—Mrs. H. E. Riggs (Emma K. Hynes, Kansas A).

Secretary—Mrs. J. M. Cork (Laurie Kaufman, Michigan B) 1034 E. Huron St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Treasurer—Mrs. D. W. Bronk (Helen A. Ramsey, Pennsylvania A).

Resident Alumnae—22

Active Members—18.

Average Attendance—14.

In reviewing the work of the Ann Arbor Alumnae Club for this year, I find that we have not made a very brilliant record, but that we have had a very happy time doing things in a small way.

Our first meeting in October was a very pleasant one. It was held at the home of Mrs. Chipman and was preceded by a delicious "pot luck" luncheon. This custom of an informal luncheon before our meetings has been continued throughout the year. The first meeting was devoted to our plans for the coming year and reunions after our separation for the summer.

We had a settlement school meeting in November at the home of Mrs. Lewis. It was decided not to attempt any schemes for raising money, since every college woman in Ann Arbor has been asked to patronize every conceivable money making enterprise for the benefit of the million dollar campaign for a woman's league building. We raised our Settlement School

money by subscription and were able to send in \$46. The last news from the Settlement School was read and we prepared a box of toys to be sent to the school for Christmas.

The January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Fleishauer. After our luncheon the time was spent most informally while we hemmed table clothes for the chapter, Michigan B.

Our March meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Barrett with an unusually large attendance. At all our meetings we try to have two or three of the active girls. This time we had five and the meeting was devoted to a discussion of the needs and plans of the chapter.

We were fortunate in having a delightful visit from Mrs. Nickerson toward the end of March, so we had a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Bronk in her honor. She spoke informally with us about several matters of alumnae and chapter interest.

Founders' Day was celebrated with the active chapter. They had a cooky-shine and the day was a very happy one.

Our last meeting was held in June at Barton Hill Country club. It was a surprise shower for our Secretary, Marchia Sturgis, who will be married soon and go to China.

Our advisory committee has been unusually active this last year and it has served to bring the alumnae and chapter even closer together, to the benefit of both.

We are planning bigger things in the future and will be glad when the fall will bring us together again.

With most cordial greetings to our sister clubs and best wishes for the coming year.

HELEN RAMSEY BRONK

DETROIT ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1901—CHARTERED 1914

President—Mrs. R. L. Shepard (Alice Preble, Mass. A).

Vice-president—Mrs. Benton Warner (Kathleen Field, Mich. B).

Corresponding Secretary—Miss Betty Tibbals (Mich. B).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Roger Angstman (Genevieve Clark, Wis. A).

Treasurer—Mrs. E. M. Henshaw (Charlotte Angstman, Mich. B).

Resident Alumnae—75

Members of Club—55.

Average Attendance—25.

The Detroit Alumnae Club has followed a new plan for meetings this past year. With but few exceptions, all of our meetings have been held at the College Club, many of these meetings have been preceded by a luncheon. The college offers a central meeting place and by holding meetings immediately after luncheon, our members have the latter part of the afternoon free. This plan has been very successful and our meetings have been well attended, especially by the younger girls.

Besides the regular business meetings we have enjoyed a June picnic, a Christmas luncheon, our annual cooky-shine, a bridge party for the benefit of the Settlement School, a one act play, and, on two occasions, outside speakers. Our Founders' Day celebration took the form of a luncheon held at the Hotel Wolverine.

Thru the united efforts of the club we will be able to send about \$300 to the Settlement School. This money has been raised by individual subscription, sale of baskets, Christmas cards, a white elephant sale and a benefit bridge party.

MARY ALICE SHEPARD

FRANKLIN ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1895—CHARTERED 1908

President—Mrs. Geo. Vandiver (Mary Huckleberry, Indiana A), 600 W. Jefferson St., Franklin, Indiana.

Vice-president—Mrs. Samuel Lanam (Bessie George, Indiana A).

Secretary—Mabel Kerlin (Indiana A), W. King St.

Treasurer—Mrs. Thomas Overstreet (Katherine Webb, Indiana A).

Resident Members—75.

Members of Club—30.

Average Attendance—25.

Just as last year, the two most important objectives of the club have been the Settlement School and the active chapter. We hear much about the school because Marie Ditmars is with us, and having taught several years at Gatlinburg, she is in close touch with all the details of the work there.

The sale of Christmas cards has provided a successful way of obtaining money for the Settlement School fund.

Our club has held regular meetings the first Tuesday of each month at the homes of the various members.

The new rules at Franklin College regarding membership campaign, exclude alumnae from rushing. Our club, however, had the privilege of assisting the chapter in holding open house in the evening of pledge day, in the early fall, and also following the initiation of new members in mid-winter. In November, our regular meeting was given over to a Hallowe'en party, which assumed the form of a fruit shower for the chapter house, to which the active chapter and patronesses were invited. Each individual present masqued to represent her hobby. The gifts were also attired in gay apparel.

Our club meetings during the year were devoted to business and social pleasures. Our holiday party was attended by some of our alumnae, who were visiting home folks. The evening was given to reminiscences of former experiences of Pi Phis, and to our annual roll call. Our Settlement meeting in February was of particular interest, because Marie Ditmars gave a report on various phases of the work. The annual guest meeting which was in April, was an eventful one. A splendid musical program was given and enjoyed by the guests and alumnae. Several members of other sororities were present.

It was our very great privilege to have Mrs. Nickerson with us for a short time in March, and Miss Onken for a flying visit April 29. We are very appreciative of the favors thus bestowed upon us in one year's time. Mrs. Spiegel was with us on both occasions.

Founders' Day was fittingly celebrated by a luncheon at the Severin Hotel, Indianapolis, attended by 225 Pi Phis. Mrs. John Spiegel, Delta Province President, acted as toastmistress. The honor guest and speaker for the occasion was Miss Amy Onken, who talked of "New Things of a Sorority." Each active chapter in the state responded with a stunt or toast. A clever stunt on the program was a Carnation Dance, which was given by seven girls of the Franklin chapter. The costumes worn simulated the carnation with green bodice, petaled skirts and green caps. Large arm bouquets of wine carnations were carried, which were presented to the guest of honor. Music for the dance was furnished by two of the girls from the chapter.

Our club will give its annual commencement party for visiting alumnae in June.

Our thoughts will now be centered on convention. We expect several of our active and alumnae girls to be at Estes Park this summer. With

the incentive for work that our club will receive from these girls, we expect to do better work next year than during any previous year.

MABEL KERLIN

HILLSDALE ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1913—CHARTERED 1922

President—Mrs. B. F. Green (Ana Clossen), 30 South Howell, Hillsdale, Michigan.

Vice-president—Mrs. Paul Chase, (Vina Walrath), 140 Hillsdale St., Hillsdale, Michigan.

Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. Frederic W. Stock, (Dorothy Godfrey), 138 Budlong St., Hillsdale, Michigan.

Resident Alumnae—11.

Members of Club—33.

Average Attendance—6.

This month marks the close of our first year since reorganization. Our activity has been mainly an effort to raise money for a settlement school fund.

In April a benefit bridge party was held at the home of Mrs. C. F. Cook Jr., (Jane Whitney). We sent \$34 for the school from this affair.

The club appreciated the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hall (Marge Whitney), in offering to present a lecture on Japan. Their experiences in the seven years they have spent there, are most interesting. Mr. Hall is a most excellent speaker and the lecture included beautiful colored lantern slides of scenes in Japan. The girls in the active chapter worked in canvassing the town and the lecture was very successful and very much worth while. With the few expenses taken from the receipts we will be able to contribute more than \$50.

We are trying a new means of getting money for the school. Our patroness, Mrs. A. D. Stock, willingly consented to teach a bridge class in her home, one night a week. Each pupil brings 25 cents and thus far we have \$15.

Large burlap bags have been distributed for a rummage sale, which will be held soon. So we feel we have made a start toward a Settlement School Fund.

We are able to keep in close touch with the active chapter through Mrs. Drybread, (May Copeland), who is chaperone at the chapter house. Her interest in Pi Phi at large and in each individual girl is an inspiration for all of us which we appreciate.

Early in the fall, actives and alumnae met for a cooky-shine at the home of Mrs. C. F. Kempton, (Bertha Myers), we will always have a pleasant memory of our last meeting with Mrs. Kempton. Her death occurred about Christmas time.

The alumnae were invited to the Pi Phi Christmas tree which was a very happy event for all.

Founders' Day we met with the active chapter and patronesses at Mrs. Cook's home, (Jane Whitney). A brief history of Pi Phi was given and the spirit of the day observed by singing our songs together.

Mrs. Drybread is to be our Convention delegate and we are already anticipating her return.

We hope that next year we may be able to do many things for the active girls in furnishing their house, which has been provided by the college.

We are looking forward to a still more successful year.

DOROTHY GODFREY STOCK.

INDIANAPOLIS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1900—CHARTERED 1915

President—Mary Henderson Fletcher, (Mrs. Carl J.), 5693 Central Ave.
Vice-president—Edna Northam Camp, (Mrs. Edwin).
Secretary—Mrs. T. A. Stroup, 169 West 44th St.
Treasurer—Josephine Thomas Jones, (Mrs. Ralph E.)
Resident Alumnae—150.
Members of Club—100.
Average Attendance—60.

The Indianapolis Alumnae Club has just closed an interesting and profitable year under the most efficient leadership of its president, Mrs. William Clay Bachelder.

The September meeting was a picnic. The October meeting was a guest day, celebrated with a musicale at the Herron Art Institute.

In September members of the active chapter at Butler College were our guests at a Christmas party.

The January meeting was a luncheon held at the Spink Arms Hotel with our mothers as guests. One interesting feature of the well-arranged program was the talk given by Kathryn Stucky, revealing the Passion Play as she had seen it in Oberammergau, Germany.

We had Mrs. Nickerson as our guest of honor at the March meeting, which was a luncheon at the Spink Arms. Mrs. Nickerson told us many new things about Settlement School.

The May meeting was, indeed, an enjoyable affair. Mrs. Samuel O. Dungan entertained the club with a luncheon. She made a charge of fifty cents per plate, and the amount she so collected was turned over to the Settlement School.

The Settlement School played an interesting part in our past year's club work. The club divided itself into teams under the directions of captains, who in turn, were responsible to the chairman of the Settlement School Committee. Individual subscriptions amounted to about \$125. The sale of Christmas cards, a rummage sale, a monthly market of home cooked food, mite boxes and auto taxies to and from the club meetings, brought the total gift to the Settlement School for the past year up to \$500.

Founders' Day was celebrated April 28th with a luncheon at the Seavern Hotel, and was attended by more than 200 Pi Phis. We were delighted to have Miss Onken as our guest of honor. Our Province president, Mrs. John Spiegel, acted as toastmistress, and the active chapter gave us a splendid musical program.

The annual State Dance, of which Indiana F had charge, was given the same evening at the Claypool Hotel.

The season closed with a delightful party for Pi Phi kiddies in the beautiful gardens of Mrs. Carl J. Fletcher. Indiana B acted as hostesses to the little ones, who were entertained with stories and games. They were served with ice cream cones and candy, and went home with balloons of wine and silver blue.

MRS. T. A. STROUP

LAFAYETTE ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1920—CHARTERED 1921

President—Mrs. J. F. Trost (Frances Small, Indiana Δ), 400 Russell St., W. Lafayette, Indiana.

Vice-president—Mrs. C. M. Briggs (Reba Smith, Indiana Δ).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. H. M. Baldwin (Margaret Mock, Indiana B), 127 Pierce St. W. Lafayette, Indiana.

Treasurer—Mrs. B. N. Prentice (Ruth Clark, New York A).

Resident Alumnae—20.

Active Members—17.

Average Attendance—9.

The past year of the Lafayette Alumnae Club was begun with an effort to assist Indiana Δ in her entertainment of prospective members. We held a tea and also a luncheon for a number of girls, and were rewarded by being able to place our stamp of approval on a group of excellent future alumnae.

We attempted to combine, in our meetings, the required programs and general good times. It was interesting as well as instructive to a number of the members who were not well versed in the workings of the committee, to have Delta Province representative on the Committee on Fraternity Study and Examinations, who is a member of the club, give in detail, a description of her work and of the present examination system.

Our plan of having a "Get Acquainted" party for the pledges of Indiana Δ has proved so successful, that we repeated it this year, in the form of a cooky-shine. We also entertained the senior members of the chapter at luncheon.

Our most interesting program was that given by Mildred Tingley, the girl from Indiana Δ , who was a delegate last year to the World's Christian Student Federation Conference in China. The relating of a few of her many experiences was a pleasure to all of us.

Several of our members were able to attend the State Founders' Day luncheon at Indianapolis, and most of us joined with Indiana Δ in a "Back-Yard" picnic supper, for our local celebration.

The sum of \$22 was given to the Settlement School—not a large amount, but more than last year, so that we hope donations will increase with the age of the club.

No summer meetings have been planned, as most of the members are out of the city a part, if not all of the summer months.

CONRADINA LOMMEL

SOUTHWESTERN INDIANA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1915—CHARTERED 1916

President—Helen A. Sheridan, 106 Adams Ave. Evansville, Indiana.

Vice-president—Mildred Daum.

Recording Secretary—Lela West.

Corresponding Secretary-treasurer—Mrs F. M. Condit (Anna B. Rea),
1331 Adams Ave., Evansville, Ind.

Resident Alumnae—28.

Members of Club—20.

Average Attendance—10.

Due to the fact that our members live in nine towns all over the southwestern corner of Indiana we find it hard to secure a large attendance at our meetings, most of which are held at the homes of our Evansville members.

Marie West, who, until the last election, has been president of our alumnae club since its organization, was our delegate to convention this year, and came back with such enthusiastic reports that the rest of us realized what we missed. Our club gave \$20 to the Settlement School this year. The Indiana B members of the club presented Indiana B chapter with three silver bread trays at Christmas time.

Pi Phi has the presidency of the Evansville Panhellenic this year, Miss Ethel McCullough holding that office. Panhellenic maintains a scholarship

fund to keep a girl in Evansville College, and to raise money for that purpose a movie benefit was given this spring.

No summer meetings have been held as yet with the exception of a rush bridge party at the home of Mildred Daum.

Our program committee has been appointed and is getting together on plans for a successful coming year.

ANNA B. CONDIT

EPSILON PROVINCE

BELOIT ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1919—CHARTERED 1919

President—Mrs. Philip Murkland (Hazel Murdock, Wisconsin B), 1005 Chapin St., Beloit, Wis.

Secretary—Bess Weirick, 808 Emerson St., Beloit, Wis.

Treasurer—Gertrude Blazer, 509 Broad St., Beloit, Wis.

Resident Alumnae—15.

Members of Club—29.

Average Attendance—11.

The past year has been a happy and interesting one for the Beloit Alumnae Club. The regular meetings have been held the first Tuesday of each month at the new Pi Phi house and we have endeavored to have programs of both a business and social nature.

Our first activity of the year was a dinner for the active chapter and their guests during rushing and it was a pleasure to see the girls so thoroughly enjoying their new home. It has meant a great deal to the alumnae as well and the enthusiasm to help furnish the house became so contagious that the mothers of the alumnae took delight in contributing a large mirror which now hangs over the fire-place and a much needed gas range for the kitchen. For our April meeting we had a supper followed by a social evening and made it an occasion for a kitchen shower for the house. Some out of town Pi Phis were guests.

We gave our usual contribution to the Fellowship Fund and raised money for the Settlement School by the sale of baskets and from a benefit bridge. We hope to be able to contribute more liberally when we are not kept quite so busy devising ways and means of raising money to meet our financial obligations here in Beloit. This spring the board of directors decided to try renting our house to different clubs for meetings or for social affairs and it seems to be a profitable thing to do as many organizations are glad to have such a place available.

We regret very much the departure of Mrs. Tannahill, who is leaving Beloit with her mother for Idaho where they will make their future home. We know her place cannot be filled, yet consider ourselves fortunate in having had her guidance and inspiration during our first four years of Pi Phi life.

Mrs. Philip J. Laurence, our Province President, visited us in the winter and our Grand President, Miss Amy Onken, this spring.

As there are usually a number of our club in Beloit during the summer, we hope to be able to continue our good times and to plan for another happy year together.

Best wishes to all Pi Phis.

BIRDIE NEWTON

CARTHAGE ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1911—CHARTERED 1914

Resident Alumnae—10.
Members of Club—9.
Average Attendance—8.

This has been a happy and prosperous year for the Carthage Alumnae Club. We have held four regular meetings and several social ones. All the meetings have been interesting and full of enthusiasm and good fellowship. In June, Adda Prentice Williams entertained the Club most delightfully in honor of Julia Ferris Hubbs of Eugene, Ore., a former member of our I. C. Chapter. On August 12, Idele Egbers Parks of St. Louis, a Carthage I. C., invited Pi Phi from Burlington, Keokuk, Quincy, Warsaw, and Carthage to a picnic at her summer home on the Mississippi River just above Hamilton, Ill. Grand President, Miss Amy B. Onken, was an honored guest. The day was ideal in every respect and one long to be remembered by every Pi Phi present.

We sold Mrs. Gutgesell's Christmas cards again this year with excellent success. We sent \$50 to the Settlement School and contributed \$25 for films and equipment for the moving picture apparatus for the Settlement School. \$4 was given to the Fellowship fund and \$200 pledged to our local college (Carthage College) drive last January.

Our plans for the observance of Founders' Day was given up this year on account of death in the family of two of our members.

ELLEN CAREY MACK

CENTRAL ILLINOIS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1912—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. A. W. Stoolman, 1001 S. 3rd St., Champaign, Ill.
Vice-president—Mrs. Bert Hayes.
Secretary—Mrs. Carl Stephens, 1102 W. Healy St., Champaign, Ill.
Treasurer—Melissa Turell.
Resident Alumnae—34.
Members of Club—26.
Average Attendance—12.

The first regular meeting of the year was held on October 16, at the home of our president, Mrs. A. W. Stoolman, with fifteen members present.

On September 14, the alumnae held a very successful luncheon for the active girls and their rushees at the Champaign Country Club. About forty were in attendance. It was voted in the October meeting to make this luncheon an annual affair as one of the rushing season events, the date to be set by the active girls.

The alumnae club has been quite busy, as have a number of town and campus societies, devising ways of making money for our organization. We have held during the year, two food sales, a rummage sale, a Christmas card sale and a benefit card party. In all of these we have been reasonably successful.

During the year the chapter has been favored with visits from Miss Onken, Mrs. Nickerson and Mrs. Laurence. The informal talks and the social gatherings at these times proved an inspiration to the alumnae as well as to the younger girls.

At the close of our meeting on April 14, Reka Kiler of Champaign was appointed to represent the club at the Convention in Estes Park. We are all anticipating with great interest her report of her trip.

Founders' Day celebration was quite a splendid occasion for us this year. The alumnae and the girls observed the event together at one of the campus tea rooms. The lovely luncheon and the several appropriate toasts proved a fitting close for the year's work.

RUTH H. SIGNOR.

CHICAGO ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1904—CHARTERED 1911

President—Mrs. G. E. Hinchliff (Louise Osmann), 312 West Sixty Sixth Street, Chicago.

Vice-President—Alice L. Kroeschell.

Secretary—Loretta Hall.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. G. W. Robnett (Florence Schee), 2767 Prairie Avenue, Evanston, Ill.

Resident Alumnae—425.

Members of Club—135.

Average Attendance—40.

A year of pleasant associations has passed in the Chicago Alumnae Club, with its six luncheons, interesting programs and frequently followed by an afternoon of bridge.

Perhaps the outstanding program of the year was the stereoptican lecture given thru the courtesy of the Department of Tours of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad—showing in picturesque detail the delights ahead for convention visitors.

Early in March the Chicago Club joined with Illinois E in the annual initiation of its pledges. Initiation was held at the home of Mrs. Charles B. Little (Agnes Buxton, Iowa B) and the banquet occurred at the North Shore hotel.

Throughout the year, sectional meetings and card parties have been held, for the benefit of the Settlement School, and individually many of the members have cooperated in various benefits for the new home of Illinois E on the proposed new Women's Campus at Northwestern University.

The club has greatly missed one of its most enthusiastic and loyal members in the death of Mrs. O. M. Schantz, a charter member of this club. Mrs. Schantz had always been most earnest and energetic in every progressive activity of the club, and our feeling of loss in her death seems not to be diminished by the passing of the weeks.

The Chicago Alumnae Club devoted itself on June 23, to the Convention train activities. A suite of rooms was secured at the La Salle hotel to serve as headquarters for the visiting guests, special trips to cover many of the chief points of interest in Chicago were arranged for all who wished to do a little "sightseeing" and other members assisted at the Northwestern station in adding any details possible to the comfort of the guests of the day.

Meetings for the coming year will be held the fourth Saturday of each month in the Ivory room at Mandel's. Any visiting Pi Phis or Pi Phi residents in Chicago are urged to join us there.

FLORENCE SCHEE ROBNETT

DECATUR ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1912—CHARTERED 1914

The Decatur Alumnae Club is approaching the close of a successful year. Our usual meetings have been held each month, from October to June. They have been varied, however, and most happy times.

This has been a very busy year for the alums. As was the custom, the club assisted the actives with rushing. This year they gave a Pirate dinner party at the Staley Club house, which is built in our new Lake Decatur. You would have held on to your jewels, had you seen the desperate pirates who held up the cars as they came down the road, blind-folded the girls and then led them across a bridge to the entrance of the brilliantly lighted club house. Later the guests, seated around a huge square table, having a true pirate's boat for a center piece, and chests of jewels for decoration, were served by the same pirates—yo ho ho, and a bottle of rum!

The club has worked hard this year on financial activities. We have owned a lot for some time and are so anxious to own a house for our active chapter. Aside from our Settlement School pledge and donation to the Fellowship Fund, all other money has gone to the house fund.

In November we held a rummage sale, lasting for three days, Edna Rybolt Bopp serving as chairman. Rummage sales are interesting, plenty of work, but pay well. Miss Lockett handled our Christmas card sale most efficiently this year, it alone netting enough to meet our Settlement School pledge. The card party was repeated again this year but on a larger scale. It was held at the Orlando Hotel, there being about sixty tables at play. Some of the active girls sold fancy baskets of home-made candy during the evening. The chairman, Florence Bruner Metzler and her helpers deserve much credit for the success of the party.

We have had our usual number of brides this year, Irene Hamman, Henrietta Page and Phyllis Hamman. Showers of gifts have been given to them. Our December meeting was a Christmas shower for the house. The actives were so thrilled with the linen, glassware and other things received. We have had two distinguished guests this year, Mrs. Laurence and Mrs. Nickerson. It is such a pleasure to come in contact with people who may have a broader view of Pi Phi than we.

For Founders' Day we entertained the Springfield Alumnae Club with a Saturday noon luncheon at the Yellow Lantern. After this everyone went to the house for the dramatic farce.

The Alumnae have not done all the entertaining, however. In April we were entertained by the active girls with a delightful bridge party at the house. Now we are looking forward to our June breakfast, our annual get-together for everyone. No definite plans for the summer months have been made.

RUTH M. NICHOLSON

FOX RIVER VALLEY ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1917—CHARTERED 1917

President—Dr. Nora E. Willett (Illinois B), 368 Simms St., Aurora, Ill.

Vice-president—Mrs. Walter H. Bosworth (Ruth Williams).

Secretary-Treasurer—Eleanor Bereman, 125 N. Fourth St., Aurora, Ill.

Resident Alumnae—9.

Members of Club—17.

Average Attendance—6

The matter of raising money for the Settlement School was the chief item of business to come up at the various sessions of the Fox River Valley Club. Settlement School baskets introduced by the Elgin branch last year for the purpose of earning money were so highly praised by the purchasers that it was decided to use the same means again this year. As a result of the sales the Elgin bank account was swelled considerably although the money raised did not satisfy club members. Consequently, voluntary offerings were made at meetings. Members of the Aurora branch raised their quota in this way.

According to the custom of the club the annual meeting takes place in the town holding the presidency. This year members of the Elgin branch entertained Pi Phis of Aurora at a luncheon Founders' Day at the home of Mrs. Lewis K. Malvern. The election of officers took place at this time and matters pertaining to the fraternity were discussed. Judging from the enthusiasm manifested the club will do more for the fraternity during the coming winter months than in any previous year.

GRACE E. WILLIAMS

GALESBURG ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1906—CHARTERED 1915

President—Dorothy Weinberg, 582 N. Seminary St.
 Vice-president—Mrs. Pierce Webster (Josephine Haws).
 Recording Secretary—Mrs. Gallerd Greer (Dora Telford).
 Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Gallerd Greer (Dora Telford).
 Treasurer—Mrs. N. O. Crissey (Annie Yoemans).
 Resident Alumnae—80.
 Members of Club—42.
 Average Attendance—30.

Monthly meetings have been held as usual from October to June with the exception of November. They have been both interesting and enjoyable. The first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Rollin Wetherbee. A discussion of plans and means of earning money for the Settlement School were discussed. Lombard alumnae were hostesses at a cooky-shine following the meeting.

In December the Illinois Δ Chapter entertained at Mrs. S. A. Ingersoll's with a Christmas party.

The January meeting was at the home of Inez Webster. Professor Elder of Knox gave an interesting talk on "Best Sellers." A report of the Settlement School activities was given.

The annual benefit dance for the Settlement School was given in February. This was quite a success financially.

The association met in March at the Lombard bungalow on the campus. Reports from Illinois Δ and Illinois B were given in regard to chapter doings. A survey of examination was led by Mrs. W. E. Terry, Jr. We were then entertained by musical numbers after which Illinois B served a delightful cooky-shine.

In April a Panhellenic luncheon was held in which Pi Phi was well represented. Mrs. Frederick Woods, Illinois Δ was chairman of the committee.

About 125 Pi Phis and patronesses celebrated Founders' Day with a formal banquet at the Galesburg club. The active chapters of Knox and Lombard gave a number of clever stunts and several alumnae gave musical numbers.

The last business meeting was at the home of the president, Mrs. Webb Herlocker. Officers for the coming year were elected.

We were very glad to have Mrs. Nickerson visit us. She gave a very interesting talk about what other clubs were doing—the Settlement School, and gave many helpful suggestions for alumnae work.

With greetings to our sister clubs and best wishes for the coming year.
 MILDRED TOLER LASS

MADISON ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1908-1909—CHARTERED 1909

President—Mrs. C. L. Jamison, (Anne Hutchinson), Monroe St., Madison, Wis.
 Vice-president—Mrs. Donald L. Halvorsen (Nell Churchill).
 Secretary—Mrs. F. J. Luetscher, (Louise Dunlop), 1422 Mound St., Madison, Wis.
 Treasurer—Mrs. William W. Cargill (Helen Smith).
 Resident Alumnae—24.
 Members of Club—24.
 Average Attendance—18.

The Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club of Madison holds meetings every month except throught July and August when so many of its members are out of the city. The last meeting of the year is always held at the home of Mrs.

Frank Kessenich where the members enjoy a picnic supper on the lawn. The meetings are always well attended and interest shown in the activities of the chapter.

During the past year the club has raised its quota for the Settlement School by selling Mrs. Gutgesell's Christmas cards and by having the Service Shop. Every year for the past three or four years the Pi Phi Alumnae have been renting the Service Shop for one day during the year. Every member contributes all the clothes and household articles they have no further use for and also two new articles. This is a splendid way to raise money and it helps the poor and gives us a use for our old things.

This year Founders' Day was celebrated on Monday April 23, with the active chapter and the alumnae at the chapter house. Buffet supper was served and the usual pleasant time was enjoyed when the actives and the alumnae met and became better acquainted. The celebration was held on the 23 this year instead of the 28 as the actives celebrated it on that date with the Beloit chapter at Beloit and it was on the 28 the alumnae worked at the Service Shop.

The alumnae keep in close relationship with the active chapter through an advisory board composed of three alumnae members. The chaperon is asked to several of the meetings throughout the year and gives us her viewpoint of how the chapter is getting along. Our Grand President Miss Amy B. Onken, was here this spring for several days and met and talked with the advisory board.

The meetings end this summer with new ideas and plans for the coming year.

LOUISE DUNLOP LUETSCHER

MILWAUKEE ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1921

President—Mrs. John O'Meara (Elizabeth Wickham), 725½ 44th St., Milwaukee, Wis.

Vice-president—Mrs. J. Rex Thorp (Emma Grubb).

Secretary—Mrs. George Lindbloom (Helen Kohler), 5220 Grand Ave., Wauwatosa, Wis.

Treasurer—Mrs. Valentine Blatz, Jr., (Vera Kayser).

Resident Alumnae—40.

Members of Club—22.

Average Attendance—14.

We have now completed our second year of the Alumnae Club, and it has truly been a successful year. We have continued our meetings preceded by luncheon on the third Saturday of each month, and have had increasing enthusiasm and attendance as the year progressed.

We opened the year in September with a bridge and swimming party at the home of Mrs. E. J. Kearney for the active Pi Phis in Milwaukee and prospective rushees. Everyone was delighted as it was a most enjoyable afternoon.

On December 7 at the instigation of the IIBΦ alumnae club of Milwaukee a Panhellenic luncheon and program was held at the College Women's club. At this meeting twelve sorority alumnae clubs were represented and one hundred and eighty women were present. Each club was responsible for one number on the program. The day proved such a success that it was suggested that the luncheon be an annual feature.

At Christmas time we sold Christmas cards and made almost \$50 for the Settlement School fund. Soon after the first of the year we held three small bridge parties and cleared sufficient profit to enable us to send \$100 to the Settlement School. We also made a small donation to the new Chapter house in Beloit.

On April 28 we celebrated Founders' Day with a delightful luncheon at the Milwaukee Athletic club. Two of our members, Mrs. Carl Pick of West Bend, and Mrs. Joseph Gallagher of Milwaukee, rendered delightful vocal selections during the luncheon. After the luncheon Mrs. Irwin Meyers (Marjorie Jackson, Wisconsin A) of Winnetka, Illinois, who was our guest of honor, gave us a most inspiring talk on her experiences as a teacher at "Little Pigeon" in 1917. After her talk we all felt more determined than ever to increase our work and so our donation to the Settlement School in the future.

During the year we lost to Cleveland our most capable and energetic President, Mrs. Hadley Freeman, but our Vice-president, Miss Helen Tyrrell took up the reins and brought the year to a successful close. In our loss Cleveland has gained an enthusiastic Pi Phi.

We are looking forward to even a more successful year in 1923-24. Best wishes to our sister clubs for the coming year.

RUTH MOUNT HARPER

MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. PAUL ALUMNAE CLUB

CHARTERED 1890

President—Mrs. E. C. Carman (Juanita Day, Minnesota A), 2600 Colfax avenue south, Minneapolis, Minn.

Vice-president—Mrs. C. F. Clark (Isalinda Miller, Minnesota A).

Secretary—Mrs. H. H. Thompson (Alice Laurence, Minnesota A).

Treasurer—Mrs. M. E. Gutteresen (Sybil Gates, Minnesota A).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Reuel R. Barlow (Alice R. Townsend, Minnesota A), 318 Howard St., southeast, Minneapolis, Minn.

Resident Alumnae—160.

Members of Club—37.

Average Attendance—50.

A most successful and interesting year has just been completed by the club, socially and financially.

We have found that our new system of transacting business works very well and will continue using it during the year 1923-24. An executive committee composed of the officers of the club and of the chairmen of the various standing committees meets monthly for transaction of business and reports are made by the committee at each of the large business meetings.

A Pi Phi news letter sent out before occasions of special interest, brings the attendance up greatly. Mrs. V. C. Sherman (Elizabeth Melrose), has made it a very newsy, humorously written affair.

Because of the large number of Pi Phis in St. Paul, it has been decided to form a separate club there, arrangements for which are being made by Mrs. G. M. Pratt.

Relationship with the active chapter has been very close this year, with a few of the alumnae at every Monday cooky-shine. We also gave a rushing party in September at the home of Mrs. F. E. Cates (Almee Fisher) a Christmas tree party and cooky-shine at the house, December 13, when we made the active chapter a gift of table linen; our annual Christmas luncheon, December 30, when a number of actives joined us at the Hotel Belmont; formal cooky-shine following initiation on February 4; a St. Patrick's cooky-shine, with stunts, when we had the largest gathering of the year; and our Founders' Day banquet at the Minneapolis Athletic club, which was attended by over 150 Phis from Minneapolis, St. Paul, and towns of Minnesota.

The first alumnae social gathering of the year was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Donnelly (Carol Lewis), now of Chicago, when we decided to have a bazaar. About \$550 was raised at the bazaar, December 2, a

large percentage of which went to the Settlement School, and part of which was devoted to our house fund.

In January, a cooky-shine for alumnae was given by Josephine Byrnes at her home. Two hundred and twenty-five dollars were made for the Settlement School at our bridge benefit April 11, given at the home of T. B. Walker, well known art connoisseur and a Pi Phi uncle.

Our Grand President made us a delightful visit in April, when the club gave a luncheon in her honor in the sun room of the Curtis hotel. Mrs. Phil J. Laurence (Olive Keller), our Province President, is one of our members and we have been fortunate in having her with us at a number of meetings this year.

Our final party for the year was a bridge given at the new home of Mrs. Milton E. Gutteresen (Sybil Gates) as a housewarming and as a welcome party for the senior actives.

For the summer, we are planning a get-together at the country home of Hortense Laybourne on Lake Minnetonka, when we will sew for the bazaar to be given in the fall, and which we hope to make bigger than ever before.

Mrs. F. C. Rodda (Ruth Robbins) has been president of both the College Women's club, and the Hennepin County Medical Auxillary, made up almost entirely of doctors' wives, this year.

On the \$2,000,000 Stadium-Auditorium drive recently conducted by the University of Minnesota alumni, there were more Pi Phis than there were members of any other group and three of the team captains were Pi Phis.

We extend best wishes to all sisters in IIBΦ for a splendid new year.

ALICE TOWNSEND BARLOW

MONMOUTH ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED APRIL 28, 1916.

President—Mrs. Alexis Hutchinson (Clara Brownlee, III. A), 318 1st Ave., Monmouth, Ill.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. A. T. Sawyer (Helen Booker, III. A), 213 W. 2nd Ave., Monmouth, Ill.

Resident Alumna—12.

Members of Club—24.

Average Attendance—5.

The Monmouth club feels that it has had a most successful year. There have been five meetings which have been very interesting and worth while. No special programs were carried out but our meetings have kept us in close fellowship with IIBΦ.

At the first meeting of the year held at the home of Mrs. Clara Hutchinson, it was decided to begin the preparation of a Christmas box for the Settlement School at Gatlinburg.

During the next meeting a committee was appointed to investigate and report on the sorority situation at Monmouth college where the club is sponsor to a group of girls, known as Zetas.

In August a very lovely luncheon and meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Minnie McMichael, with Miss Onken, the Grand President for IIBΦ, as our honor guest. Miss Onken gave an informal but splendid talk, and some valuable advice to the chapter.

The members of the old Zeta sorority of Monmouth were invited by Mrs. McMichael to discuss the situation in the college, and promised to cooperate with the Pi Phis and at the proper time in the future to unite with them in organizing an active chapter.

A reception was held at Mrs. Jennie Disney's on April 10, 1923 for the new college organization of Zetas.

Our club is particularly fortunate in claiming as two of its resident members Mrs. Emma Brownlee Kilgore, and Mrs. Clara Brownlee Hutchinson,, two of our beloved founders, both of whom were present at the Founders' Day luncheon given by Mrs. Ruth McCullough and Mrs. Helen Sawyer at the latter's home.

With most cordial greetings to our sister clubs.

HELEN BOOKER SAWYER

PEORIA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1917

President—Mrs. G. R. MacClyment (Harriett Avery, Illinois Δ), 101 South Maplewood.

Secretary—Mrs. Carl O. Triebel (Margaret Hunter, Illinois Z), 213 Ayres Ave.

Treasurer—Mrs. Fred M. Meixner (Lillian Payne, Illinois E).

Resident Alumnae—20.

Members of Club—15.

Average Attendance—12.

Our club has had four regular meetings during the year. According to our usual plan these have been luncheon meetings at the home of various members. The hostess prepares the luncheon for which the club members are assessed by the year. The performance of the regular business, discussions of money raising, and the interesting reports from the Settlement School are read at these meetings.

Besides the four meetings mentioned above, we had a series of all day meetings, about a dozen of them, at which we sewed rags and crocheted rugs. These were sold, along with some baskets from the Settlement School to raise our gift of \$100 to that Pi Phi institution of which we grow more justly proud year by year. These meetings have been very enjoyable.

During the year the treasurer sent \$5 to the Fellowship fund.

As celebration of our Founders' Day we were entertained at luncheon at the Pekin Country club by Mrs. Minnie Black. After lunching we continued our rug making.

We intend during the summer, to fill some rug orders that were given us during the sale.

Miss Melba Quigley was our delegate at Convention and we are waiting for her report with great interest.

MARGARET H. TRIEBEL

SPRINGFIELD ILLINOIS ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1917

President—Mrs. Frank Houghton, 106 So. Glenwood.

Vice-president—Mrs. Homer P. MacNamara (Mabel Cowdin), 216 East Cook St. Illinois E, '08.

Secretary—Mrs. A. E. Stoddard (Jeanette Knapp, Iowa Γ, '17), 418 South 8th.

Treasurer—Mrs. Roger Chapin (Mildred Armstrong, Illinois E, '14), 1911 South 4th.

Resident Alumnae—12.

Members in Club—16.

Average Attendance—11.

During the fifth year of work of our club we have succeeded in having our very best year.

On July 25 we held our meeting at the Country Club, having a lovely luncheon served to us. Adding much to the pleasure of all present was the fact that Miss Amy Onken, our Grand President, could

be with us. She gave us a report of the Settlement School showing many kodak pictures taken of the school and its surroundings. Mrs. John Miller (Illinois Z '08), gave facts concerning our nearest chapter at Decatur, Ill.

The November meeting was held with Mrs. E. A. Sell (Illinois Γ, '84). A lovely afternoon was spent with Miss Elberta Smith (Illinois E, '03), in charge of the program on the Settlement School.

On November 21 the club gave a benefit bridge at the home of Miss Anna Armstrong (Illinois E ex-'15), the proceeds of which were placed in our Settlement School fund.

January 27 we met with Mrs. A. E. Stoddard (Iowa Γ, '17). Miss Elda Smith (Illinois E, '01), gave a most interesting talk on the Constitution and History, telling us about some of the Pi Beta Phis who have made wide reputations in the United States. The election of officers took place at this meeting.

Our club had a great treat for Founders' Day as we were asked to spend it with the Decatur club. A number of our girls went over and reported a most delightful time.

We wish to extend an invitation to all Pi Phis who reside in or near Springfield to membership in our club.

The July meeting will be the first meeting of the year 1922-1923.

JEANNETTE KNAPP STODDARD.

SHERIDAN ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1922

President—Lucille Wilcox Davis (Mrs. T. E.)

Vice-president—Ruth Evans Fleisher (Mrs. H. C.)

Secretary—Florence Taylor Shields (Mrs. Paul L.), Box 438, Sheridan.

Treasurer—Edith Cooper.

Resident Alumnae—8.

Members of Club—12.

Average Attendance—8.

Owing to the fact that only 8 of our members live right in Sheridan, it is very difficult for us to have a large representation at meetings.

Founders' Day was celebrated with a luncheon. While Dr. Grace Raymond Hebard was visiting in Sheridan this summer the club entertained for her at a luncheon.

We are glad that our new president, Mrs. Davis, who was married on August 18 is to stay here with us. We are extremely sorry to lose one of our members, Carrie Cooper, who is moving to California.

We extend best wishes to our sister clubs.

FLORENCE T. SHIELDS

ZETA PROVINCE

AMES, IOWA ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1901—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. E. A. Pattengill (Emma Wenholtz, Iowa Γ,) 504 Ash Ave., Ames, Iowa

Vice-president—Mrs. P. M. Shaffer (Zepherine Towne, Kansas B).

Secretary—Ida Adelaide Anders (Iowa Γ), 129 Ash Ave., Ames, Iowa.

Treasurer—Mrs. C. A. Iverson (Kathryn Keister, Iowa Γ).

Resident Alumnae—42

Active Members—35.

Average Attendance—15.

The Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club of Ames has had five regular meetings during the past year.

On October 7, twenty-six members of the Des Moines alumnae club were entertained at a picnic at the Maples, a delightful place on the Iowa State College campus.

Early in November the club entertained the active chapter and their rushees at a four course dinner at the home of Norma Lee Merrick. Active girls furnished music. By progressing between each course the members of the club were given the opportunity of meeting the new girls.

Our December meeting was in the nature of a luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Dodds. At the business meeting the report of the advisory committee was given. The committee met regularly with the active chapter for systematic fraternity study.

The program was in charge of the Settlement School Committee. Very interesting letters from the Settlement School were read.

Mrs. E. A. Pattengill was elected president of the Ames Panhellenic Association.

Our February meeting was a real cocky-shine at the home of Mrs. P. M. Shaffer. The program consisted of a study of the constitution and contemporary Greeks.

In March the club was entertained at luncheon by the Boone members at the home of Mrs. Otis. Officers were elected and plans were made for helping the active chapter prepare their exhibit for Convention.

We have had present at all meetings representatives from the active chapter. This helps us to keep in touch with them and gives them the opportunity of knowing their alumnae chapter.

Founders' Day was celebrated with a dinner at the Maples, the alumnae club entertaining the active girls. There were eighty-three present; one of our guests was Mrs. Clara Payne of Des Moines, a member of the first Iowa Gamma chapter. An interesting program followed the luncheon, including greetings from our Grand Vice-president and from several of the founders of Pi Beta Phi sent in answer to the greetings from our club.

In March a bridge party for the benefit of the Settlement School was given at the chapter house. There were twenty-five tables. There was also a food sale and baskets and linens from the Settlement School were sold. In all, our donation to the Settlement School was \$53.13.

The Annual Senior Alumnae breakfast will be the morning of June 11, Commencement Day. We are planning with great enthusiasm for the breakfast for the Pi Phis on the Convention Special which will be here three hours Sunday morning, June 24. The breakfast will be given at the chapter house and then our guests will be taken over the campus.

Mrs. Spring spent two days in Ames in April and we had luncheon with her one of these days. A few weeks later we had the pleasure of entertaining Mrs. Dowell from the Settlement School at dinner.

The past year has been a most delightful one in all respects.

BURLINGTON ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1906—CHARTERED 1906

President—Mrs. W. F. Weibley (Ethel Cowan), 616 Court St.

Vice-president—Mrs. Walker Hanna (Trevia Crabbe).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Leon Noe!ke (Laura Hersom), 1521 Remey Ave.

Recording Secretary—Edythe Beard.

Treasurer—Mrs. P. G. Lang (Cora Wedick).

Resident Alumnae—23.

Active Members—23.

Average Attendance—20.

CEDAR RAPIDS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1915—CHARTERED 1916

President—Mrs. John A. Reed (Sabra Clark) Iowa Z, 616 S. 6th St., West.

Vice-president—Lavina Forsythe, Iowa S.

Secretary—Mrs. E. G. Nichols, (Neva Kinser) Iowa B, 2406 Meadowbrook Drive.

Treasurer—Mrs. E. W. Spence, Iowa A.

Resident Alumnae—24.

Active Members—15.

Average Attendance—12.

Our meetings during the past year have been held the first Saturday afternoon of each month and have been preceded by a picnic luncheon. The year's program was very well planned and we found the meetings very interesting.

The club spent Founders' Day in Iowa City as the guests of the alumnae and active chapter. We completed our year with the annual family picnic in June.

Our Chapter is very sad over the death of one of our most loyal members, Emma H. Forsythe.

We are looking forward to a very pleasant and profitable year which begins with our September meeting.

NEVA KINSER NICHOLS

DES MOINES ALUMNAE CLUB

President—Mrs. F. W. Fordyce (Gertrude Preston, Minnesota A), 1087 45th Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

Vice-president—Mrs. William O. Byington (Mary Moss, Iowa Z).

Treasurer—Mrs. James A. Dougher (Marian Grimes, Virginia A).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Harold West (Helen Secor, Iowa A).

Corresponding Secretary—Grace E. Gabriel (Iowa Z).

Resident Alumnae—78.

Membership of Club—46.

Average Attendance—25.

The year just closed was an active and successful one for the Des Moines Club. Our enthusiasm has been the Settlement School and our privilege, the visits of two grand officers.

We have followed our rule of meeting the first Saturday of each month. The October meeting was omitted, as we at that time went to Ames as the guests at a luncheon of the Ames Club. Our April meeting was a guest day musical, and at our June meeting we entertained husbands at a picnic dinner. At these three meetings all business was omitted. In February we had a pot-luck luncheon followed by bridge, and for Founders' Day, our May meeting, a reading of that interesting play showing the method and manner of our founders. At both meetings business was given a place. In addition the club gave a rushing luncheon in September, a luncheon for Mrs. Spring in April, and one for Miss Keller in June.

We continued the plan this year of earning money for some definite need at the Settlement School. We purchased the dental chair at a cost of about \$65, and then sent at the close of the year in March \$263.32 to be applied on seats for the auditorium, though at the request of Miss Miller the amount was applied otherwise. Since March we have earned about \$125 to start next year.

Our money came chiefly through sales of various articles, as Christmas cards \$71.94, fraternity seals \$16.28, paring knives \$28.50, hand tufted bed spreads \$32.75, aluminum ware \$10, and our larg-

est amount from jasmine blossoms, about \$110. In addition Mrs. Howe continues to sell baskets, and each member is assessed Settlement School dues of one dollar or more. For each item mentioned above, as a rule, some person makes herself responsible and others assist. Mrs. Grefe, our Settlement School committee chairman, and Mrs. Howe, our special treasurer for the school, have their full share of the work.

Mrs. Spring delighted us by telling us very informally many interesting details about the school. Since our report is late, we are closing our year with the spirit of convention. We enjoyed Miss Keller's visit and were thrilled by helping give breakfast at Ames for those on the Convention Special. Now we are waiting with interest our fall meetings and a report of convention.

GRACE E. GABRIEL

INDIANOLA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1901—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. William Buxton Jr., (Anna McLaughlin, Iowa B),
500 E. Salem Ave.

Vice-president—Miss Nellie Ogg, Iowa B.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. E. C. Harlan (Madge Peasley, Iowa B), 309 E. Salem Ave.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Louis Latta (Anita Bloom, Iowa Z).

Treasurer—Mrs. Frank Piffer (Marie Sheets, Iowa B).

Resident Alumnae—37.

Active Members—33.

Average Attendance—25.

The Indianola Alumnae Club has had a busy and active year's work. Our first meeting was a luncheon in September, where we planned what we might do to help our active chapter with their rushing and also listened to a most interesting report from the house committee, who had done so much during the summer to make the chapter house attractive for the girls' return.

The meetings for the year have been a luncheon each month except in December when we were all busy preparing numerous articles for the Settlement School Bazaar. At our luncheons we have four girls from the active chapter, who tell us of what they are doing and in this way we keep in close touch with our chapter. The luncheon fee is turned over to the Settlement School Treasurer. We have varied and interesting programs at each meeting. There is always a review of the Arrow; a study of the Constitution and one meeting is given over to our Settlement School Work. Founders' Day was celebrated at the chapter house with the Pi Phis in the neighboring towns as our guests.

We have had three things that have demanded all our time and efforts this year—our Settlement School, our active chapter and the \$2,000.-000 Endowment drive, our college successfully put over.

We had a benefit moving picture show and bazaar for the Settlement School from which we cleared \$225. The Alumnae gave the girls a beautiful Victrola and our chapter subscribed to the campaign fund.

In June during Commencement, we had our annual breakfast at the home of Miss Harriet Scroggs. There we were happy to have with us all the visiting Pi Phis, our patronesses and the mothers of our Senior girls. We disbanded for the summer but all are anxious to meet again in September when we take up our work for the betterment of our Settlement School, the active chapter and our college.

MADGE PEASLEY HARLAN

IOWA CITY ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1905—CHARTERED 1909

President—Mrs. H. F. Wickham (Fannie Thompson, Iowa E),
911 Iowa Ave., Iowa City, Iowa.

Vice-president—Mrs. J. J. Hinman (Charlotte Loveland, Iowa Z),
Melrose Ave., West Side, Iowa City, Iowa.

Resident Alumnae—25.

Active Members—12.

Average Attendance—12.

During the past year our club has met regularly to take care of alumnae matters and to help our active chapter in all possible ways. In the beginning of the year we held our meetings at four o'clock, serving refreshments at the close. Our attendance being rather poor we changed to a twelve o'clock luncheon followed by a business meeting. Many people found it more convenient to attend at the noon hour than later in the day.

Our club sold Settlement School baskets during the year. The baskets were very attractive and also useful, and all who saw them were eager to buy. In April we held a food sale to raise money to add to the Building Fund of our active chapter, since the girls are soon looking forward to a home of their own.

Founders' Day was celebrated with the active chapter Saturday, April 28. About sixty attended the banquet held at the Hotel Jefferson. Our toast program consisted of the Pi Beta Phi Library, with Mrs. A. W. Schlesinger, (Elizabeth Bancroft, Ohio B), acting as librarian. The volumes of the library dealt with house building plans. Little booklets containing the menu and list of toasts cleverly carried out the idea, being in the form of a gate beyond which a house was visible. Many alumnae from Cedar Rapids and other neighboring towns returned to be with us at this enjoyable affair.

The last meeting of the year was held Monday, May 14. The business of the year was concluded and our contribution to the Settlement School and Fellowship Fund was sent in. Each member present at this meeting pledged an amount to add to the chapter's Building Fund. With this fund growing larger and larger we hope within the coming years Iowa Z may be located in a real Pi Phi home of its own.

FLORENCE BRADLEY

KANSAS CITY ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1903—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. F. C. Irion (Clarabel Denton), 3926 Holmes St.

Vice-president—Mrs. C. M. Clifton (Lella Gray)

Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. L. Winn (Gertrude Shepherd).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Thornton Cooke (Emily Hulme), 3723
Wyandotte St.

Treasurer—Mrs. Wallis Wilson (Bertha Lukens).

Resident Alumnae—121.

Members of Club—80.

Average Attendance—50.

SAINT LOUIS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1909—CHARTERED 1909

President—Kathleen Lucy (Missouri B), 4048a Lafayette, St. Louis, Mo.

Vice-president—Meredith McCargo, (Missouri B).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. F. Wiederholt (Dorothea Frazier, Missouri B).

Corresponding Secretary—Marie Stifel (Missouri B), 4967 West Pine,
St. Louis, Mo.

Treasurer—Dorothy Jackes (Missouri B).
 Resident Alumnae—110.
 Active Members—53.
 Average Attendance—25.

The Saint Louis Alumnae Club has held monthly meetings throughout the year, the programs being in charge of groups of members selected according to classes. Book reviews, musical or stunt programs followed the business part of the meetings. In addition to these regular meetings several cooky-shines were held in conjunction with the Missouri B Chapter in order to give the alumnae an opportunity of meeting the active girls and the pledges.

Settlement School donations from the Club for the year amounted to \$1,000. The money was raised by the sale of Christmas cards, benefit bridge, and personal contributions. The bridge, which was held in one of Saint Louis' newest and largest hotels, was most successful and attracted many people interested in college activities.

Our Founders' Day banquet was held on April 28 and was attended by 105 Pi Phis. It was one of the largest banquets we have ever had. The evening's program consisted of a number of very clever speeches and a short dramatic presentation. At a business meeting a few weeks after the banquet the officers for the coming year were elected and the present year will be closed with a cooky-shine early in June. Graduating members of the active chapter will be guests of honor at this June meeting in an endeavor to interest them in the club's activities.

NORMA E. BURGEE

SIoux CITY ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1914—CHARTERED 1914

President—Clarice Lytle, (Ill. E).
 Vice-president—Mrs. E. J. Harrington, (Elizabeth Lutz, Iowa Z).
 Secretary—Mrs. C. F. Sanborn, (Tilen Torstenson, Iowa F), 3733 7th Ave

Treasurer—Mrs. W. S. Crouch, (Mary Byrkit).
 Resident Alumnae—13
 Members of Club—13
 Average Attendance—10

Although our club is small, we continue to think about and take an active interest in everything pertaining to Pi Phi. We hold our meetings each month, usually at the homes of the members. This year however, we have held several luncheons which we find very successful.

At one luncheon we entertained two representatives from the Z X Δ sorority at South Dakota University, which club is petitioning Π Β Φ. Two of our club members have been their guests, and returned with such favorable reports that our club has decided to endorse the chapter. Being the nearest alumnae club we have been greatly interested in their petition.

The active Pi Phis who were in the city during Easter vacation were entertained by the club at a tea at the home of Mrs. Robert Barr.

We raised money for the Settlement School and Fellowship Fund through a bridge benefit. We hope to make the affair an annual event. Our Founders' Day celebration will be a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mrs. Wm. E. Cody. The plans of the club for the summer are usually rather indefinite, but we always look forward to several informal gatherings.

TILEN TORSTENSON SANBORN

SPRINGFIELD (MISSOURI) ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1914

President—Mrs. DeVerne Cary Houston (Caroline Harrison), 611 East Delaware St., Springfield, Mo.

Vice-president—Mrs. Bert Keer Waits (Jewell Jones).

Corresponding Secretary—Julia Margaret King, 921 East Walnut St., Springfield, Mo.

Treasurer—Aileen Louise Stephenson.

Recording Secretary—Lillian Temperance Fuson.

Resident Alumnae—47.

Members of Club—42.

Average Attendance—30.

This past year our club has had ten regular meetings, each one having been held the first Friday of every month. The Settlement School was the subject of one meeting, the history and constitution of ΠΒΦ of another, and at one we discussed health. April 28, the alumnae club and the active chapter of Missouri Γ celebrated Founders' Day with a banquet at the Sansone hotel, at which affair about 75 were present. Cooky-shines were very popular and well-attended, and the club had several of them during the winter. Christmas week we had a luncheon at one of the hotels for all Pi Phis who were in town at the time, and over 100 attended.

Our gift to the Fellowship Fund this year was \$10, to the Loan Fund \$5, and to the Settlement School \$100. In order to raise money for the School, the members of the club sold Christmas cards and Settlement School baskets, and in April held a bake sale. Aside from contributing to these three funds, we assisted the Greene County Health Association during the year by supplying clothes for poor families, that were being aided by the association.

In June, Drury College celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its founding, and about 20 out-of-town Missouri Γ Pi Phi Alumnae came back for the reunion at Commencement. It meant a great deal to all of us to have them here, and in their honor the alumnae club entertained with a spread in the chapter rooms. There were eighty-five present, including the visitors, the active chapter and patronesses, and the members of the club.

The active chapter and the alumnae club have become very well acquainted this year. Two active girls always attend our meetings, and one or more of the alumnae are present at the meeting of the chapter each week.

Mrs. Houston was our president last year and Lillian Fuson our secretary, and both were re-elected. The plan suggested by our Province president of holding at least two officers in office for two consecutive years has been adopted. This will make Mrs. Houston's fourth term as president of our club, the other two terms being the years of 1918-19, and 1919-20.

LILLIAN FUSON

ETA PROVINCE

BOULDER ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1912—CHARTERED 1921

President—Mrs. Frank Wolcott.

Secretary—Mrs. Lowell White.

Treasurer—Charlotte Burgess, 2017 17th St.

Resident Alumnae—35

Members of Club—22

Average Attendance—15

The Boulder Alumnae Club had a very interesting year. We held our

meetings once in each month at homes of various members. A program was planned to take place after the business meeting. This program was varied by having talented members of the active chapter take part. Different members of the senior class of the active chapter were invited to these meetings.

Money was raised for the Settlement School by means of a rummage sale. From the proceeds of this sale \$75 were sent to the Settlement School and \$10 to the Fellowship Fund.

Members of the Boulder alumnae club in common with seven hundred other Pi Phis who were fortunate enough to attend the convention at Estes Park, returned home with an inspiration and desire to do bigger things for Pi Beta Phi.

Approximately one hundred Pi Phis from the various sections of the country attended the post-convention tea given them by the Boulder alumnae club at the Colorado Alpha chapter house.

Laura Louise White

CASPER ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1917—CHARTERED 1917

President—Mrs. Fred Newman (Tessa Langheldt), 734 South Wolcott St., Casper, Wyo.

Vice-president—Mrs. Cecil Bon.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. S. G. Neff (Norah Banner), 541 South Beech St., Casper, Wyo.

Treasurer—Gladys Hasbrouck, Box 1136, Casper, Wyo.

Resident Alumnae—25

Members of Club—25

Average Attendance—18

The Casper alumnae club has finished another year with a few old members gone and several new ones added. The new members are Mrs. E. H. Foster (Jean Cleveland, Colo. B); Mrs. P. G. Weidmer, (Louise Birch, Mo. B); and Mrs. Stanley Greenbaum, (Doris Houser, Wyo., A), who are now living in Casper; Meredith Langheldt, Wyo. A, Sara and Drusilla Stewart, Colo. B, who have been teaching here this year; and Lois Longshore, Colo. A, who is in the county clerk's office.

At the first meeting of the year four active girls from Wyoming A visited the club and told us of their plans for the year. Several of our members have signed notes to help Wyoming A pay for their new house. Our gift to the chapter this year was a dozen dinner napkins which we hemmed at the meeting before Christmas.

We have had papers and discussions on the Settlement School, the constitution, and the changes made in it at the last convention.

Our Settlement School contribution was raised by assessment. Our annual Founders' Day meeting and cooky-shine was held May 7. The main event of the evening was the receipt of the charter which we have been expecting ever since our organization.

Pi Phis have taken an active part in the local Panhellenic association. Because of our number we entertain by ourselves each year at one of the teas.

No plans have been made yet for our annual summer picnic. We hope to have several representatives at Estes Park in June.

Mildred Keith

CHEYENNE ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1922—CHARTERED 1923

President—Serafina Fascinelli Bon (Wyoming A).

Vice-president—Mrs. James True (Laura Beyer).

Secretary—Mrs. Tracey McCracken (Lillian Davis), Jensen Apts., Cheyenne, Wyo.

Treasurer—Ethel Nimmo.

Resident Alumnae—18

Members of Club—18

Average Attendance—14.

Our Alumnae Club has held regular meetings the second Tuesday of every month. Non-business meetings are spent socially and in discussing topics of the day. Owing to the club being so newly organized, each member contributed personally to the Settlement School fund. Next year we are planning to give benefit parties and in this way contribute more to the fund. The only chapter in Wyoming is at Laramie, sixty miles from Cheyenne, so we cannot have the cooperation of a local chapter.

Mrs. Fraser, our Province President, stopped over between trains on her way to Laramie and we enjoyed a short visit with her.

The active chapter and alumnae club of Laramie invited us over to celebrate Founders' Day with them, and we were very pleasantly entertained. At present we are busy planning two rushing parties for the girls who are leaving for school in the fall.

We are looking forward to convention at Estes Park.

JOSEPHINE MULLEN

DENVER ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1895—CHARTERED 1910

President—Mrs. J. H. McRoberts, (Catherine Cander, Colorado A) 955 Adams St.

Vice-president—Mrs. Albyn Blake, (Aleda Kelly, Colorado A).

Corresponding Secretary—Margaret Hall, (Colorado B) 1234 Downing St.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. P. Plettner, (Maude Brown, Michigan B) .

Panhellenic Representative—Lucile Drinkwater, (Colorado A).

Panhellenic Alternate—Mrs. Albyn Blake.

Advisory Board for Colorado B—Mrs. A. B. Trott, (Lena Harper, Colorado B), Mrs. Golding Fairfield, (Ula King, Colorado B).

Resident Alumnae—186

Members of Club—66

Average Attendance—40

The Denver Alumnae Club has had a most enthusiastic year of work and pleasure. With the joy of anticipating the all-important event, the convention, our work has been done with the greatest enthusiasm. We hope that all Pi Phis have taken as much pleasure in planning to come "Out Where the West Begins" as we have in looking forward to their arrival.

We have had a meeting each month this winter, with the exception of December. Two of the meetings were preceded by luncheon. The others were held in the afternoon and followed by an informal tea. At the first meeting, it was voted to raise our dues from \$1.50 to \$2, with the hope of avoiding assessments for so many unforeseen purposes. At each meeting everyone has been assessed ten cents for a scholarship or contingent fund.

In October we had a shower for the Settlement School, and everyone came laden with bundles and spent the afternoon in making scrapbooks for the kiddies, so that we might help to brighten their Christmas. At the same meeting pledges were taken for contributions for the Needle-work guild.

The November meeting was filled with plans for the rummage sale, which proved most successful, for we cleared \$75.71 in one day. Some of the Colorado B girls met with us that time to discuss plans and to ask

help in selling tickets for their musical comedy, "Leave it to Jane," which was given at the leading theater in the city. Some of the money from this production was given to the Settlement School and the rest helped to buy furniture for their bungalow.

At our January meeting, Mrs. Spring, the Arrow editor, was with us. She was so inspiring and told us so many interesting things about the Settlement School that many pledges were made.

In April we again helped the girls of Colorado B. This time by giving a card party to raise money to furnish the bungalow. We were well rewarded by our efforts and we hope now that the appearance of the bungalow will be more of a credit to Pi Phi. We have discussed the advisability of the active girls having the alumnae mothers, but not wishing to be too presuming, we concluded that it was best for the active girls to decide for themselves, for if that was their desire, it would certainly be our pleasure to be of assistance at any time. We had the largest attendance in April, for it had been designated as the convention meeting. It was unanimously voted that we extend an invitation to the visiting Pi Phis to have breakfast with us Monday morning, after they arrived in Denver. Our president, Miriam Bingham, was chosen for our delegate to the Convention, and Mrs. L. K. Robinson, the alternate.

On April 28 about sixty of us went to Boulder and helped celebrate Founders' Day at the chapter house, where the girls served a delicious buffet luncheon. Mrs. Louise K. Spratlen, (Martha Wilson, Colorado B) was elected State President for the coming year.

Needless to say our last meeting was filled with final plans for the convention, the meeting of trains, the breakfast in Denver, and the box lunch enroute from Denver to Estes Park. This summer we are to assist Panhellenic in giving a luncheon every Tuesday at the Denver Dry Goods tea room. This is being done especially for visiting girls. Officers for the coming year were elected, and this meeting ended a most successful year of work under the guidance of our very capable president, Miriam Reid Bingham.

Our total amount sent to the Settlement School was \$215. Our Fellowship Fund check was \$20 this year, as last year the contribution was overlooked.

If there should be any visiting Pi Phis who might like our West well enough to remain after Convention, they can be assured that it will be our pleasure to welcome them as members of our Denver alumnae club next winter.

LUCILLE DRINKWATER

LAWRENCE ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1898—CHARTERED 1915

President—Carol Corkins Tenney (Mrs. W. E.)

Vice-president—Blanche Houston Smith (Mrs. Leo).

Secretary-Treasurer—Martha Mackie, 1941 Mass St., Lawrence, Kansas.

Active Members—45

Average Attendance—25

Our club has met about every six or eight weeks all winter. Most of the meetings were taken up with plans for our Founders' Day which was also the 50th anniversary of Kansas A. We sent out invitations to all our alumnae for the banquet and also many others as we had open house (at the chapter house) on the afternoon of the 28. The active chapter as well as the alumnae attended the banquet. About 150 persons were there. Included were two of our charter members, Miss Hannah Oliver and Flora Richardson Coleman. We were very proud to have them with us. Mrs. Coleman

came from California in time to celebrate with us, and we were delighted to have her. We owe a great deal to Miss Oliver for this interest and work that she did in regard to our Memorial. You see, we decided to give a memorial to the University, in honor of our 50th anniversary. It consists of two stone benches to be placed in an appropriate place on the campus. An engraved plate is to be put on each one. We expected to dedicate them on April 28, but could not do it as they were not finished. We hope to be able to do it during commencement week.

We collected \$27.50 at our banquet, for the Settlement School and before that we had sent in \$50, making a total of \$77.50 for the year. We also gave \$10 to the Fellowship Fund. Then all the donations for the Memorial were personal; so we considered it quite a successful year.

MARTHA MACKIE

LINCOLN ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1914

President—Mrs. R. E. Weaverling, (Beatrice Moffett, Nebraska B), 2420 Park Ave., Lincoln, Nebraska.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. J. E. Kirshman, (Margaret B. Stanton, Wisconsin A), Station A., Lincoln, Nebraska.

Resident Alumnae—41.

Members of Club—32.

Estes Park is the rendezvous of Lincoln people in the summer time; our Pi Phis who are there then in June of this year feel at home and are glad they can welcome others of our fraternity to this wonderful playground. We expect to have a fine spirit next year in our alumnae meetings because of the inspiration so many will personally have gained through contact with you who come from other parts of the country.

Our year has been a good one; every first Saturday of the month we met for luncheon at the home of some member; two active girls were always invited; there we concocted all that happened during the year. We had cooky-shines, Christmas tree stunts, and a Founders' Day reunion with the active girls, besides the banquet in June when so many alumnae returned for the University gatherings. We gave a rose dinner rushing stunt for the active girls in the fall, and, as is our custom, helped with the work at all other times. In the spring we again helped with a rushing luncheon given in the lovely new home of Mrs. N. C. Rogers (Marie Meeker).

To the house this year we gave pillows and flower vases. To the Pi Phi Scholarship Fund we gave \$5. Melinda Stuart constantly keeps up our interest in the Lincoln Alumnae Club.

To the Settlement School we gave our customary \$15 from the treasury; earned over \$160 through the sale of baskets and cake-boards, collected quarters from the girls attending the monthly luncheons, and raised the rest of the total of \$463.20 through personal subscriptions. I am sure Melinda could account for the largest personal gift.

We have had some orders from away for our cake-boards. Let me repeat that these boards are just fine. They are made just right and have holes for placing the candles all around the cake. They sell for \$3. We can send them C. O. D. by parcel post. Fifty cents more will buy an enameled board. Every active chapter should have one and if a Pi Phi has a family she just can not afford to miss this offer. Our boards, like the phonograph records are ready for you and the proceeds go to the Settlement School. Write Mrs. H. I. Kirkpatrick, 1952 Euclid, Lincoln, Nebr., and she will see that one is sent at once.

There are 41 Pi Phis in Lincoln who should be active; nine of these do not pay dues; nine, but not the same nine, belong to other chapters than

Nebraska B as follows: one each from Pennsylvania F, Texas A, Oregon B, Indiana A, Iowa A and three from Iowa F.

We send greetings to you all; we are sorry the special train to convention did not go through Lincoln; we are proud to live in the heart of the great granary of the United States.

MARGARET STANTON KIRSHMAN

OMAHA AND COUNCIL BLUFFS ALUMNAE CLUB

CHARTERED 1906

President—Mildred McFarland Bailey (Mrs. Russell), 120 North 43rd Ave., Omaha, Neb.

Vice-president—Mrs. G. A. Seabery.

Secretary—Laura Myers Johnson (Mrs. Leslie F.), 3802 North 17th St., Omaha, Neb.

Treasurer—Mrs. J. C. Martin.

Omaha and Council Bluffs Alumnae Club have had an exceptionally interesting year recruiting new Pi Phis in Omaha and Council Bluffs and adding them to our list as Pi Phis in urbe. We have an active list of 42 members and 15 inactive or associate members. Our chapter members cooperate with real spirits in all things.

Last summer, we alumnae helped the Lincoln girls with their rushing of new Omaha girls, to the extent of three parties. We have been having monthly luncheons where we get well acquainted with each other. Our chapter is divided into groups of six each. Every month one group entertains at luncheon the entire chapter either at a home of one of the entertaining committee or at a local club.

We were planning an evening benefit bridge party to be held the first Saturday evening after Lent in order to raise a fund for Settlement School, but in view of the fact that four other benefit parties were to be held that same week, we decided to postpone ours until some future date when less competition would be met. We may, however, make other plans for raising money, since benefit bridge parties have been much overworked in Omaha. We will have a "Dutch" treat cooky-shine luncheon for Founders' Day.

Our chapter is very proud of the high scholarship standard Nebraska B is aiming to hold in the University this year. This big sister alumnae chapter always takes pride in high scholarship and we hope to make our next annual gift to the chapter even more pleasing.

We are all planning to be at the station to meet the Pi Phi convention train as it goes thru Omaha, and probably several of our members will join the happy crowd of girls going on to Estes Park.

LAURA MYERS JOHNSON

PUEBLO ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1915—CHARTERED 1915

President—Wave Richardson Luqueer (Mrs. F. A.), 2105 Greenwood.

Vice-president—Edna Hill Taylor (Mrs. F. L.)

Secretary and Treasurer—Katherine Duce Stickney (Mrs. William), 101 East Ormar.

Resident Alumnae—22.

Members of Club—22.

Average Attendance—18.

KATHERINE DUCE STICKNEY

TOPEKA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1914—CHARTERED 1920

President—Mrs. T. F. Doran, 125 Western Ave., Topeka, Kansas.

Vice-president—Mrs. W. T. Beck, Holton, Kansas.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. W. L. Gardner, 417 Woodlawn, Topeka, Kan.

Resident Alumnae—10.

Members of Club—22.

Average Attendance—8.

The past winter the Topeka Alumnae Club has had luncheon the second Thursday of each month, at the University Club. Four of these luncheons mark our business meetings and have been very pleasant and profitable to all. During the winter we had the pleasure of having Miss Madge Bullene, Lawrence, Kansas, with us twice, and Mrs. M. A. Alt, (Elfie Dean, Kansas A) Daushee, Utah—who was visiting her parents here—with us for one meeting. Our fifth and last meeting, May 10, we motored to Holton, Kansas, and spent the day with Mrs. Beck in her beautiful home.

For the benefit of the Settlement School we purchased \$75 worth of the work of different kinds made at the school, and sold the same at a profit of \$10. One of the stores not only gave us window space to display the goods, but allowed us to sell over their counters and helped us in every way to make the sale a success; the posters and goods in windows for a week made a splendid advertisement for Settlement School of Pi Beta Phi. In addition to this we sent the school \$10.

Founders' Day was celebrated with the Lawrence chapter—their Golden anniversary. We are sending Miss Ernestine Biby as our delegate to convention this summer.

EMMA WHITE MILLS

THETA PROVINCE

DALLAS ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1915

President—Mrs. R. C. Foster (Dora Beggs), 2734 Throckmorton St., Dallas.

Vice-president—Mrs. L. B. Milam (Grace Hill).

Vice-president—Mrs. E. E. Alger, 4419 Hall St., Dallas.

Treasurer—Mrs. F. Burch (Branda Tatum).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Richard Minter (Lulu C. Turner).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Huling P. Robertson, Jr. (Willie Pegram, 4500 Swiss Ave., Dallas.

Resident Alumnae—61.

Members of Club—30.

Average Attendance—25.

The Dallas Alumnae Club has had an interesting and successful year under the most efficient leadership of its enterprising and energetic president, Mrs. R. C. Foster.

Meetings have been held once a month throughout the year at the home of one of the members of the club. The form of entertainment, whether luncheon, bridge or musical, being left to the discretion of the hostess.

Just as last year the two most important objectives of the club have been the Settlement School and the active chapter, Texas B, at Southern Methodist University.

For the Settlement School money has been raised by means of a Christmas bazaar which netted \$100 from the sale of articles made and contributed by alumnae club members and the sale of baskets, brooms and rugs sent from the Settlement School. A large bridge tournament given in the late spring cleared \$135.

The advisory board worked in perfect harmony with the active chapter

and through it the alumnae club and active chapter were brought into closer touch with much cooperative work accomplished.

A gold Pi Phi recognition pin is given each year by the alumnae club to the Pi Phi freshman of the active chapter making the highest grades. Another action taken by the club was the decision to present a silver loving cup which is to go to the sorority in Southern Methodist University having the highest scholarship each year.

Founders' Day meeting was a very delightful one. The club entertained the active chapter with a cooky-shine held at the University gymnasium and the active chapter staged a rare treat in vaudeville which united sixty Pi Phis in peals of laughter and thrills of surprise.

One alumnae member, Mrs. F. T. Buss, is giving much of her time to volunteer work with the Child Guidance Clinic. Through her suggestion every week during the summer two members from the active chapter and three club members are giving some recreation entertainment to the children from the Clinic. During the winter the active chapter and the club hope to cooperate in some way to continue this work.

At the July meeting a most interesting account of the convention was given by the alumnae club appointed delegate, former Theta Province President, Mrs. Charles Kribs, Jr. She also announced that she had ordered Christmas card books the sale of which is expected to increase the Settlement School quota next year.

Dallas Alumnae Club sends greetings and best wishes to all Pi Phis during the coming year.

WILLIE PEGRAM ROBERTSON

FAYETTEVILLE-FORT SMITH ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1915—CHARTERED 1915

President—Ruth Morton, Arkansas A, 1214 Grand Ave., Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Clifford Harris (Naomi Kirkley), Oregon B.

Corresponding Secretary—Ruth McKinney, Arkansas A, 304 S. 13, Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Resident Alumnae—12.

Members of Club—13.

Average Attendance—9.

The Fayetteville-Fort Smith Alumnae Club meets at the homes of the various members once a month. We raised \$58 for the Settlement School by soliciting orders for Christmas cards. We had an Easter egg sale the week before Easter and cleared \$10. Our donation to the Fellowship Fund was \$5.

We celebrated Founders' Day with a cooky-shine at the home of Ruth Morton. The state convention is to be held here June 10 and 11 and now we are busy planning ways and means to entertain the guests. We are hoping that we will have a goodly number present.

RUTH MCKINLEY

HOUSTON ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1914—CHARTERED 1921

President—Helen Markle Townes (Mrs. J. C. Jr., Texas A), 4300 Montrose Blvd.

Vice-president—Pearl Stuckey Pratt (Mrs. Wallace, Kansas A).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Allan McKillop, Lucerne Apt., Eagle Ave.

Treasurer—Mrs. Ardon Judd.

Members of Club—28.

Resident Alumnae—29.

Average Attendance—20.

The past year's work of the club has been devoted entirely to the Settlement School, with the exception of a present to the active chapter at the state university of a dozen beautiful tea-cups with saucers. We sent the Settlement School a check for \$100 and a Victrola with a dozen records. The money for the presents was made by giving a public bridge party, with a charge of \$2 a table.

Our meetings are held only once a month, at the homes of the different members; after an hour of business we always have a social hour. On Founders' Day we held a lovely picnic at Herman Park.

We are planning to have meetings thru the summer, but of course will not be able to do much with the usual number of our members away for the vacation.

NAOMI CROSBY

NEW ORLEANS ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1919—CHARTER APPLIED FOR

President—Laura Kearney
Vice-president—Mrs. C. C. Henson
Secretary—Juanita Bass, 1216 Broadway.
Treasurer—Regina Janvier.
Resident Alumnae—120.
Members of Club—75.
Average Attendance—20.

In many ways the year of 1922-23 has been a successful one for the New Orleans alumnae. We have had four regular meetings, in addition to the banquet on Founders' Day. The meetings are generally held at the houses of the members, with three or four acting as hostesses. The March meeting, however, held at the chapter room of the Newcomb College chapter, was a very interesting one.

This year the club has contributed to the Settlement School, Fellowship Fund and Scholarship Fund of the fraternity. It has kept in closer touch than ever before with the girls of the active chapter.

As usual alumnae and actives celebrated Founders' Day with a delightful banquet at the Country Club. Earlier in the year, too, the alumnae and patronesses of the fraternity were guests of the active girls at a tea. Of course we are planning to send a delegate to Convention. The money for her expenses was raised by a rummage sale. We are expecting her to come back with many new ideas for the improvement of the club, that next year may indeed be a successful one.

JUANITA BASS

NORMAN ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1916—CHARTERED 1919

President—Mrs. Lewis Burns (Sammie McCall, Oklahoma A), Norman, Okla.
Corresponding Secretary—Julia Pendleton, 116 East Davis, Norman, Okla.
Treasurer—Irene Ambrister, Norman, Okla.
Active members—14.

The Norman Alumnae Club has held its regular meetings once a month with a good attendance at each meeting. The evenings were spent in a social way with bridge or sewing after the business had been transacted.

The alumnae club and active chapter have had unusually good co-operation this year. The vice-president of the active chapter and one other member attend each meeting. The chapter has also been greatly assisted by the various alumnae committees, scholarship, finance, and conduct.

On Founders' Day Oklahoma A active chapter, Oklahoma B active chapter and their alumnae and the Oklahoma alumnae club celebrated together at Oklahoma City. An informal reception was held before the banquet. The program consisted of different reading and vocal selections given by members from the clubs and active chapters.

Twenty-eight dollars was donated for the Settlement School.

Plans have been made for next year's work, and we hope that it will be a successful year.

JULIA PENDLETON

OKLAHOMA CITY ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1919—CHARTERED 1919

President—Louise Vedder, 229 West 9th Street, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Vice-president—Mrs. M. S. McEldowney.

Secretary-treasurer—Grace Lee.

Corresponding Secretary—Lucile Armstrong, 2921 Classen Blvd., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Members of Club—38.

Average Attendance—15.

The Oklahoma City Alumnae Club has held its meetings on the first Thursday of each month at three o'clock. This year we have enjoyed the use of a printed year book containing the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the club, date, place of meeting, subject to be discussed and hostess for each meeting. We begin our meetings with business and conclude them with a social hour and tea.

In November we had a Bazaar Tea in the home of Mary Louise Coates. Each member furnished three gifts which she had made. We also ordered baskets from the Settlement School. These sold so readily that we took orders and had a second shipment. The articles remaining at the close of the Tea were auctioned off to members of our Club.

We made \$200 and out of this we sent \$100 to the Settlement School and \$70 to local charities, \$25 of which went to the children's ward of the University Hospital, \$25 to the Putney Orphan's Home and \$20 to Dorothy Roarck, a girl whom the Oklahoma City Panhellenic is sending through high school. We also sent \$20 to the Oklahoma Alpha chapter and \$5 to the Fellowship Fund.

The sale of Christmas cards proved such a successful way of obtaining money that we have decided to try it again this year and start earlier.

Our February meeting was a bridge party given in the home of Mrs. J. C. Leonard. This was a very enjoyable affair and according to our custom several members who were mothers of new babies were presented with a spoon for the baby. In March we took an examination on the Constitution and History.

As usual our club, the Alpha and Beta Chapters, and the Norman Alumnae Club, joined in celebrating Founders' Day with a banquet at the Skirvin Hotel. The program consisted of vocal solos and readings, and a talk by our President.

The April meeting with the election of officers closed our year's work. We send greetings to all Pi Phis.

LUCILE ARMSTRONG

IOTA PROVINCE

EUGENE OREGON ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1920—CHARTERED 1921

President—Mrs. L. P. Hubbs (Julia Ferris, Gamma I. C.), 966 Oak Street, Eugene, Oregon.

Vice-president—Ethel Gaylord (Oregon Alpha).

Secretary—Mrs. Raymond Wheeler (Oregon Alpha), 921 Hilyard Street, Eugene, Oregon.

Treasurer—Mary Watson (Oregon Alpha).

Resident Alumnae—22.

Members of Club—19.

Average Attendance—11.

The regular meetings of the club are held on the second Saturday of each month from September until June. We have had five business meetings, one luncheon for members, one to which all the Pi Phi mothers were asked, and one for our bride of the year—Margaret Fell Bown. Our last business meeting will be held June 2, and we have planned one special meeting to entertain the seniors of Oregon A.

On February 7 the club gave a bridge tea at the home of Mrs. Carl Washburn (Narcissa Jewett, Oregon A) which netted over \$190. This was given to the active chapter for the house fund.

Our donation of \$50 to the Settlement School was raised by the sale of Mrs. Gutgesell's Christmas Cards. We expect to do much better this year as we will have two books to work with and plan to get started earlier. We also sent \$10 to the Fellowship Fund and have subscribed with the active chapter to a \$1000 gift to the \$10,000,000 Student Union fund of the University of Oregon.

Founders' Day was celebrated with the active chapter at a house breakfast.

Mrs. Eugene Tinker (Multnomah E. Wangelin, Colorado A) and Mrs. Kenneth Ables (California B) have both planned picnics for the active chapter and Alumnae Club during June.

Under the leadership of a committee of alumnae, the funds for the new chapter house for Oregon A have at last been raised, and though only the foundation is completed the girls make hourly pilgrimages to the lot to see how the house looks!

JULIA FERRIS HUBBS

PORTLAND ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1913—CHARTERED 1914

President—Mrs. C. L. Minahan (Margaret Jackson), 615 E. 65th N., Portland.

Vice-president—Mrs. W. C. Hurn (Gretta Williams).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Robert Ormond Case (Evelyn Smith), 634 E. 52nd St. N., Portland.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Chas. Thompson (Dale Cochow).

Treasurer—Mrs. Harold Broughton (Rita Fraley).

Resident Alumnae—75.

Members of Club—57.

Average Attendance—35.

With an increased membership and the closest of cooperation between members, the Portland Alumnae Club has just closed a most profitable and interesting year.

Two of the outstanding events of the year were the visits of Miss Onken and Mrs. Coolidge. Our visit with Mrs. Coolidge was necessarily short, but we enjoyed meeting her at the home of our president, Mrs. Geo. B. Guthrie, before the luncheon given in her honor by the Women's clubs of the city and attended by a large number of our members. We are so proud that she is a Pi Phi.

Miss Onken told us of many of the clubs and chapters she had just visited when we met with her at a buffet supper at Mrs. Guthrie's. Each one

present wished that she might have been with us longer and is looking forward to her next visit.

We have held six afternoon meetings at homes of the members and two luncheons at the University Club during the year. Active girls who were in town for vacations met with us at the September, March, December and June meetings.

Forty-six Pi Phis including a representative of Oregon A and one from Oregon B celebrated Founders' Day at a lovely banquet at the Multnomah Hotel April 28. Election of officers followed during a short business session.

In September, we gave a rushing party for our two Oregon chapters, and at Christmas the active girls and their guests entertained at a tea at the home of Mrs. Dean Vincent.

Both Oregon A and Oregon B are struggling so hard to own their own homes that we are anxious to help all we can. Each was given \$100 to apply on their building fund as birthday gifts from the Portland Alumnae Club.

The annual bridge tea given this year at the home of Mrs. John R. Turner for the benefit of the Settlement School was very successful in every way and added \$85 to the treasury.

Through the ceaseless efforts of Mrs. Frank L. Knight and her assistants, \$270 was realized from the sale of Christmas cards, \$145 from our rummage sale and \$41 from the sale of the Settlement School baskets, handled by Mrs. Burton Beck.

We were so glad to be able to give \$375 to the Settlement School, \$10 each to the Fellowship Fund and Student Loan Fund and \$5 to the Scholarship fund.

We also gave \$25 to the Portland Community Chest, filled two baskets with food and clothing for needy families at Christmas Time, led the various alumnae clubs of Portland with our contributions of \$150 to the Oriental College Fund and cooperated with the city and other organizations in putting across the annual Health Show.

Our plans for the summer include a luncheon in June at the country home of Mrs. H. L. Shepard, some form of entertainment for Pi Phi visitors at the A. A. U. W. convention here in July and a picnic for the next generation of Pi Phis and Pi Phi brothers in Laurelhurst Park in August.

We are looking forward to additional memberships from this year's graduating classes and hope the coming year will be bigger and better than the last.

If you are in or near Portland, please let us know. We want to know you and we think you will enjoy our meetings.

EVELYN SMITH CASE

PUGET SOUND ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1906

President—Mrs. Howard G. Fletcher (Susan B. Winton, Colorado B), 2003 Thirty-third Ave., South, Seattle, Wash.

Vice-president—Betty Dearborn (Washington A).

Secretary—Mrs. Walter Madigan (Marion Spelger, Washington A).

Secretary—Josephine McCleverty (Washington B), 1817 14th Ave., Seattle, Wash.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. F. Paddock (Hazel Wallace, Washington A).

Resident Alumnae—130.

Members of Club—89.

Average Attendance—45.

The Seattle alumnae association has just completed another successful year. The meetings have consisted for the most part of social gatherings to

raise money for the Settlement School and to swell the building fund of Washington A. Outstanding among these events were the bridge party given at the home of Dorothy Ehrlich and the musical tea given at the Women's University club. Both were financial as well as social successes.

On May 18, the alumnae club entertained the seniors of the active chapter with a breakfast at the Hotel Gowman. This custom of honoring the graduating Pi Phis was inaugurated several years ago so that now it is always part of the program.

The Founders' Day banquet was held on April 28, at the Hotel Sorrento. It was most impressive and proceeded with such snap and enthusiasm that it will long be remembered in $\Pi\Phi$ annals in Seattle. Inez Smith Soule, one of the beloved founders honored us by her presence. Pi Beta Phi came from Yakima, Tacoma, Everett, Bellingham and Bremerton to attend. About 125 were present. Great credit is due to Mrs. Frank H. Skinner (Cinna Downie) and her committee in making the banquet a success.

The last meeting of the year was in the form of a picnic at the home of Helen Rininger. It was attended by both the active chapter and the alumnae, and it served as a fitting close of a very busy year.

The Seattle alumnae club is greatly indebted to Mrs. Paul Cone (Harriet Phister, Washington B) for her untiring and efficient services as president of the club for the season 1922-23.

DOROTHY PRESLEY

SPOKANE ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1914—CHARTERED 1914

Corresponding Secretary—Vera P. Wickersham (Mrs. C. E.), 2315 W. 1st Ave.

Resident Alumnae—40.

Members of Club—30.

Average Attendance—15.

Due to illness in the homes of some of our officers our club did not get started in September as usual. Our first meeting was held in November when it was necessary to elect all new officers. Mrs. Eric Egge (Leona Doerr '19) was elected president and under her we have had a very busy and happy year.

During November we met each Friday to sew for the bazaar which we held in December to increase the Washington B Building Fund. At the January meeting we reviewed the Constitution.

We are now planning our Founders' Day Banquet to be held at the Davenport Hotel. At that time we expect to elect the officers for the coming year. We are arranging also for a benefit bridge party in May, the proceeds of which will be sent to the Settlement School. For our last meeting we plan to go to one of the amusement parks for a picnic. Our children will be the guests of honor.

VERA P. WICKERSHAM

THE INEZ SMITH SOULE ALUMNAE CLUB, TACOMA, WASH.

ORGANIZED 1919—CHARTERED 1919

President—Lida H. Peterman (Mrs. T. A.), Ansonia Apts., Tacoma.

Vice-president—Helen Richards Cook (Mrs. Arthur).

Secretary—Marguerite Bonnell, 603 No. Ainsworth, Tacoma.

Treasurer—Marion Lee Cromwell (Mrs. John B.)

Resident Alumnae—26.

Members of Club—23.

Average Attendance—14.

The reason for the successful existence of the Inez Smith Soule Alum-

nae Club are three fold, the Settlement School, the nearest chapter, and the intelligent collaboration which outstanding men and women of Tacoma have given at the monthly assemblies.

Little Pigeon is of course the chief *raison d'être* of the club. This year, for the support of the School, Mrs. Gutesell's Novelty Book was circulated and sixty-five dollars was cleared. Heretofore the spring drive has been concentrated on a large bridge tea but this year the social attractions of such an event were foregone and a rummage sale substituted. It will take place in May and all Tacoma Pi Phis are anticipating the donation of their winter wardrobe for the cause. Ten cents is collected from each member at the meetings, also a twenty-five cent taxi bill for all driving in Pi Phi cars to and from meetings. The same amount is given as a fine for an inexcusable absence. Many members personally raise money through original methods. In March, the Rotarians, who held a convention here, unwittingly contributed by having their payment for room and board in Pi Phi homes confiscated for the Fund. Ruth Sturley, a former teacher at Gatlinburg, conducts the program annually in the interests of Little Pigeon and re-creates our mental picture of the School.

Our second interest, the nearest chapter, is Washington A, at the University of Washington, in Seattle. Many of the alumnae sent needle work to the annual Bazaar at the Washington Annex in Seattle. The Holiday Tea held in Tacoma between Christmas and New Year was devoted to the active chapter. Eight girls were sent to meet the alumnae and tell of the problems and achievements. A new home is contemplated and a sum of money was voted to buy a bond to help the enterprise. At present we are raising money through special levy to present some gift.

The third element is the program presented monthly through interesting workers in many activities in town. A talk on Chinese rugs was given, with descriptions of the methods used and origins of symbols. "Artists and Their Personalities" was the title of the next paper which was read by a woman of long standing in Tacoma who for many years has sponsored the presentation of the "Artists Course" at the theatre. The young woman who leads the Federated Charities told of Social Service in Tacoma, blocking out local conditions and treating the subject cleverly. The head of a department in the Public Library read an unusual paper on the Selection of Books, a topic of timely interest as their budget is being diminished.

The Reunion of Seattle and Tacoma Pi Phis is our next move and the occasion is Founders' Day, when we proudly go with our own founder, Inez Smith Soule, to the Banquet.

HELEN RICHARDS COOK

THE FANNIE WHITENACK LIBBEY ALUMNAE CLUB OF YAKIMA, WASHINGTON

ORGANIZED 1921—CHARTERED 1922

President—Mrs. Fanny Whitenack Libbey.
Vice-President—Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall Jackson.
Secretary—Mrs. Charlotte Lum Clark.
Treasurer—Miss Grace Shrader.
.. Members of Club—20.

The club members meet for luncheon on the last Saturday of each month at the homes of the different members, with an average attendance of sixteen.

It is with a degree of real pleasure and satisfaction that special mention is made of the local presidency of Mrs. Fanny Whitenack Libbey, one of the honored founders of the fraternity at Monmouth College and whose interest and enthusiasm together with her ingenious personality has doubly

endeared her to all the membership. Her interesting conversation and the lively, instructive comparisons drawn from the troublous era of the Civil War as between our own span of memory makes us feel that we live almost in another world. Gettysburg, Atlanta, Lincoln, Grant and Sherman are far-flung words to us of Verdun, Harding and Coolidge. Is it any wonder that we are proud of the rare opportunity of associating with such a founder?

Mrs. HOWARD WILLIAMSON

KAPPA PROVINCE

LONG BEACH ALUMNAE CLUB ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1923.

President—Edith Riggins Williams (Mrs. T. W.), 629 Atlantic Ave.

Vice-president—Mary Miller Barnes (Mrs. C. D.)

Secretary—Louise Spaulding Malin (Mrs. Douglas).

Resident Alumnae—25.

Members of Club—20.

Average Attendance—15.

On April 14, 1923, twenty-four loyal Pi Phi's attended a cooky-shine at the home of Mrs. S. J. Spaulding, 547 E 4th St., Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Spaulding and her daughter, Mrs. Malin, acting as hostesses.

This local group voted unanimously to become an established Alumnae Club, affiliated with the national representation of I I B φ.

On May 19, 1923, fifteen members of the new club motored to Pasadena to attend a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Barnes' parents Prof. and Mrs. Miller. Mrs. Blanche Curtis, vice-president of Iota and Kappa Provinces, was the honor guest and told us of the requirements and duties of National Alumnae Clubs.

The application to Grand Council was signed by fifteen members. The club voted to hold regular meetings first Saturday of each month, excluding July, August, September and January, these months to be optional.

On June 2, a meeting was held in form of a picnic at Bixby Park. On July 10, Miss Julia Ellen Rogers held an informal tea at her home, where reports of Convention were given by several delegates.

Plans were made to have a series of benefit card parties for Settlement School Funds. Many of our local group subscribe generously to the Settlement School Fund through the Los Angeles Alumnae Club.

We are happy to be the 100th alumnae club of Pi Beta Phi.

Mrs. HUDSON D. WILCOX

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED 1906—CHARTERED 1913

President—Mrs. C. S. Dimm, (Dorothy Dukes, Cal. B.), 560 Key Blvd., Richmond Calif.

Vice-president—Mrs. W. R. Davis, (Maurine Bell, Cal. B.).

Recording Secretary—Mrs. W. F. Volberg, (Grace Zeigenfuss, Cal. B.).

Corresponding Secretary—Edith B. Corde, (Cal. B.), 2519 Parker St., Berkeley.

Treasurer—Mrs. S. E. Fraser, (Ada Gray, Cal. B.).

Resident Alumnae—100

Members of Club—76.

Average Attendance—25

The Northern California Alumnae Club reports holding nine business meetings. The club gave a card party for the benefit of the Settlement

School and assisted the active chapter with its annual bazaar for the California Building Fund. Both affairs were very successful. The organization entertained the chapter and prospective members with a formal tea during the rushing season.

The Northern California Alumnae Club is pleased to report the existence of keen enthusiasm in the club and bright prospects for the coming year.

TUCSON ALUMNAE CLUB
ORGANIZED 1916—CHARTERED 1920

President—Mrs. O. McPherson (Grace Parker, A), 450 N. Main St. Tucson, Ariz.

Vice-president—Miss Elizabeth Angle.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. H. Schwalen (Hazel McCoy).

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. A. M. Meyer (Florence Jackson) R. F. D. 1, Box 4

Treasurer—Miss Dorothy Franklin.

Resident Alumnae—32

Members of Club—28.

Average Attendance—15.

The Tucson Alumnae Club wishes to report a very successful year, which was started by a social meeting honoring the year's brides. This was a clothes pin shower given at the home of Mrs. George Kitt.

As a Christmas gift, the club presented the chapter house with eighteen silver knives, forks, and spoons, engraved with Pi Beta Phi.

Our contribution to the Settlement School this year was half the proceeds from a Mexican dinner, in which the active chapter participated. The girls served and entertained during the evening while the alumnae prepared the food. Each alumnae contributed 50 cents toward purchasing the food stuffs. This affair entailed a great deal of preparation as the only paid help was the dishwasher.

At the regular meetings this year each member paid the treasurer a small sum, which was known as the Flower Fund. In this way, the club was able to remember any of the local or visiting alumnae who were ill.

The celebration of Founders' Day this year, has been voted the most delightful affair the alumnae has attempted for some time. It was in the form of a banquet at a local hotel where we entertained the active Pi Phis and pledges. Our table was arranged as a U which allowed particularly advantageous positions for those on the program. Grace Parker McPherson presided. Edith Fallor Haynes addressed the active girls, and Doris Crepin responded with a real heart to heart toast to the alumnae. This was followed by a beautiful toast by Dorothy Franklin, "To Our Founders," and Jennie Fowler spoke in a most impressive way of the "Ideals of the Founders of Pi Beta Phi." This was followed by "The Founding of Arizona Alpha," given in the original poetry of Alice Eastman. We were very fortunate in having Mildred Tate Milton with us to tell of her experience in the Settlement School. She made it unusually interesting by exhibiting a basket made by "Aunt Lydia." Helen O'Malley gave two short readings and the program was concluded with the Anthem. Every Pi Phi went away from this celebration with a new inspiration and a greater love for the Founders of this national organization.

We extend most hearty greetings to other alumnae clubs and hope that we may all have a most profitable and successful future.

FLORENCE JACKSON MEYER

LOS ANGELES ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1906

President—Mrs. Donald E. Forker, (Captola Breyley) 290 South Coronado.

Vice-president—Mrs. Howard Berry, (Mary Magaw).

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Emmett Jones, (Helen Northmore).

Corresponding Secretary—Frances Henderson, No. 16 The Admiral, Long Beach, California.

Resident Alumnae—275.

Members of Club—66.

Average Attendance—60.

The Los Angeles Alumnae Club has just completed a most successful year. When Mrs. Parr, who has been our very efficient president for the past year, came into office, our treasury was sadly depleted; but not only have we closed the year with all bills paid, but also money in the treasury. We are all grateful to Mrs. Parr for her able leadership and untiring energy in working for the club.

With the opening of school last fall, the active chapter was faced with the problem of securing a new home, since the old Pi Phi house had been sold, and the new owners desired possession. It was a big problem, but through the combined efforts of the members of the active chapter and the alumnae club, we are occupying a lovely large house, desirable in every way, and are negotiating for the purchase of it. We are thoroughly proud of our chapter house, and it has been a great inspiration to us in raising money both for the purchase of it and for the extra furniture necessary. It was for the purpose of raising money for our house fund, that we held our Pi Phi bazaar, last December. Both the active chapter and the alumnae club worked for its success, and under the able supervision of Mrs. Donald Forker, (Captola Breyley, Wisconsin A), we cleared over \$800.

A little different procedure has been followed this past year in regard to our monthly meetings, which have taken the form of luncheons, at the chapter house, followed by business meetings in the afternoon. The hostesses for these various occasions have been chosen according to their provinces, thus simplifying the matter of grouping. A charge of 50 cents was made for the luncheon, and a hostess fee paid by each hostess on the day her province was in charge. This is one of the things that has put us on a firmer financial basis, since we were able to clear something on each of our meetings. The proceeds of one meeting went to the Settlement School, one to the active girls for house furnishings, and the balance into the treasury to care for our bills.

Our contribution to the Settlement School this year was \$567. Three hundred of this amount came from the sale of Christmas cards. Mrs. Pearson is the one to whom all credit is due for the selling of these, and she has given unsparingly of her time and energy to this matter.

It has always been a source of great inconvenience, that our phone number, until this past year, has been under the name of our chaperone, instead of Pi Beta Phi, due to the great extra expense of having it under our own name. The active chapter felt they could not take care of this difference, so at the first alumnae meeting last fall, it was decided that we would assume this obligation each month, and it has been a great joy not only to us resident Pi Phis, but more especially to the guests within our gates, to have our phone listed under our own name.

Our Founders' Day banquet this year was held at the new "Mary Louise," and was the most successful ever held. One hundred and sixty Pi Phis from Los Angeles and environs were present. The final affair of each

Pi Phi year is a picnic held in June. This year it was held in Little Griffith Park, and the officers for the coming year were installed at this time.

Miss Grace Post is our alumnae delegate to convention, and we are anticipating hearing her report at our first meeting this fall.

Altogether we feel that the past year has been a most satisfactory one and we are looking forward to making next year a worthy successor.

The Los Angeles Alumnae Club sends greetings to all her sister clubs

FRANCES HENDERSON

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA ALUMNAE CLUB

ORGANIZED AND CHARTERED 1919

President—Beatrice Richards, (Pennsylvania B), 411 Prescott Ave., Scranton, Pa.

Vice-president—Jean Hopwood, (Pennsylvania B).

Secretary—Mrs. T. S. Williams, (Evelyn Powell, (Pennsylvania B), 23 Newitt Place, Kingston, Pa.

Treasurer—Elizabeth Davis, (Pennsylvania B).

Resident Alumnae—18

Members of Club—15

Average Attendance—8.

During the past year, the Northeastern Pennsylvania Alumnae Club has experienced great difficulty in getting together and this year we hope to make our plans in such a way that there will not be so many conflicts between our dates and our individual engagements. We, however, held several delightfully interesting meetings.

In June, we had a very enjoyable picnic at Mrs. Shutts' cottage at Falls. We heard a report of Convention from Elizabeth Davis and were made to realize more fully what a truly national organization IIBΦ is.

In October we had our next meeting and gave to the members present the literature from Miss Reisinger. We all ordered our magazines through the agency and asked our friends to do the same. Plans were made for a chicken and waffle dinner at Harvey's Lake in November when we hoped to have more present. This dinner is very popular and promises to become an annual affair.

After the chicken and waffles had been consumed, we discussed plans for money-making and decided upon the sale of hair nets, candy and other products from our own hands, and kitchens rather than to solicit personal subscriptions, for the Settlement School.

The January meeting was a social one after which Mrs. Williams and Miss Hopwood entertained the members at dinner at the Hotel Sterling.

Founders' Day was celebrated at the Sterling on April 30. A business meeting followed the banquet, at which the new officers were elected and other business transacted. Settlement School contributions were paid and it was decided to add \$5.00 from the club treasury to our donation to the Settlement School.

Our last meeting of the year was held at Miss Watkin's home on May 26. We will have another picnic at Falls in June and then discontinue the meetings until next fall, when we will enter into the work of the club with new zeal and determination. We have grown in numbers and we surely ought to achieve greater things next year.

MARJORIE E. BUNNELL

ATLANTA ALUMNAE CLUB

President—Mrs. C. W. Nohl (Winona Wuertenbaecher, Mo. B) 3 Park Lane, Atlanta, Ga.

Vice-president—Mrs. F. M. Robinson (Laura Clapp, Iowa A).

Treasurer—Mrs. B. F. Crocker (Florence Carney, Col. A.)

Secretary—Mrs. Nellie B. Sears (Nellie Besore, Ill. Z.), 119 Park Drive, Atlanta, Ga.

Resident Alumnae—22.

Members of Club—13.

Average attendance—15.

A meeting each month during the winter brought the Pi Phi Alumnae together with a majority attendance. Because Atlanta is a fast growing city the membership is not at all stationary or unchanging and new members are constantly learning a new value in fraternity friendship.

Founders' Day came during Grand Opera week so the banquet, a luncheon at a downtown hotel, was held a week earlier. At that meeting \$5 was turned over to the Fellowship Fund and voluntary subscriptions of \$77.86 given towards the Settlement School. A bride, Mrs. Herbert Coons, entertained us at a tea in February. Our special meeting in April was a cooky-shine at the home of Mrs. Henry, hostess to Mrs. Brinkley, our Province President, who made us all feel like college girls again and whom we hope to have visit us in the future. In May when the roses were blooming, we drove out to East Lake to a picnic at Mrs. Burton's home. Election of officers was held and a "kitchen shower" for Dodo White who was married on June 20, to Mr. Robert Prichett McLarty, a young Atlanta attorney.

In appreciation of Mrs. Robinson's work as President and for many years director of the Atlanta Child's Home, her husband, who died in July, gave the site and building for the association's new home. In this work our alumnae will no doubt take an active part, though our chief interest is still the Settlement School. Gifts totaling over half a million dollars have recently been made by two Atlantians for education. Four colleges, Georgia Tech., Oglethorpe, Emory and Agnes Scott are practically in Atlanta.

Our sympathy also goes out to Mrs. Fitzhugh who has given up her work as psychology teacher at Agnes Scott because of the sudden death of her mother and sister as she was about to join them at the close of the school year. Sybil Callahan, after a year spent at Agnes Scott College, has gone back to Oklahoma to teach. We are happy, however, to welcome Mrs. Rhudy, a recent bride from Florida B, as a member for the coming year.

We hope to hear glowing reports of convention in the next Arrow and are only too sorry that some of us could not attend. Plans for the year are not yet outlined, but we foresee many interests crowding for our attention. With Mrs. Catt, Mrs. Coolidge, Mrs. Bestor and many other brilliant Pi Phis to lead us, our enthusiasm, sympathy and understanding will surely be broadened. With greetings to all Pi Phis,

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The Convention decided that the size of the Pi Beta Phi Mothers' and Brothers' pins as approved last year was not just right. The new size should be decided upon and samples approved by October 10th. We will then be glad to furnish prices and full information.

In the meantime the former size can be supplied if desired at prices previously quoted.

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OFFICIAL PRICE-LIST OF PI BETA PHI BADGES

All orders accompanied by check or money order must be sent direct to Miss Anne Stuart, Grand Treasurer, 1906 D St., Lincoln, Neb.

A—Official plain badge\$ 3.50

PRICES FOR JEWELS ADDITIONAL

B—Close set jeweled points .

3 Pearls, opals or garnets	\$ 1.00
2 Pearls, opals or garnets and 1 diamond	8.50
1 Ruby or sapphire	1.75
1 Emerald	1.25
1 Diamond	7.50
3 Diamonds	17.50

C—Crown set jeweled shaft. Pearls, opals or garnets..... 2.75

C—Crown set jeweled shaft.

Pearls, opals or garnets.....	4.00
Alternate pearls or opals and diamonds	27.00
Sapphires or rubies	9.00
Emerald	12.00
Alternate pearls and rubies or sapphires	7.75
Alternate diamond and emerald	31.25
Alternate sapphires or rubies and diamonds	29.50
Diamonds	50.00

Engraved point.....\$1.00

E—Raised settings on shaft.

Stones may be set diagonally if desired.

1 Pearl, opal or garnet	3.25
2 pearls, opals or garnets	5.75
3 Pearls, opals or garnets	8.25
1 Pearl or opal and 1 diamond	15.50
1 Pearl or opal and 2 diamonds	28.00
1 Pearl or opal and 1 emerald	7.75
1 Pearl or opal and 1 ruby	7.25
3 Emeralds	18.00
1 Emerald and 2 diamonds	31.00
1 Diamond	12.00 up
2 Diamonds	25.00 up
3 Diamonds	37.50 up

F—Recognition pin

Pledge pin, gold filled—safety catch	2.50
Pledge pin, gold—safety catch	75
Small, gold coat-of-arms with chain attachment	
Solid \$2.75; Pierced.....	3.25
Medium, gold coat-of-arms with chain attachment	
Solid \$3.25; Pierced.....	3.75

Crown Settings are all Handmade. 18K white gold settings \$2.50 additional, platinum settings \$20.00 additional.

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FRATERNITY SUPPLIES

THE FRATERNITY SUPPLIES ARE KEPT AS FOLLOWS

- I. BY THE GRAND PRESIDENT
 1. Voting blanks for Grand Council.
 2. Voting blanks for chapters on granting of charters.
 3. Blank charters.
 4. Application blanks for the fellowship.
 5. Notification blanks of fines to Grand Treasurer.
 6. Notification blanks of fines to Corresponding Secretary.
- II. BY THE GRAND VICE-PRESIDENT.
 1. Application blanks for alumnae charters.
 2. Blanks for list of alumnae club officers.
 3. Charters for alumnae clubs.
- III. BY THE GRAND SECRETARY.
 1. Blank initiation certificates. (Stats. Sec. 10, d.)
 2. Blank certificates of membership. (Lost ones replaced, 50c each).
 3. Blank ballots for use in convention.
 4. Blank forms for credentials for delegates to convention.
 5. Blanks for chapter annual report, due May 1.
 6. Blanks for lists of chapter officers.
 7. Blanks for lists of active members at beginning of college year.
 8. Blanks for transfer from one chapter to another.
 9. Key to fraternity cipher.
 10. List of allowed expenses to those traveling on fraternity business.
- IV. BY THE GRAND TREASURER. *
 1. Catalogues, \$1.50 each.
 2. Constitutions. 25 cents each.
 3. Pi Beta Phi History. \$1.25 each.
 4. Historical Sketch. 10 cents each.
 5. Historical Play. 40 cents each.
 6. Songbooks. \$1.50 each.
 7. Initiation Ceremony. 10 cents each. \$1.00 per dozen.
 8. Pledging Ceremony. 5 cents each. 50 cents per dozen.
 9. Pi Beta Phi Symphony. 30 cents each.
 10. Rituals. 10 cents per dozen.
 11. Constitution covers. \$3.00 each.
 12. Chapter Record Books. \$10.00 each.
 13. Official Correspondence Stationery. \$4.00.
 14. Handbook. 15c each. \$1.50 per dozen.
 15. Study for pledges. 5 cents each. 50 cents per dozen.
 16. Treasurer's statement forms.
 17. Treasurer's book stationery.
 18. Officer's bill forms.
 19. Order forms for official badges and jewelry.
 20. Forms for acknowledging letters of recommendation.
 21. Chapter Manual.
 22. Pattern for model initiation gown.
- V. BY CHAIRMAN OF EXTENSION COMMITTEE.
 1. Instructions to petitioning groups.
- VI. BY CHAIRMAN OF ARROW FILE COMMITTEE.
 1. Duplicate copies of Arrow files.
- VII. BY CHAPTER LETTER EDITOR.
 1. Official Arrow chapter letter stationery.

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THE PI BETA PHI BULLETIN: Published in October, January, April, and June. Sent free to officers and committee chairmen; sent to any Pi Beta Phi on receipt of 10 cents in stamps. Order through the Editor, Mrs. Archer T. Spring, Box 566, Fort Collins, Colo.

THE PI BETA PHI CATALOGUE: 1923 edition contains lists of all members of the fraternity to date by chapters and classes, alphabetical and geographical lists including deceased members. Price \$1.50 a copy. Order through the Grand Treasurer, Miss Anne Stuart, 1906 D. St., Lincoln, Neb.

THE CONSTITUTION: 1919 edition, price 25 cents a copy. Order through Miss Anne Stuart, 1906 D St., Lincoln, Neb.

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THE PI BETA PHI HISTORY: 1915 edition. Contains a complete record of our fraternity activity from founding until the present date. Price \$1.25 a copy. \$1.00 when three or more are ordered at one time. Order through Miss Anne Stuart, 1906 D St., Lincoln, Neb.

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PI BETA PHI BOOK-PLATE: Prints from the book-plate presented to the fraternity at the 1912 Convention may be obtained from Engraving Dept., Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., State and Madison Sts., Chicago, Ill. \$1.50 per hundred, on buff or white paper, \$2.00 per hundred, gummed back. Registry No. 22288.

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