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ACTIVE

- AUGUST 30.** Chapter corresponding secretaries should have received letter of instruction. If not, they should notify Central Office.
- 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 have received supplies for fall work. If not, notify Central Office.
- OCTOBER 1.** Chapter corresponding secretaries prepare and mail chapter letter for ARROW to each Chapter Letter Editor by October 5.
- OCTOBER 1 (OR BEFORE).** Chapter vice-presidents mail to Central Office, on blanks received in fall supplies, three copies of inactive list, including members belonging to chapter in spring, not in chapter in fall. Withdrawals after October 1 should be immediately reported to Central Office.
- Chapter corresponding secretaries mail to Central Office, on blanks received in fall supplies three copies of complete list of active members, and one to Province President.
- Corresponding secretaries of chapters maintaining houses mail to Chairman of Committee on Chaperons printed chaperon card.
- Chapter scholarship chairman send to Province Supervisor and to National Scholarship Chairman copies of Scholarship Blank No. 1.
- OCTOBER 1.** Copy for first open issue of the ARROW is mailed by Editor to publisher.
- OCTOBER 25.** Chapter treasurers send semi-annual dues to the Grand Treasurer.
- NOVEMBER 15.** Chapter Panhellenic representative makes to Pi Beta Phi national representative report on Panhellenic conditions in her college.
- Chairman of Alumnae Advisory Committee sends to National Historian one or more nominations for Alumnae Chapter Historian.
- NOVEMBER 15 (OR BEFORE).** Chapter scholarship chairman sends to Province President, to National Scholarship Chairman, and to Province Supervisor copies of Scholarship Blank No. 2.
- JANUARY 5.** Chapter corresponding secretaries prepare and mail chapter letter for ARROW to reach Chapter Letter Editor by January 10.
- JANUARY 15.** Send in Convention Delegate and Alternate credentials as soon as election is held.
- Chapter corresponding secretaries should have received supplies for spring work. If not, notify Central Office.
- FEBRUARY 1 to MARCH 31.** Annual fraternity examination.
- FEBRUARY 1.** Final date for election of chapter officers.
- FEBRUARY 7.** Nine copies of list of chapter officers should have been sent to the Central Office, and one copy to the Province President.
- FEBRUARY 20.** Settlement School Day—Anniversary of opening date.
- MARCH 1 (OR BEFORE).** Chapter corresponding secretaries send to Central Office three copies of lists of active members for the second half of the year, and one to Province President. In case of three term system, lists of active members should be sent at the opening of each term.
- Chapter vice-presidents send to Central Office three copies of lists of persons leaving college since October 1. Withdrawals after March 1 should be sent to Central Office at once.
- MARCH 5.** Chapter corresponding secretaries prepare and mail chapter letter for ARROW to reach Chapter Letter Editor not later than March 10.
- MARCH 15.** Chapter treasurers should send annual dues to Grand Treasurer.
- Copy for May issue of the ARROW is mailed by Editor to publisher.
- MARCH 31.** Final date for pledge examination.
- Final date for mailing of annual fraternity examination to Province Supervisor.
- APRIL 1.** Chapter historian send chapter history to National Historian.
- APRIL 15.** Chapter treasurers send senior dues to Province President four weeks before college closes.

- APRIL 28.** Founders' Day. Active chapters unite with nearest alumnae club in celebration of the event.
- MAY 1.** Chapter corresponding secretaries should send six copies of annual report to Central Office, and one to Province President.
- MAY 15.** Final date for election of officers.
- Chapter corresponding secretaries send to Central Office nine copies of list of officers for fall term and one to Province President. Be sure to check up and see that all initiates for the year have been reported to the Central Office and entered in the card index.
- Chapter corresponding secretaries send to Central Office September changes of address.
- JUNE 1.** Chapter Panhellenic representative sends to fraternity representative in National Panhellenic Congress detailed report on Panhellenic conditions in her college.
- JUNE 15.** Chairman of chapter committee on scholarship should send names, photographs, and brief typewritten biographies of all honor graduates to chairman of national scholarship committee.
- JUNE.** Convention.
- JULY 1 (OR BEFORE).** Chapter scholarship chairman sends to National Chairman copy of Scholarship Blank No. 4, with pictures of any "Honor Graduates."

ALUMNÆ

- OCTOBER 1.** Alumnae club secretaries prepare and mail club yearbooks, program data, and news of the club as a whole to the Alumnae Club Editor, to reach her not later than October 5. Other personals, changes of address, etc., should be sent direct to the Central Office.
- OCTOBER 15.** Copy for first open issue of the ARROW is mailed by the Editor to the publisher.
- NOVEMBER 15.** Alumnae club treasurers send annual alumnae dues to Province Vice-President.
- JANUARY 1.** Alumnae club secretaries prepare and mail letters to Alumnae Club Editor to reach her not later than January 5.
- JANUARY 15.** Copy for February issue is mailed by Editor to publisher.
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- Alumnae club corresponding secretaries should mail personals to Central Office.
- MARCH 15.** Copy for May issue of the ARROW is mailed by the Editor to the publisher.
- APRIL 15.** Alumnae club national dues must be in the hands of the Province Vice-President.
- APRIL 28.** Founders' Day. Alumnae clubs unite with nearest active chapter in celebration of the event.
- MAY 1.** Province Supervisors of Fraternity Study and Examination should mail consolidated reports to the national chairman.
- MAY 10.** National officers, committee chairmen, and alumnae advisory councils should send Standardization and Survey report to Central Office. Blanks for these will have been issued by Central Office.
- MAY 31.** Club fiscal year ends. Settlement School contributions must be mailed before midnight to Province Vice-President. Club president's questionnaires sent to Province Vice-Presidents.
- Lists of officers sent by club corresponding secretaries to persons indicated on the blanks.
- JUNE.** Convention.
- JUNE 1.** Chairman of alumnae advisory committee should send to Central Office three copies of alumnae advisory committee list, and one to Province President.
- JUNE 10.** Annual reports to National Officers, Province Presidents, Province Vice-Presidents, and chairmen of standing committees should be sent to the Grand Secretary for use at spring meeting of Grand Council. All reports should be typewritten.
- Alumnae club reports should be mailed by alumnae club secretaries to the alumnae club editor.
- JULY 15.** All reports for publication in the Information number of the ARROW must be in the hands of the Editor.

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Settlement School Donations } Active chapters to Province President
 Loan Fund Donations } Alumnae Clubs to Province Vice-President

- Senior Alumnae Dues to Province President.
- National Alumnae Dues to Province Vice-President.
- Initiation fees and active chapter dues to Grand Treasurer.
- Orders for badges, jewelry and novelties to Assistant to Grand Treasurer.
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- Magazine subscriptions to District Director of Magazine Agency.
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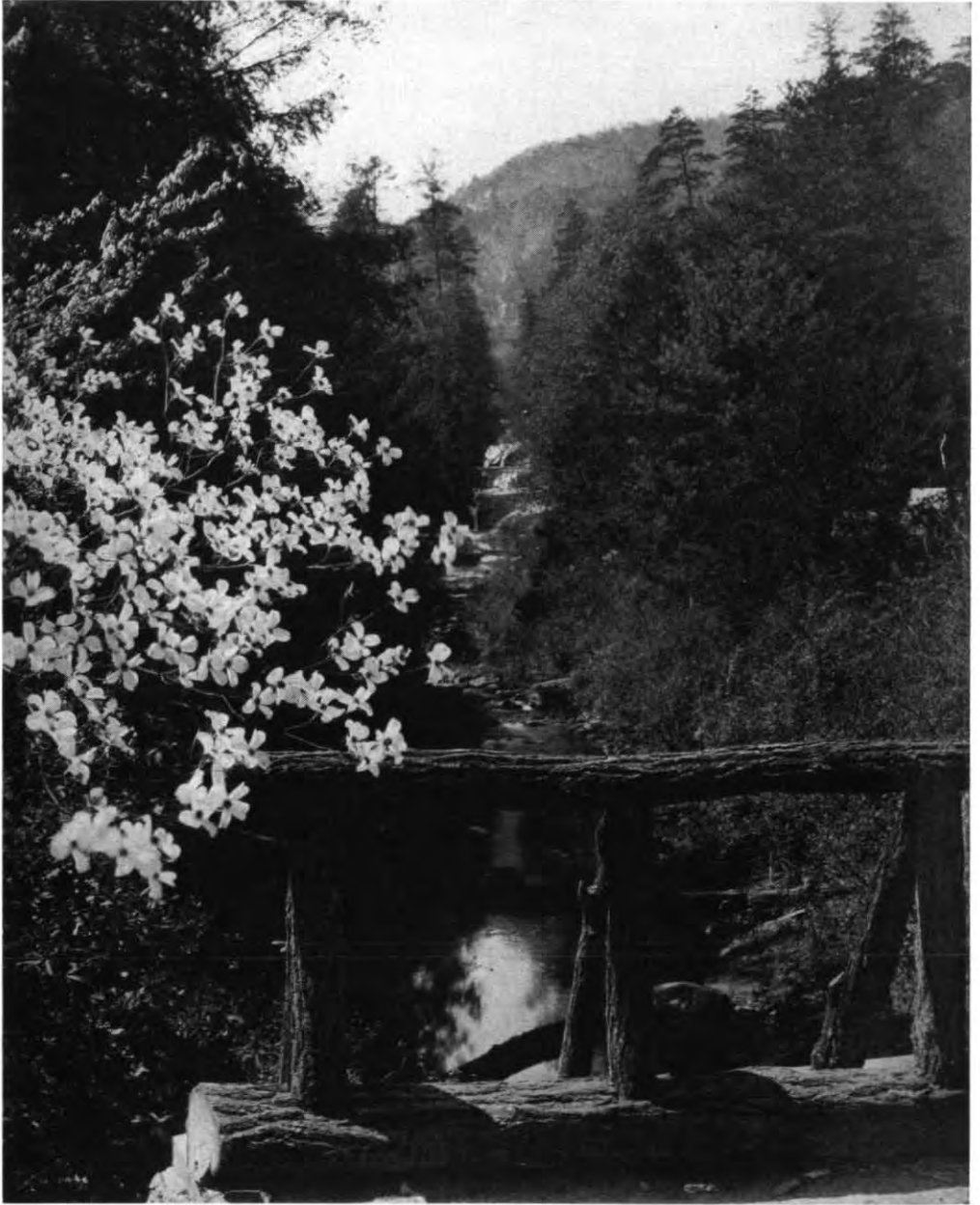
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PI BETA PHI extends sympathy to Kappa Kappa Gamma in the loss of Tade Hartsuff Kuhns, first grand president of the fraternity, and active in its affairs through all of her fifty-eight years of membership, and to Gamma Phi Beta for the loss of the last of its four Founders, Helen M. Dodge Ferguson. Again we say, the places of such members as these are hard to fill.

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In addressing a meeting of Betas, the late Dr. Shepardson, perhaps greatest exponent of the fraternity system, always said "Members of a Great Fraternity!"

How that rings in one's heart! Back of it lay an experience of years of visiting chapters of his fraternity and of others, too, attending conventions, meeting fraternity brothers everywhere, that to him could be expressed in no other way.

So many times the same thought has come to our mind as we make our journeys for Pi Beta Phi—members of a great fraternity, indeed! From coast to coast, from North to South, fine, attractive girls are wearing our pledge pin, are carrying on the responsibilities of their chapters as upper classmen, are going out from the active chapters to continue their service as alumnae, many of them for as long as they live. We like to think of them as a great chain, endless in length, strong in every link, wearing their arrows with honor, bringing distinction to Pi Beta Phi, whether with active achievement in an active world, or with quietly fine living standards that may never go beyond their own little circle—theirs perhaps the truest service of all. Always it is a rare privilege to go about the Fraternity meeting for all too short visits the chapters and alumnae clubs. Always their welcome is a heart-warming experience, always we wish we might stay with them long enough really to know them closely.

Yet even from these brief contacts there comes an abiding sense of the real greatness of Pi Beta Phi, a realization of the power of the bond which is ours to share with those who newly join our ranks. Here we have real might! Not only the might which comes from 26,000 living members in our country and in Canada; not merely the might of numbers—but something finer and more spiritual—the power of the opinions and the constructive thought of such a body of educated and cultured women.

May we always use that power for good, and for good only!

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So many times we are challenged as to the value of the fraternity system, so many times we are at a loss for the most telling arguments to use in defense of the fraternity that is so dear to us!

Never has that challenge been better met, never has the value of the college fraternity as it exists in North America been better expressed than in a tribute to Dr. Shepardson by the editor of the *Kansas City Star*, which appears in the interesting and inspiring special edition of the *Beta Theta Pi* magazine devoted entirely to the memory of their great brother. Summarizing, the editor wrote, "Dr. Shepardson's argument for the system was the belief that all good fraternities were founded on idealism. He believed that membership in a good fraternity gave the individuals a sense of responsibility for the reputation of the group. He urged scholarship aspirations, and demonstrated by his own life the influence possible for older men at the head of a national organization. He believed that snobbery should be uprooted from the fraternity system, although he insisted it was natural for young people to band together."

To all of which we say Amen!

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The thought of some form of special award for fine alumnae service to Pi Beta Phi still turns in the mind of the Editor. What form shall it take? What shall be the qualifications for its gift? How shall it be administered? Think it over, chapters and clubs alike, discuss it fully. Let your delegates come to Convention in June qualified to have an opinion about it. We owe so much to the women who have worked selflessly for the good of the fraternity—it would be gracious to put our appreciation in some tangible form!



American Women in its new edition lists 158 members of Pi Beta Phi. Their occupations and claims to distinction vary widely, as may be seen from the following list: 51 teachers, of whom 36 are college; 13 editors, or doing editorial work; 4 government officials; 1 explorer; 16 social workers in various lines; 3 lawyers; 14 librarians; 18 writers; 8 business executives; 1 artist; 1 engineer; 1 cryptographer; 6 Deans of Women; 1 state assembly-woman; 1 interior decorator; 6 physicians; 1 farmer; 2 famous singers; 3 research chemists; and the first woman member ever to serve on the Republican National Committee!

In many cases these professions overlap, of course. It is by no means a complete survey of the fraternity, with so few represented out of all the thousands of women in Pi Beta Phi who are doing interesting things. But it does give a cross section of our membership, and we offer these figures as a matter of interest.



With great regret we announce the resignation of several officers. Among the province presidents, Alpha Province East, Lydia Douglas, Maine A, whose place will be filled by Hazel Sawyer, Maine A, well known to all members of that chapter for her fine work in assisting that chapter; Gamma Province, Louise DuBose Magruder, District of Columbia A, whose place is as yet unfilled; Epsilon Province, Agnes Hildebrand Daniel, Missouri A, who has given to the fraternity the finest kind of service and been greatly beloved (no appointment has as yet been made in her place); Zeta Province, where Elizabeth Dreka, Florida A, has been replaced by Elizabeth Lazalere Thorpe, Florida B. To the outgoing officers we extend the gratitude of the fraternity, to the new ones, the most cordial of welcomes to the official family.

Another change comes in the Settlement School Committee through the resignation of Helen Pierce Bang. The new member of the Committee is Irene Eldridge, Wisconsin B, of Milwaukee. She will take over the Programs for Meetings, the Films and Slides, and Jeffries Green Pace, Virginia A (charter), becomes with this issue the editor of the News from Little Pigeon.



We call special attention to the announcement elsewhere in this issue of the Pi Beta Phi European Tour, under the auspices of the American Express Company. The publication of itineraries, etc. must wait for the May issue of the ARROW, but in the meantime if you are planning a European trip this summer, please get in touch with the chairman, Mrs. Edward L. Middleton (May Carney, Indiana A), 2511 Orrington Avenue, Evanston, Illinois.

Your cooperation will aid the fraternity in securing for the Settlement School a percentage on all ticket sales. Will you help? And what could be more delightful than such a trip under Pi Beta Phi leadership, and with Pi Beta Phis and their families or friends?



We apologize!

To Isla McCain Donert, Lambda Province President, for having given her chapter incorrectly in the line under her picture in the November ARROW. She is from Oregon B, not Oregon A.

To Marie Ditmars Hasse, Edith Ditmars Brown, and Jane Ditmars Deming of Indiana A, for having mentioned them in "Over the World" as daughters of Raymond Lee Ditmars. The first two only are sisters, the third a cousin, and they are only distant relatives of Mr. Raymond Ditmars. It is interesting, however, to know that not only are the fathers of these girls brothers, but their mothers are sisters! Perhaps that makes the reportorial mistake more excusable!



Have you sent in your reservation for Convention yet?

A Message from the Convention Guide

CONVENTION! To those of us who have attended one or more conventions that word brings happy memories. To those who never have it brings a mystic thrill.

What may we expect at a Pi Beta Phi convention? There are arrows, hundreds of them, symbol of carefree college days. To some comes the excitement of finding old friends whom they have not seen for years and perhaps little expected to see at convention. For all there are five days packed full of work and fun—the regular sessions, of course; model pledging and initiation; stunt night and costume party; excellent golfing, tennis, and swimming; hiking and riding, if desired; the banquet; and topping it all, this year, a full day for a visit to our own Settlement School.

This year's convention at Asheville has a special significance, coming as it does in a year which will be remembered as one of business recession, industrial turmoil, international conflict, world unrest. Pi Beta Phi has a real contribution to make to America and this convention should recognize that responsibility.

There is a growing conviction among thoughtful people that the instant need is to mobilize the constructive forces now at work in the world to combat the forces of materialism. Our Secretary of State, the Hon. Cordell Hull, said recently, "Our country urgently needs a moral and spiritual awakening. . . Any permanent governmental structure erected by a free people must rest upon solid moral and spiritual foundations."

One of the most hopeful signs, as the New Year began, that a new spirit is abroad in the land, was the appearance of a pictorial magazine called *Rising Tide*. With an initial printing of 1,500,000 copies, its purpose was to present America's answer to world unrest and to serve as a rallying point for the constructive forces of the nation. It offered actual evidence that a new mental climate is being created

across the land through a Rising Tide of men and women who are giving their lives to bring America under God's control. Roger W. Babson, the economist, says of it, "It may be that it will avert another world war, with the United States involved, during the next twenty years."

In view of this growing force, and at a time when an increasing number of people and institutions are sacrificing time, energy and resources in order to be a part of it, the challenge to $\Pi B \Phi$ is to review the assets which she has to offer her country. They are, briefly: a membership of over 26,000 privileged women; prestige in the fraternity and college world; and, above all, the Fraternity's ideals of loyalty, high social standards, irreproachable personal conduct, and the development of noble womanhood. With such assets as these to offer, $\Pi B \Phi$ can play an important part in building the America of which Washington and Lincoln dreamed.

The time has passed when we can think merely of what our fraternity has done for us as individuals, of what we as individuals must do for it in return, or even of what our fraternity can do for the country through the achievements of its individual members. If we, the oldest women's fraternity in the United States, are to take our rightful place in the life of the nation—indeed, if we are to justify our existence at all, in this critical period in world history—there are two questions which we must face: How can we as a united body be a vital force for building the True America? How can we develop our undergraduate and graduate members into the leadership that can effectively meet the present crisis?

The necessity for answering those questions is, in my mind, the real significance of the 1938 Convention.

ALICE HULCE DOW
Convention Guide



At the recent convention of Pi Delta Epsilon, Honorary Journalism fraternity, held at George Washington University, Washington, D.C., Robert H. McNeil (husband of Elizabeth Booth McNeil, District of Columbia A) was elected Grand President. Mr. McNeil is Director of Public Information at Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg, Virginia. At this convention Pi Delta Epsilon voted to take in women.



NORTH CAROLINA

Western North Carolina

"Land of the Sky"

ONE of nature's favored spots, Western North Carolina, many years ago recognized as an outstanding section for variety and beauty of natural scenery, because of the altitude of the entire region and the height of the numerous peaks of both the Blue Ridge and the Great Smoky Mountains rising above the clouds there, was properly named "The Land of the Sky."

The Great Smokies reach their highest altitudes along the crest of the range at the Tennessee boundary line, continuing to roll and spread in an easterly direction on the Carolina side, covered with virgin forest and hundreds of varieties of wild flowers, rising and falling in an unending panorama of peak, plateau, ridge, and valley, where streams and lakes and enchanting views have attracted visitors from all over the world.

The Blue Ridge traverses "The Land of the Sky" with some of the most noted of its world-renowned scenery, presenting such

points of world-wide interest as Chimney Rock, Blowing Rock, and the Royal Gorge. Mount Mitchell, with an altitude of 6,711 feet above the sea, the highest point in Eastern America, is a peak in the Black Mountain range, a short and exceedingly high range, which lies parallel to the Blue Ridge.

Among the wild flowers that enhance the beauty of the mountains, the rhododendron is a great favorite, and blooms here during the entire summer, June to September. Mountain laurel is also found scattered over the entire mountain areas. Dogwood is abundant. Azalea, wild honeysuckle, and wild roses are other favorites.

ASHEVILLE

"Metropolis of the Mountains"

In the heart of this enchanting region, is located Asheville, a city of charm and attraction unsurpassed anywhere. Visitors who have traveled all over the world have said

that "Asheville is the most beautifully situated city in the world."

The altitude of Asheville is 2,250 feet. Mile high mountains shelter "The Land of the Sky," giving it a climate that is delightful the year around, freeing it from objectionable extremes of temperature, blending season into season gradually. The annual mean or average temperature is 55 degrees. Summer average is 72. The maximum of 97 degrees has been

opened the mansion to the public view as a memorial to her father. Art connoisseurs and lovers of the beautiful revel in the treasures displayed. Ancient Gobelin tapestries, woven on cloth of gold, robes of Cardinal Richelieu, bronzes, porcelains, portraits by old masters, quaint wood and marble carvings from century-old castles, fill these stupendous rooms and galleries.

Immediately surrounding the house are



THE FAMOUS BILTMORE HOUSE

reached only twice in thirty-two years and 90 degrees is attained but twice in the average year. Cool nights prevail in midsummer with blankets a delightful necessity. This refreshing coolness combined with the rarity of the air and the absence of mosquitos makes this region a rendezvous of hundreds of thousands during the summer.

BILTMORE ESTATE

Visitors to Asheville never fail to visit famous Biltmore House and Gardens. This magnificent chateau, built about forty years ago by the late George W. Vanderbilt, is considered the most palatial private home in America and it ranks with the noted castles of European countries. In a setting of 15,000 acres, where the skill of the landscape artist has wrought perfect harmony with nature's own lavishness, stands this architectural dream, housing famous art treasures, furnishings of rare and historic value gathered from all parts of the world.

Recently Mrs. Cornelia Vanderbilt Cecil

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SIGHTSEEING TRIPS

Many different sightseeing trips may be made from Asheville, some of them being to Chimney Rock and Lake Lure, 70-mile round trip through beautiful mountain scenery through Hickory Nut Gap, Hickory Nut Falls, Chimney Rock and beautiful Lake Lure—the trip to Mount Pisgah, 75-mile-round trip through the Great Pisgah National Forest and Game Preserve, where there are 100,000 acres of beautiful mountain laurel and rhododendron twining among the huge timbers—the trip to Biltmore Estate, the home and estate of the late George W. Vanderbilt—a City and Suburban Tour, a two-hour drive through Biltmore Forest, the golf courses,



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etc., and many other interesting trips, including two-day tour through the Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

Accessibility, climate, and natural scenic beauty will make Asheville a most delightful convention city.

TRANSPORTATION ARRANGEMENTS

Transportation arrangements for the convention are in charge of Mr. H. C. Carson, Assistant General Passenger Agent of the New York Central System, LaSalle Station, Chicago.

Grove Park Inn—150 Rooms

- 73 Double Rooms each with bath.
- 22 Double Rooms in suites of two with bath between (11 suites).
- 6 Single Rooms in suites of two rooms with bath between (3 suites).
- 11 Single Rooms each with bath.
- 26 Double and Single Rooms with bath between (13 suites).
- 12 Single Rooms with running water.
- Two cottages—one accommodating 16 persons, the other accommodating 3 persons.

Rates—Grove Park Inn

- Large Room with bath or connecting bath—\$6.50 daily, American Plan—occupied by two or more persons.
- Single Room with bath—\$7.50 daily, American Plan.
- Single Room with running water—\$6.00 daily, American Plan.

The Manor—1 mile from Inn (Fifteen minute Bus Service).

- Large Room with bath or connecting bath—Meals at the Inn—\$6.25 daily, American Plan—occupied by two or more persons.
- Single Room with bath—Meals at the Inn—\$7.25 daily, American Plan.

Asheville County Club—Walking Distance (500 yards) from Inn.

- 18 Large Rooms with bath (Twin beds)—Meals at Inn—\$6.25 daily, American Plan—occupied by two or more persons.
- 6 Single Rooms with connecting bath (Double beds)—Meals at Inn—\$7.25 daily, American Plan.

SCHEDULE, CONVENTION SPECIAL TRAIN

GOING

June 26	Lv. Chicago	Big Four Route	1:30 P.M., C.T.
June 26	Lv. Woodlawn Station	Big Four Route	1:41 P.M., C.T.
June 26	Ar. Indianapolis	Big Four Route	5:15 P.M., C.T.
June 26	Lv. St. Louis	Big Four Route	12:00 NOON, C.T.
June 26	Ar. Indianapolis	Big Four Route	4:45 P.M., C.T.
June 26	Lv. Indianapolis	Big Four Route	5:30 P.M., C.T.
June 26	Ar. Cincinnati	Big Four Route	8:45 P.M., E.T.
June 26	Lv. Cleveland	Big Four Route	3:05 P.M., E.T.
June 26	Ar. Cincinnati	Big Four Route	8:50 P.M., E.T.
June 26	Lv. Detroit	Michigan Central Railroad	11:45 A.M., E.T.
June 26	Ar. Cincinnati	Big Four Route	5:55 P.M., E.T.
June 26	Lv. Cincinnati	Southern Railway System	9:15 P.M., E.T.
June 27	Ar. Asheville	Southern Railway System	10:00 A.M., E.T.

RETURNING

July 2	Lv. Asheville	Southern Railway System	3:00 P.M., E.T.
July 3	Ar. Cincinnati	Southern Railway System	3:30 A.M., E.T.
July 3	Lv. Cincinnati	Big Four Route	4:30 A.M., E.T.
July 3	Ar. Indianapolis	Big Four Route	5:40 A.M., C.T.
July 3	Lv. Indianapolis	Big Four Route	7:40 A.M., C.T.
July 3	Ar. St. Louis	Big Four Route	12:50 P.M., C.T.
July 3	Lv. Indianapolis	Big Four Route	5:45 A.M., C.T.
July 3	Ar. Chicago	Big Four Route	9:30 A.M., C.T.

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THE MANOR

The Manor

Albemarle Park, Asheville, N.C.

THE Manor is situated in Albemarle Park, on the western slope of Sunset Mountain. Laid out some twenty years ago by Mr. Samuel Parsons, Jr., then superintendent of Central Park in New York, it is most picturesque. Before it stretches a panorama of majestic peaks. Below, one mile away, is the city of Asheville. Roads wind about the Park's woody hillsides and flowers bloom everywhere. The lawns and gardens of The Manor are one of its greatest charms.

Fresh flowers fill every available spot in every room—laurel, roses, cosmos, chrysanthemums—each in its season are massed in bowls in the entrance hall, in the long enclosed sun verandahs, on each individual table in the dining room, and in the bedrooms to greet the arriving guest.

The main buildings of the Manor describe the arc of a circle with outstretched welcoming arms. Many original features distinguish it from usual resort hotels, giving the atmosphere of a country house.

The entrance hall with its huge fireplace and lounging chairs, its broad terraces and sun rooms all suggest the English Manor. There are one hundred bed rooms with private baths, hot and cold water. Each is an outside room and each looks out over the garden of the Park to the distant mountains.

You will feel at once that personal comfort here is the comfort of a well-ordered, well-conducted home. That feeling, and the

realization of that feeling, is The Manor. It is the result of simple, perfect service in every detail without the perpetual appearance of the servitors.

A number of cottages scattered through the Park are run in connection with the Manor and have its full service. These are convenient to the hotel yet offer much greater privacy. The names themselves enchant and allure—Chipmunk, Clematis, Cherokee, Galax, etc. These cottages are divided as may be desired into suites of two or more sunny rooms, each with its bath, and porch. They are, indeed, individual and charming homes—ideal places for family groups, or families with children—babies and their attendants. For even babies are welcome in this garden home.

The Inn, with its auxiliary cottages, affords comfortable accommodation for 250 guests.

The Biltmore Forest Country Club, one of the newest and most interesting clubs of the country, is a part of the famous Vanderbilt estate at Biltmore. It is an aesthetic inspiration to play golf on these wonderfully new links—lying as in the hollow of your hand, your finger tips the peaks of majestic mountains all about.

For the motorist there are the finest roads in the world. North Carolina has spent some thirty million dollars in engineering and construction work. For miles in every direction these roads wind about the valley, over rolling

hills, through National Forest Reserves to the mountain peaks. Within a radius of one hundred miles of Asheville, there are more than one hundred of these peaks a mile high; 64 of them 6,000 feet. The French Broad River and numerous smaller mountain streams vary the enchantment. The grandeur and beauty of the scenery is world-famous. Nowhere in all the country is every charm in motoring more appealing.

Next to motoring and golf, riding is a favorite sport. Not only the splendid roads, but the trails through the mountains add zest to the sport. An unusually fine stable of saddle horses is run in connection with The Manor.

In addition to the tennis courts on the Inn grounds, tennis enthusiasts find competitive

play at either the Asheville or Biltmore Forest Country Clubs.

Via Motor: Finest of motor roads reach Asheville from almost every direction. With few exceptions these extend away indefinitely. Motorists are strongly advised to come by motor, if possible. Complete information regarding routes, conditions of roads, maps, etc., will gladly be furnished by the Asheville Motor Club, Asheville, N.C. A modern *fire-proof garage* in the Park for use of guests.

MONTHLY AND ANNUAL
MEAN TEMPERATURES

	June	July
1920	68.6	71.6
1921	71.8	73.2
1922	71.2	72.8
1923	69.8	71.4
1924	71.4	71.0
1925	72.8	74.5
Months	69.5	72.0

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CONVENTION PROGRAM

MONDAY, JUNE 27	—2:30 P.M. Evening	Opening session Initiation
TUESDAY, JUNE 28	—9:30 A.M. 2:30 P.M. Evening	Joint alumnae and active session Alumnae session Stunt night
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29	—9:30 A.M. 2:30 P.M. Evening	Regular session Regular and alumnae discussion groups Speaker
THURSDAY, JUNE 30	—Recreation Day, trip to Gatlinburg	
FRIDAY, JULY 1	—9:30 A.M. 2:30 P.M. Evening	Alumnae session Active conferences Active and alumnae discussion groups Banquet
SATURDAY, JULY 2	—9:30 A.M.	Regular session

From the Philippines

By ANNE GUTHRIE, *Colorado B*
Advisory Consultant, Manila, Y.W.C.A.

Baguio, P.I., December 31, 1937

DEAR PI PHIS:

ON THE last day of the old year, sitting by a roaring fire in a cottage on a pine-covered mountain I send from the tropics of the Philippines to all of you, wherever you may be scattered around this world of ours, best of wishes for the New Year.

Today a letter from THE ARROW Editor announced that the deadline for the letter I am to write you is January 10. In the good old days of a couple of years ago there would not have been the ghost of a chance of having it reach the editorial desk in eleven days; but now I pick up the "pink sheet" of the *Manila Daily Bulletin*, skip the shipping news, the temperature, rainfall, and typhoon reports, and turn to the column marked "Bulletin of Mails" to discover when I must drop this letter in the air mail box so that the Clipper may see to it that it reaches the other side of the Pacific four days later—as close to that deadline as possible.

I wonder if you can imagine what these amazing clipper ships mean to us. The far-away has become the near-at-hand, and we buy an airmail stamp with almost the same unconcern as a six-centavo one.

Our Editor has asked me to tell you something of the task which keeps me here in Manila, and I find it is hard to know where to begin. But if, from either a passenger ship or a freighter, you were to land at Pier Seven in the Port Area, call a "Yellow" and say "Y.W.C.A.," in about seven minutes you would have driven past the newly-enlarged Manila Hotel with its air conditioned ball-room and its great open-air dining room looking out over the Bay, driven on through the park we call the "Luneta" where the band plays every Sunday afternoon and the quick-lunch wagons sell hot dogs every evening, past the statue of the great Filipino hero and martyr, José Rizal, who was shot by the Spaniards at this very spot forty-one years ago yesterday, down the street called Isaac Peral, where the great acacia trees bordering it touch finger tips and form a lacy archway over it. On you would go, passing the Episcopal Cathedral which reminds one of the old

California missions in its style of architecture, with spacious grounds to give it a beautiful setting. It is a really impressive cathedral, built many years ago through the faith and energy of Bishop Brent. Here is one of the few, and perhaps the best, pipe organs in the city, which makes possible occasional twilight concerts which we all enjoy. Beyond the Cathedral, off to the right, you see the parade grounds of the University of the Philippines, with cadets drilling and bands playing as we create the future army of the Islands, and beyond the parade grounds the impressive buildings of the University.

But at this point you almost bump into a tree from which hangs the blue triangle, the welcoming sign of the Y.W.C.A. the world over.

While the Y.W.C.A. itself is young, having been in existence only a little more than a decade, the building it occupies is one with a long and interesting history. When America first came to the Philippines, many young men were sent over for government, educational, and business positions. They had little for amusement and no place to gather; so Bishop Brent secured from a Mr. and Mrs. George C. Thomas of New York money to build a building, and the alumni of Yale, Harvard, Princeton, and Pennsylvania furnished it, as the two brass plaques in the sala tell you. For years it was the popular gathering place for the American men, and the cups won by the swimming and bowling teams were many. As the years went by, however, the Y.M.C.A. was organized, and various clubs, including the University Club, Elks Club, Manila Polo Club, Army and Navy Club, and Manila Golf Club. Consequently the need for the Columbia Club diminished; so three years ago, through the interest of Bishop Mosher and the Cathedral chapter, the Y.W.C.A. was able to secure a lease for the use of the property.

It was interesting how quickly that old building came to life after we moved in. It was as though it was happy to give hospitality once again to a young and growing group. In a short time the swimming pool and bowling alleys, the gymnasium and tennis courts, were busy places, while the sala, the library, and the

assembly room were in use for Y.W.C.A. gatherings and for those of various organizations which meet there. Originally there were two gymnasiums; one small one on the ground floor and a mammoth one built above the swimming pool. But there was no dormitory, and the girls who had lived in the old Y.W.C.A. house wanted to come to the new, so seven-foot partitions went up, a friend gave money to build a dining room over the bowling alleys, and now sixty-five girls live in the big gym, and like it!

Classes, lectures, and discussion groups go on in the usual Y.W.C.A. fashion. Among the most interesting have been a series on "Know the Philippines" by experts who have talked on the customs, traditions, dances, music, economic aspects, folklore, and old churches of the Islands. Today, because we are so close to the arena where such tragic events are taking place a group of young men and women are discussing "conflict" in all the various phases of life, and a bi-monthly "Round Table on International Affairs" is led by Mrs. J. Parker Van Zandt, who formerly lectured on Current Events in Washington, D.C.

Not only in this building is the Association in action. Just off the Escolta, the chief business street of Manila, we have rooms in an old residence which has been turned into an office building. Here an employment office tries to help solve the problem of finding a job and it has had an extra tax on its service since Shanghai sent us a few extra visitors. Here also is a lunch room where at noon about sixty young women from offices, shops, and stores have a caterer deliver their "fiambras"—what I call the "sky-scraper lunch box" because it is composed of three or more white-enamel dishes fitted one above the other, with a handle arrangement holding them together, a fork and spoon stuck on the side, and a banana precariously hanging on top. Lunch over, a few girls stretch out on steamer chairs to read, but most of them make for the fifty couches in the two rest rooms for an hour's siesta. In Manila we begin work at eight or seven-thirty, stop at twelve, begin again at two or earlier, and keep going until five, six or seven. Consequently, this midday rest is essential to all of us, and the Business Girls Center is a haven for the girls who live too far out to go home for lunch, for most offices and shops close their doors and lock up, so there is no place to go but the restaurants, the movies, or the streets.

If any one of you happened to be a Girl Reserve in your high school days you would find in various schools over four hundred girls wearing the familiar white uniform and blue tie, having Girl Reserve programs and meetings, and going to a vacation camp when school is out the first of April. These Girl Reserve clubs are developing our leadership for the future. Already one girl, the president some years ago of the Girl Reserve club in Union High School, has graduated from college, been a Girl Reserve Secretary for the Y.W.C.A. for two years, and now is studying in the Y.W.C.A. training school at Selly Oak, near Birmingham, England, on a scholarship offered us by the British Association. When she finishes she will cross the United States enroute home and visit Y.W.C.A.s I wish some of you might meet Evangelina Aballera while she is there next summer; you would enjoy her.

To me perhaps the most interesting work of the Manila Y.W.C.A., however, is in our Adult Education Department. Several years ago we began with a literary class of the poorer districts of the city. Here we taught thirty-five women to read and write. I shall never forget their graduation program. As those women received their certificates saying they could read and write, they took them with the same pride of achievement with which you and I accepted our college sheepskins. Perhaps it was a greater achievement than ours. The woman who made the thank-you speech for the group, speaking in Tagalog, the dialect of this region, said that it was as though they had been blind and now they could see. The work was so successful that from our little experience the National Federation of Women's Clubs incorporated literacy work in their program and held classes in many parts of the city until the newly organized Adult Education Department of the Bureau of Education established it as an important part of its program. The teaching method used is quite a remarkable one evolved by a Dr. Frank Laubach, a missionary among the Moros of the Southern Islands, who felt the need of a simple method of teaching the group he was working with to read and write. Since then he has been asked by the governments in India and South Africa to visit these countries to help them work out a method for some of their different dialects. Here in the Philippines he has worked out his scheme for eighteen or twenty of the dialects. You realize, I suppose, that one of the

things that has stood in the way of unifying the Filipinos has been the many dialects. Tagalog is the highest developed, but it is of little value if you go to the Visayan Islands or to Mindanao. Perhaps one of the most important things America has done for the Philippines has been to insist on teaching in English throughout the Islands, beginning with the first grade in the elementary school. It has given the Filipinos a common language and a link with the rest of the world that is far greater in value than they realize until they travel and find they are able to get about with ease where most Orientals have difficulty.

In all of the poorer districts of Manila there are established Health and Social Centers with health clinics. These are run jointly by the Bureau of Health, the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, and the Associated Charities. Here once a week the Y.W.C.A. has given talks and discussions for mothers on child training and guidance. Our Educational Secretary, Mrs. Trinidad Albero, is a remarkable little person. One of the tiniest of Filipino women, with a splendid mind and a wonderful spirit, she has had to search out the material for these lectures herself, and has read everything she could get her hands on in the way of child psychology, parent education, and related subjects. Such material is scarce here and, as far as we know, there never has been a course of this kind given before. If any of you have magazines for parents or books on child care that you no longer need because Mary or Johnnie have now grown up, would you like to send them to Mrs. Albero? Some four hundred mothers would benefit through Mrs. Albero and bring up their little Marias and Juans that much better because of your generosity. It has been thrilling to see the intense interest of these women. Many of them bring their family problems to Mrs. Albero, hoping for help in solving all the usual things that make life difficult for people who must live on a few centavos a day and often struggle with unemployment.

Since the Plebiscite last April, which gave Filipino women the right to vote, the Y.W.C.A. has made another experiment—in Tondo, one of the oldest and very poorest parts of the city, with weekly lectures on citizenship. Men as well as women, however, appeared for these, about a hundred of them, asking all kinds of questions about their legal rights and their government. Our young Assistant Secretary did such good work with

this group that the Adult Education Bureau asked her to join its staff to carry on the work in other classes that they planned to start.

One of the interesting features of our work in Manila is that we often do a piece of work, demonstrating the need for it and the possibilities of doing it, and then some other organization takes it over and carries it further than we could with our limited funds and limited staff. Then we are free to try another experiment.

My part in it all is to be a little of everything and as little of anything as possible. They call me by the surprising name of Advisory Consultant. Out of the experiences of the past I try to help evolve ideas of what to do next or how to do the thing that appears on the horizon to be done. I work very closely with the Executive Secretary, Mrs. Josefa Jara Martinez, one of the outstanding women of the Philippines, a graduate of the New York School of Social Work and the highest-paid Filipino woman in government service before she resigned her post in the Bureau of Public Welfare to become the first Filipino executive of the Y.W.C.A. Another task which is mine is to find leadership for our various needs, and to help develop new leaders. Each year, of course, there is the fun of a finance campaign, and the amazing part of this is that the Y.W.C.A. has actually been able to make it an interesting game to play. This has been done by always using some kind of picturesque method to make us forget we are afraid to ask for money. After work in South America where it was difficult to get women to undertake this responsibility, it has been a joy to work with a group who are willing to tackle the task of finance.

You may be interested in the make-up of our Board of Directors for it will give you an idea of the cosmopolitan group we are. The majority of course are Filipinos and our President is always a Filipino, but we also have American, British, German, Chinese and Spanish members. In church affiliation we are also a crosscut of Manila, for we are Roman Catholic, Protestant, and Aglipayano. The latter is the Philippine Independent Church which has a large following throughout the Islands. It is Catholic in type, but it broke away from Rome at the time of the overthrow of Spanish rule in the Islands. It is commonly known as Aglipayano from its "obispo maximo" Aglopay.

Perhaps the most significant thing about

the Y.W.C.A. of Manila is its cosmopolitan make-up. We are the meeting place of many groups which seldom meet elsewhere, for Manila is a group of communities, each one quite self-sufficient and seldom touching the other groups except at very large or official functions.

We are a much smaller organization because we are organized this way. Some people would prefer to have a Filipino group and an American-European group, but we have felt that our task was to be a link and to help people of all groups gain in understanding, tolerance, and respect for one another. You would be surprised to know how many American women spend several years in the Islands, while their husbands represent a business firm here or are stationed with the Army or Navy, and never know any of the outstanding Filipino women. They judge all Filipinos by house boys, chauffeurs, and lavanderas. Others feel that if they are going to make only American friends, they might as well have stayed in New York, Chicago, or San Francisco. These women are thankful that the Y.W.C.A. is a meeting place where they can come to know Filipino women who are doing splendid work in the professions as doctors, nurses, pharmacists, social workers, and teachers, and in business and commerce. The Filipino woman is a capable person who frequently not only manages her own home but carries on other work outside. She cannot remember when she did not manage the family pocket book, for the Filipino husband turns over his pay check to her and she doles out to him what she thinks he needs. When she marries, he must pay all the bills even to presenting her with the wedding dress. She does nothing toward the new home; that is the responsibility of the bridegroom and his family; she does not need to worry about a dowry. Hence girls in the Philippines have been an asset, not a liability as they are sometimes considered in some Oriental countries.

I wish you might have stepped onto a magic carpet or into a magic clipper and come to our International Tea in honor of Mrs. Quezon, the wife of the President of the Commonwealth and our Honorary President. The whole Y.W.C.A. building was converted into little sections from all over the world. Our members of the various nationalities each furnished their room or corner as it would be furnished in their countries and served the kind of tea and tea things that one would

have in their part of the world. So you sat down and sipped a cup of tea in the British sitting room; ate French pastries served you by an Alsatian maiden; stood up at an elegant table set for fifty, with Chinese lanterns and beautiful Chinese plates making it very festive, and ate amazing Chinese delicacies and drank your tea from little silver teacups. You sat in a real Dutch chair at a Dutch table and looked out over window boxes full of tulips; you ate Czechoslovakian sweets, or German "kuchen"; you were served Indian candies by a real Indian—our own Y.W.C.A. Secretary from Travancore, who has been spending six months with us as our guest while gathering ideas to carry back next week to her own Y.W.C.A. in India. You took off your shoes as you entered and sat on the floor matting by low tables as lovely Japanese ladies in beautiful kimonos served you (and you tried to forget how you hated the acts of their military leaders as you loved their exquisite courtesy.) In a Spanish patio you sipped chocolate; in an American living room-dining room combination you ate the familiar cakes and sandwiches and drank "which shall it be—tea or coffee?" But you spent the most time in the Filipino barrio fiesta where everything imaginable in the way of native foods was served you on a banana leaf plate with bamboo fork and spoon, while you drank out of a coconut cup. Almost every one did, not one or two, but all of these things, and was astonished that Manila could produce anything so unexpected and authentic. And while it may have been a strain on inner workings, it stretched a good many minds and made us all a bit more international in more than appetites.

It is these opportunities to help broaden horizons that makes my job an exceptionally interesting one. It is this attempt, as the World Fellowship of Faiths has put it, to "Build bridges of understanding across the chasms of prejudice" which has kept me here. As I talk with people evacuated from China, some of whom have lost practically everything and must begin again, as I read the frequent letters which come from friends there, I wonder if we have begun too late; I wonder if these bridges are to be blown to pieces before they are completed. Are the people right who feel we are on the verge of another world war! It is too terrible to imagine. Yet we are so skilled in our capacity to kill. We are so unskilled in our ability to live cooperatively together and to work out our economic prob-

lems. One cannot but wonder what is ahead. One cannot live in the Commonwealth of the Philippines, with complete independence set for 1946, without wondering.

In the face of it all one feels so helpless. There seems to be so little that the individual can do, except try to create a little more understanding in the neighborhood which is one's own. So you can understand why I am glad for the opportunity which is mine in this far-away cluster of Islands—"Seven Thousand Emerald Isles" they have been called.

Fly over some day and let me introduce you to them!

Yours in Pi Beta Phi,
ANNE GUTHRIE

P.S.: Our Editor wanted me to tell you something of the League of Nations Conference, held in Bandoeng, Java, last February, which I attended as the official "Observer" for the United States, but, alas, I have written too much about my job; there is no more space. If you are interested in the problem of Traffic in Women and Children, hunt up the August number of *Asia* and there you will find my article about the conference.

And if any of you would like to know more about this part of the world with which I am trying to get better acquainted, I will be glad to put you on my mailing list for occasional mimeographed letters I send out, if you will send me your name and address.

A. G.



BOSTON PANHELLENIC DINNER

By LOUISE E. SAUL, *Massachusetts A*

On Tuesday evening, October 19, 1937, a few days after the adjournment of the National Panhellenic Congress in New York City, Boston City Panhellenic was privileged to entertain at dinner at the Woman's Building of Boston University sixteen of the delegates to the Congress.

Because of the family atmosphere created by the house and by the many reunions of old friends in Panhellenic—there being in the Boston City Panhellenic five former national presidents—it was possible to get a very good close-up of some of the most influential figures in women's fraternity work as they gave their reports and comments on the most recent trends manifested in the New York Congress.

Although such points were urged as boycott of clothing and ornaments produced in exploitation of fraternity emblems, and protest against the principle of second-semester rushing, the most striking note was that of idealism. "Return to your altars" was the message that most impressed the Boston group, with the reiteration that college girls are basically as idealistic now as they ever were, and that alumnae must keep in sight in their programs the higher purposes for which all fraternities unitedly stand.

Mrs. Harold Edoff of Phi Mu, Chairman of the Boston City Panhellenic Association, extended warm greetings of welcome and introduced the toastmistress, Mrs. Joseph Hubbard, Grand President of $\Lambda \Delta \Pi$ and a former delegate to Boston City Panhellenic, who charmingly introduced the visiting delegates: Mrs. T. W. Harris, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer of $\Lambda \Delta \Pi$; Mrs. W. C. Drummond, National President of $A O \Pi$; Mrs. Raymond Hitchcock, Director of Alumnae Work of $\Lambda \Phi$; Miss Mary Clay Williams, Treasurer of $X \Omega$; Mrs. Joseph Grigsby, National President of $\Delta \Delta \Delta$; Miss Mary Bake, Manager of the Central Office and Miss Florence, Treasurer, of the same sorority; Mrs. Harold Hartman, N.P.C. Delegate and Mrs. Joseph Weiner, Chairman of Inspection, of $\Gamma \Phi B$; Mrs. A. M. Redd, N.P.C. Delegate of $K \Delta$; Mrs. E. C. Andres, N.P.C. Delegate of $K K \Gamma$; Mrs. Clifford E. Rader, N.P.C. Delegate of ΦM ; Miss Amy B. Onken, Grand President of $\Pi B \Phi$; Mrs. Arthur A. Thompson, President of the New England Region of ΣK , and Miss Marion Mayer, Field Secretary of $Z T A$. The program of speakers was arranged and directed by Miss Onken of $\Pi B \Phi$.



MAIN ENTRANCE

Bovey House, Devon, England

LIKE a house come true out of a fairy tale is the fine old home of Sybil Turner, Ontario A, and her mother and sister—not an ancestral home, but one of recent acquisition, but it is none the less interesting for that fact, or because Mrs. Turner and her daughters are making a few paying guests happy by sharing the house with them!

Bovey House, which is believed to have been built in the twelfth century, is situated about one mile from the sea, between Branscombe and Beer, near Seaton, East Devon. It was part of the Manor of Beer and was held by the Abbots of Sherborne Abbey in the time of Henry II, until the Dissolution, when it became part of Queen Catherine Parr's jointure.

One of the bedrooms, known as the King Charles Room from its connection with the greatest romance of the life of Charles II, contains a notable example of seventeenth century plaster work in the coffered ceiling. It depicts the famous adventure of Charles II. In the center panel of the ceiling is an oak

tree with the face of the fugitive king framed in its branches. Little mounted figures of Cromwell's pursuing soldiers surround the panel. The carved oak panelling in the dining room is one of the features of the house.

Only a small portion of the house goes back to the twelfth century, and many hands since then have added to and rehabilitated the lovely old place. Today it is in a fine state of preservation—it has even central heat! An incongruous note that, in a house so old, and one even boasting an authentic secret room! The only approach to this room was through a trapdoor in the roof, after passing which it was necessary to crawl a distance of perhaps thirty or forty feet to gain entrance to it. It contained when found a chair of Charles I date, a rusty sword, a pistol, and a bottle of the same period.

What a background for romance is Bovey House! Miss Turner will be glad to supply any further information about the house and its fascinating history to anyone who might be interested in it.



SUNSET AT THE LAND'S END, ENGLAND

Photography as a Hobby

By SOPHIE PARSONS WOODMAN, *New York B*

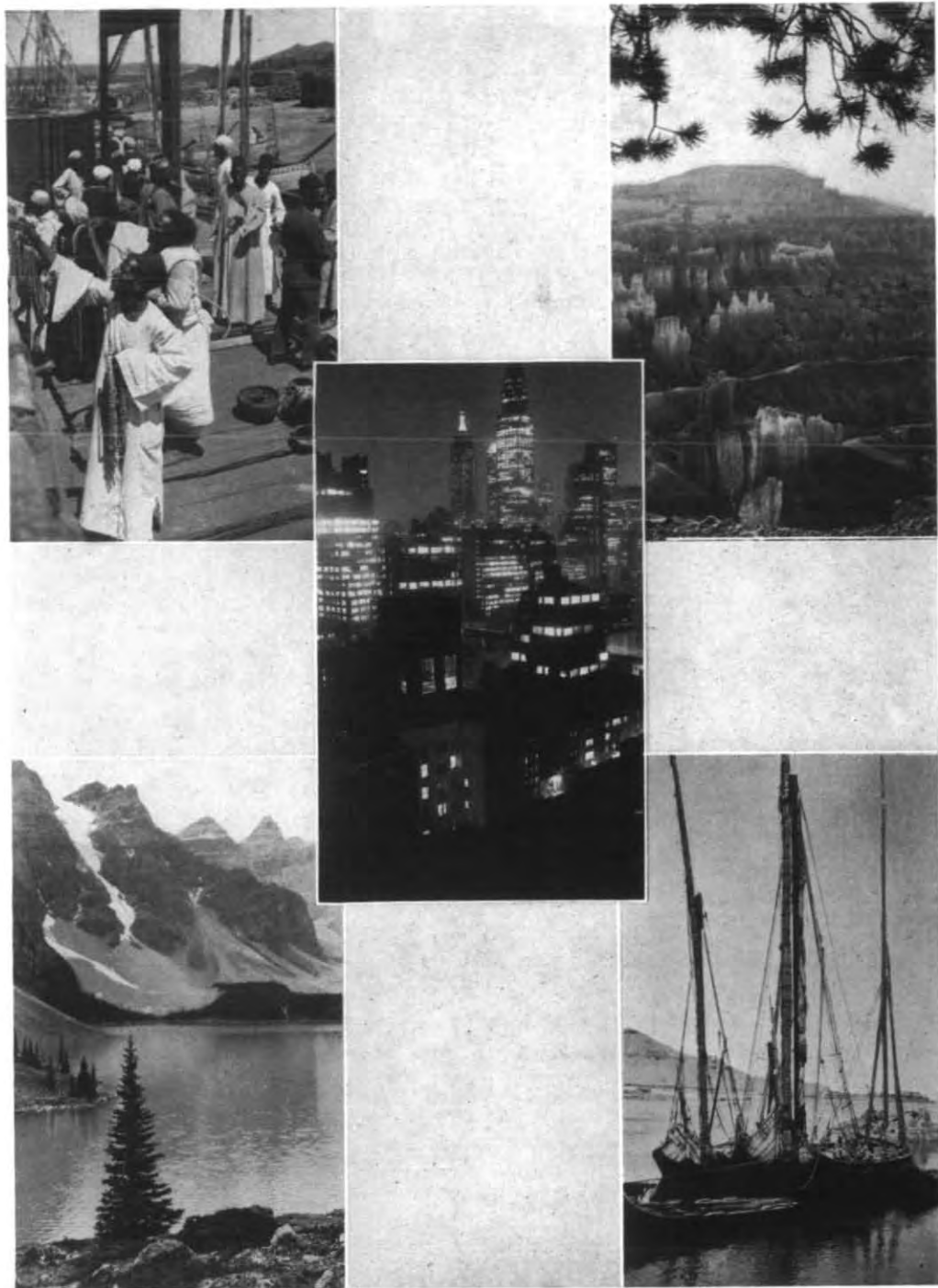
NOW-A-DAYS, when hobbies have become the matter of articles, exhibits, and even professional discussion, it seems temerity on the part of an inveterate amateur to discuss so weighty a matter, but to be asked is to obey.

I developed the hobby of photography when I was about fifteen years old, not as a solution for leisure time,—for at the Barnard School for Girls we carried five major subjects every day—but because I had a dog, Spot, and because I had a Father who insisted that I do all the work myself, thus cultivating in me an intelligent interest for the subject, and because my much older Harvard brother was a keen critic of my headless people and slanting landscapes, and especially because the world was interesting and the dogwood blossoms along the Old High Bridge Aqueduct very lovely. Moreover, the urge to history was even then glowing within me and only last year I gave to the City History Club about fifty views of Washington Heights covering scenes about as remote from the present as the dodo. In fact, one

might almost expect to see that bird sitting on Fort Washington Point!

Now, photography is an excellent hobby to grow up with. Like a beautiful voice, but unlike skill at the piano, you can always take it with you. Albums covering thirty years reveal not only pleasing scenery but the faces of countless dear ones: Father or Mother in some homely and precious attitude; friends and, alas, lost beaux, in exciting episodes. The kodak is light and if you are a strong minded person and always carry it yourself it is not a nuisance to others. It is not half as bad as a bag of golf sticks!

Photography, also, enables one to get delightful glimpses of and into other people. One summer, in England, I was much impressed by the consideration shown to one with a kodak. Miss Strickland and I found ourselves on the hill overlooking Oban and the Ross of Mull. It was twilight and the setting sun was resting on the picturesque old stone houses along the sea. As I was maneuvering to get the best light—it was after eight o'clock—an elderly gentleman sitting



SOME PHOTOS BY SOPHIE PARSONS WOODMAN

Top, left: At Aswan—"Buy a bead, lady." *Right:* Dawn at Bryce Canyon. *Center:* From my window—Empire State and Chrysler Buildings. *Bottom, left:* Marimac Lake near Lake Louise, B.C. This has been enlarged about 36 or 40 inches and hung in the shop where my work is done. *Right:* At Aswan, Nile.

with his wife on a bench, rose and came to me saying, "I hope we are not in your range of vision, Madam." Again, in the same summer another wonderful evening found us at The Land's End. As the slanting sun fell from behind low clouds on the wild sea, the Knight, and the Longships Light, I found it difficult to get what I wanted. A young couple were sitting on a rock in my foreground. He turned and asked, "Would you like us to move?" I shall always think of Scotch and English folk as courteous.

A camera is a good friend. Sun, wind, clouds in the blue—and a kodak! Many are the miles I have walked, so-called, "alone." Perhaps I was headed for an object some miles away, or perhaps I was just following a trail. The acute joy of the "next turn" is heightened when you carry along the means of sharing the view with a friend and preserving it for old age and the fireside. As a young girl my parents encouraged me to keep a diary of my holidays which I illustrated with blue prints, and so the feeling of sharing the fun and the beauty, as captured by word and film was early associated with my camera. Since then many friends have received, so they say, their first urge to go here, or there, because of an aroused interest in the place, through me. Other friends say often, "I won't bother with my kodak since you have yours," and for years to come we may replenish our friendship from our common memories. Myself, sitting on Matilda, my mule of blessed Yosemite memories, in company with twenty other fraternity pals back in 1915;—Miss Henermann and I on our camels of unblessed association with the pyramids for back drop in 1932, etc., etc.

It must be true that the long habit of taking photographs strengthens in one a pictorial memory, for my friends sometimes tell me I have an uncanny recollection for places. As my memory in general is very poor, I believe, this retention is due to the training in cultivating the ability quickly to seize upon a form against the sky, an arrangement of masses of light and shade, a glow of color which engraves itself upon the mind.

That the ability to recognize a point in a painting may come from experience in photography was demonstrated when we were

going through the Uffizi Gallery under the guidance of Professor Tealdi of the British Institute. He was pointing out the sense of perspective as it was developed by Giotto and Verazziano. "Why yes, the artist stood *there* and placed his figures in dimensional relation to himself," I replied to his question. "You make photographs," he said quickly, "you have the feeling of the one who works from a given spot and sees his arrangement in perspective."

Finally, of a person who can commit to paper the treasures of the eye, be the medium brush, pencil, or lens, it can be said in the words of the poet, "She walks in—with—beauty." Since I have no ability whatsoever in recording these treasures or creating them as the "Artist" does, I must, perforce, use a mechanical method. However, once the mechanism is granted, and the limitation of selection understood, I maintain that the work of the photographer may be art. To catch and preserve what seems, to me, the essential essence of the thing is all important. I do not snap wildly. A painter can express this essence by arrangement, by selection, by color subtlety and can infuse something of himself: can create. The photographer is limited. She must take what nature offers but the selection is wide; the light and shade vary with the hours; morning and evening make the same day.

Four o'clock saw me, one morning a good mile from El Tovar, sitting on the brink of earth's greatest abyss and waiting for the first light to touch the strange pinnacles a mile below me in the Grand Canyon. May I say, reverently, that God and I watched the dawn come together? And I have a photograph to keep fresh the experience. And one evening years afterward, I was walking in the Fall River Canyon meadows because I hoped to take home with me a lasting remembrance of their peace, and as the sun sank behind the range and white clouds piled in the brilliant blue, ridge after ridge of mountains, eight in all—were edged with flaming gold and the valleys between were glowing purple. The pictures, you say, are only black and white. No, there is a feeling of color in them, and the full refulgence is in my memory.

I feel that my hobby has enriched my life.

Come to Convention, Grove Park Inn, Asheville, N.C., June 27-July 2, 1938

New York City Panhellenic Fellowship Award

AGAIN New York City Panhellenic is pleased to announce through the medium of fraternity magazines an award of \$500 for advanced study in New York City during the scholastic year 1938-1939. Any N.P.C. fraternity member who is in good standing and who has received a degree, is eligible to compete for this fellowship. Requests for entrance into the competition may be addressed to the committee immediately and all final applications must be in the hands of the committee before April 15, 1938. The final choice will be announced at the May meeting of New York City Panhellenic and the money, already in a New York depository, will be available for use by the winner the following September.

For the present award the committee is composed as on previous occasions of five members of five different fraternities pledged to consider and judge all applications upon merit only, and without knowledge of the identity of the candidates. They will consider also the candidate's purpose for studying further in her field and reserve the right to defer the awarding of the fellowship in the event that no candidate satisfies all requirements.

Any fraternity woman interested in applying for this fellowship should write immediately to the chairman of N.Y.C. Panhellenic Fellowship Committee, giving name, address, college, and year of graduation, degree or degrees, and fraternity of which she is a mem-

ber. Detailed directions will then be sent to her, together with necessary blanks.

The winners of three previous awards—Helen Willard, $\Lambda \Phi$, Katherine Noble, $\Pi \beta \Phi$, and Helen Fairbairn, $\Sigma \kappa$ —all studied at Columbia University toward advanced degrees which, with valuable personal contacts made there led to professional openings of responsibility and promise. Virginia Smith McDermott, $\Lambda \Delta \Pi$, last year's winner, is at present completing study for her doctorate at New York University. While it has been far from easy during the past few years to earn and set apart for a fellowship fund an adequate sum, evidence of the value to the subsequent careers of recipients and belief by N.Y.C. Panhellenic that such a fellowship is tangible expression of the meaning and aims of women's fraternities has prompted N.Y.C. Panhellenic members to save, earn and give the money necessary for this new fellowship. It is hoped that there will be a widespread response by fraternity women to this opportunity for fraternities to encourage their own members to: a) apply for the fellowship; b) to write promptly for necessary blanks and directions; c) to be punctual in filling these and in following any supplementary directions; d) to return these before the closing date—April 15, 1938.

NOTE: Final applications before April 15, 1938. All communications to be addressed to the chairman of N.Y.C. Panhellenic Fellowship Committee, Room 422, 3 Mitchell Place, New York City.



Three members of Pi Beta Phi were in attendance at the recent convention of Delta Kappa Gamma, Education fraternity, Grace Post, Washington B and California A, who was director of the Convention, Ruth Dorn, Oregon B, and Phyllis Crane, Vermont A, both of whom were special initiates there. The gathering was at the Huntington Hotel, Pasadena, California, November 27 and 28, 1937. Grace Post is a State Founder, state secretary, and president of Alpha Chapter, of Los Angeles.

Other prominent Pi Phis who are also members of Delta Kappa Gamma are May Lansfield Keller, Emilie Margart White, and Nita Hill Stark.

PI PHI DOWNS FUTURITY RACE FOR \$50,000 ENDOWMENT FUND

\$20,000 HURDLE
Yellowstone Convention 1934

\$10,000 HURDLE
Asbury Park Convention 1931

\$5,000 HURDLE
HUNTINGTON CONVENTION 1929

1927 BREEZY POINT Convention
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FINISH MAY 1 1938

GOAL \$50,000

1938 NATIONAL CONVENTION

\$12,000 HURDLE
May 1938

\$9,000 HURDLE
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\$8,000 HURDLE
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1938 Endowment Fund Ranking

WHO is that yearling discovery just coming over the \$9,000.00 hurdle? **YOU?**

Best efforts are still being made by Florida Γ running neck and neck with Northern New Jersey, both good bets for the finish line but Michigan B, Oklahoma A, Texarkana and North Shore are also in excellent training and may nose them out of first place, or why not **YOU?** So why not try a new course of action—a surprise move—never give up hope until the finish line is crossed and—the champion announced.

DON'T FORGET. First place is a *trip to convention.*

Second place \$50.00.

Third place \$25.00.

Six running prizes, three for the actives, three for the alumnæ.

Consult the Pi Phi Downs for the leader of the \$9,000.00 hurdle. Remember only one more hurdle is left. Will **YOU** be the winner of one of the golden horse shoes May 1, 1938?



A FLAG PRESENTATION AT AUSTIN

Nita Hill Stark presents a new set of colors to the band of the University of Texas—the band is wearing new uniforms, the gift of Lutch Stark. The boy accepting the flag is J. J. Pickle, President of the University Council.

Scholarship Graphs—1936-1937

By MARRIE BORRIES, *Michigan B*
National Scholarship Chairman

WHILE not quite all of the available reports are in as yet, the scholarship chairman has made the following study of the seventy-two scholarship reports in by December 25. Of the remaining eight chapters, three have no way of obtaining the information and three are dependent on Panhellenic studies which are not yet completed, leaving only two chapters still behind with their reports. Of these chapters two are in Zeta Province, which made it impossible to obtain any just rating of that province as a whole. It therefore was left out of the province study.

Graph 1 shows the rating of all seventy-two chapters. Eleven chapters stand first on the campus with a perfect rating of 40, thirty-three, nearly one half of the chapters, are in the upper third on the campus, and forty-

eight are in the upper half on the campus.

Graph 2 compares the 1936-1937 ratings with the 1935-1936. The 36-37 scholarship shows improvement over the 35-36, raising the general average from 24 to 24.56.

Graph 3 is a comparative study of eleven provinces. Three, Delta, Epsilon, and Theta, are well in the upper third, four more are nearly there, but three are just a little above half way and one is almost in the lower third.

We ought to say that since New York Δ and Missouri Γ are on campuses where the scholarship cup is awarded each spring for the calendar year, we used for their ratings the averages for the spring of 1936 and the fall of 1936. This rating is a term earlier for these chapters but utilizes each year figures used for their scholarship awards.



A PI BETA PHI TOUR THROUGH EUROPE

Here's a real opportunity for a trip to Europe this summer with a party of Pi Phis, and under the auspices of the American Express Travel Service.

Pi Beta Phi will sponsor a general European tour, to start after Convention—what grander way to spend the summer can be found?

Letters describing the tour in detail have gone out to all chapters and alumnae clubs. Further information will appear in the May ARROW, but in the meantime may be obtained by writing

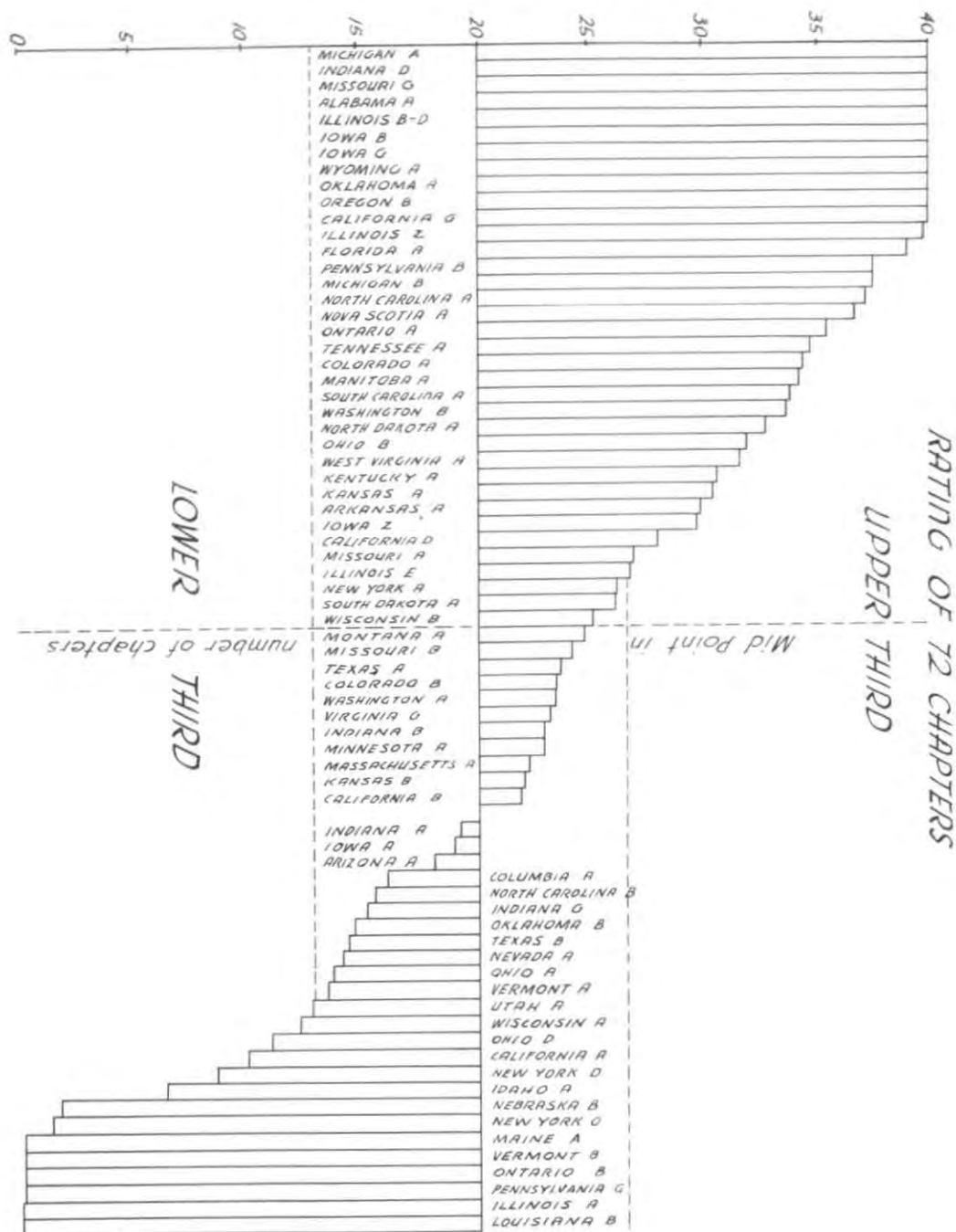
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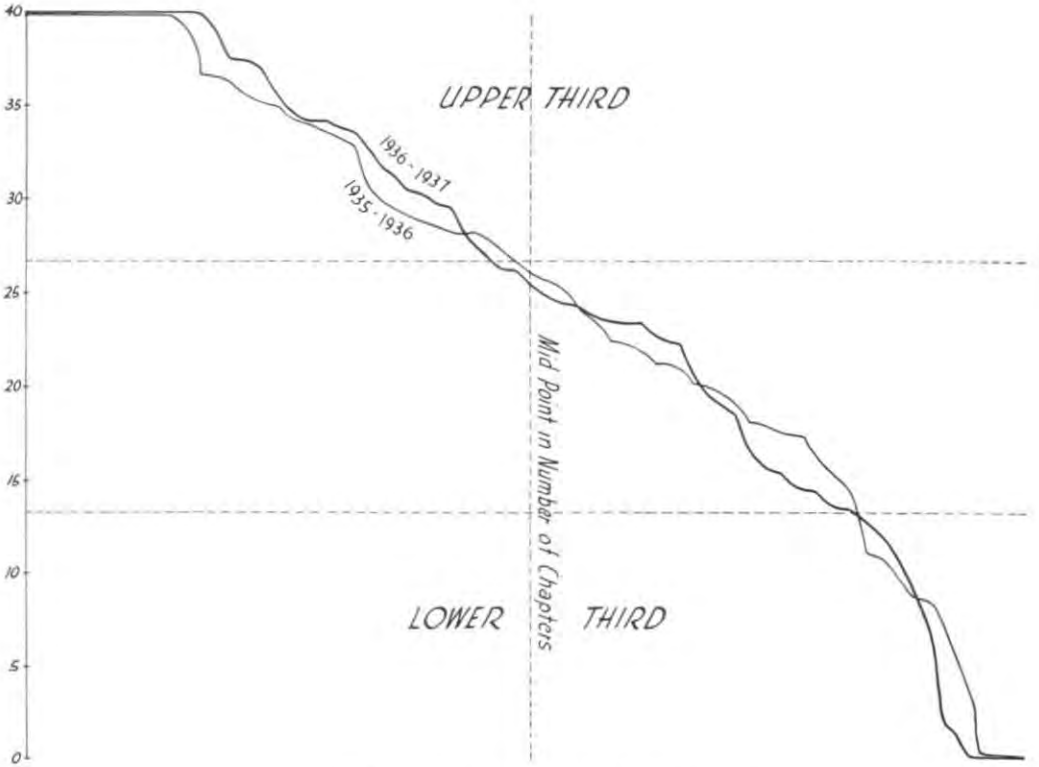
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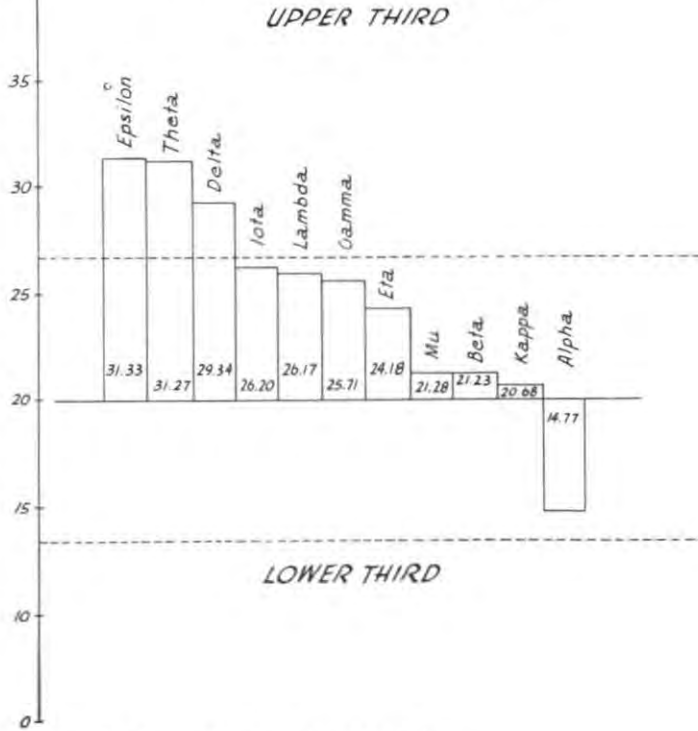
(Be sure to mention Pi Beta Phi)

If you are going to Europe this summer, go with the Pi Beta Phi Tour! Make your reservations now!





RATING OF 11 PROVINCES



RATING OF 72 CHAPTERS

National Panhellenic Congress

THE twenty-fifth meeting of N.P.C. was held in New York City October 13-16, 1937, at Beekman Tower (Panhellenic) Hotel. The full report of the delegate of $\Pi \Phi \Phi$, Amy Burnham Onken, has been sent to all alumnae clubs and active chapters, so will not need to be repeated here. The three days of the meeting were crowded with interesting discussions, exchange of ideas as to fraternity management, friendly gatherings where delegates and visitors really talked about the things that interest them in the utmost frankness and freedom, and charming social events that gave further opportunities for talk and visiting.

The first night's session was devoted to a round table on City Panhellenics, in charge of the New York City Panhellenic, with a large attendance of the members of that body. (That evening, Grand Council had the pleasure of dining with the New York $\Pi \Phi \Phi$ who were present.) The final night, with its formal banquet at Beekman Tower, also brought together a most attractive representation of fraternity women from the New York area. Among them were twenty-four $\Pi \Phi \Phi$, the second largest delegation at the banquet—the largest was that of $B \Phi A$, and they had an active chapter from Hunter College to swell their numbers!

An interesting feature was the Editors' Conference, with two regular meetings, besides many little personal gatherings. The Editors' Dinner was held in state in the Perroquet Room of the Waldorf Astoria, with a stimulating guest speaker in Anne Grosvenor Ayres, the only woman producer to have a play on Broadway this winter. Miss Ayres spoke especially of the place of college women in the theatre of today, saying that never have the opportunities been as fine as they are now, both for acting and play-writing—that the theatre is full of intelligent and distinguished people these days, and is demanding more and more of them. She listed college women in Broadway productions, and among them was Haila Stoddard, California Γ , who had a fine part in "Yes, My Darling Daughter." The second part of the program was a discussion of the question of fraternity publicity of the right kind by Shirley Kresan Krieg, editor of *Themis* of $Z \Gamma A$, and also director of publicity for that fraternity. Mrs. Krieg stressed the need for

controlled publicity as a real need, if fraternities are to show their best side to the world at large.

Next day the Editor's luncheon was devoted to "Brass Tacks," all the practical things which go to the making of a magazine. On the subject of national advertising, the Editors (there were some business managers among them, too) listened to talks by George



MRS. GENTRY

Banta, Jr., and Albert Wharfield, both of Fraternity Magazines, Associated, followed by a general discussion. A shop talk followed, led by the Editor of the *ARROW*, who spoke on the problems of the magazine with a large editorial staff. As always, the best part came last, the comparison of methods and plans for magazine making—it lasted most of the afternoon.

An interesting feature of one of the luncheons at which all were present, delegates and visitors alike with the new officers as guests of honor, was the display of the $B \Phi A$ dolls. They are charmingly dressed little figures, each in the costume of the year of the founding of one of the N.P.C. fraternities—we long for a set of pictures of them to show how pretty they are, and how true to historical accuracy.

In the regular sessions there was discussion

of the quota system and the action of two years ago was reaffirmed, the limitation of size of chapters being recommended to the individual fraternity and left to its own discretion. Protection of fraternity insignia came in for a share of consideration, and a permanent committee was appointed to continue the work, with Miss Onken as chairman.

Outstanding was the impression of helpfulness and friendliness both in and out of sessions. Surely we have not worked in vain, surely we have come a long way on the road to better Panhellenic understanding, when our delegates and visitors (only former delegates, and present or former national officers

are admitted as visitors) can get together and ask "How do you do this in your fraternity?" and receive a thoughtful and considerate answer, with an eagerness to cooperate and to help.

The new officers of N.P.C. are chosen in rotation, and for the next two years will be as follows: president, Mrs. Frank Gentry, $\Lambda \Delta \Theta$; secretary, Mrs. John Moore, $\Theta \Upsilon$; treasurer, Mrs. M. C. Burnaugh, $B \Sigma O$.

The new chairman of the Editor's Conference is Mrs. Alta Gwinn Saunders, of the *Anchora* of $\Delta \Gamma$; the new secretary Miss Helen Bower, of the *Key* of $\kappa \kappa \Gamma$.



*Manhattan Uptown
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from Beekman Tower*



NINE CHARTER MEMBERS OF MAINE A AT THE LAKEWOOD MEETING

Left to right: Rena Campbell Bowles, Rhandena Armstrong, Hester Wessenger, Lucille Smith, Florence Salley, Minerva French Anderson, Doris Eastman Scott, Helen Pulsifer Dana, Ardis Lancey Moore.

Pi Phi in Maine

THE State of Maine Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Association held its second annual convention at Lakewood on July 17 and 18, with thirty-five Pi Phis present. Lakewood is the home of a summer theatre colony so is in itself an interesting and entertaining spot but when twenty-five Pi Phis and their husbands arrived for the week-end it surely did seem like an important part of the Vacationland which Maine is supposed to be.

The Association's Council, which met on Saturday the 17th, consisted of nineteen members—eight officers and committee chairmen and the rest representative delegates from the various groups. The spirit of loyalty and interest which has been manifest throughout all our efforts to make Maine A "News" to the rest of the $\Pi \Phi$ world was shown in the attendance of the Council—nineteen answered the roll call! The four absent members had substitutes there.

The Council was housed for the most part at Luce's Lodge and dormitory life did indeed seem the vogue again on Mrs. Luce's second floor. Following the Executive meeting some

of the members attended the play "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" in which Sally Rand and Vincent Price were starred; other members spent the evening visiting.

Included in the business of this meeting was a discussion of the chapter room and its support. The active chapter volunteered to contribute substantially toward this. Maine Alpha Day—celebrated on the 15th of September by Maine Alphas everywhere—was set aside as a day for us to demonstrate our individual abilities to raise money, which was also donated to this cause. A committee on that project was appointed which included Mrs. J. Weldon Russell of Millinocket, Miss Abbie Sargent of Princeton, and Miss Erma Budden of Greenville. Voluntary contributions are also still hoped for.

Criticisms and suggestions for future State Conventions were presented to the Executive Council. The date, program, location, etc., were discussed and the recommendations presented the following day to the mass meeting. It was decided to hold convention again at Lakewood, so ideally located and so much

enjoyed by all those present this year.

Two new offices were added to the Council this year: Assistant to the vice-president and a chairman of Pi Phis in Maine, not Maine Alphas. It was decided to appoint each year a new Convention chairman.

Members now on the State Council are: President, Hazel Sawyer, South Portland; vice-president, Abbie Sargent, Princeton; assistant vice-president, Erma Budden, Greenville; secretary, Elizabeth Laughlin, Portland; treasurer, Dorothy Steward Sayward, Guilford; publicity chairman, Freida Weaver Prouty, Portland; convention chairman, Ardis Lancey Moore, Pittsfield; Out-of-State chairman, Hazel Sparrow, Millinocket; chairman of Pi Phis in the State, not Maine Alphas, Helen Buzzell, Old Town.

The Lakewood Country Club served as our headquarters on Sunday and there were displayed some of the beautiful Arrowcraft Products. Viewing these and greeting new arrivals made this a happy occasion. There

were other interesting and representative displays, too, from the various groups in Maine—the Aroostook Group having an “Aroostook Potato” (a cleverly designed book) with snapshots of the girls and views of interest. The Publicity Committee had a scrap book containing clippings concerning the activities of the State Association and Pi Phis in Maine. The Bath Club displayed a Pi Phi *Arrow* with snapshots of its members but honors went perhaps to the Guilford Club’s woods scene depicting Piscataquis County in the early days, featuring the Arrows finding the target of “More Pi Phis.”

Nine of our original charter members were at Lakewood—eight last year—and we are proud to show you in the picture above the loyal group which attended this year.

So, the State of Maine $\Pi \Phi$ craft set sail on the sea of what we hope will be another successful year. Wish us Bon Voyage!

FREIDA WEAVER PROUTY, Maine A '29

Cut along this line and mail to the Central Office TODAY!

Mrs. Edward L. Middleton,
2511 Orrington Ave.,
Evanston, Ill.

Dear Mrs. Middleton:

I am interested in traveling outside the United States. It is my understanding that our national organization may profit from travel arrangements made through you. Without obligation to me, please have information on, and itineraries, including the following countries which I have checked () sent to me as soon as possible:

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Some Chapter Houses—New and Remodeled

TEXAS ALPHA'S HOUSE

A picture of this house appears on the cover of this issue

THE new home of Texas A is a three story Colonial house 112 by 37 feet. The outside is painted oyster white with metal work on the porch and windows. All floors are double layers of red oak with felt interlining. The molding around the hall, the windows, and the living room, is copied from the home of General Beauregard. The black marble fireplaces at either end of the living room were used in the home of Dr. Waggener, first president of Texas University. The lighting fixtures are old gold and brass originals of early Victorian period.

The green velvet draperies, Charles of London sofas, Duncan Phyfe sofas, rust rug, and other large chairs upholstered in block linen carry out a color scheme of red, green,

and gold in the two drawing rooms. The library is panelled in mahogany. The chairs are leather upholstered, and the rug is a gold Kermin Persian. The dining room has red velvet draperies, a Duncan Phyfe table, and Chippendale chairs. Also on the first floor are out-of-town guest rooms and the game room, which is done in wine and silver blue.

The bedrooms on second and third floors are done in cream plaster and mahogany furnishings. On the second floor is the chaperon's suite including her office. The chapter room is above the office on the third floor. It, too, in wine and silver blue.

There is attic ventilation and air conditioning equipment. The house can accommodate forty-two girls.

IOWA GAMMA'S NEW HOME

A picture of this house appears on the cover of the November issue

IOWA Γ is fortunate in having a well organized group of alumnae who work for us unceasingly. Consequently, we have a lovely new home, an adaptation of Georgian colonial architecture.

A large drawing room with two small parlors adjoining, a library panelled in knotty pine, a dining room furnished with Whitney maple, and a kitchen considered perfect from the institutional standpoint comprise the first floor. We particularly enjoy the fireplaces of pink Minnesota marble in both the library and drawing room and the Venetian blinds at all windows. In the kitchen a mechanical dishwasher, electric mixer, coffee maker, and ice cream freezer help provide for our gastronomical satisfaction.

An oil burner, two storage rooms, maids' quarters, a laundry, a chapter room with adjoining closet for files, a trunk room, and a large recreation room make up the ground floor.

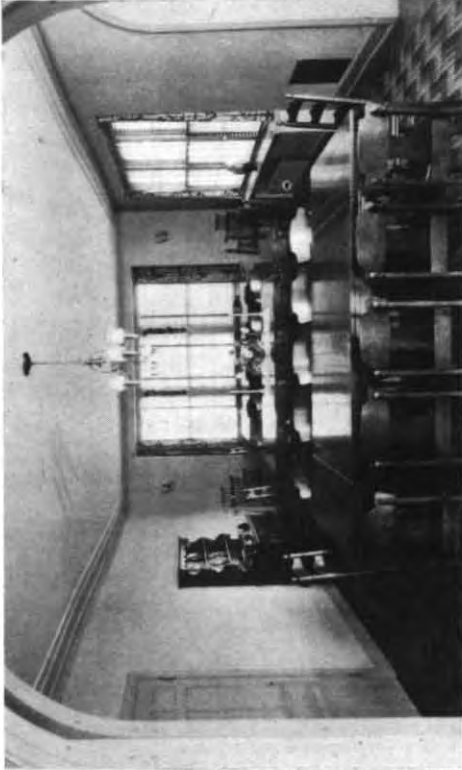
The living quarters themselves are composed of sixteen study rooms equipped with maple furniture. On each floor is a heated dormitory which provides beds for thirty-two girls. The two large bath rooms each contain two showers, a tub, four lavatories, a dental fountain, and three toilets. Formal closets on each floor solve the problem of caring for such clothes properly. The housemother's suite on the second floor is composed of a sitting room, two ample closets, a bedroom and bath. The guest room, also on second, has a private bath.

There are other conveniences such as a service room, typing room, and telephone booths which help make life in our new house run smoothly. Now we are eagerly awaiting the spring when our grounds will be landscaped. We wish that all Pi Beta Phis could have the opportunity to visit Iowa Γ and enjoy the house with us.

ILLINOIS ZETA'S HOUSE

THE Illinois Z chapter house underwent many changes last summer. The entire rear portion was removed and completely rebuilt.

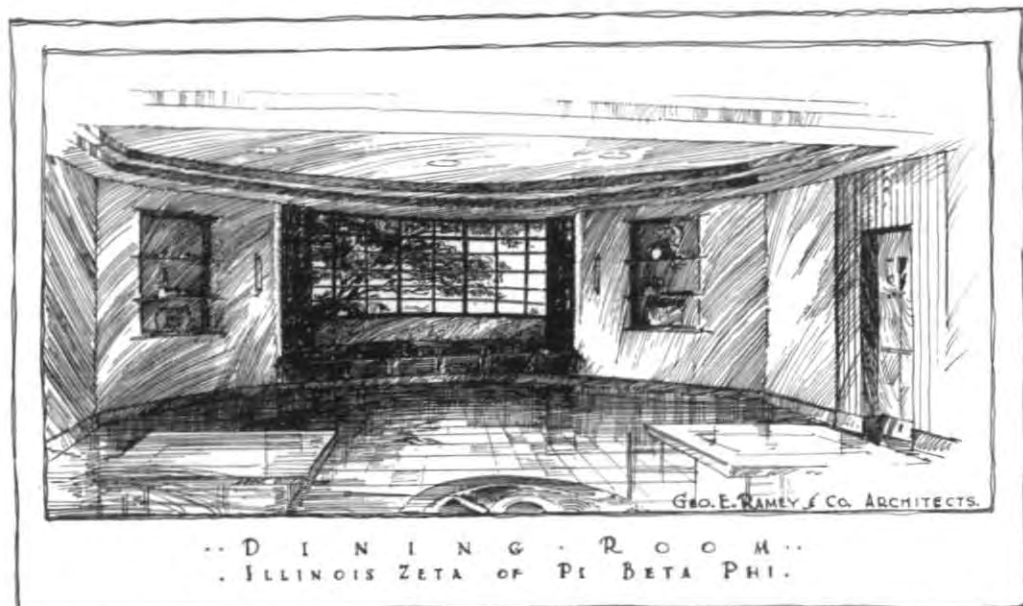
The new dining room extends entirely across the new wing. The north wall is curved with a large bay window in the center above a curved seat, and ornamental colorful niches



Exterior View
Library

Dining Room
Living Room

IOWA GAMMA'S NEW CHAPTER HOUSE



with glass shelves are on either side. The wood work is blond in finish giving a pleasant contrast to the pale green walls and asphalt tile floor. In the center of the floor is a large medallion including the sorority emblem in wine and blue. The very complete modern kitchen and serving pantry, just west of the dining room, contain all the latest equipment for preparing and serving meals.

The second and third floors contain in

addition to five new study rooms, a town girls' room, an office, a lounge, a large dormitory, and seminar. The two bath rooms were entirely redone making the floors and walls of tile in soft, subdued colors. The plumbing fixtures have chromium trim. The basement contains the servants' quarters and a large room which can be fitted up for a recreation room at a later date.

NEW YORK DELTA'S HOUSE

THE New York Delta chapter of $\Pi\beta\Phi$ has recently changed its address in Ithaca. Their new home was remodeled during the winter of 1936-37, and was occupied by the girls after the spring recess.

It is a much larger house than the one formerly used, as there is now room for twenty girls. The outside is a light colored stucco with brown woodwork, and has three large porches. There is a large terrace in the front of the house, and a little woods in the back.

Inside, the living room is quite large as two rooms were made into one. The color scheme is a deep wine and blue. There are lovely new curtains in the bedrooms so the girls no longer have to furnish their own. Much of the furniture is also new.

At a faculty reception and a student open house held last spring, many compliments

were made about the house. One of the nicest, but also one of the most frequent, was that it had such a "Homelike atmosphere."



NEW YORK DELTA'S HOUSE

THE NEW HOME OF OHIO BETA

THE house was built by Ray Sims, an excellent architect and father of a Θ , in true and two pillars on either side. Over the Georgian style complete with a white door doorway is $\Pi B \Phi$ worked in iron tracing over glass and is very effective. The interior is furnished in Georgian period and particularly beautified by striking and attractive wallpapers. Another unusual feature is the dull blue woodwork in the downstairs section. There are two living rooms, a reception room, and a town girls' room with lavatory both done in wine and blue. Of course we

have a spacious dining room, a large kitchen and pantry, and an auxiliary kitchen in the basement. Second and third floors contain ample bedrooms to house twenty-one girls comfortably. Each bedroom has a different kind of wallpaper and arrangement and so each is a pleasant surprise to the unknowing. On second floor there is a lounge for the house girls; and last but not least, a lovely chapter room for all Ohio B actives is in the basement. Is it no wonder Ohio B is proud of her new \$60,000 home?



HOME OF OHIO BETA

THE "QUADRANGLE" AT MONTANA STATE COLLEGE

MONTANA Alpha chapter of $\Pi B \Phi$ has been housed, for the last three years, in one of the sorority units of the new Montana State College Quadrangle, at Bozeman, Montana. The Quadrangle consists of three separate buildings, constructed through the aid of the Public Works Administration, with an additional appropriation of \$180,000. The three buildings are arranged in the form of a quadrangle, around a lawn and sunken garden. Each building has two units, each of which houses twenty girls and a chaperon. Variations in both the exteriors and interiors give each unit the individuality of a private home—periods represented in the furnishings of the different units are Tudor, English with Chippendale influence, Early American, and Modern.

The Quadrangle has one central kitchen that serves each unit in the unit's own dining room. The Central Kitchen has proved to be an economical way of handling the buying, preparation and serving of food for the groups, and is a set-up which is probably unique in the United States.

The Quadrangle's sorority units are occu-

pied, at present, by the $\Pi B \Phi$, $X \Omega$, and $A \Gamma \Delta$ sororities, while independent women occupy the other three. Each group can lease a unit for thirty years, renewing for the same period; and leases may be cancelled by either the group or the school.

The grounds, lawns, and walks are taken care of by the college. Revenue from the units pays the immediate expenses; electric and heating rates are made cheaper; and the college absorbs the costs of street improvements, insurance, water, and waste removal.

Each group of four girls has a five-room suite—including two bedrooms, two dressing-rooms, and one large study room where they can study together or alone without disturbing those who have retired.

Since its commencement, the Quadrangle has proved to be very satisfactory, furnishing excellent facilities, good food, and very favorable location, at reasonable cost, to a large number of the women attending Montana State College; and a decided increase in group and individual cooperation and loyalty has been shown.



SEEING DOUBLE

It's really not an optical illusion, but just a double exposure of two sets of confusion creators who attend Kansas State College, Manhattan. Looking from left to right are John Wilson, Margaret Mullen, Bill Wilson, and Martha Mullen, two sets of twins who are seen frequently together on the college campus. Margaret and Martha are twin daughters of Clyde W. Mullen, assistant dean of agriculture at the college, and are $\Pi \Phi \Theta$. John and Bill, also twins, live at Augusta and are members of $\Phi \Delta \Theta$. It really doesn't matter that Martha's hand conceals her face—just look at Margaret and you'll see what she looks like.



MERCEDES
JORGULESCO

FROM P I P H I P E N S

Edited by MERCEDES BAKER JORGULESCO, Massachusetts A

MERCEDES JORGULESCO—Initiated into Massachusetts A 1925. Extension work at Columbia U., Boston U., N.E. Conservatory of Music. In 1927 married Jonel Jorgulesco, scenic and costume designer for the Metropolitan Opera, Theatre Guild, etc. Third vice-president N.Y. Alumnae Club, 1930-1931. Treasurer Westchester Alumnae Club, 1935. Book reviewer and feature writer for seven county newspapers, pianist, having appeared in recitals and on radio in Boston and New York. Has a five-year-old son, Jonel Eugene, 2nd.

FRANCES KENT GERE'S "ONCE UPON A TIME IN EGYPT"

Although Frances Kent Gere (New York A) presents *Once upon a time in Egypt* to give accurate and stimulating information in picture and story to children of eight to twelve years of age, the adult who may have carried the idea that all things pertaining to ancient Egypt are dead, very, very dead, will enjoy the experience she provides in making ancient Egypt very much alive. Her indefatigable research for authentic detail in providing the background for the rather simple story of age old interest, the friendship of two boys, one of high and one of low degree, is responsible for this feeling of active pulsating life. She has not had to be vague or sketchy about her story material although the action is limited to that short space of time between the planting and reaping of grain on the nobleman's estate. We follow the children over the fertile fields where the workers are engaged in the various agricultural pursuits, on to the marshes on a fowling expedition, down the river on a hippopotamus hunt where the peasant boy saves the life of his noble friend. We visit the market in the distant city and sail in splendor down the Nile to Giza to see a pyramid in construction, and to visit the King's palace in Memphis.

Thirty black and white illustrations of unusual grace and charm, and seven in fascinating color emphasize the interesting detail of the story to the reader.

Miss Gere's ambition for many years has been to illustrate children's stories. Vacation time at her summer home in the Adirondacks has afforded her the opportunity to develop this desire. She has taught art in the Bishop School, La Jolla, Calif., Concord Academy,

Concord, Mass., and at the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston, where she had charge of the Saturday classes for children. It was this latter connection which gave greatest impetus to this volume. She observed that children showed a keen interest in things Egyptian and as she herself was fond of Egyptian art she planned the book to give more exact ideas of the life and art of this ancient land. Her experience showed that there were few books on Egypt for children and these usually treated the Old, Middle, and New Kingdoms as one period, when in truth these empires covered thousands of years. The customs and art were vastly different. The Boston Museum has much material on the fourth dynasty and the finest collection of Old Kingdom sculpture outside of Egypt. The author carefully scrutinized this material for those homely details which would build up a true picture of how people of that time lived. Her accuracy was not only for the literary detail but just as truly for the pictorial. Many of the illustrations are copied from carved stone and painted wall, the rest, of her own inspiration, are in the manner of the times.

Mr. Dows Dunham, associate curator in charge of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, and a distinguished Egyptologist, volunteered a letter of high and worthy praise for publication as a preface to this book. He appreciates not only her scientific method and sympathetic draughtsmanship, but the fact that she built her story to fit the evidence she secured rather than distorting it to suit a preconceived narrative.

Frances Gere attended the Goodyear-Burlingame private school for girls in Syra-

cuse where she is now the head of the Art department. She also attended the Abbott Academy in Andover, Mass., then returned for two years at the College of Fine Arts, Syracuse University. At college she won the Eloise Nottingham prize for outstanding

freshman work. Members of the Syracuse Alumnae Club have awaited the publication of her first book with keen interest and believe that it will merit high praise and have a happy reception.

"W. SOMERSET MAUGHAM"

We are indebted to Rhea Walker the corresponding secretary of the Lafayette, Indiana Alumnae Club for the following notes on the latest book of a $\Pi \Phi$ husband.

Professor Richard Cordell's latest and 4th book *W. Somerset Maugham*, published by Thomas Nelson and Co., selling for \$2.50, has received much praise. Only in the last week or so, Professor Cordell received a letter from Maugham saying that the book had proven to be very popular in England and that he was well pleased with it. Cordell wrote this book while he and Alice (his wife) were on a leave of absence from Purdue in 1935-36. His other three books are as follow: *Representative Modern Plays* (this is a textbook and is in use in over one hundred Universities), *Henry Arthur Jones and The Modern Drama* (he wrote this on his first leave of absence in 1925 at which time he and Alice traveled about over Europe), and *Twentieth Century Plays* (another textbook).

He received his degrees at Indiana University at Bloomington and worked one year on his doctor's degree at East London College.

Now a word about Alice. He dedicated his "Maugham" book "To Alice." She is an active member of our Lafayette Alumnae Club having served as its president just before she went to London in 1935. This year she is the capable Settlement School chairman. She is a member of the Indiana Δ (Purdue) chapter.

Among those who have so highly praised this book is O. O. McIntyre, popular columnist whose reference to the work is as follows: "Richard Cordell, a professor at Purdue University, has turned in one of the season's crack biographies of the novelist, Somerset Maugham, in a book called *Maugham*. No living person was so ripe for a biography as the English writer. He has lived life at top speed and in all far corners of the world, and is still going strong."

SOME PAPERS ON NUTRITION

By Dr. Icie Macy, Virginia A and Colorado A, one time holder of the $\Pi \Phi \Phi$ Fellowship for graduate study. Reviewed by Dr. Lardner Moore Shannon, New York Δ .

It is a great privilege and pleasure to review a series of scientific papers upon subjects of such vital importance to everyone, to women particularly, and especially to those who have or expect to have, children.

Not since the days, now long past, spent in the class room and laboratory of Dr. Graham Luck have I enjoyed such scientifically presented nutritional studies as those presented by Dr. Macy and her co-workers on the "Nutritional State in the Metabolism of Women during Pregnancy" and the "Variability of metabolic response of different children to a given intake of calcium."

Of the sixteen minerals needed for adequate nutrition, iron, calcium and phosphorus are likely the most important. These we best appropriate into ourselves in the form of natural foods. Iron, derived from red meats,

spinach, beets, carrots, etc., is essential to the red blood cells which carry oxygen. Copper must be present in the food, however, or iron cannot be assimilated. Loss of the calcium which is contained in milk and in fresh vegetables is responsible for such deficiency diseases as rickets and nervous disorders. Lack of calcium and phosphorus in the diet also causes dental decay. About one grain of calcium a day in the diet is considered adequate.

Dr. Macy brings out the fact that not only do different individuals vary widely in the amount of calcium retained in the body from the same daily calcium intake, but the same individual varies from day to day. Since this is so, children especially need an abundant supply.

When a child is cross, irritable, and life under the same roof with it seems an impossibility, I have long thought that castor oil and bed were far superior to the much extolled birch rod. After reading Dr. Macy's

excellent articles on the "Stabilizing effect of increased vitamin B intake on growth and nutrition of infants," and the "Relation of increased vitamin B intake to mental and physical growth of infants," I shall certainly add one more axiom in my household. In the future when my children show little resistance to infection and refuse their food day after day we shall certainly look to their vitamin B intake. Gross lack of vitamin B, called the anti-neuritic vitamin, and contained in wheat germ, yeast, and the outer husks of

rice, is seldom met with in this country, but a sub-optimal intake of vitamin B is often encountered.

The great medical advances of the next century will most probably lie within the field of chemistry, especially physiological and physico-chemistry, as evidenced by our renewed conceptions of pernicious anaemia and of diabetes. It is through such extremely accurate and exhaustive scientific researches as those of Dr. Macy that modern medicine advances.

SINCERE THANKS

The editor of this department wishes to express her sincere thanks to those Pi Phis who have contributed reviews in this issue.

Without their help, the editor who has sustained injuries to her right hand would not have been able to complete her duties.

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We Introduce:



MARY EMRICH VAN BUREN

(Mrs. Donald M.)

ASSISTANT EDITOR AND BUSINESS MANAGER
OF THE ARROW

Initiated into Illinois B in 1918. Transferred to Illinois E in 1919. B.S. Northwestern, 1920. Attended Estes Park and Pasadena Conventions, also Washington, D.C. Conference. Taught History and English in high school for four years. Traveled abroad in 1925. Married to Donald Martin Van Buren in 1927. Moved to San Diego, California, in 1929. Active in alumnae club, serving as vice-president and corresponding secretary, and in A.A.U.W., serving as business manager of *The Bulletin*, vice-president and program chairman. Studied at San Diego State College 1930-31. Substituted in Junior High 1931-35. Moved to Sacramento, California, early last year. Has a baby daughter, Jean, born November 6, 1936.

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HOLDEN LEADING LADY

By ISABEL CLARK, *Manitoba A*

It was with pride that the Winnipeg Pi Phis learned that Grace Matthews, leading lady for the John Holden Players, Canada's only professional stock company, is a member of Ontario A. The company is giving Winnipeg audiences its second season of pleasure with its splendid repertoire of plays, and it is giving the Pi Phis an opportunity to become better acquainted with Grace who is a very delightful person. However, her free time is limited, for each week finds her acting in one play and studying and rehearsing another.

Grace had her first experience in performing before audiences when just a child. She took music lessons and played very badly—so she says—so that at recital time one found her in a *Little Lord Fauntleroy* suit giving recitations rather than playing the piano.

Two years ago Grace took part on CBC once a month with the John Holden Players and at the same time made recordings for commercial purposes. She took part also each Sunday night on CBC in "Forgotten Footsteps," a programme familiar to many. Before coming west, in the fall of 1936, she played opposite John Boles on the Rudy Vallee hour which was broadcast from Toronto. Her radio work in Winnipeg has been in a serial over CBC called "East Lynne," and as a commentator for "World Cruise," a weekly programme.

Grace's stage activities, while at the University of Toronto where she was graduated in 1931, were confined to the University College Players Guild in which she worked in a small capacity. During her last year at the University she was chapter president of Ontario A, and on graduating attended the Asbury Park Convention where some of you may have met this very attractive $\Pi \Phi$. After graduation, Grace took part in an alumni play, "Nine 'Til Six," by Aimee and Philip Stuart who have just produced a play on Broadway. She also attended Hart House Theatre summer course to find if it would be worth her effort to go ahead with theatre work.

The course proved to Grace that it would be worthwhile, and the fall of 1933 found her in London, England, attending the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art which has a very high entrance requirement. It is here that

Charles Laughton, Madeleine Carroll, Flora Robson, and others of fame studied. The course is from four to six terms and during each term five plays are rehearsed. The training is detailed and strenuous, but Grace found time to visit Austria, France, and Sicily; and also to take part in one moving picture at Elstree.

In the spring of 1935 Grace returned to Canada, and for two summers belonged to



GRACE MATTHEWS

"The Actors Colony Theatre," and during the second summer they played at Bigwin Inn, Muskoka Lakes where some of you will remember $\Pi B \Phi$ once held a very successful Convention. In the fall of 1936 Grace came to Winnipeg with the John Holden Players. Since joining this company, she has been playing straight leads, while at the Royal Academy she took character parts entirely. Naturally this experience has given Grace an opportunity to have a preference in regard to roles which are decidedly not in domestic comedies. Her favorite plays have been "There's Always Juliet," "Holiday," "The Wind and The Rain," Shaw's "Doctor's Dilemma," "Smilin' Through," and "Paris Bound."

OVER THE WORLD

Mary Ann Crawford, Ohio B, still active in that chapter, spends her summers in New York dancing with the Radio City Music Hall Rockettes, following in the footsteps of another Ohio B star of the radio, Josephine Baker.

Christine Yerges Conaway, Ohio B, is assistant to the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, Ohio State University.

Sallie Middleton, Manitoba A, writes a column on dietetics and home economics in the *Winnipeg Tribune*.

Phyllis Elkin, Manitoba A, is dietitian for the restaurant in Eaton's great department store in Winnipeg.

Sallie Chipman, Manitoba A, writes a sprightly column called the *Stroller* for a *Winnipeg* paper.

Haila Stoddard, California F, is back as Sue in the cast of "Big Sister" on the Columbia Broadcasting System. During the summer and fall she made a success on Broadway in an important rôle in "Yes, my darling daughter."

Mary Jane Ward (Mrs. Edward Quayle), author of two recent books, *The Tree Has Roots*, and the *Wax Apple*, is the daughter of Marion Lockridge Ward, Indiana B.

Florence Barnes Ingraham, Iowa Z, is Social Director of the women's campus at Pomona College, in California.

Mary Alice Matthews, California A, is in Paris, doing special research work in library science for the Carnegie Institution.

Helen Wolfe, South Dakota A, is in the offices of Montgomery Ward in Chicago.

Ida Wright Bowman, Pennsylvania Alpha, is devoting her time to speaking on current events, and is considered the leading speaker in her field in the vicinity of New York.

Adele Mallon Free (Mrs. Walter P.) D.C. A, is sister of Paul Mallon, of the widely syndicated column, and also niece of Walter Damrosch.

Charline Marshall, South Dakota A pledge, is a violinist of much promise, and is doing radio work, both locally on the University of South Dakota station, and over a station in her home town, Sioux City.

Rosemary Lane, Wisconsin A, has started a Hollywood career, appearing in Warner Brothers' new picture *Hollywood Hotel*. She is also making radio appearances Friday evenings at nine o'clock, E.S.T., with Dick Powell on the *Hollywood Hotel* program, of the Columbia Broadcasting Company.

Dr. Lyman Bryson, conductor of the "Town Meeting Of The Air" heard Wednesday evenings at 9:30, E.S.T., on stations of the National Broadcasting Company, is the husband of Hope Mersereau Bryson, Missouri B, who is herself a talented artist.

Eleanor Good, Massachusetts A, is chairman of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Chamber of Commerce in Rochester, N.Y.

Mary Stewart Sloane, Illinois E, is principal of the Taft School in Cleveland.

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Oxford Next July!

Here's an opportunity for a summer in England, with living and learning mingled in fascinating medley!

Every year there is a summer school at either Oxford or Cambridge. For this year, the four Women's Colleges and the Society of Oxford Home Students are offering a special course of three weeks to American women graduates and teachers. The

subject will be "England in the Past Fifty Years." The fee of \$150 includes board, residence in one of the Women's Colleges, excursions, concerts.

Miss Marion L. Day, the American representative of 9 St. Lukes Place, New York City, will be glad to send further information.

NEWS FROM LITTLE PIGEON

Edited by JEFFRIES GREEN PACE, Virginia A

AN INTRODUCTION TO OUR WEAVERS

Because we all live constantly with the beautiful work of our Settlement School weavers about us in our homes, it seems fitting to devote this month to them and their activities, allowing them a chance to show what the school means to them and us to see what they mean to the school.

The following articles with one exception—the article by Gene Redding—were all written and contributed by the weavers. No mention has been made however of Aunt Lizzie's eightieth birthday party and I should like to pass on to you what I gleaned about it from a recent conversation with Gene.

We all know Aunt Lizzie, who has been gracious enough to allow the use of her picture, in connection with publicity about the school work—in newspaper articles and on the Arrowcraft price lists, the same picture which appeared in *News from Little Pigeon* in the November issue. She still weaves on her loom in the weaving building and dropped in to weave a piece of her own original pattern on her birthday, thus arriving opportunely for the celebration. The weavers' club had originated the idea, contributing, each one, to the fund which purchased a lovely sweater and comfortable slippers for the honoree. Baking was all done the day

before. Eighty little cup cakes were iced and placed on a stand with several tiers, each cake with its lighted candle, truly a mighty fine spectacle!

Those taking part in gift presentation and management of refreshments were all mem-



THE WEAVING BUILDING

bers of Aunt Lizzie's family—great and small. There was much congratulation and jolly get-to-gethering, with some of Aunt Lizzie's old friends and contemporaries, coming in from distant places in the hills and seeing each other for the first time in many a long day.



Left: One of the husbands bringing in his wife's weaving on a very cold morning. *Center:* A mother and daughter. Both weave Veatress scarfs. *Right:* Mrs. Mary O. Ownby who weaves the Peasant runners.

"MISS REDDING" SPEAKS

When I am asked to write about by weavers, I am on a happy subject, for they are a grand lot of women. This year there have been ninety-two of them weaving and sewing for us. They range in age from Aunt Lizzie Reagan, down to a sweet seventeen-year-old mother who makes up some of our bags.

where from a stone's throw from the school to seven miles away, on the highways and up the hollows. It takes time to keep in touch with ninety-two homes.

The weavers are scheduled to bring back their weaving on days of the week according to the district in which they live. It is a re-



A GROUP OF WEAVERS WITH SOME HUSBANDS AND CHILDREN. THIS IS A REGULAR FRIDAY MORNING GROUP.

Our weaving department is one of the most highly organized in the country for we have found that organization pays. We know what to expect from the weavers and what is far more important, they know what to expect from us. Our system of dealing with the women is quite simple. Each woman has her own loom in her own home and is taught there to weave certain articles. Some women are clever at weaving wool, others at linens, and so on, which readily divides the whole into smaller groups, that can undertake certain types of weaving and patterns. If they have a preference, we try to follow it, for a satisfied weaver is a good one.

When work is available, a card is sent to the weaver who comes into the weaving building to get her warp and the thread with which to weave it. This material is carefully weighed out to her when she takes it. She takes the materials home, and if she is learning a new pattern or needs instruction of any kind, I go to the home to give it. It is fortunate that we have a car to use, for the weavers live any-

quirement for a woman to come in once every two weeks, unless she has a reasonable excuse. Husbands and children come in at other times, and are a great help when there is a young baby to bring along or the weather is bad. No children are allowed to stay out of school to come, so we often play the role of truant officer.

The women enjoy their weaving. The mountain people are especially clever with the use of their hands and with training do lovely work. They love the colors they use, and the greater variety they can have, the better they like it. All the designs are supplied to them. Most of them are original adaptations of old Colonial patterns—some of them are entirely new. A few standard coverlet drafts, like the Whig Rose and the Tennessee Blazing Star, find their place among our articles.

Three years ago when we moved into the building that was formerly the woodcraft shop, the weaving department came into its own. We were able then to expand our activities. I especially wanted the women to feel

that it is their building and that they are free to come there for advice, help, and recreation. From the calls they make upon us and the many problems which we solve unrelated to weaving, we are sure that the building and the opportunities for service fulfill a crying need.

The monthly weaving meetings are held there—the meetings when they receive their checks for weaving done in the previous four weeks, and come for a good time as well. We celebrate any and all occasions, decorations go up and come down, refreshments are prepared and served, weaving problems are discussed, ideas exchanged, songs are sung, poetry is read, anything that would give a good time is undertaken. Nothing is ever too much trouble for a weaving meeting. Surprises are carefully guarded and then sprung on the unsuspecting audience. Old friends visit—for this is one time when they gather from all sections away from Gatlinburg. We get an opportunity to see the new babies as they come along, too.

Our garden club which had its debut last spring meets in the weaving building once each month. The membership includes not only interested weavers but any woman from the community who cares to attend. The programs have been varied and instructive. This spring we will be busy with some community beautification project.

We have a lending library of light novels that are thoroughly enjoyed. The readers in the group soon read all the books and clamor for more. Old magazines are distributed whenever we have them.

Tragic things happen, funny things happen, and annoying things happen. This fall two of my young weavers lost their babies. Both cases caused us uneasiness until we learned the particulars and were assured that the weaving was not a contributing factor. We



WINTER COMES TO ARROWCRAFT

have a stringent rule that any weaver who becomes pregnant must have permission from the nurse or her doctor before she can continue weaving. For two months previous and two months following the birth of the baby she cannot weave. When one stops to think that in the group this year, there have been twelve babies born, besides the two that did not live, and that eight more are on their way, the situation is one with which to reckon. This fall it seemed as if my group of linen weavers were all going to have babies so it took some quick switching about to get the situation under control and get the weaving done on time.

The husband of one of my three necktie weavers was run over by an automobile and severely injured, which meant that she was not able to continue weaving. In order to fill her place, I had to wait for the only other weaver who could weave necktie material, to finish a rainbow shawl wrap. To add to the trouble the factory had bad luck dyeing the yarn and it was delayed some weeks. All this time, the shop was calling for green neckties which had started to sell and our stock made a year ago was soon exhausted. Oh the vagaries of the public! How I wish I could foretell when it wants green neckties instead of blue or red!

We needed some yellow napkins and the woman weaving them came down with the flu before the order was filled.

So it goes, everyone doing their best to keep things going in spite of emergencies that will arise. Try as we do to prepare for them, we must remember that we are dealing with human beings and not machines. On some of the cold days just passed, when I saw the weavers coming in with a promised bit of weaving, I realized anew how faithful they are. Do we have the cooperation of the women who weave for us? As, yes, they will do any-



JENNIE NICHOL MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

thing for us. They come in with smiling faces and eager eyes, friends everyone. Our Pi Phi weavers are a fine lot and I am proud of them and their work. GENE REDDING

THE GATLINBURG GARDEN CLUB



FLOWER SHOW

Top: A display of gourds on Aunt Lizzie's loom. Center and bottom: Views at the Flower Show.

Through the Weavers' Guild of the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School a Garden Club was organized May 4, 1937. We call ourselves "The Gatlinburg Garden Club" meeting the first Tuesday of each month, to discuss different types of flowers, and their proper care, and planting. At the June meeting, we had a very interesting display of several different kinds of roses. The miniature bouquet was very interesting, as it was new to many of the weavers. October 5 we had a Flower Show, of which, we all were more than delighted, having been organized for such a short time. Flowers were displayed in abundance, and prizes were awarded. At the November meeting, we discussed bulbs, and their planting. Several of the members have planted bulbs of different kinds that bloom early in spring. We are sure this will improve our Flower Gardens, as heretofore we have not had many flowers to bloom in early spring. Everyone enjoyed the meeting in December as it was devoted entirely to the making of Christmas wreaths, from our beautiful holly, with its many red berries this year, and the evergreen cedar. Every meeting is more interesting and our membership is increasing under the supervision of Miss W. B. Redding, Chairman.—MRS. BETSY McCARTER. (Mrs. McCarter weaves our baby jackets and baby blankets.)

THE WEAVERS' PLAYS

I believe that more than ninety Pi Phi weavers are about the happiest group in Gatlinburg. This is very essential too, because to become a good weaver, one must have creative ability, which is impossible to have unless you can be of a happy and contented nature. Miss Redding has, during her years with us, tried, and has succeeded to give us something for diversion. Our monthly weaving meetings, which are about the grandest occasions for us all, have been educative and entertaining. At these meetings we can be ourselves, free to express our feelings and laughter, song, and speech (there is no one to think us queer).

It was in this manner that Miss Redding found out just how much the women really enjoyed playing. In our search for more fun, we decided to make up a play. When Miss Redding believes we can do a thing, we know we can.

Our play must be something we were familiar with, and as most everyone is interested in our quaint mountain brogue and odd ways of living, we decided to make our play centralize around our mountain cabin homes. There was a committee appointed to make up the outline. Miss Redding worked with the committee. She mostly pruned our "gather-

ings up." Eventually during the meeting of the Settlement School Committee in July 1936, we produced "Lightenin' the load." The three acts told a combination of the old days when Pi Phi first came here, and ended with modern life.

In March of this year, we were invited to give a part of it at the folk festival which was held at the University of Tennessee. We selected the act showing a cabin kitchen at and old fashioned workin'. We had such a good time doing it and everyone appreciated it so much we decided to reproduce it again in June of this year, leaving off the modern acts and adding two others of the old days. This we called "Bygone Days." We think as we gave it the last time it lacks very little to give any stranger a pretty good history of the mountain folks. It portrays the life of the children in the old school days, life in the cabin home and the wonderful days in the woods around the sugar boiling camp. We had little acting to do, we just had to be natural and so everyone felt at home during it all. Every woman in the place entered into

the spirit of them and was glad to add her bit to make it more historical and entertaining. After our playing, we can just see our work improve. Colors blend better and it takes a more pleasing and satisfactory appearance to carry to the end of the world a breeze of joy and gladness from our beloved mountains and mountain folks.

We have a little bank account from the proceeds of our play and that gives us an air of independence. Some day when Miss Redding has time we're going to write the best play in the world, make the best weaving in the world, and become famous. Then our bank account will grow big enough that we can all take a trip to Washington and see what the government we hear so much about really looks like. And along with our other diversions, we're going to learn to raise the most beautiful flowers in the world through the garden club recently organized, and in this way, our homes will become more attractive and we will be happier. What wondrous things our weaving has brought!—LULA MAE OGLE (Mrs. Elder)

WHAT WEAVING HAS BEEN WORTH TO US

Weaving has been worth lots to us. We began weaving for the Pi Beta Phi School in 1925. The first pattern was the Monk's Belt with Miss Redding for teacher. It has helped us to buy food and clothing and I enjoy weaving the beautiful colors that I make. I hope that I can weave many more years for the Pi Beta Phi School and enjoy it as I have in the past twelve years.—Weavers for the Pi Beta Phi School, MOLLIE MOORE, and her daughter BERTHA MOORE.

In the year 1932 the Pi Beta Phi School started a class in weaving. I came to this class. There were six members of the class and now there are over ninety weavers for the school. One other member and myself are the only ones of this class who have been weaving for the school since it started. The first weaving teacher, Miss Nickolson taught the class. My first loom which I used for many years was made by my brother. My present loom was made by Mr. Mattil. Weaving has not only provided work for me to do the year around but it has also been my only source of income whatsoever. I feel grateful to the school for providing this work for me.—IZORA CON-

NER KEENER. (Izora weaves rainbow shawls and other lovely things.)



MRS. MOLLIE MOORE
Mollie has been weaving the Whig Rose doilies for four years.



NITA DAY
CARMAN

EXCHANGES AND COLLEGE NOTES

Edited by NITA DAY CARMAN, Minnesota A

Some membership statistics:

Π Β Φ	29,647	Φ Μ	12,000
Κ Κ Γ	27,000	Α Φ	11,250
Κ Α Θ	25,000	Ζ Τ Α	11,000
Χ Ω	24,500	Α Γ Δ	10,500
Δ Δ Δ	24,213	Δ Ζ	10,000
Δ Γ	17,000	Σ Κ	9,555
Α Χ Ω	15,688	Α Ο Π	8,000
Γ Φ Β	15,000	Β Σ Ο	6,000
Κ Δ	15,000	Α Ο Π	4,550
Α Δ Π	13,500	Θ Υ	3,900
Α Ξ Δ	13,000	Β Φ Α	2,393

Conventions this summer are Δ Δ Δ at Swampscott, Massachusetts; Γ Φ Β at Del Monte, California; Χ Ω at Lake George, New York; Κ Κ Γ at Virginia Hot Springs, Virginia; Κ Α Θ at Spring Lake Beach, New Jersey; Β Σ Ο at Excelsor Springs, Missouri; Σ Δ Τ at Mt. Royal Hotel, Quebec; Δ Γ at Colorado Springs, Colorado; Θ Υ at Chicago, Illinois; Α Δ Π at the Seignior Club, Quebec; Α Φ at Pasadena, California, and Φ Μ follows Π Φ at Grove Park Inn at Ashville.

Among the women's fraternities which use magazine agencies to help finance their philanthropies and scholarships are Γ Φ Β, Δ Δ Δ, Α Δ Θ, Κ Κ Γ, Κ Α Θ, Α Ξ Δ, Φ Ω Π, and Σ Κ, Π Β Φ.

Alpha Delta Pi re-established a chapter at Mercer University, Macon, Georgia, the city of its founding almost 87 years ago. It is the only woman's national on that campus. Other new chapters are Alpha Phi at American University, Washington, D.C.; Kappa Alpha Theta at Western University, London, Ontario; Alpha Chi Omega at Washington College, Chestertown, Maryland, and American University, Washington, D.C.

There are no Kappas living in Kappa, Illinois.

Sigma Delta Taus have a special Mother's pin.

Alpha Delta Pi has two sets of twins from one family in their University of Texas chapters.

Kappa Alpha Theta has a new goal, a library in every chapter house.

Alpha Delta Theta has adopted the Moore's Creek School, Jackson Co., Kentucky, as a national philanthropy.

Delta Gamma is experimenting with the project of "Aiding the Blind" as their new philanthropy.

Tri Delta is working on a Fiftieth Anniversary Thanksgiving Fund, the income of which will be used for graduate fellowships.

Gamma Phi Beta mourns the death of the last of its four founders, Helen M. Dodge Ferguson, who passed away in October.

All initiates into Alpha Delta Theta are required to memorize a list of the "N.P.C. Sororities" and to know certain facts about the National Panhellenic Congress.

Mary I. Bash, Π Β Φ, Associate Dean of Women at the University of Washington, sounded the key note at the last Α Χ Ω convention at Glacier National Park.

IF I COULD CHOOSE

I would pick out for convention delegate the girl attractive in personality, disposition, and graciousness.

I would want her to possess a keen mind and to be able to use it with accuracy from an open, broad viewpoint.

I would select only the girl who has served her chapter in many capacities, who has familiarized herself with the full history and inheritance of her chapter, who has helped weld the links between alumnae and the active girls, and who knows thoroughly the needs and ambitions of her own group.

I would expect her to be able to discuss the problems and prospects of fraternity in an inspiring and efficient manner from the convention floor and to contribute to our efforts in building and strengthening our bond.

I would choose a girl who had a vision of what the fraternity world can be and can mean in college spheres and who has an earnest desire to make that vision a reality by giving of her best—not only in active life but in the years after college days have gone by.

I would offer such a privilege only to the girl who can measure up to these expectations; and in return I would ask a pledge of honor that she will return in the fall without fail and bring back the spirit and the anticipations of convention.

I would ask her to pledge unselfish, patient, and untiring service in behalf of her chapter and fraternity during convention days and post-convention years. She is accepting a sacred obligation and her chapter and her council are trusting her; each expects returns from this investment.

Would you choose alike?—*The Lyre of Alpha Chi Omega.*

On the banks of the Little Pigeon River at Gatlinburg, Tennessee, a rustic little city at the entrance to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, is a photography shop operated by a Phi Mu, Dorothy McLean, well known to many patrons who come to the mountains from all over the United States.

In this community, which is preponderantly Pi Phi because it is here that the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School and Arrowcraft Shop are located, Dorothy has built a prosperous and interesting business. There are many women photographers but she is probably one of the very few in this country who owns and manages a retail camera store, with a large photo-finishing plant in connection.

Dorothy also has inaugurated a guide serv-

ice for taking pictures in the Great Smoky and is interested in forming a Panhellenic in Gatlinburg.

Aglaia of Φ M

The day a girl pledges Φ M or any other sorority, she pledges her loyalty and service to that particular national organization. Her energies, outside of her school work, are devoted to helping build and carry on the sorority program. She is proud of her affiliation and wears her pin as a sign of distinction.

The new attitude which is rapidly spreading among Greek members, however, is a feeling of honor to be a sorority woman aside from being a part of a particular organization. It is a much broader view of the whole.

Sorority life and connections add a great deal to a girl's life, and as an essential and helpful part of her life, it is necessary that the system be continued. To do this individual sorority members are beginning to realize that *all* national sororities must be kept firmly established.

This realization is bringing about a greater spirit of toleration and friendliness between members of different houses. No longer do members of one sorority refuse to be friendly with girls outside of their own group.

Being on the University of Washington campus where the local Panhellenic is particularly strong and active, I have noticed a growing feeling of Panhellenism. Here the idea of "the big five" and "the top houses" is a thing of the past. Of course we are all proud of our own house and what it means to us, and during rushing we work very hard for our own chapters, but when the pledge lists come out we do not begrudge the other houses certain girls. Instead we sincerely congratulate each new pledge because we are happy that she has joined the Greek world and is going to help keep it growing.

Another situation our Panhellenic is trying to avoid is one in which girls pledge a particular group because the bills are a dollar or so smaller or the house is more beautiful than other houses. We want them to pledge any sorority that they like because of the girls in it and their attitude.

During rushing we do not "pan" or spread gossip about other houses. In the first place, it is below the dignity of any sorority woman; and in the second place, it might keep a girl from pledging at all, which would defeat our purpose of existence.

Is it not true that all sororities are established for the same purpose and each one has about the same ideals to be inculcated? If this is so, why should any one take a haughty and exclusive attitude? They should not and the modern trend is away from such action.

In the "Fraternity Symphony" there are two sentences which, if followed by every member of every sorority, would bring about a complete and beautiful feeling of Panhellenism. They are: "To live constantly above snobbery of word or deed," and "to live in the best sense, democratic rather than exclusive."

At this time it would also be appropriate to remember a part of the purpose of the National Panhellenic Congress: "To maintain on a high plane fraternity life and interfraternity relationships."

Aglaia of Φ M

An interesting survey conducted by Violet Gentry, Chairman of the Philanthropy Committee reporting at Convention, shows that twenty of the twenty-three national organizations of N.P.C. have already established at least one plan for helping the less fortunate, as follows:

Alpha Chi Omega—Scholarships.

Alpha Delta Pi—Nursery schools established for children of working mothers.

Alpha Gamma Delta—Summer camps for undernourished children.

Alpha Omicron Pi—Scholarship awards—Pays salary of a social service worker in the Frontier Nursing Service.

Alpha Phi—A foyer for munition workers—established during war.

Alpha Xi Delta—Supports a teacher at Carcassonne, Community Center, Kentucky.—Scholarships.

Beta Sigma Omicron—Pays salary of a worker at the Pine Mountain School, Kentucky.

Chi Omega—Theater to seat 2800 built and presented to University of Arkansas where founded.—Scholarships.

Delta Delta Delta—Scholarships.

Delta Gamma—Supports a Belgium orphanage.—Also student loan fund.

Delta Zeta—Community Center at Vest, Kentucky—has a four year high school, dormitory, etc.

Gamma Phi Beta—Camps for undernourished children.

Kappa Alpha Theta—Scholarships.

Kappa Delta—Supports five beds in the Crippled Children's Hospital, Richmond, Virginia.

Kappa Kappa Gamma—Endowed bed at the University of Minnesota Hospital, Student Aid Fund.—Hearthstone Fund.

Phi Mu—Healthmobile—clinical and educational help.

Pi Beta Phi—Settlement School and hospital, Gatlinburg, Tennessee.

Sigma Kappa—Maine Sea Coast Mission—pays salary for two workers.

Theta Upsilon—Berea College, miscellaneous contributions.

Zeta Tau Alpha—Health Center, Marian, Virginia.

The Portals of A Δ Θ

SOME PERSONAL HONORS THAT HAVE COME TO ACTIVE GIRLS

Jane Collins, Colorado A, was chosen as the outstanding woman student at the University of Colorado.

Ruth Clark and Lucille MacKenzie, Oklahoma A, won two of the Leitzeiser awards made at the University of Oklahoma for outstanding seniors there.

Helen Mullendore, Oklahoma B, received the silver Loving Cup given to the outstanding senior woman.

Mary Ellen Wiggenhorn, Montana A, received the silver cup given to the outstanding junior woman at Montana State.

Alice Reid, Oregon B, won the senior plaque given by the Department of Home

Economics at Oregon State College to the senior woman who has "best lived the teachings of Home Economics through her college year."

Elizabeth Dean, Manitoba A, is Lady Stick of Arts, the highest award given a woman at the University of Manitoba.

Another Elizabeth Dean, California Γ, received the Town and Gown award to the senior woman who has given the most outstanding service to the university.

Clover Johnson, Virginia Γ, received the Sullivan award at William and Mary given in recognition of greatest influence for good on the campus.

CHAPTER LETTERS

Edited by RUTH WILSON, Kentucky A

ALPHA PROVINCE EAST

MAINE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

Chartered, 1920

INITIATED, November 15, 1937: Margaret Lowell, Machias; Josephine Profita, Marion White, Bangor; Margaret Cheney, Monmouth; Marguerite Kyer, Brewer.

Informal rushing started October 8 with a big rushing party at the room. There were about thirty upperclassmen and freshmen. After eating, the girls all sang songs and practiced cheers for the football game the next day.

The chapter has on an average of two such supper parties a week. The fact that Maine A has the only sorority room on campus has not only helped a great deal in rushing, but has made a home for the off-campus actives.

October held one very important week-end long to be remembered. It was on October 21 that Grand President, Miss Amy B. Onken, visited the chapter. She was one of the principal speakers at the Panhellenic Banquet held on the evening of her arrival. It so happened that the Alpha Omicron Pi's Grand President was here on campus the same week-end. The Bangor alumnae group gave a tea in Miss Onken's honor the following day at Ballentine Hall.

Following the initiation ceremony on November 15, the Bangor alums gave the chapter a cooky-shine.

On November 12 the informal dance was given at the Country Club. A lighted gold arrow, and blue and wine balloons formed the decorations. By the light of this golden arrow one dance was to the music of the Sweet-heart Song. With nearly all the actives singing, it was very effective.

It was requested by the Buck family that the chapter deed the extra lot Mr. Buck presented the chapter two or three years ago back to the estate. The chapter accordingly, after due consideration, complied with the request on October 26.

November 14 the chapter entertained with a tea at the room for its patronesses.

Josephine Profita was elected Society Editor of the *Campus* in the fall elections. Margaret Lowell, another of our new initiates had an important part in the Masque Play, "The First Lady." Ruth Gray was elected Secretary of the Debate Club this fall.

Ruth and Marion White were among those chosen to debate in Boston. Amy Wood, pledge, is recovering slowly from painful injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Phyllis Porter who worked hard all fall as rush captain, has had to leave college because of ill health. Margaret Lowell took Billy's place as rush captain when she left.

The first rush party was a Cabaret Wedding at which everyone was dressed in regal garments. This party was a success.

The next small afternoon party was in the form of a Circus with side shows, fortune tellers, and all the pop corn, peanuts, and candy one could eat.

The last and biggest party was held at a lumbermen's camp about ten miles from campus. On arriving, after riding on hay in the back of a large truck, the members conducted themselves as lumbermen. Mittens of wine and blue were given as favors to the rushees.

PLEDGED: Patricia Gogan, Orono; Virginia Jewett, Bath; Irene Whitman, Stonington; Katherine True, Hope; Eva Clark, Fort Fairfield; Frances Violette, Balboa, Canal Zone.

ELIZABETH MITCHELL

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA—DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1934

Pledge Day, October 30, 1937

INITIATED, December 11, 1937: Maureen Allen, Helen Connor, Allison Conrod, Shirley Kirkpatrick, Margaret

MacAskill, Lorna MacLeod, Helen MacMillan, Margaret MacMillan, Margaret Mack, Peggy Merkel, and Margaret Morrissey, Halifax.

Rushing last fall was most successful and the rushing parties consisted of a cooky-shine and a formal dance. The patronesses gave the chapter a tea shortly before Christmas examinations. The December cooky-shine was a Christmas party, the toys from which were given to the Children's Hospital.

As usual the co-eds edited one edition of the *Gazette*. Margaret Drummie was one of the editors and several other Pi Phis made contributions.

A conference attended by over 300 students representing twenty-seven colleges throughout the Dominion was held in Winnipeg from December 27 to 30, to discuss the problems which face the Canadian nation today. Gene Morrison was one of the two girl delegates.

This year a Choral Society was formed under the direction of Mr. Harry Dean of the Maritime Academy of Music. A great number of students are interested and want to present H. M. S. Pinafore on Munro Day. Dalhousie Glee Club is planning to present several plays in the near future.

For a long time the chapter has seen the need for a room in which to hold meetings and social gatherings. A plan has taken definite shape in the last few weeks.

EVELYN EMBREE

VERMONT ALPHA—MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

Chartered, 1895

Pledge Day, November 19, 1937

Middlebury has enjoyed quite a busy fall. The plan was introduced this year by Miss Hadley, new social director, of having "football coffees" after the home football games. These were held in the Recreation room of Forest Hall and were enthusiastically attended by members of both sides of the hill. Plans for more of these informal "get-togethers" are being made by the Social Committee.

The Recreation room has also held some interesting art exhibits this fall, namely, a modern art collection, a modern photography show, and a very fine group of etchings and engravings by Dürer and Rembrandt.

Burges Johnson, of the English faculty of Union, spoke at a joint meeting of the English Club and the English Majors on "Should I Try to Understand Gertrude Stein?" The topic served as a starting point from which he proceeded to discuss contemporary trends in literature. Rollo Walter Brown talked to the student body on "Should Intelligent People Read Fiction?"

The Fine Arts Department has made it possible for the college to see the evolution of the photoplay, by presenting a series of films from some of the earliest made, like "Wash Day Troubles" up to more recent silent pictures such as "The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari" and "The Birth of the Nation." This has been a very fine opportunity to see how much this art has developed in the space of a few years and that the college was conscious of this fact was evidenced from the crowds that greeted each showing.

On the Entertainment Course for this year was the Westminster Choir which sang November 30. It was thrilling to see them in the maroon velvet robes and it was more thrilling to hear them. After the concert a reception was held so that the Middlebury Choir might have the opportunity of meeting them. At the annual Christmas service the Middlebury Choir and orchestra joined in giving "The Messiah."

Just before Christmas vacation, President Moody presided at the dedication of the Allen Memorial Library. This library was given to Forest Hall as a memorial to Cecile Child Allen who graduated from Middlebury in 1901 and who always was a loyal supporter and friend of the college. The collection, made up by contributions

of her friends and classmates, contains both those recent books which have come to be already regarded as classics and other books of more current interest. It is a splendid collection and one much to be enjoyed.

This fall the sophomores managed a Pledge Tea Dance for the rest of the fraternity, but most especially for the freshmen. This was the Saturday following Thanksgiving. The Freshmen gave a "coffee" for the pledges of all the other sororities and enjoyed doing it very much. The annual Christmas Party was held the Monday before vacation to which the alumnae and patronesses were invited. Miss Martin of the Spanish Department read a serious essay on Christmas and then interpreted "Winnie the Pooh," which is her specialty. The alumnae and patronesses delighted the chapter with their present of a table and a chair. These gifts fitted in with the plans for redecoration.

The visit from Miss Douglas, new Province President was thoroughly enjoyed. One night the chapter went out to the Dog Team Tavern, a Sir Wilfred Grenfell project, for a southern dinner of roast pig.

Mary Heckman had one of the leads in "The Queen's Husband," a bright comedy presented by the Middlebury Wig and Pen before vacation. Jane Appleton was on the Soph Hop Committee while Betty Ryder, Eleanor Gillett, and Evelyn Robinson helped with the Frosh Frolic. Pat Brewer, Edith Finlay and Irene McLaughy were recently elected to the Sky-line of the Mountain Club. Jane Appleton won the woman's prize in a photography contest which the *Saxonian*, college magazine, sponsored and Betty Gates contributed a poem to the current issue. Jane Acker is president of the sophomore class.

PLEGDED: Elizabeth Bradt, Evanston, Ill.; Lois Dale, Rochester, N.Y.; Eleanor Gillett, West Orange, N.J.; Shirley Metcalfe, Chatham, N.J.; Alice Noppel, Montclair, N.J.; Evelyn Robinson, Peekskill, N.Y.; Elizabeth Ryder, Attleboro, Mass.; Marie Stockmayer, Rutherford, N.J.; Elizabeth Wolfington, Penfield, Pa.

JANE W. KINGSLEY

VERMONT BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

Chartered, 1898

Pledge Day, February 17, 1938

INITIATED, December 13, 1937: Janet L. Ingerson, Lebanon, N.H.

At the first women's mass meeting Miss Mary Jean Simpson, Dean of Women, gave a very interesting review of the recently acquired books in the Mortar Board Library. This library is being built at Southwick Memorial in memory of the former Dean, Miss Marian Patterson. At the second mass meeting just before Christmas vacation, Professor Ladd of the German Department, spoke on some of the Christmas customs as they existed during his recent travels there.

The University welcomes Professor R. M. Collier to the Psychology Department. He is taking the place left by the late Professor Ewert.

The entire chapter and the town girls on the rushing list went on a picnic to Thompson's Point on October 6.

Because of the success of former Sunday morning breakfasts, the chapter has served two more this fall. These seem to be a great convenience to the late sleepers, and they prove beneficial to the chapter both financially and as a rushing point.

ALPHA PROVINCE WEST

NEW YORK ALPHA—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1896

Pledge Day, October 25, 1937

INITIATED, December 9, 1937: Ruth Armstrong, Doris McHale, Syracuse; Patricia Hover, Germantown; Marjorie Clayton, North Tonawanda; Anne Hughes, Jamesville; Helen Langr, Gloversville; Antonette Ross, Elizabeth, N.J.

Just before vacation, the chapter had a Christmas dance at Shrafft's. The room with Yuletide decorations brought cheer to those who had been waiting for that last bit of fun before vacation.

The Senior Ball was one of the big events to start off the next semester. The Ball was held at the Syracuse Hotel with Jimmy Dorsey furnishing the music.

At the Military Ball, sponsored by Scabbard and Blade, honorary society of the R.O.T.C., Martha Keeffe was

Resident of Burlington and the college students were extremely fortunate in hearing the violin concert by Fritz Kreisler October 21. This was the second concert in the series coming to the city this winter. The third attraction was the *Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo*, presented November 13.

The University Players sponsored a group of three plays, coached by members of the Players, October 28. Lois Brown, '39, was property manager, and Phyllis Mann helped with the coaching.

Miss Lydia Douglas, Alpha Province President, visited the chapter October 28-30. Her visit was very beneficial to the chapter.

Professor Kittridge of Harvard gave a most interesting lecture on "Shakespeare's Villains," at the Fleming Museum, November 9. This was of special worth to the students taking courses on Shakespeare.

The $\Pi B \Phi$ Settlement School sale was held at the chapter house November 7. The alumnae served tea to all those who attended the sale.

All the women's fraternities held open house November 18 and 19 in order to meet the freshman women. Rushing doesn't take place until the first two weeks after mid-year exams in February. These open house dates enable the women to become better acquainted with each other.

V. L. Granville, the distinguished English actor, gave a recital, "Dramatic Interludes," a presentation in costume, make-up, of the principal characters from the drama of all time, at Southwick on November 22.

Health Council of W.A.A. sponsored the annual Poverty Ball at Southwick, December 4. Dorothea Robinson, '39, was on the committee.

The alumnae and patronesses were the guests of the chapter at the Christmas party December 15. Helen Huntington, '38, was Santa and everyone received some joke with a clever bit of verse.

December 16 was the date for the fall play, "Children of the Moon," Phyllis Mann, '38, was in charge of properties.

Rushing immediately follows the mid-year exam period, which is the last two weeks in January.

PLEGDED, October 13, 1937: Martha K. David, '40, Philadelphia, Pa.; Janet L. Ingerson, '40, Lebanon, N.H.

PHYLLIS A. MANN

MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1896

Before the closing of college for Christmas vacation several organizations held Christmas parties. Among them were Y.W.C.A., which held its annual Robbin's Christmas party. It is given especially for the poor school children of Boston. Helping on the committee for Robbin's party were Ann Haavisto and Miriam Taylor. The cabinet of the Woman's Athletic Association held its party, Miriam Taylor, Lotte Lehmbecker, and Muriel Scott attending from $\Pi B \Phi$. Massachusetts A and the Men's Club combined forces to give a Christmas party to the entire student body of the College of Liberal Arts. This party came as a fitting climax and close to college activities until after the new year.

The holiday season is now over and students are back at college preparing for first semester final examinations.

The pledges are eagerly looking forward to their initiation which will come some time in February.

MURIEL E. SCOTT

elected queen of the Ball.

The first cooperative living center on the campus to be organized by men was started at the beginning of the second semester. The new center is known as the Engineers' Cooperative living center and housing more than twenty students among the various departments of the College of Applied Science.

Throughout the year, the women's glee club has been sponsoring radio programs over a national hook-up. Besides this they gave several concerts at the various high schools in the vicinity of the city.

Among the prominent people who have visited campus are: Prof. H. Tweedy, of Yale University; Prof. Ray Moley, original "Brain-Truster" of the New Deal; and Charles A. Beard, famous historian and lecturer from Columbia University.

The seniors have welcomed the opportunity to become better acquainted with the members of the Syracuse Alumnae at dinners held for them by the latter group.

Dorothy Stack has been elected to ΨX , honorary psy-

chology fraternity, Lois Wintermute and Jane Dagnell to Z Φ H, honorary speech fraternity, Marjorie Clayton to Σ A I, honorary musical fraternity.

RUSH CHAIRMAN: Jane Bagnell, 147-13 Cherry Ave., Flushing, N.Y., 215 Euclid Ave., Syracuse, N.Y.

LUCILLE STOTHARD

NEW YORK GAMMA—ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1914

Pledge Day, September 29, 1937

INITIATED, November 8, 1937: Elizabeth Brown, Mt. Vernon, N.Y.; Frederica Bucher, New York, N.Y.; Adele Wolin, New York, N.Y.

Studies and college activities have picked up again so quickly from where they left off last year that it is hard to realize that there ever was such a thing as a Christmas vacation. New York Γ looks back upon and forward to a very successful and interesting college year.

The annual Pledge Tea was held early in October. Panhellenic council felt that the guests never really met the freshmen at their teas, for the upperclassmen had the most opportunity to talk to the guests while the freshmen were in the receiving line. This year only the house mother, the president of the chapter and the president of the pledges were in the line, while the other freshmen were with their guests. Two upperclassmen poured, and three more were with the freshmen to help if needed. The tea was very successful this way.

On November 19, 20, and 21 Mrs. Lloyd Sipherd of London, Ontario, new Alpha West Province President, visited the chapter. She is a very charming and capable person, and the girls enjoyed and profited by her visit very much.

With Initiatory Banquet and May Day the Christmas party is one of the largest chapter functions. To this not only the actives come, but also alumni and patronesses. The freshmen gave a skit this year, a take-off on the peculiarities of the upperclassmen. The alumni gave the chapter a set of door chimes and a new card table, and the patronesses gave three dozen wine colored water glasses, and a silver tray.

On January 15 the chapter held its formal winter house party.

This year on February 5 and 6 the Saint Lawrence Outing Club will sponsor the annual Winter Carnival. Beside the regular competitive events there will be held the Pageant, the crowning of the King and Queen, and the Winter Carnival Ball, a masquerade. Each fraternity and sorority on the Hill will also build an ice statue, with a prize to be given for the best one.

Jeanette Light was elected vice-president of the sophomore class and Mary Coakley was elected vice-president of the freshman class. Virginia Joyce was appointed chairman of freshman orientation. Dorothy Cass is manager of women's debate, and president of the Literary Society. Marion Kurz, Phyllis Doffany, Alice Mackay, Dorothy Foster, and Virginia Hulse were elected to *Le Cercle Jasseraud*, honorary French club. Dorothy Zimmerman was elected to Mummies, honorary dramatic society. Caroline Meyer was elected vice-president of *Der Deutsche Verein*, honorary German club. Dorothy Zimmerman was appointed co-ed sports editor of *Gridiron*, the college yearbook, and Virginia Joyce and Alice Mackay were appointed associate editors. Virginia Joyce and Dorothy Zimmerman were appointed to the Winter Carnival Committee. Marion Kurz was a member of the honorary All Saint Lawrence hockey team.

DOROTHY ANNE ZIMMERMAN

NEW YORK DELTA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1919

Pledge Day, October 18, 1937

Cornell is now broadcasting over the radio. Every day except Sunday news of the happenings at the University are told by a Cornell student over station WESG. A contest was held to determine who should do the broadcasting in which both men and women competed. Several noted radio commentators acted as judges, and Lucky Strike Cigarettes is sponsoring the program.

New York Δ greatly enjoyed a visit from the new President of Alpha Province West, Mrs. Sipherd. She was entertained at dinner by the alumnae and at a tea by the chapter. Alumnae, sorority presidents, and sorority and dormitory chaperons attended.

A breakfast for the pledges was held at Taughanock Farm. A formal dance was also given in their honor at

the Ithaca Savings Bank Building. A Christmas party was held at the fraternity house before vacation. Santa Claus was present and gave each girl a gift.

Old clothes, curtains, dishes, and such things are being collected for a rummage sale to be held in the spring. A similar one was held last spring and was a great success.

Several of the things made at the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School were sent for and were on display a few days at the chapter house. Many of the articles were sold and more were ordered.

Helen Gross was recently elected to the *Widow*. Victoria Gage played on her class hockey and basketball teams. Naomi Weyand played on the sophomore hockey team. She also helped to entertain hockey players from five different colleges who were guests at Cornell. While here, a picked team from these colleges, and from Cornell, played a professional hockey team from Philadelphia.

PLEGDED: Jane Baer, Oswego; Helen Disbrow, Ozone Park; Ruth Driggs, Richmond Hill; Betty Holdridge, East Aurora; Florence James, Brooklyn; Ruth Maughan, Etna; Gertrude Pasto, Lockwood; Jane Simmons, Newark Valley; Vera Mae Smith, Ithaca; Doris Stead, Bainbridge; Marguerette Wilder, Pierrepont Manor; Doris Gorman, Englewood, N.J.; Jane Morse, Lakewood, Ohio; Mary Strong, Onley, Va.

RUTH D. JACKENS

ONTARIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

Chartered, 1908

Pledge Day, January 17, 1938

INITIATED, December 21, 1937: Jane Urquhart '39, 65 Strathallan Blvd., Toronto.

This fall the University College was not able to hold its annual house party preceding the opening of college due to the infantile paralysis epidemic.

This year everyone attending the University automatically becomes a member of the university athletic society. This entails many privileges such as riding and skiing. To arrange the skiing activities an executive board has been formed on which there are only two girls, the rest being boys. One of these girls is a Π B Φ.

Nadine Baird, who has been out of college for one year, has returned to the university.

In the University College Follies, a very prominent annual function, there were five Pi Beta Phis taking part.

A tea was given for the mothers of the active chapter members on November 12, giving them an opportunity to see the new house.

There have been several fireside talks throughout the fall semester. One of these was given by Dorothy Brandon who spoke about her trip to Mexico.

On December 7, the alumnae club gave a birthday party for the active chapter and presented them with a round wall mirror for the new chapter house. On December 11 the fraternity held a subscription dance which proved very successful. On December 18 a Panhellenic tea was held to which all the rushees and representatives from each fraternity were invited. This was given in preparation for the rushing which takes place as soon as college opens after Christmas.

This fall, Jane Urquhart, who is in third year, was initiated into the chapter on December 21. After the initiation there was a cookie-shine and a Christmas party at the fraternity house.

GWEN HUSBAND

ONTARIO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO

Chartered, October 29, 1934

INITIATED, December 4, 1937: Joan Cogdon, Mary Hayman, Gladys Humphrys, Jean Lawson, Margaret McKee, Elizabeth Robinson, London; Elsie Gillies, Dorothy Sealy, Stratford; Mary Green, Ingersoll; Ruth Kennedy, Margaret Lawton, Joanne Walsh, Windsor; Lauretta Landymore, Brantford; Betty Lang, Waterloo; Jeanne Oldershaw, Chatham.

On October 27 the Panhellenic banquet was held at the University. This was the first banquet with all the three national women's fraternities. Π Σ was installed into K A Θ last September.

Ontario B moved into a new house last fall and on November 18 we entertained at a house warming which took the form of an afternoon tea. All the men's and women's fraternities were present.

Anne Walden directed the winning play, "The Great

Dark," in the University Inter-year Drama Festival. Libby Harvey, Mary Screenshot, Eleanor McRae and Beverley Couch were in the cast. This is the second consecutive year Anne Walden has won the cup with her play.

Initiation was held on December 4 at the chapter house. Ontario B was very pleased to have Mrs. Sipherd and Mrs. Scott at the ceremony and the banquet that night. Mrs. Sipherd, Alpha West Province President, paid her

annual visit on December 14 and 15. The house members entertained her at a Christmas party and dinner. Mrs. Moorehouse, an alumna, gave a very enjoyable talk on her visit to the Settlement School last summer.

Eleanor McRae was one of the representatives sent from the University of Western Ontario to the conference of Canadian universities at Winnipeg during the Christmas vacation.
JEAN RICHARDSON

BETA PROVINCE

PENNSYLVANIA BETA—BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

Chartered, January 4, 1895

Pledge Day, November 18, 1937

This year, Bucknell University is aiming high in its building program. Now that the work on Old Main is completed, the construction of the new gymnasium is going ahead with the vengeance. Weather permitting, it is hoped that the building will be completed and ready for use some time in the early spring. After this work is finished, the construction of an addition to the Engineering Building will be started.

Mrs. Lucille Carson, Beta Province President, spent several days with Pennsylvania B in the fall. The chapter enjoyed her stay, and found her advice very helpful and stimulating.

On Homecoming Day, a tea was held for the alumnae in the suite after the football game. Before Christmas vacation, a party was held in the suite for the chapter at which supper was served and small gifts were exchanged. On December 16, Pennsylvania B gave a party at the house for twenty-five poor children of Lewisburg. They were given all sorts of gifts, candy, and fruit.

The next dance to be held by the chapter will be the annual Valentine's Day dinner-dance, which it is hoped will be as successful this year as it has been in the past.

PLEGDED: Helen Meek, Montgomery; Jane Smith, Dunkirk, N.Y. DOROTHY BLIX

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—DICKINSON COLLEGE

Chartered, 1903

Pledge Day, January 6, 1938

Mrs. Carson arrived at Dickinson College on the morning of November 2. Although the private conferences were for business, Mrs. Carson was able to insert so much of her charming personality that the business became a pleasure. The model chapter meeting was held on the afternoon of November 3. At that meeting Mrs. Carson gave the chapter a very inspirational talk. All of Pennsylvania Γ enjoyed the two days that Mrs. Carson spent with the chapter.

Mrs. Herbert Wing, Jr., a patroness, gave a tea for the active chapter and pledges on October 6. Each "little sister" was escorted to the home of Mrs. Wing by her "big sister."

The Wheel and Chain, a senior honorary society for girls, held a tea dance on November 13. The money that they made was presented to the College library for the purpose of purchasing fiction books.

The tea for the pledges was given in the Φ Δ Θ house on November 17 with all sixteen pledges present.

The chapter Christmas party was held on December 13. At five o'clock the party began with a "feed." Next on the program was entertainment by the freshmen who gave their version of "The Night Before Christmas." After the freshmen, came Santa Claus who gave to each girl a present to which was attached a comical verse.

To raise money for the Endowment Fund, Nancy Bassett, chairman, planned a tea dance. The dance was held in the Θ K Σ house on December 8. Besides dancing there were also tables for cards.

The final all-college function for the year 1937 was the annual Doll Show on December 17. The idea of the show this year was to give the impression of a carnival. Booths arranged along one entire side of the gymnasium which were decorated with the toys and dolls donated by the members of the faculty, different college organizations, and the students. The dolls are sent to Mrs. Booth to be distributed among the prisoners' children in New York. The toys are sent to the Methodist Home in Mechanicsburg.

The first all-college function for the year 1938 was the Junior Prom on February 18. The formality of that affair was in contrast with the Doll Show.

ELIZABETH P. BIETSCH

OHIO ALPHA—OHIO UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1889

Pledge Day, September 22, 1937

Homecoming was a big occasion for Ohio A, especially since it won first place with its float. Girls dressed in pastel gowns were gazing into a large crystal ball and the attractive slogan made of various colored flowers read "We Foresee Victory." The prediction came true for Ohio University did win the game. Afterwards the chapter entertained their guests with an "open house."

On October 23 Ohio A held a masquerade ball at the Men's Union.

One of the loveliest affairs of the fall season was the tea dance given by the patronesses of Ohio A. It was held at the Athens Country Club November 12. The chapter was honored again, this time by the alumnae who entertained with a high tea at the home of Mrs. H. G. Stalder.

Early in December, Beta Province President paid the chapter a visit and all benefited from her interesting discussions and conferences.

PLEGDED: Martha Shepard, Nelsonville; Dorothy King, Cincinnati, Ohio. BETTE BAKER

OHIO BETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1894

INITIATED, October 15, 1937: Marjorie Baird, Mary Ann Crawford, Eleanor Evans, Elizabeth Morgan of Columbus; Dorothy King, Morgantown, W.Va.; Martha Van Atta, Marion, Ohio.

Ohio B has had a very busy and successful autumn quarter, occupied for the most part with introducing its new home to the campus. Accordingly, we held open house after every football game for parents and friends with many special affairs mixed in. Among these was a tea in honor of the Head-Resident, Mrs. Fox, a tea for the Alumnae Club, and a tea dance for several of the fraternities on the campus. Preparations for a party to which invitations are to be extended to a number of the sororities, are under way.

The chapter is still faced with the problem of raising money for the house. In view of this fact it is sponsoring a dance in the ballroom of the Neil House with Don Bestor's orchestra. It will be in the form of a carnival with concessions and gayly colored booths.

In December Ohio B held her winter formal in the form of a "Santa Claus" dance at the chapter house. It was the first time in the history of the chapter that a formal was held in the house, and this gave to it an even greater air of originality. The house was gayly festooned in Christmas trimmings and at the stroke of midnight Santa appeared and distributed gifts to the guests. The formal on February 11 will be in the form of a Valentine Dinner Dance.

Prior to the Christmas holidays Ohio B was visited by Mrs. Carson. She remained three days and the message that she brought was a very interesting and helpful one.

After having the Homecoming Queen only last year, Ohio B again succeeded in getting a II B Φ girl on the Homecoming Court. This year's representative was Bernice Schill of Toledo. Pi Beta Phi also won a trophy for second place in the house decorations for Homecoming.

In the contest for "Miss Ohio State" sponsored by a leading campus publication, the Pi Beta Phi's candidate, Elizabeth Reiter, was a close second to the independent girl finally chosen.

As a result of her hard and accurate work in helping to bring about clean campus elections, Betty Miller was named Vice-President of the Scarlet and Gray political combine of the University.

On the Monday night before school closed for vacation the chapter entertained with its annual Christmas party for the poor children. This year ten little girls from eight to twelve were invited to dinner. After a hearty meal games were played and carols sung around a large Christmas tree. Then presents were given out and all were well rewarded for the time and effort by the joyous looks on the faces of the children.

Pi Beta Phi also took part in the annual campus "White Christmas" sponsored by the Y.W.C.A. in conjunction with the men's Y.M.C.A. Ohio B donated a large basket of food and also individual gifts of money. It is perhaps one of the most beautiful traditions of the campus, thousands of students jamming the hall to hear the singing of the Messiah and to join in the service.

Ohio B is looking forward to a very full and successful winter quarter which always brings with it all the important elections. It is also concentrating with extreme diligence on its scholastic record. The grades of the autumn quarter just passed proved very encouraging, the average of the active chapter being higher than for many years previous.

At the current meeting of campus Panhellenic it was decided that there is to be no rushing of high school pupils until spring, and as a result of the deferred winter rushing II B Φ has been compelled to give up the annual Sunday night rushing dinners.

PLEDGED, October 17, 1937: Frances McConville; November 7, 1937, Gladys Evans.

AFFILIATED: Margaret Anderson, Ohio Delta; Ruth Gardner, Utah Alpha. MARY RUTH ESSEX

OHIO DELTA—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1925

A number of rewards and events have taken place in honor of II B Φ in the last semester of 1937.

Ohio Δ was honored by a visit from Mrs. Carson in the last days of November. Conferences and a dinner at the rooms were enjoyed during her short visit.

Cold crests on black panels gave sophistication to the atmosphere of the II B Φ dance held December 4 for 200 guests at which Bobbie Master's orchestra was featured.

Dean Mary Helen Fretts gave an enlightening talk on social usage after a dinner given in her honor on Monday, December 10.

More definite plans are being made for the annual Fun Fest and Mardi Gras contests which will be held in the first few weeks of the next semester. Pi Beta Phi won the annual Sulphur Spray contest sponsored by the college magazine.

Barbara Clinton was recently elected Vice-President of Freshman Players and Francis Mantle and Francis Hunsicker are newly elected members of the same organization. Jean Short is a member of Stuyvesant House Council. Ruth Jones, Kathryn Russell, Helene Smith, and Jean Boesel helped in the producing of "Bury the Dead," a university production, in the capacity of crew heads. Ruthmary Watkins won the student body election for secretary-treasurer of the junior class.

Eldora Baughn is a new member of K Δ II, national education honorary and Ruth Jones belongs to K Δ II and Θ A Φ, national dramatics honorary fraternity.

JEAN BOESSEL

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA—WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1918

Pledge Day, February 15, 1938

The University football team defeated Texas Tech by a score of 7-6 in the Sun Bowl game in El Paso on New Year's day. Jane Greer, K K T pledge, was West Virginia's princess in the festival which accompanied the game.

The Morgantown Alumnae Club gave a linen shower for the chapter house early in October. The program included an historical fraternity skit by the pledges and a talk by Mrs. I. G. Lazzelle, patroness, on her recent tour in China.

Mrs. Carson made her annual visit in October. The chapter gave a tea during her visit to honor her and its new housemother, Mrs. Hugh F. Smith.

The mothers of the actives and pledges who live in Morgantown gave the chapter a coffee service and Mrs. Smith gave the coffee spoons. To show its appreciation in a small measure the chapter invited the mothers over for dessert and coffee.

Caroline O'Neale has been initiated as a member of K T A, national journalism honorary. Lillian Pennington is treasurer of Panhellenic. Virginia Davis was elected vice-president of the Sociology Club and Jane Linn Osborn was elected secretary of *Le Foyer Francais*, French honorary.

JANICE BOONE

GAMMA PROVINCE

MARYLAND ALPHA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

Chartered, 1897

Pledge Day, October 16, 1937

The first big college event of the year '37-'38 was the Thanksgiving dinner given on November 20, 1937 by the college. Agnes Hofstetter '38, a member of Maryland A, was in charge of the dinner. She had helping her Doris Weltner, '40, who was in charge of selling tickets, and Ruth Morrow, '40, who was publicity chairman. These two girls are also members of Maryland A.

The Goucher College Glee Club gave its annual Christmas Concert on December 10, 1937. Maryland A was well represented; half the chapter was in the concert and two of the four solos were given to Martha Flynn '38 the president of this chapter, and Beverly Fertig '40, a pledge.

Maryland A gained eight pledges from the past rushing season.

On December 7, 1937, the chapter held its annual Christmas party. The members exchanged gifts with verses attached.

The local Panhellenic Association is contemplating changing formal rushing from the first to the second term to comply with the wishes of the college authorities who feel that the present system is too much of a strain on both rusher and rushee. However, nothing has as yet been decided.

PLEDGED: Marion Hamilton, Sara Van Dyke, Beverly Fertig, Ruth Huxman, Lily Fleming, Lila Moore, Dorothy Krug, and Edith Holden. RUTH MORROW

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ALPHA—GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1889

The George Washington University chapter of the Acacia fraternity recently honored the pledges of II B Φ with a dinner dance. The George Washington chapter of Σ X had an exchange dinner with II Φ in order to foster better Panhellenic-Inter-Fraternity spirit.

The Homecoming program for George Washington this year was a successful affair opening with the Homecoming rally. During the celebration, a fashion show was held in which Margaret Smith, pledge, and Marie Jorolemon took part. A Homecoming Ball was held to end the festivities. Sorority Hall played a large part in the gay decorations which were erected to welcome the old graduates.

The chapter has started a new practice this year of inviting a different professor to have dinner each week.

The alumnae club of Washington gave the chapter a luncheon in the chapter rooms, and Mrs. Grear, an alumna, had a supper to which she invited the actives and pledges of District of Columbia A.

This year a novel idea was suggested by the two major political parties of George Washington. A basketball game was held followed by a tea dance.

Before the Christmas holidays the girls in the dormitory had a few pre-holiday celebrations, among them a pajama party and a dance.

District of Columbia A had its annual Christmas dance at the Washington Golf and Country Club on Christmas night. There were many girls who entertained during the holidays. This helped to make the season more enjoyable.

Betty Bates was recently elected president of the newly organized Spanish Club at George Washington.

Nancy Gatch has been elected president of the Junior Panhellenic group, which is composed of pledges delegated from every sorority.

There have been several shows put on by the students of George Washington in the new Buff and Blue Room. This is a new idea which has become very popular. On December 15 an interesting Goat Show was given by the pledges.

PLEDGED: Margaret Nicol, Gaithersburg, Md.; Ruth Alice Ream. BETTY BROWN

VIRGINIA ALPHA—RANDOLPH-MACON WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Chartered, 1913

Pledge Day, October 2, 1937

In October, the pledges gave a tea at the house for the faculty of the college. This has become an annual

custom and greatly aids the freshmen in getting better acquainted with their professors.

One of the outstanding days at Randolph-Macon is Thanksgiving. In the morning, at chapel, the hockey and basketball arm-bands are presented to the four class teams. Following this, the championship games in the two sports are played. Virginia A chapter was fortunate in having five of its actives, Marjorie Turner, Edna Wood, Jane Long, Margaret Hicks, Glennes Teter, and one pledge, Jean Terrell—receive them. All six played in the games and three of the six, Marjorie Turner, Edna Wood, Glennes Teter, won R.-M. arm-bands for the victorious teams. Jane Long was manager of the sophomore hockey team, Jean Terrell was captain of the Sophomore "B" team, and Glennes Teter was captain of the senior hockey team. Glennes Teter also played on the Randolph-Macon team at the Virginia Hockey Conference at Harrisonburg, Va.

The chapter has the honor of having five of its actives and pledges—Eleanor Benninghofen, Emmie Leila Savell, Nan Black, Suzanne Conrad and Sara Allen Cofer—as Hall Counselors. This number is greater than any other sorority on campus.

Virginia A has also taken part in dramatics. Glennes Teter has been elected to membership in the Sock and Buskin Club, honorary dramatic society. Marjorie Turner and Edna Wood worked on production crews for the junior play and Frances Dowling was a member of the cast. Jean Terrell had the lead in the original sophomore play with Margaret Powell, Emmie Leila Savell, Catherine Ann Sheperd and Helen de Montel in the supporting cast. Jane Long was chairman of a committee for the play and all of the other sophomores in the sorority worked on some committee.

In the fall play, "Nine Till Six," which the Sock and Buskin Club presented, three members worked on the production staff. Edna Wood was Master Electrician with Marjorie Turner as her assistant, and Glennes Teter was assistant to the director.

Cary Head, pledge, made the International Relations Club. Jeannette Sentell and Dottie Ann Blair, two other pledges, were brought out Secret Societies—the former S.T.A.B., the latter Omega. Glennes Teter and Jean Terrell were brought out Humberg, an Even Athletic Society.

At Christmas time each year, the Glee Club presents a musical vespers of Christmas songs. Virginia A also had several actives and pledges taking part in this.

Before the Christmas Formal, the chapter gave a tea dance for the actives and pledges. Each active was allowed two guests. Miss Wiggin, Social Director of the Senior Dormitory, and Miss Murphy, charter member of our chapter and chairman of the advisory board, acted as chaperons. During intermission of the Christmas formal, the pledges held open house.

In the place of the last meeting, the actives gave the annual Christmas party at the house. At this time the Arrowettes were distributed. Bess Rayford and Margie Powell edited them, while Eleanor Benninghofen designed the cover. At this time, the actives and pledges present a gift to the house. This year a new gas range for the kitchen and two new radiant heaters for the living rooms were selected.

Virginia A is looking forward to Mrs. Stark's visit. It is always a pleasure to have one of Grand Council as a guest on campus for it brings national II B Φ so much nearer to the individual chapter. GLENNES TETER

VIRGINIA GAMMA—WILLIAM AND MARY

Chartered, 1926

Pledge Day, October 14, 1937

INITIATED, October 21, 1937: Janet Murray, Hartford, Conn.

A great many interesting activities have occupied the students of William and Mary during the winter. The outstanding event was the annual Christmas party given by the President of the College. The atmosphere of the eighteenth century was predominant. All guests wore costumes, and entertainment was provided in the form of skits given by the social organizations on campus. The rest of the evening was spent in dancing. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., were the honor guests. Students, faculty, and administrators presented to the college a portrait of the president, Mr. John Stewart Bryan, to be placed in the college library. Virginia F received honorable mention for its skit which was a presentation of the "Big Apple."

Several lectures have been features of the program for the college term. William L. Langer, Coolidge professor of history at Harvard, lectured on the "Franco-Prussian Alliance" on January 6. Lewis Mumford, noted art critic, gave an interesting talk on "Regionalism in American Art."

On January 14, Mortar Board sponsored a co-ed dance. The Panhellenic Council held receptions in the women's

dormitories following the presentation of "First Lady" by the William and Mary Players, in November. Margileth Meyer and Lucille Eldridge had important parts.

Sally Macon Porter was elected to Φ B K. William Hervey Allen, author of "Anthony Adverse" gave a talk at the exercises. He was made an honorary member. Margileth Meyer was elected to "Who's Who in American Colleges." Leona Tisdale was elected to H Σ Φ , national honorary classical fraternity. Janet Murray was chosen for Θ A Φ , national dramatics fraternity. On December 12, the Christmas musicale was given, in which Jane Baker and Lucille Eldridge sang solo parts.

PLEDGES: Elizabeth Cutler, Newport News; Grace Playell, Philadelphia, Pa.; Margaret Ford, Roxboro, N.C.; Louise Grant, Tirana, Albania; Elizabeth Imus, Washington, D.C.; Martha Johnson, Capron, Va.; Alice Laubach, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dorothy Lindquist, Tuckahoe, N.Y.; Jean Lyngaas, White Plains, N.Y.; Marjorie Lytle, Saltsburg, Pa.; Nancy McCall, Larchmont, N.Y.; Daphne McGavack, New York, N.Y.; Margaret Mitchell, Washington, D.C.; Margaret Peck, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Ruth Rapp, Jamaica, N.Y.; Betty Reed, Minneapolis, Minn.; Maurine Stuart, Washington, D.C.; Elsie Vreeland, Rocky Hill, N.J.; Norma Warren, San Francisco, Calif.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Chartered, 1923

Pledge Day, October 15, 1937

That genial northern gentleman, Mr. S. Claus, made his first appearance in Chapel Hill at the II B Φ house on December 12, when the active chapter entertained the pledges at the annual Christmas dinner and party. A beautiful Christmas tree, table decorations of spruce and poinsettias, and holly wreaths carried out the festive spirit. With the president playing Santa, the merry-makers received their presents—comic ones with jingles attached, and gifts exchanged between the actives and their pledge "Little Sisters." Each girl was ordered to read the verse with her present, and, needless to say, the party was a hilarious success.

The traditional Christmas Caroling began at midnight, and was immediately preceded by coffee and doughnuts at the Pi Phi house with the Chi Omegas as guests. The carolers carried lighted candles and serenaded the dean of women, President Graham, and the occupants of the dormitories and fraternity houses on the campus. The expedition ended at the Chi Omega house, where a blazing fire and hot chocolate finally succeeded in reviving the benumbed carolers.

On November 19, the Pledge Formal was given in the ballroom of the Carolina Inn, honoring N.C. Alpha's seventeen pledges. At the banquet which preceded the dance, the actives were the guests of the pledges and were royally fed and entertained. The pledges presented stunts, songs, and toasts which were thoroughly enjoyed. The ballroom ceiling was a mass of balloon of every color in the rainbow, and blended beautifully with the bright-colored dresses of the girls. The pledges and transfers were introduced, and with their escorts formed a huge arrow in the center of the floor, to the delight of the on-lookers.

This year's pledges are very versatile—dances and activities seem to go hand-in-hand with them. Two of them are active in the Carolina Playmakers, several are in Glee Club, also the Phi assembly, and many are actively interested in the work of the Y.W.C.A. Anne Perry, president of the pledges, was elected as a delegate to the Y.W.C.A. convention. She has also taken an active part in the work of the Student Peace Movement.

In sports, too, the pledges are coming to the front. Kathryn Fleming won the archery tournament, and Lib Berry was runner-up in bowling.

In the contest for the best house decorations for Homecoming, the first prize for women's dormitories was won by the II B Φ house, thanks to the pledges, under the direction of Nelle Booker. A victorious Popeye (University of North Carolina) was seated on the chest of the big bully Tulane, surrounded by spinach cans marked with the names of the Carolina eleven. The prize was a party given at the student union building. Graham Memorial. MARY ELIZABETH KING

NORTH CAROLINA BETA—DUKE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1933

Pledge Day, October 8, 1937

INITIATED, November 23, 1937: Farrar Babcock, McAlester, Okla.; Dorothy Dorn, Springfield, Mass.; Doro-

thy Henry, Atlanta, Ga.; Miriam MacDorman, Selma, Ohio; Ariene Standard, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Dorothy Stone, Biddeford, Me.

Duke students have been unusually fortunate this year in the guests artists and speakers visiting the school. These have included Jose Iturbi in recital, Helen Jepson in concert, Klaus Mann, the renowned German exile, and the former Minister to Denmark, Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen. All these occasions have been well attended and much enjoyed.

North Carolina B has inaugurated a custom this year of giving Sunday night suppers in the chapter room for both actives and pledges. This has proved to be very popular besides being a most effective and enjoyable way to promote chapter unity. Other social events were a scavenger hunt and a supper party given for the pledges by the alumnae.

The chapter was privileged to have as its guest January 10-11 Mrs. Nita Hill Stark. A reception was given for Mrs. Stark on Monday, January 11.

Jane East was elected to Φ B K in the fall. Farrar Babcock was elected secretary of the sophomore class and Rosmary Forsyth was elected secretary of the freshman class.

PLEDGES, October 8: Dorothy Aylward, Daytona Beach, Fla.; Babette Baker, Martha Wall, Toledo, Ohio; Jean Cockrell, Dallas, Tex.; Jean Corey, Hollywood, Fla.; Mary E. Crawford, Glen Ellyn, Ill.; Lee Johnson, Fredrica Gardiner, Jacksonville, Fla.; Elise Curry, Washington, D.C.; Rosemary Forsythe, Park Ridge, Ill.; Ellen Schrup, Mt. Plymouth, Fla.; Mary Ann Shivers, Woodbury, N.J.; Bertha Southwick, Towson, Md.

JANE KELLEY

SOUTH CAROLINA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Chartered, 1931

Pledge Day, September 13, 1937

INITIATED, December 10, 1937: Lillian Dove Brunson, Darlington; Billie Jane Coffee, and Dorothy Smith, Columbia; and Ilse Marx, Markheim, Germany.

The dream of every student at the University of South Carolina is soon to come true. President Roosevelt has

signed the W.P.A. grant for \$108,790 for a swimming pool. Construction on the new pool, which will be built directly behind the University Gymnasium, has been recently started.

An inter-sorority basketball tournament is being sponsored by the Woman's Athletic Association. A cup is to be awarded to the winning team. The woman's fraternity winning the trophy two years consecutively secures permanent possession of it. South Carolina Alpha's team is being coached by Lynn Kalmbach, star varsity football and basketball star.

In honor of the new pledges the active chapter entertained at a dance at Forest Lake Country Club. Dr. J. Rion McKissick, President of the University, and Mrs. McKissick chaperoned.

Once a month active and pledge suppers have been held at the chapter house. These suppers have helped greatly to bring the pledges and actives in closer contact with each other.

The week before the Christmas holidays the actives and pledges met with the alumnae at the home of Martha Kirkland. The alumnae read the play which was given at the last Convention of the Settlement School. In the same week a Christmas party was given at the chapter house. The house was beautifully decorated in the holiday manner.

During the holidays, Lillian Brunson entertained the chapter with a houseparty at her home in Darlington. This was attended by all of the girls who live in the state.

South Carolina A was very fortunate indeed to have Mrs. H. J. Litcher Stark, Grand Secretary, to pay the chapter a visit. A tea to which Panhellenic members were invited, was given at the chapter house in honor of Mrs. Stark. The chapter will greatly benefit by the suggestions rendered by Mrs. Stark.

Margaret Rollins has been made Co-Ed Editor of the *Gamecock*, weekly publication of the University of South Carolina. Martha Kirkland, Betsy Yeadon, Dottie Smith, and Amelia Arthur were elected to Non-de-Script, Tea-Dance Club, of which Bess Dowling is chairman. All upper-classmen pledges were elected to Damas, Co-ed dance organization. Jane Williamson and Margaret Hawkins were the only girls on the campus to be elected to "Who's Who in American Colleges."

VIRGINIA TOWNSEND

DELTA PROVINCE

MICHIGAN ALPHA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1887

Pledge Day, October 8, 1937

Hillsdale College is working hard on a new Endowment Drive for a new library. All chapter girls have contributed to its support.

The Southern Michigan History Conference was held at Hillsdale December 11. Barbara Raymond, Helen Beggs, and Ardith Helmick attended. Helen and Ardith acted as hostesses.

Michigan A was honored this year by the visit of Miss Onken, January 10, 11, and 12. An All-College tea was given in her honor.

Mrs. Scott, Delta Province President also visited Michigan A December 6 and 7. Mrs. Lewis, Delta Province Vice-President visited the Hillsdale Alumna Club and was a guest at the chapter house.

The Christmas dance was given December 12. All decorations were in blue and silver, with white Christmas trees.

Hattie Marie Moore has been appointed Social Chairman of Y.W.C.A. and Barbara Smith program chairman. Margaret Pratt and Mary Glenna Stone were in the cast of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" given at the Little Theater. Ardith Hagaman is the new Make-Up Editor of the *Collegian*, college newspaper.

Four of the ten Hillsdale representatives in the American College Yearbook were members of Michigan A, Nellie Welch, Ida Jane Spicer, Martha Jose, and Roberta Simpson.

ARDITH HELMICK

MICHIGAN BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Chartered, 1888

Pledge Day, October 17, 1937

INITIATED, December 10, 1937: Virginia Bensley, Pittsburg, Pa.

One of the most enjoyable events which followed the period of formal rushing was the annual Panhellenic Banquet in the Women's League. Dean Alice Lloyd counseled the girls that they should act in a united body as sorority woman, for in such a union they had great influence and power. Another, and lighter side of Panhellenic activities was shown by the Panhellenic Ball which was held in the ballroom of the League. This dance was open to sorority women only, just as the Assembly Ball was strictly for independent women.

Michigan B gave a formal dance in honor of her pledges this year. Early in January the pledges invited the actives to a formal dance at which everyone had a very gay and entertaining time.

Betty Gatward and Grace Snyder, two Michigan Bs prominent on campus for their scholarship and activities, were recently elected to membership in Φ K Φ .

A tea was held by Mrs. George Codd, chaperon of Michigan B, to which chaperons from other sorority and fraternity houses and dormitories were invited. The active chapter acted as hostesses, while many of the alumnae received with Mrs. Codd and poured.

Michigan B held an exchange dinner with the Φ Δ Θ fraternity, with half of the sorority going to the fraternity house while an equal number of men came to the sorority. Partners were arranged by a committee, and the evening was spent in dancing and playing cards.

The Social Chairman for Michigan B, Blanche Tobin, announced her marriage to J. Harlan McCain, a member of the A T Ω fraternity, during the Christmas holidays, and will not be returning to school. The chapter misses her, but wishes her much happiness.

Mrs. Jasper Paul Scott, Delta Province President, visited the chapter for a day, and the members were very glad to have had the opportunity of getting to know her better, and appreciate the advice and encouragement which she extended to them.

The night before Christmas vacation, Michigan Betas traditionally have a Christmas party at which inexpensive gifts and bits of humorous verse are exchanged. This year Margaret Strickler was Santa Claus, and distributed the gifts in true imitation of Saint Nicholas. After chocolate and cookies were served, the girls sat around the tree singing Christmas carols. Then, after most of the house was in bed, a serenade was heard on the lawn. The

seniors, snugly bundled in ski suits were returning from serenading the annex, and sang to the house. In the morning, a breakfast and Christmas party was held for the pledges. This time, Irene Stilson played Santa.

PLEGDED: Betty Ann Chaufy, Janet Fisher, Frances Griffin, Ann Arbor; Nancy Murray, Birmingham; Harriette Babcock, Bloomfield Hills; Marjorie Strand, Dearborn; Mary Ashley, Janet Homer, Kathleen Liebold, Doris Marschner, Doris Merker, Detroit; Elizabeth Huldin, Grand Rapids; Betsy Honhart, Helen Jean, Grosse Pointe; Ruth Allen, Camilla Ayers, Highland Park; Annabel Van Winkle, Howell; Phyllis Cavanagh, Midland; Barbara Rogers, Pontiac; Mary Alice McAndrew, Ypsilanti; Joanna Beem, Hinsdale, Ill.; Bettie Nichols, River Forest, Ill.; Betty Dickmeyer, Mary Martha Hobrock, Fort Wayne, Ind.

FRANCES MARY ROBINSON

INDIANA ALPHA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE

Chartered, 1888

Pledge Day, September 18, 1937

INITIATED, October 28, 1937: Marjory Dickson, Hammond.

An informal dinner was given October 28 in the dining room at the Girls' Dormitory in honor of the initiate.

Indiana A gave its annual formal dinner dance November 20 in the Gold Room of the Antlers Hotel in Indianapolis. Jeanette McElroy, social chairman, was in charge of the arrangements. Representatives from other women's fraternities on the campus and several alumnae were present.

The Franklin College Players under the direction of Professor Theodore Hatlen presented "Squaring the Circle" October 22 and 27. Jeanette McElroy gave a very good characterization of Ludmilla, one of the feminine leads. Jane Dolan and Jean Van Voorhees were cast in minor parts in the production. Betty Reed was stage manager. Marjory Dickson, Betty E. Brown and Mary Jane Cooke were part of the technical crew.

The sixteenth annual Indiana High School Press Association convention was held on the Franklin College campus October 21 to October 23. Indiana A helped entertain some of the girls attending the convention by having a spread for them.

The Franklin College basketball team promises to bring new laurels to its alma mater. As yet this season they are undefeated within the state. Franklin has not been defeated on the home floor since December 1936. The $\Pi B \Phi$ pledges are earning money for their pledge dance by selling candy and ice-cream at the basketball games.

Mrs. Scott, Delta Ice-cream President, visited the chapter November 29 and 30. She attended the active and pledge meetings and was the guest of the chapter at dinner.

The Christmas season prompted several campus affairs; the Y.W.C.A. caroling at homes of the faculty, Christmas dances given by each of the men's fraternities, Y.W.C.A. annual Christmas vesper, a Christmas program presented in the college chapel Sunday, December 12, by the choir and dramatic department, and the $\Pi B \Phi$ Christmas party held in the chapter rooms December 14. The pledges entertained by singing their original songs and with a stunt in which each pledge sang a verse characterizing her sponsor. This year, instead of exchanging Christmas gifts, each active and pledge gave one dollar to a fund to be used to buy furniture for the rooms.

Sarah Haas was tapped for Gold Quill, women's honorary organization. Betty Reed and Martha Smith were initiated into $\Theta A \Phi$, national honorary dramatic organization. Betty Reed has also been elected secretary-treasurer of $\Theta A \Phi$.

MARY JANE COOKE

INDIANA BETA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1893

INITIATED, October 23, 1937: June Irish, Indianapolis.

During the fall semester, the administrative officials of Indiana University have introduced several new proposals. It has been suggested that the Thanksgiving and Christmas vacations be shortened so that the students may be dismissed earlier in the spring. It was also suggested that a reading period of several days be introduced before semester examinations so that students will have longer time for thorough preparation. Definite action has not been taken on these proposals. George A. Ball of Muncie has resigned from the board of trustees and as yet no successor has been appointed. Formal opening of the Fessler Medical Building was November 20 with Governor Clifford M. Townsend making the dedication address. On the

University Music Series programs this fall, Gladys Swart-hout, Sergei Rachmaninoff, and Fritz Kreisler have appeared. The Pontiac Motor Company sponsored a broadcast given by students of Indiana University on November 19. Five of those on the program were selected for the intercollegiate broadcast of the Middle West in Chicago on December 24.

In preparation for the Homecoming game with University of Illinois on October 16, the pledges of $\Pi B \Phi$ decorated the pillars of the house in the colors of the opposing teams and placed a large figure of a football player eating "suckers" on the lawn. Following the game, coffee was served to the alumnae and other guests of the house. On October 31 the chapter had a Halloween cooky-shine. Six of the Indiana B Pi Beta Phis were in the Hollywood Premiere November 10 and 11, sponsored by Pleides, honorary social organization. The annual bridge party and Settlement School sale of the Bloomington Alumnae Club was given at the chapter house on November 17. The day of the Indiana-Purdue football game, fathers of members were honored at a buffet luncheon. After the game, coffee was served in the living rooms to alumnae and guests. The members of Indiana B chapter entertained visiting members of the Indiana A chapter during the weekend. Before the annual Dames Ball sponsored by Mortar Board on December 11, the pledge class of $\Pi B \Phi$ gave a dinner. Jane Suiter, was in charge of arrangements and decorations were of wine and blue, wooden arrowpoints serving as place cards and favors.

Fifteen rushes from Bloomington were entertained December 15 at the chapter house. Following dinner, the rushes were taken to the show and later a cooky-shine was given in their honor. Two needy children enjoyed a Christmas party at the house December 16. After a turkey dinner had been served, they were presented with toys and clothing by the members. Later in the evening the pledges gave a Christmas party for the active members. Presents were distributed from the foot of the Christmas tree, after which a program of stunts was given by the actives. Mrs. Benjamin C. Lewis, province vice-president, was entertained at the house during her visit to the Bloomington Alumnae Club in December. A series of dinners for the members of the faculty of the university has been started.

The merit system introduced this year for the pledge class is showing remarkable success. The purpose is to insure a well rounded college life for the pledge, and has resulted in the entrance of pledges into many and varied activities. Every member of the pledge group belongs to the local Y.W.C.A. unit, and many have joined the special interest groups offered. Royleen Clark is president and Mary Anne Carter is secretary of the freshman Y.W.C.A. Janet Hamersly, Margie Lou May, Anne Hopman, and Gerry Getz have been admitted to W.A.A. through competitive examinations. Anne Hopman and Gerry Getz were elected to Oceanides, swimming group of W.A.A., and Peggy Smith was elected to Terpsichorean, the dance club. Audrey Gibson, Margie Lou May, and Peggy Smith won membership in Taps, honorary junior dramatics group, in the fall tryouts. In the doll dressing contest sponsored by Y.W.C.A. before Christmas each year, Peggy Smith, president of the pledge class, was awarded the first place. Mary Anne Carter has been elected as one of two freshmen representatives in the Chamber of Commerce of the School of Business.

Active members of $\Pi B \Phi$ have also been prominent in campus activities. The volley ball team advanced to the finals in the intramural volleyball tournament and Caroline Imel, Gretchen Hopman, and Anne Abbett have been admitted to the Terpsichorean group of W.A.A. Caroline Imel has also been elected secretary of *Der Deutsche Verein*. Phyllis Landis had the second lead in "A Lady of Letters," presented by the University Theatre, and has also been named as a sophomore assistant on the editorial staff of the *Arbutus*. Roberta Haskell and Frances Watkins were named sophomore assistants on the business staff of the *Arbutus*. Elizabeth Cavanaugh is vice-president of the Dauber's Club, and Edythe Thornton was on the editorial staff for the December issue of the *Folio*, magazine published by the English department. Honora Rainbolt and Nancy Waggener were initiated into A K Δ , national honorary sociological fraternity.

NANCY JANE WAGGENER

INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1897

Pledge Day, September 22, 1937

INITIATED, October 14, 1937: Doris Brown, Betty Jane Grauel, Frances Hall, Viola Hall, Lucille Jackson, Mary Anne Kibler, Helen McMahon, Betsy Murbarger, Margaret Parrish, Dorothy Springer, Mary Anne Tindall and

Helen Jean Willcuts, Indianapolis; Jane Blankschine, La Porte, Ind.; Madonna Warner, Ladoga, Ind.

Butler University was chosen as the meeting place for the American Association for the Advancement of Science. The convention, which marked the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Association, was held in the University building December 29 and 30, and was attended by several thousand. Mrs. Juana Lutz Beal, Assistant Professor of Mathematics at Butler University, who arranged the convention, was awarded an honorary life membership in the organization.

During the fall semester the system of exchange dinners among fraternities and sororities was established and it is continuing as a successful means of becoming acquainted with fellow students.

For several weeks preceding Christmas vacation we were all very busy bringing in clothes and food for the annual Christmas Cheer Campaign conducted by the campus daily publication, *The Collegian*. All campus organizations participate in this event and contributions are rated according to a point system. A cup is awarded the organization having the most points. Much excitement was caused by the close finish of the drive, but although the cup was won by a fraternity, Indiana ranked first among the sororities.

With the formal presentation of the new pledges to the campus at open house, November 7, the entire chapter began to concentrate seriously on activities. It made an excellent beginning by winning the house decorations cup at Homecoming.

One of the principal speakers at the annual Woman's League breakfast was Jean Booth who spoke on women's activities. Those appointed to various committees at the breakfast were: Jean Booth, Marcella McDermitt, Jean Rettig, Margaret Parrish, and Dorothy Springer. Members working on Y.W.C.A. committee are: Marian Gearen, Jean Booth, Betty Grauel, Doris Brown, Jean Rettig, Jean Wintz, Margaret Parrish, Betty Ball, and Joanne Keller.

Indiana Γ is becoming increasingly active in the Women's Athletic Association. A convention of women's honorary associations, which was held at De Pauw University in November, was attended by Mary Anne Kibler as representative of the W.A.A. organization on this campus. Mary Anne Kibler, Marian Gearen, Doris Brown, Marcella McDermitt, and Jo Rita Kernel all received letters for their participation in W.A.A. activities. Mary Anne Kibler was elected as the new treasurer of the organization, and Doris Brown planned the skating party which the Association gave in January as a money making project. A new Basketball Club recently organized has elected Juliana McIntosh as its president and has chosen Dorothy Springer as a team captain. Two hockey teams are captained by Pi Phi Mary Anne Tindall and Mary Anne Kibler. Betsy Murbarger is the newly elected president of Blue Gills, Women's swimming organization.

A recent pledge to Spurs, sophomore honorary, is Mary Ann Tindall. New initiates in Spurs are, Dorothy Gimble, Margaret Parrish, and Betsy Murbarger.

Active and pledge members appointed to class dance committees are: Betty Ball, Freshman Rose committee; Viola Hall, Helen McMahon, and Dorothy Springer, Sophomore Cotillion; Jean Rettig, Junior Prom.

Participating in two Christmas plays presented by Theta Psi, campus dramatic organization, were Jean Booth, Jane Ludwig, Margaret Parrish, and Joanne Keller. A short story written by Martha Murphy appeared in the latest issue of *M.S.S.*, student publication of the English department.

Margaret Parrish was chairman of the November tea given by $\Phi \chi \eta$, journalistic fraternity for prospective members. New pledges receiving tea invitations were, Martha Murphy, Montrew Goetz and Lani Carr.

A chapter honor was conferred on Helen McMahon

when she was awarded the scholarship pin for showing the greatest improvement in grades during the past year. Betsy Murbarger was presented the diamond recognition pin for outstanding scholarship, activity and general cooperative attitude.

The final week of school preceding Christmas vacation was filled with festivity. On Monday the mothers' club gave its annual mother and daughter luncheon followed by a musical program and travel talk. At this time the chapter was the happy recipient of a large lace tablecloth and an electric iron. The chapter Christmas party, of which the seniors always take charge, was held on Wednesday. After dinner Santa Claus (who strongly resembled Marian Gearen) distributed the gifts which were exchanged between the active mothers and their pledge daughters. The formal Christmas dance was held at the chapter house on Saturday night. The entire first floor was cleared for dancing and punch was served in the social room downstairs. A large lighted arrow was hung in the dining room, while a profusion of mistletoe and a big white tree strung with blue lights helped to create a true Christmas atmosphere throughout the house. With the dance, our chapter holiday activity ended for another year.

PLEGDED, November 17: Mary Alice Helt, Dana, Ill.
RUSH CAPTAIN: Doris Brown.

JEANNE RETTIG

INDIANA DELTA—PURDUE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1921

Pledge Day, October 9, 1937

INITIATED, November 12, 1937: Jean Kaufman, Ruth Randall, Gaby D. Roe, and Janet Roper.

Indiana Δ has followed up the dinners of rush week with a series of parties better to acquaint actives and pledges. These have not only served their purpose but have been fun as well. A formal dance was given in the pledges' honor, November 19, in the ballroom of the Purdue Memorial Union. Two Christmas parties were enjoyed by the chapter this year, a formal dinner given by the actives, and a farewell breakfast and program of stunts presented by the pledges, at which gifts were exchanged that were later sent to the children at the Settlement School.

After the November initiation, a dinner was held at the chapter house in honor of the new initiates.

At the annual observance of the Cooky-shine, the Sunday after Homecoming, Frances Raebig, was presented the special recognition arrow for being the outstanding sophomore in activities.

Jean Perkins has been elected by popular campus vote to serve on the committee for Senior Gala Week. Martha Wood, junior in the school of science, has been selected as one of four girls to appear in the beauty section of the *Debris*, the Purdue yearbook.

Janet Martin has resigned from her office as president because of ill health, and Jean Perkins has been elected to finish her term.

PLEGDED: Ellen Bassett, Anderson; Jane Black, Mt. Vernon; Peggy Boyce, Iron Mountain, Mich.; Martha Alice Brown, Greenfield; Thelma Bugher, Kokomo; Barbara DePew, Milwaukee, Wis.; Dorothy Eberhardt, Fowler; Doris Gamble, Washington, D.C.; Janet Greger, Chicago, Ill.; Augusta Hite, Anderson; Dorothy Holden, West Lafayette; Mary Jane Hunt, Wautoma, Wis.; Jean Kaufman, Lafayette; Martha Ann Limpus, Shelbyville; Bobby Muentzer, Vincennes; Betty Spears, Clinton; June Suter, LaGrange, Ill.; Mary Jane West, Cincinnati, Ohio; Miriam White, Clinton.

ELEANOR BENTON

EPSILON PROVINCE

MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

Chartered, 1899

The University of Missouri was fortunate in having Jascha Heifetz, give a most admirable performance in November in the Brewer Field House. Concerts of this nature are sponsored by the university in order that the students may enjoy one of the finer arts.

Many fine productions have been presented by the University dramatic organization, Workshop. Mary Jane Yate of Missouri A held one of the principal rôles in the production, "First Lady." "Petrified Forest" is to be produced later on in the season.

A visit from Mrs. Smith, Grand Vice-President of $\Pi \beta \Phi$, was extremely profitable to the Missouri A chapter.

Advice in regard to fulfilling certain duties as officers and furthering certain constructive movements on the campus was given by her. Her visit of three days enabled her to witness an initiation ceremony on October 25, of four girls in the chapter. Although her visit was for such a short time, the chapter felt that her advice could not be evaluated too highly.

The $\Pi \beta \Phi$ Settlement School Tea was held in the chapter house December 1. This sale each year seems to be quite popular with the people of the city.

A cooky-shine was also given at the chapter house on December 6 by the $\Pi \beta \Phi$ Alumnae Club for the Missouri A chapter. Following the cooky-shine a program was presented by some of the members.

On December 20, Mrs. Hill, the chapter house mother, gave her annual Christmas party for the chapter by having a formal dinner party. After the dinner, gifts were exchanged among the girls.

N. RUTH BARNES

MISSOURI BETA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1907

Pledge Day, October 11, 1937 and October 22, 1937

INITIATED, November 11, 1937: Sara Jean Alexander, Lonabess Willcockson, Josephine Anne Wilson, St. Louis.

After the gay social whirl of the Christmas holidays, one might think it hard for a campus to settle down to school again. However, with examinations just a week or two off, the students at Washington University are spending more time than usual in the libraries and the campus at present is rather quiet.

Missouri B, wasting no time in ushering in the festivities of the holiday season, gave a formal dinner dance the evening of the last day of school, December 22.

Quadrangle Club, which annually presents an original musical comedy, has started its rehearsals for this year's production, "One for the Money." There are a representative number of Pi Beta Phis in the singing and dancing choruses, and for the second time Kathryn Galle had the leading rôle.

In the contest for Freshman Popularity Queen, sponsored by *Elliot*, the campus magazine, four maids and a queen were chosen by the men on the campus from the two candidates allowed each sorority. The two II B Φ candidates, Jane Allen and Betty Graham, were both chosen as maids.

Right now the sororities are all busy rehearsing for the inter-sorority sing to be given February 26 in which each sorority presents two songs. The Missouri B chapter is practicing diligently and is trying hard to win the cup this year.

PLEGGED: Kathryn Davis, Hortense Hartkopf, Mary Vocum, St. Louis. BERNICE MEYERS

MISSOURI GAMMA—DRURY COLLEGE

Chartered, 1914

INITIATED, October 20, 1937: Susan Torbitt, Joe Ann Prater, Janice Cargile, Fay Shockley.

Missouri Γ held its formal dance December 4 in the newly decorated Kentwood Arms Hotel. This was the first formal dance under the sponsorship of the fraternities of the year and a very successful one. Plans are being made for another dance in the spring.

The chapter was honored by the visit of Mrs. Warren T. Smith October 30 and 31. Her short stay proved to be most enjoyable and beneficial.

Several Missouri Γ girls have received special honors during the first semester. Frances Anne Baldwin was listed among *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Mary Hogg, Jane Reynolds, Jo Whisenand, and Annabelle Heard were nominated for beauty queens in their respective classes. Alice Louise Hamlin and Ruth Alice Freeman played rôles in the Drury Lane Troupers' production, "The Passing of the Third Floor Back."

Florence Anschutz resigned her offices as corresponding secretary and senior Panhellenic representative to accept a government position in Washington, D.C.

PLEGGED, November 10: Delores Ball, Madison, Kan. MARTHA ANNE ANTHONY

KENTUCKY ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE

Chartered, 1925

Pledge Day, September 29, 1937

INITIATED, October 29, 1937: Stacy Hall, '40½, 2217 Alta Avenue, Louisville, Ky.; Helen Jennings, '40½, 1171 East Broadway, Louisville, Ky.; Merle Johnson, '40½, 2800 Riedling Drive, Louisville, Ky.; Martha Lynch, '40, 1629 South Third St., Louisville, Ky.

Kentucky A has enjoyed a most pleasant first semester of this school year. Mrs. Smith visited us in October. This was the first time Mrs. Smith had ever visited the chapter and the members were all delighted to get acquainted with such a gracious grand vice-president.

At Thanksgiving Kentucky A girls gathered a large basket of food for a needy family, as has been the custom for several years.

The Alumni Association of the University sponsors a public forum on Sunday nights during the fall and winter months. Outstanding speakers from all over the world are invited to talk. Kentucky A girls act as ushers at these forum meetings.

Social of the year have included an open house party after a football bonfire and pep rally, an open house after the homecoming football game with Centre College, and a Christmas formal dance at the University gymnasium.

The Mothers' Club gave a Silver Tea in November for fathers and daughters at the chapter apartment.

Last year Kentucky A initiated the precedent of having a Christmas party for the chapter. This was given the day before school was dismissed for the Christmas holidays. At this time every girl brought a present for the apartment and a ten-cent present for the girl whose name she had drawn. This proved to be great fun, and every thing from steel wool for the kitchen to a huge foot cushion for the lounging rooms was brought for the house.

There have been two drives for money this year. Kentucky A girls gave their support to both of them by selling tags. The first drive was sponsored by the junior Board of Trade of the city to obtain money to plant trees on the new Louisville-Lexington highway. The second was a drive to obtain money for uniforms for the University band. Willie Ware, Kentucky A, was chairman of the group of girls who sold tags. The group was made up of girls from the entire campus.

Florence Isert has been elected as Kentucky A's delegate to Convention next June, and Louise Rose was chosen as the alternate.

Willie Ware is the only graduating senior in February. She has been very active in campus and chapter matters as well as a student of superior scholastic achievements.

DOROTHY ALTHAUS

TENNESSEE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF CHATTANOOGA

Chartered, 1923

Pledge Day, October 8, 1937

The university of Chattanooga is grieving over the loss of its president. Dr. Alexander Guerry announced just before Christmas his decision to go to his Alma Mater, The University of the South, at Sewanee, Tennessee, July 1. Not a very nice Christmas present for Chattanooga, but its loss is Sewanee's gain.

A number of the Tennessee A girls have been taken into various organizations on the campus this fall. Louise Sutton and Marie Amacker were taken into the Quadrangle Club, honorary society for women. Coed Cotillion chose Betty Martin. Three pledges and two actives were taken into the Women's Athletic Association. The pledges were Ethel Mary Gaston, Virginia Johnson, Louise Thompson; actives, Mary Alice Jarrett and Eleanor Overend. $\Theta A \Phi$, national dramatics fraternity, initiated Louise Sutton and Amanda Thrasher.

The next play to be presented by the University Players has six Pi Beta Phis in the cast; namely, Eleanor Overend, Louise Sutton, Penelope Jones, Iris Andrews, Gaby Taylor, and Amanda Thrasher. The play to be presented is "The Black Flamingo" by Sam Janny.

Tennessee A had its Christmas cooky-shine December 17 with a beautiful tree and a real Santa Claus, active Louise Sutton. Each girl brought something for a Christmas basket to help some poor family. The girls drew names and exchanged toys which were played with during the evening. Afterwards as is the tradition the toys were taken to the Children's hospital. Other beautifully wrapped gifts were distributed by Santa.

On December 29, the chapter had a progressive dinner with courses at Eleanor Overend's, Barbara Scott's, Margaret Ann Catlett's, ending with the dessert at the chapter house. The rest of the evening was spent in dancing and playing games.

The pledges of Tennessee A entertained the actives at a formal dance, January 14, in the University gymnasium. Candyland was the theme of the decorations used. The orchestra was in a gingerbread house with a stick candy fence. The walls and ceilings were also very effectively decorated.

BARBARA SCOTT

ZETA PROVINCE

ALABAMA ALPHA—BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN

Chartered, 1927

Pledge Day, February 3, 1938

Alabama A chapter feels greatly honored that Katherine

Lide, '37, was chosen as one of the charter members of Birmingham-Southern's newly installed chapter of $\Phi B K$. Margaret Anne Wilmore is a new member of $\Theta \Sigma A$, honorary mathematics fraternity. Mary Collier has been tapped for $\Delta \Phi A$, honorary German fraternity, and $\Phi \Sigma I$, honorary Romance language fraternity. Pi Phis are taking their usual part in extra-curricular activities.

The girls all enjoyed seeing Miss Onken again, although it was for only a few hours. Her visit was an especial treat to the new initiates and the pledges, who had not met her before.

The main event of our mid-term rushing season was a "Sweetheart Shop" party. The house was decorated in red and white to resemble a little tea shop. The tables were covered with red and white cloths; each place was marked with small heart-shaped red boxes filled with candy and labeled "II Φ Kisses." The menu, printed on red hearts, included such delicacies as A T Φ Delight, Σ A E Sundae, Θ K N Surprise, K A Dream. The guests were served by the pledges, who wore white dresses and red heart-shaped aprons.

In the Beauty Review, held annually by the *La Revue* staff, seven members of II Φ were nominated by various organizations to appear; Virginia Bartlett, Annette Mitchell, Bill Pettit, Margaret Anne Wilmore, Mary Collier, Catherine Sims, Virginia Van der Veer, Virginia Bartlett and Bill Pettit were selected among the twenty from this group to compete at the final judging. The six most beautiful will be announced when the annual is published.

RUSH CAPTAIN: Bill Pettit, 917 South 38th St., Birmingham, Ala.

ANNETTE MITCHELL

FLORIDA ALPHA—JOHN B. STETSON UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1913

Pledge Day, October 1, 1937

INITIATED, December 11, 1937: Jackie Jennings, Jacksonville; Louise E. Taylor, Vero Beach.

Since the beginning of school the Stetson campus has been particularly busy for II Φ . Before the Christmas holidays the outstanding event was the annual Homecoming festivities on the weekend of November 13. The float, planned and decorated by the pledges, won first prize, competing with twenty-four other floats. A truck was completely covered with blue paper carnations with a large arrow worked in on each side of wine carnations. A large gold arrow also ran transversely across the top of the truck. The bed of the truck was covered with white, with several girls sitting at tiered levels. On Saturday evening Florida A welcomed back its alumnae with a cooky-shine. During the week-end each dormitory had special functions for guests. LaVerne Byrd acted as social chairman for one of the newest dormitories, Stevens Hall. "The Bishop Misbehaves," the homecoming play, featured Sadie Rae Gardner in one of the feminine leads. For the homecoming football game with Lenoir-Rhyne two of the three sponsors were from II Φ : Jane McCarty and Helen Stoltenberg.

In October the chapter entertained at a tea honoring Miss Lola B. McCullough, Stetson's new Dean of Women, at the home of an alumna, Mrs. D. C. Hull. Receiving with Miss McCullough were Dorothy Hooker, president of Florida A, and Mrs. Hull.

Members of Florida A have received many honors the first semester. Four out of seven junior and senior girls tapped for The Honor, honorary sorority recognizing outstanding achievement in extra-curricular activities, were from Florida A. These were Sadie Rae Gardner, Mary Ellen Lord, Jane McCarty, and Lois Thacker.

Sadie Rae Gardner was elected to fill a vacancy on the Woman's Student Government Council. Dorothy Hooker is president of this council, and Dorothy Pope is a member.

Three girls were chosen from Stetson to be represented in the *Who's Who in American Colleges*, and two of these were Orni Beta Phis, Dorothy Hooker and Jane McCarty.

Ruth Orum as feature editor and Lois Thacker as woman's sports editor, are serving on the staff of the annual, *The Hatter*.

Sadie Rae Gardner, Helen Stoltenberg, and Helen Bass are each an officer in the senior, junior, and sophomore classes respectively.

The Women's Athletic Association is sponsoring a drive to raise funds for a swimming pool. Since inaugurating the drive there have been several large contributions to the fund, the largest being from Mrs. Letitia Reynolds, Stetson's oldest student, who celebrated her 80th birthday in December. The W.A.A. sponsored a sale of handicraft articles made in Berea, Kentucky. Mary Ellen Lord and Lois Thacker, as president and vice-president, Jean McMurry, Penelope Knox, Ray Jordan, and Gwendolyn Powell took an active part in this exhibit and at a tea given for towns-people.

The combined boys' and girls' glee clubs have been active in musical circles this year. They have given concerts in various cities of Florida. Their most outstanding per-

formance was the presentation of the Messiah. Willa Mae Crosby, Jean McMurry, Sadie Rae Gardner, with a solo part, and Jane McCarty as accompanist, took part.

Dean McCullough has inaugurated a new custom this year of having the pledges of each sorority entertain the pledges of another sorority. The II Φ pledges were entertained at a formal tea by the Z T A pledges, and in return were hostesses to the Δ Δ Δ group.

II Φ has also been taking a very active part in Little Theater performances. Willa Mae Crosby had an important part in the Chinese fantasy, "The Yellow Jacket." In the "Bird's Christmas Carol" were Barbara Moore and Florence Lytle. Taking part in the presentation of "Pride and Prejudice" in January were Sadie Rae Gardner, Lola Hammer, and Mary Ellen Lord.

LOIS THACKER

FLORIDA BETA—FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

Chartered, 1921

Pledge Day, October 18, 1937

INITIATED, October 22, 1937: Jane Anderson, Lillian Taylor, Tampa; Alice Dyal, Quincy; Harriett Post, Miami.

The Artists' series sponsored by the College for the students has been of especial merit and interest on the campus this year. One of the most enjoyable and outstanding programs was given by Nino Martini and his pianist, Mr. Santoval.

During the past few months Florida B members have been participating in various campus and sorority activities. Anne Jewett was elected as representative from the freshman class to Senate. Betty Wynn has been appointed as business manager for Junior Minstrels. Anne Ladd was recently pledged to A X A, a journalistic honorary, while Polly Ann White has been initiated into H Σ Φ , Latin honorary. Both Shirley Pemberton and Julia Burnett are members of the newly chartered speech honorary on this campus, Z Φ H.

The second annual Parents' Days, held during Thanksgiving week, provided a variety of activities and festivities. Florida B was very fortunate in having many parents as visitors. An after-dinner coffee was given at the house following the Thanksgiving dinner on the campus. At this time the pledges presented a short skit.

The annual Cotillon Club dance, held in the gym, ended the week of festivities. Those tapped into the organization included Frances Moss, Dorothy Mitchell, and Emily Akerman. The new members of the Village Vamps were also presented at this time, including Mary Jane Lambeth, Pat Brandt, and Margaret McGary.

Florida B entertained before the holiday season with a formal reception honoring the members of the faculty.

The Christmas party was held just before the beginning of the holidays. At this time the pledges presented their goat songs in the form of a clever skit. Following this the presents were distributed from under the tree, and refreshments were later served.

PLEGGED: Betty Wilson, Kankakee, Ill.

FLORENCE KERR

FLORIDA GAMMA—ROLLINS COLLEGE

Chartered, July 3, 1929

Pledge Day, October 31, 1937

On December 3, Rollins was honored to have Prince Lowenstein of Germany come to visit the College for a period of two weeks. Carnegie Institute arranged for his visit and he discussed with the students the conditions in Germany and the extremely critical condition of all of Europe at this time. His visit was invaluable and proved most interesting and helpful.

Florida Γ gave a series of after dinner coffees this fall to try to promote a better and more friendly feeling among the various women's fraternities on the campus. These coffees proved very successful and helped establish a spirit of cooperation and good will essential in a small college with small fraternities. The pledges cooperated by giving a tea on November 14 for all the pledges of the other fraternities for women.

Panhellenic has now begun to try and decide upon new rushing rules for next year. Two years ago deferred pledging until January was tried which proved unsuccessful and this year a four weeks' period was established. Rushing proved better but Panhellenic is now trying to improve this method and probably an even shorter period will be tried in the future.

Jane Thacker, '35, recently announced her engagement to Jack McGaffin.

PLEGGED: Eleanor Ham Peggy Davis, Marjorie Wilson, Gracia Tuttle, Rosemary Glenn, and Lenore Fischman.

EMILY OLDHAM

ETA PROVINCE

WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Chartered, 1894

INITIATED, December 4: Betty Sue Fellenz, Fond du Lac; Jayne Rapp, Shorewood; Joyce Wendstadt, Mosinee.

Π Β Φ celebrated a double homecoming on October 16, it being Wisconsin's Homecoming and also the day that the members of Wisconsin A moved into their new house. Each day has brought the girls an added pleasure in their college home.

Wisconsin A has been well represented in the campus activities. Mary Jane Bucklin was elected to Φ K Φ national honorary society for senior students. Ada May Roe had the lead in the stage play, "Excursion," the Wisconsin Players' production. Avis Zentner was chosen as chairman of the decorations for Panhellenic Ball and also was the only girl appointed to Senior Council. Rosemary Hulet was in the Homecoming court of honor.

On October 30 an open house was held to which all the students on the campus were invited and on November 12 a dance was given for the pledges. On December 3 the annual Christmas dance was given at the Loraine Hotel. This year Π Β Φ joined with Γ Φ Β and sponsored the dance together. On January 7 the girls are to be hostesses at a coffee hour held at the Memorial Union for all students and faculty members on the campus.

PLEDGED: Jean McGruer, Eau Claire; Claire Tiefenthaler, Wauwatosa.

VIVIAN UNDERHILL

WISCONSIN BETA—BELOIT COLLEGE

Chartered, 1919

Pledge Day, September 29, 1937

INITIATED, November 3, 1937: Jane Salisbury, Evanston, Ill.; Charlotte Ennis, Auburndale, Mass.; Mary Kendall, Downers Grove, Ill.; Gale Murphy, Chicago, Ill.

Beloit College was very grieved the latter part of November by the death of Professor R. B. Way, head of the political science department.

Professor Ivan M. Stone has been selected to fill this vacancy; he becomes head of the department of government, formerly known as the political science department. At this time also Professor Carl Welty was named head of the biology department.

Wisconsin B enjoyed the visit of Miss Inez Webster early in November. In her honor a chapter supper sing and a Panhellenic tea were given.

The active chapter assisted the Beloit Alumnae Club with a very successful annual Settlement School tea in December.

Charlotte Ennis was in charge of the annual Christmas supper sing. Miss Florence Stephens and Miss Adelaide Sawyer, members of the faculty, were the guests of honor. Each one present brought a gift for the house.

During the Christmas holidays, Wisconsin B gave its annual formal dance at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago. Ruth Coffy was in charge.

Wisconsin B is anticipating the visit of Ruth Barrett Smith, national vice-president, early next semester.

Eileen Crawford successfully headed the annual Beloit College Red Cross drive this year.

In November the Beloit Players presented the first amateur production of "Night Must Fall," a psychological drama. Ruth Larson played the part of Mrs. Bramson, and Mary Louise Cornick, the part of Olivia Grayne. Mary Louise Cornick was also a member of the group which presented a mystery thriller over WCLO at Janesville. January 8 the Shakespeare Society presented "The Taming of the Shrew." Wisconsin B was represented by Betty Jane Burton as Katherine, the Shrew, Jane Farley as Curtis, and Ruth Hostetler as the widow. RUTH WEYRAUCH

ILLINOIS ALPHA—MONMOUTH COLLEGE

Chartered, 1928

Pledge Day, November 6, 1937

At Monmouth College work has begun on a new student lounge, funds for which the student body has been working for the past three or four years.

Mary Alice Hill is on the student lounge committee and has been selected for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Sue Viering was a member of the cast for both "Admirable Crichton" and "Cradle Song," both plays were produced by Crimson Masque, the college dramatic league.

Miss Inez Webster made her official visit in November

and the chapter enjoyed having her to a cooky-shine. The chapter also had a cooky-shine, at which gifts were exchanged, just before leaving for Christmas vacation.

The members of the chapter were very pleased to receive as a Christmas gift, a picture of Mrs. Inez Smith Soule, one of the founders, and plans have been made to hang it in the chapter room.

The fall formal was, as usual, the traditional Twelfth Night Dinner Dance and was attended by approximately seventy-five people.

The rushing period on this campus was the last week of October and the first week of November, ending with pledging on November 6. Soon after that Y.W.C.A. group had a formal dance which was the last official act of the Big-Little Sister program which Y.W.C.A. sponsors for freshmen and new girls.

Each women's fraternity is allowed one formal and one informal rush party. The informal party of Π Β Φ was the traditional cooky-shine, for which invitations were printed on real cookies cut in the form of an arrow. The formal party was a dinner dance; date books of wine and blue suede and a wine corsage were given to each girl as favors. Miss Inez Webster and Mrs. Florence Webster were among the guests at the pledge ceremony.

PLEDGED: Dorothy Chalmers, Topeka, Kan.; Betty Teeter, Betty Dodge, LaGrange; Muriel McIlwraith, Aurora; Marion Kaiser, Oak Park; Bette Smith, Jean Malley, Ruth Moffet, Monmouth; Jane Tipton, Milwaukee, Wis.; Frances Simpson, Buffalo, N.Y.; Helen Smutz, Moline; Ann Kenan, Cameron; Doris Hatch, Greenview.

EVELYN FREDERICH

ILLINOIS BETA-DELTA—KNOX COLLEGE

Chartered, 1884

Pledge Day, October 29, 1937

Knox College theater presented Sir Arthur Wing Pinero's play "Trelawny of the Wells." Frances Lafferty, Barbara Boyden, Jane Pasche and Jean Todd, pledge, did an excellent characterization in the mid-Victorian comedy.

The pledges gave a tea on Sunday afternoon November 7, for the pledges of all other women's fraternities on the campus. It was held at the home of Virginia Parsons and over fifty girls attended.

The homecoming cooky-shine was held at noon on Saturday October 30, at the home of Louise Herlocker a graduate of '37. It was a gala affair, for over seventy-five Pi Beta Phis, including alums, actives, pledges, and guests, were served.

Jean Rowe one of our outstanding members came to the top in the election of class officers and now serves as president of the sophomore class. Doris Dexter was elected Secretary of W.A.A. Natalie Bell, pledge, became a member of House Council and Jane Sperry another pledge is a member of K.A.W.S.

The annual Christmas Prom, the biggest social event on Knox Calendar was a great success due to Mary Jane Horton's splendid management as an assistant to the chairman, Ruth Nickless, '37, came to pay the chapter a visit for the formal.

Barbara Boyden was chosen song leader for the Senior Ceremony which was held December 16, in Whiting Hall.

On December 13, the chapter had its Christmas cooky-shine at Dottie Alsen's home. Candy canes and special Christmas candy were a part of the evenings surprises. The pledges were called upon to render songs on the spur of the moment. As they were quite unprepared, the results were a "riot!"

Virginia Trumphy was married to Edwin N. Davis on January 1, of this year.

PLEDGED: Jean Andrews, Kewanee; Betty Jean Rogers, Carthage; Mary Jean Stanton, Watseka; Jane Montgomery, South Bend, Ind.

LOIS ELDRIDGE

ILLINOIS EPSILON—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1894

INITIATED, October 20, 1937: Mary Baumann, Golf; Betty Pool, Evanston, Ill.; Jane Good, Bellevue, Pa.

A week before Christmas vacation Pi Beta Phis and their dates enjoyed an evening together at the Congress Casino. On January 8, the winter formal was held at the Saddle and Cycle Club. The chapter recently presented to itself a wonderful new R.C.A. phonograph and radio combination and a new outlay of records. Two of the members returned from vacation laden with diamond rings on the proper finger. One is the chapter president, Mildred Evans

whose engagement to John Lowell Bauer, B Θ II, was announced. The second box of candy our house mother, Mrs. Stites, presented the same night was from Charlene Eddleman and Gene Allen.

At the homecoming frolics II B Φ won first place. Dona DuBeau and Jane Good had leading roles in "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," presented by the School of Speech. Mary Gibson was elected to Senior Commission, Lorraine Gaylord was elected to the Sophomore Commission and was co-chairman of the Sophomore Conference. Jean Chubb was elected to Freshman Commission. Shirley Chandler has been elected to Z Φ E. Marie Ranstead is Commerce School representative for the University Foundation Fund Committee. Doris Eberle and Marie Ranstead were honored for their scholastic standings at the last University Convocation.

BETTY WALLY

ILLINOIS ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Chartered, 1895

Pledge Day, September 16, 1937

Starting the last few months of successful activity in 1937 was the week-end of November 20 when the Dads had full sway over all the campus life. The football game, the annual water carnival, a play, and the annual reception were the amusements which were carried on for all the Dads. Anita Knapp worked as chairman on the Reception Committee for this Dad's Day. Of course the chapter had its customary banquet for the Dads where each girl in the house was introduced to the fathers by a few lines which brought out her special interests.

On December 18, right in the midst of the Christmas whirl of dances, fraternity dances as well as the Junior Prom, still more Christmas spirit was displayed in the Y.W.C.A. Doll Show. Ruth Buchholz, a II B Φ, directed the show from arranging for candy and gifts to be sold to the individual doll displays worked out by each women's fraternity and independent house. The theme was "A Song and Dance Around the World." Illinois Z's scene representing the Virginia Reel had a plantation in the background with southern belles and gentlemen, complete from powdered wigs to buckled shoes, lined up for the dance in the front.

As usual, Christmas vacation could not come around without the chapter holding its traditional party. Inexpensive gifts with short poems attached were exchanged, entertainment supplied by the pledges, and refreshments served with all the fun climaxed by a fraternity serenade of Christmas carols.

Another before-Christmas event was the Settlement School tea at which the alumnae displayed and sold articles made by the pupils of the Settlement School. At this same time the cornerstone for the new Y.M.C.A. right next door to the chapter house was laid.

Four high honors awarded to individuals in the chapter started the New Year off. Charlotte Johnson was elected to Φ K Φ, Jean Fair became a member of K Δ II, and Mary Lease and Jean Fair were chosen to be listed in *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*.

Three members of Illinois Z did their bit to help make the 1938 Minstrel Show presented January 22 its usual success. Mary Lease had charge of the ticket sales, Jane Chapek as house manager saw that everyone got in the right seat at the right time, and Betty Lovegren, a pledge, entertained the audience with a song.

Dancing, studying, and playing basketball all had their place in the first-of-the-year events. The first interfraternity dance was held January 8 with Bernie Cummins playing, and the Freshman Frolic and the Sophomore Cotillion with Don Bester supplying the music were the high spots of the week-end of January 14. A pledge, Margaret Crane, represented II B Φ as a nominee for Queen of the Freshman Frolic, and Harriett Fuller was up for the Sophomore Cotillion Queen. Semester exams starting January 25 brought the usual dead silence throughout the house. All the time the intramural basketball tournament is going on with II B Φ working for more points to help win the W.A.A. Award.

ANITA KNAPP

ILLINOIS ETA—JAMES MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1912

Pledge Day, October 15, 1937

Five members of Illinois H were on the Honor Roll for the year 1936-37. They were Jessie McKeown, Elizabeth Duerr, Laurabelle Fischer, Margaret Hall and Joanne McDavid.

Pledges of Illinois H presented the chapter stunt at the Mixer October 9, which was sponsored by A Ω, men's honorary fraternity. Jean Dorr, pledge vice-president, was general chairman of the tea dance which the pledge class

gave for all freshmen. Checked tablecloths and candle light gave an interesting tavern setting. Ruth Yakel and Billie Hammon were appointed to serve on the Freshman Commission of Y.W.C.A.

Two soccer teams represented Millikin at the annual women's play day in Normal October 23. Margaret Admire, Janet Hamilton, Billie Harmon, Ellen Horn, Helen Margaret Kyle, and Joanne McDavid were on the teams. Ellen Horn, 1936 champion and 1937 runner-up, was the entrant in tennis. II B Φ was runner-up in the inter-sorority soccer tournament. W.A.A. sports managers are Laurabelle Fischer, deck tennis, and Margaret Hall, tennis.

During Homecoming week-end, November 12, Julia Thornton appeared in the cast of "Charley's Aunt," farce comedy of Brandon Thomas. Margaret Allen, Charlotte Griggs, Ruth Yakel, Juanita Robertson, Dorothy Allen, Janet Hamilton, Joanne McDavid, Eleanor Shell, and Mary Ann Crawford were members of production committee. In a contest to choose an official title for the Millikin varsity, Elizabeth Thalman won a lifetime pass to all athletic games by submitting the name, "The Big Blue." Illinois H tied for third place in the house decorating contest. The football game with Illinois College was followed by a dinner for all actives and alumnae at the chapter house. Jessie McKeown, who was chosen Homecoming Queen by popular vote, was crowned at the dance on Saturday evening.

On November 6 the traditional Leap Year Dance was sponsored by II M Φ, senior women's honorary society, to which Jean Beall, Katherine Hamilton, and Marie Ridgley belong. Margaret Sweny was chairman of the ticket committee for the Home Economics Club's Carnival Dance November 20. Elizabeth Duerr, Roberta Hamman, Rosemary Reid, Elizabeth Thalman, and Ruth Yakel, other members of the club assisted with the preparations. Each social organization on the campus held a concession. Joanne McDavid was chairman of the II B Φ booth. An exchange dinner with the Σ A E chapter was held November 23. Juniors and sophomores were guests at the fraternity house while the Σ A E seniors and freshmen went to the II B Φ house where Jean Beall was in charge of the dinner.

Laurabelle Fischer, Katherine Hamilton, Ellen Horn, and Joanne McDavid were guests in the home of President and Mrs. Hessler when they entertained December 2 for Dr. Morgan Jones, member of British Parliament, who was visiting speaker at the University.

A date dinner was given at Aston Hall, December 3. Mary Ann Crawford, Hall president was chairman of the serving committee, assisted by June Keith and Helen Sona. Margie Lou Scheer, social chairman, was in charge of decorations. On December 10 the freshmen put out an edition of the *Decaturian*, weekly newspaper, which was printed in green ink. Janet Hamilton served as society editor.

Margaret Admire sang at a vesper service for the Taylorville Women's Club Sunday, December 12. When the choir presented part of "The Messiah," she sang a soprano solo and in assembly, January 4, she gave four numbers. Illinois H had a Christmas party December 13 in the chapter house. Gifts were brought for the Community Christmas store. On the same night the Millikin orchestra, under the direction of Jose Echaniz, internationally known concert pianist and member of the Conservatory faculty, gave a brilliant concert. Joanne McDavid and Martha Ruth McDavid play with the group. On December 15 the Millikin Dames, an organization of faculty wives, gave a tea in the O. B. Gorin Library for all students. In the evening members of II B Φ and Σ A E went carolling. Eleanor Shell was in charge of the traditional Christmas party of the English group, Conant society, on December 16.

Mary Ann Crawford was one of seven Millikinites to be chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities for 1937-1938*. She is editor of the year book, member of Student Council, president of the girls' dormitory, and a member of French club. Joanne McDavid and Jessie McKeown also belong to the French club.

The sophomore class sponsored the "Flunkers' Fling" January 7. Joanne McDavid was on the ticket committee and Elizabeth Duerr, class vice-president was in charge of decorations. Roberta Hamman is secretary of the freshman class.

A radio dance was held in the II B Φ house, January 15, by the members of II B Φ and Σ A E. June Keith, Julia Thornton, and Katherine Thornton are to appear in one of four one-act plays which are to be given early in the second semester. Mary Ann Crawford is directing one of the plays.

An informal tea October 7 and dinner November 18 were planned by Margaret Hall, rush captain, to maintain contact with rushees. On February 1 a tea was held after registration for new students and girls who live in the dormitory.

PLEGDED: Margie Lou Scheer, Woodrider.

ELIZABETH DUERR

THETA PROVINCE

MANITOBA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF
MANITOBA

Chartered, 1929

Pledge Day, October 12, 1937

INITIATED, October 19, 1937: Janice Johnson, Jean Landreth, Dorothy Magee, Helen Paine.

In the latter part of October, an informal party was held in the Fort Garry Hotel in honor of our new pledges. After the dancing, a number of actives and alumnae served refreshments in their homes.

The Track Meet, in which the Universities of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta competed, took place in Saskatoon and was won by the University of Manitoba. Norma Jane Verner accompanied the winning team and was successful in several events.

As a house-warming for the new Panhellenic House, a tea dance was held in the house on November 7. The men's fraternities, and the two women's fraternities not in the house, were invited.

On November 13, Mrs. Alford, ARROW Editor, arrived in Winnipeg, and the next afternoon was entertained at a reception at the home of Betty Dean. Representatives from the other organizations on the campus were present. During her visit, Mrs. Alford had luncheon with the Pi Beta Phi from the Broadway and Wesley College sites of the campus and attended both an active and a pledge meeting.

The $\Delta \Delta \Delta$ Fraternity Song Contest was won by $\Pi B \Phi$, and, as this was the third time, a small trophy to be kept permanently was presented. Those in the chorus were: Catherine Bartlett, Lydia Klein, Mary Evans, Elaine Hilton, Betty Pickup, Norma Kendall, and Phyllis Emerson, and they sang "On a Pi Phi Honey-moon." Muriel Hurst acted as a model in the Fashion Show.

The University play, "Once in a Lifetime," was produced November 17, 18, and 20, and Pi Beta Phi who took part were Lenore Morgan and Betty Gray, while Diana Peacock was properties chairman for behind scenes, assisted by Wilma Clubb.

A reception was given by the alumnae on November 23 in honor of Grace Matthews, who is a $\Pi B \Phi$ graduate from the University of Toronto, and who has taken leading parts with the John Holden Players for the past two years. The production, "Salt Water," was sponsored by the fraternity, proceeds being used for the free kindergarten.

On December 30, the pledges gave a tea for the actives and alumnae at the home of Lydia Klein.

During the Christmas holidays, a Student Christian Movement Conference was held at this University. Representatives from all other Canadian universities were present, including Eleanor McRae, a Pi Beta Phi from London, Ontario, and Lucille Graham, a Pi Beta Phi from Toronto, Ontario. Diana Peacock and Gudrun Bjerring from this chapter attended the conference.

This year Betty Banning gave the use of her home for our New Year's Day reception. Invitations were sent to all men's fraternities on the campus.

Work for the kindergarten, which the alumnae of Winnipeg maintain, has been continued. A plan by which each active was to have two knitted articles ready to contribute by Christmas was carried out.

Following the example of other chapters, Manitoba A is organizing a Mothers' Club. The first meeting was held on January 4 in the chapter house and was very successful.

PLEGDED: Catherine Bartlett, Joyce Chadwick, Mavis Curry, Mary Evans, Lydia Klein, Norman Kendall, Donald Long, Dorothy Matthews, Betty Pickup, Muriel Richards, Beth Tooley, Beth Welton, Sheila Young.
BETTY GRAY

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF
NORTH DAKOTA

Chartered, 1921

INITIATED, October 16, 1937: Catherine Davies, Minot; Evelyn O'Keefe, Bismarck; Alice Marsh, Norma McKenzie, Crookston, Minnesota; Dorothy Flynn, Rebecca Onstad, Cheryl Rodger, Grand Forks.

Mrs. Adele Taylor Alford was an honored guest at North Dakota A November 12-14. She was entertained at a luncheon given by the pledges and at a formal dinner by the actives. The chapter held a formal reception in her honor to which members of both fraternities and sororities on the campus were invited.

North Dakota A entertained mothers, sisters, alumnae,

and patronesses at its annual Christmas Party on December 13. Gifts were exchanged between big sisters and their little sisters. The Christmas theme was carried out in wine and blue Christmas tree lights and all gifts were wrapped in wine and blue cellophane. Each of the groups invited presented the chapter with a gift.

Cheryl Rodger, Ann Kittel, and Alice Marsh were elected to $\Sigma E \Sigma$, honorary fraternity for freshman women. Cheryl Rodger was elected vice-president of the organization and Ann Kittel was elected historian.

Cleo Nelson played the feminine lead in the University Playmaker's production "Libel." Blanche Horton Stephenson is to play one of the leads in "The Warrior's Husband" presented by the same group.

Members of $\Pi B \Phi$ entertained their guests at the annual Shindig January 8. The Shindig is the only party of its kind given by a sorority on the campus and is the event of the winter season. The setting is a Bowery dance hall and guests are invited to come in costumes to conform with the theme. Red and white checked gingham is used for the programs and tablecloths. Refreshments consisting of hot dogs, doughnuts and coffee are served.

RUTH DAVIES

MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF
MINNESOTA

Chartered, 1890

Pledge Day, October 2, 1937

INITIATED, October 23, 1937: Doris Ekman, Minneapolis; Willy Murphy, Anoka.

Winter quarter opened January 5 with Minnesota A bent on obtaining her objective—top ranking scholarship on the campus. In order to do this, a supervised study system has been devised. Under this plan a compulsory study table is maintained in the chapter house at which pledges and actives with less than a B average are required to spend fifteen hours each week.

Minnesota A was visited by Adele Taylor Alford, ARROW Editor, on November 5, 6, and 7. The chapter enjoyed her visit immensely and gave a cooky-shine in her honor Friday night, and the alumnae clubs entertained at a Sunday afternoon tea.

In cooperation with the Panhellenic council, the chapter entertained children from the Minneapolis settlement houses at a Christmas party. The members dressed dolls which they gave as gifts.

As a Christmas present, the Minneapolis Alumnae club gave the chapter dishes to add to its set, and a pair of salt and peppers. The Saint Paul Alumnae club gave salad forks to complete the silverware. The Mothers' club gave a beautiful stand for the new Webster dictionary.

Frances Heley has recently been named chairman of the University Peace Council, a member of the Senior Advisor Board, and the Arts Intermediary Board. She is active on the W.S.G.A. council. She is also the recipient of the Panhellenic scholarship for winter quarter. Marjorie Cummins is the new president of the Junior Y Cabinet and a member of the W.S.G.A. council. Hannah Dowell has been elected secretary of the University Rifle club and Ann Weaver treasurer. Helen and Margaret Hofacre were co-chairmen of the posters and displays for Minnesota's Nautical Homecoming. Margaret Van Petten was in charge of Homecoming house decorations and Minnesota A won second prize.

PLEGDED: Jane Shields, Minneapolis.

SYLVIA BRASSETT

IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN
UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1868

INITIATED, December 19, 1937: Margaret Vinzant, Centerville; Genevieve Jordan, Salt Lake City, Utah.

After the usual excitement of rush week, the campus quieted down and began the normal routine of college life. Iowa A has been doing her best both scholastically and socially.

Last year $\Pi B \Phi$ placed second in scholarship on this campus. This year two teams have been chosen; the losing team is to entertain the winning team. The decision is to be made according to grades.

Three weeks after school began, the alumnae entertained the actives and pledges at a dinner honoring Mrs. Knapp, Theta Province Vice-President.

The next week the actives and pledges entertained the patronesses and the advisory board at a cooky-shine.

Miss Clark, Theta Province President, visited the chapter on November 9. At that time a formal dinner was given in her honor. At the fraternity meeting she gave a very helpful and inspiring talk on "Bettering our Fraternity."

Lucy Allison, a sophomore, was elected "Homecoming Queen" by the Blue Key organization. Lucy was presented and crowned at the Homecoming game, an outstanding game of the year.

Bertha Giddens, a pledge, had one of the leading parts in the play "Death Takes A Holiday." Margaret Bridger, a pledge, aided with the presentation of the play.

This year Iowa Wesleyan's Social Life Committee has taken charge of a large project. It has organized a social center, where all students are welcomed to go and enjoy themselves. The rooms are nicely furnished and contain many games and magazines. Many other articles are being added. So far it has been successful.

December 19, initiation was held at Mrs. Ristine's home for two girls who were on this campus last year but did not pledge until this year. Following initiation, the pledges entertained the active chapter and their guests at an annual Christmas party.

MARGARET GRAY

IOWA BETA—SIMPSON COLLEGE

Chartered, 1874

Pledge Day, September 25, 1937

INITIATED, October 16, 1937: Marjorie Bellman, Mary Bellman, Winterset; Margaret Meikle, Helen Longfellow, Bedford; Ernestine Stauber, Moravia; and Wanda Rex, Guthrie Center.

The fall season has been a busy one with many social activities. Homecoming was a great success, enthusiasm being aroused by the competitive sale of Homecoming badges. $\Pi B \Phi$ sold the greatest number winning first prize of \$3.00. A dinner was given at the chapter house by the alumnae and the day was climaxed by a Homecoming dance at the gymnasium.

Simpson enjoyed a week of Christmas festivities which began on the Sunday before vacation by a presentation, by the entire student body, of Handel's "Messiah" under the direction of Dean Herbert A. Harvey. Christmas carols were sung between class periods around a large Christmas tree in the hall of the administration building. A Christmas play was presented by $A \Psi \Omega$ and the week closed with a social hour in the gymnasium with Christmas music and serving of refreshments.

Christmas parties of the chapter consisted of a Christmas dinner given by the alumnae and mothers' club, and a cooky-shine for pledges and actives at which Santa Claus visited, bringing many letters to be read and gifts for everyone. A snow ball dance was the theme of Iowa B's winter formal given January 8.

Miss Isabel A. Clark, Theta Province President, was a guest for a few days in November, bringing new inspiration for carrying out the year's work.

Emil Ludwig, biographer; Harold Bauer, pianist; and James R. Gillette with his electric organ and orchestra, have presented interesting programs on the Simpson artist lecture course series.

ESTHER EMMONS

IOWA GAMMA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1877

The largest event which has taken place at Iowa Γ during fall quarter had been open house for students which took place on a Sunday and during which approximately nine hundred students were shown the new building.

Iowa Γ received second place in homecoming decora-

tions among the women's fraternities and Betty Whipple was chosen attendant to the pep queen during the homecoming ceremonies.

Betty Straight, Helen Jane Klinger, Francis Wirtz, and Ellen Gay Pickett were elected into Naiaid Swimming Honorary for women. Betty Whipple, Carolyn Groves, and Dorothy Goeppinger passed the requirements which entitled them to membership into Dance Club.

Five of Iowa Γ girls were chosen members of $\Pi T E$ during fall quarter. These girls were Jane Helsler, Ruth Kunerth, Betty Whipple, Elizabeth Elliott, and Marguerite Root.

Several teas were given which included the Settlement School tea given at the chapter house by the alumnae, a tea given by the pledges for the actives, and a tea for Rudolph Ganz whom we were honored to have with us one afternoon. Also a tea was given Miss Clark in order that she might meet all the actives and pledges.

Actives and pledges joined for a serenade before Christmas, circling the campus singing carols and $\Pi B \Phi$ songs.

We were very happy to learn that Iowa Gamma rated first on the Iowa State campus for last year in scholarship.

The chapter is looking forward to its winter dance which is to be held on January 8 at Catherine McKay auditorium and is to be preceded by a formal dinner at the chapter house.

ANNE ALLEN

IOWA ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

Chartered, 1882

Pledge Day, September 27, 1937

Accompanying an increase in enrollment of the University a new men's dormitory is under construction and the interior of the women's dormitory has been re-decorated.

Iowa Z sponsored several social affairs this fall among which were open house, a pledge tea, Halloween party, Christmas parties, and a scholarship banquet. It is at this annual scholarship banquet that the alumnae presents recognition awards to those girls who had earned or maintained a "B" average during the previous semester. Mary Means, Shirley Briggs, Louise Remley, Eulalia Kingbell, Lavanda Carr, Ruth Jones, and Pauline Anderson received these awards. Ruth Jones received the scholarship ring as a reward for having the highest average during the year 1936-37.

The Christmas parties included the annual holiday dinner with the alumnae, a party given by the chapter for children from the local Juvenile Home, and a party for members of the chapter the evening before vacation during which gifts were exchanged and a short musical comedy was presented by the pledges.

Iowa Z girls have received their share in fall campus honors. Edith Prior-Leahy, Helen Ries, and Jane Levine were selected to act on the following University party committees respectively, Spinister Soree, Sophomore Cotillion, and Freshman Party. Mary Ellen Hennessy is on the women's varsity debate team and also was elected to Gavel Club. Jane Eller, Eddie Patterson, and Catharine Nile pledged $\Phi \Gamma \Sigma$, commerce fraternity for women. Edith Prior-Leahy had an outstanding rôle in the play "Pride and Prejudice," produced by the University's Little Theater. Beverly Hunter and Alice Eaton are members of Senior Orchestras. Betty West is a pledge in Seals, the women's swimming club. Beverly Hunter was chosen as Dolphin Queen Attendant, and it is with extreme curiosity that Iowa Z awaits the announcement of the Honorary Cadet Colonel for 1938. Madge Jones is among the eligible five nominees.

PLEGDED: Betty Sue McClelland, Kansas City, Mo.; Janet Stanley, New York, N.Y.

CATHARINE NILES

IOTA PROVINCE

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Chartered, 1927

INITIATED, October 10, 1937: Sylvia Crill, Elk Point; Marjorie Pier, Belvidere.

This Christmas made all of the older members just a little sad that this would be the last one the Pi Phi would ever spend in this lovely old house which we have grown very fond of, in spite of its many inadequate features. However, one look at our new house is enough to make one see a splendid future for South Dakota A, in spite of its attachment to the old home. Around the

campus this new house is being nicknamed "Pi Phi Lodge," for its size and beauty.

This Christmas, the chapter had its traditional party for the first-grade children of one of the local grade schools. One of the pledges as jolly Saint Nick succeeded in delighting the children with his bag of toys.

Thursday night before vacation, the pledges entertained the actives at a Christmas party. The tree, which they had trimmed, stood in the midst of snowy, white packages for the House Mother and for each girl in the house.

South Dakota A looks forward to this year of 1938 as a promising one, and hopes that its future looks as full.

EILEEN JENKINSON

NEBRASKA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Chartered, 1895

Nebraska B was honored with a visit by Miss Onken, November 10 to 12. During her visit she was entertained by the Mothers' Club, the Alumnae Club, and by a fire-side at the chapter house.

The University won the Big Six Championship in football again this year. Open house for alumnae and visiting Pi Beta Phi was held after several of the games. The living room was used for dancing, and coffee and doughnuts were served. A party was given by the actives for the pledges, November 6, after the Homecoming game. Two weeks later the pledges entertained the actives at a formal dinner dance.

At the Military Ball, which opened the formal season on the campus, there were several Phi Beta Pis and their escorts in the Grand March. The chapter enjoyed a sweet-heart dinner at the chapter house on December 12. On December 15, the chapter had as guests the children of the alumnae at the annual Christmas party.

The yearly presentation of "The Messiah" was given in the coliseum. Lucretia Green, Marjorie Barnett, Betty Dolphin, Jean Lebendorphor were members of the chorus. Ruth Van Slyke, a member of the University Players, received a great deal of praise for her leading role in "Penny Wise." Claire Husted and Jean Parkinson are prominent in intramural badminton.

The members of Nebraska B have returned from Christmas vacation and have settled down to serious studying in preparation for final examinations at the end of the month. During the holidays the Mothers' Club and the Alumnae Club cooperated to redecorate the chapter room. Ventilators, Venetian blinds and a new rug were added. Plans for buying chairs for the room are now underway.

JANE WILSON

KANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

Chartered, 1873

Pledge Day, September 13, 1937

The new point system recently adopted by the W.S.G.A. was designed to distribute honors among the women of the university by limiting the number of activities in which any woman may participate. Maximum points allowed for a senior are 60; for a junior, 50; for a sophomore, 40; for a freshman, 30. Officers of the various organizations receive a greater number of points than members and the number of points varies with the responsibility and time which the activity requires.

The W.S.G.A. Carnival has been set for February 25. All fraternities take part in this event. Each organization has a booth or exhibit which contributes to the general festivity of the occasion. Following an inspection of all the booths, the students have the remainder of the evening for dancing.

Mary Martha Carson, Mary Lou Borders, Mary Jane McCoy, Marianna Bantleon, Betty Lou McFarland and Mary Lewis are all members of the *Sour Owl* staff. Kathryn Turner was recently elected secretary and treasurer of the International Relations Club. Helen Moore was elected to O N in the fall. Mary Lou Borders is the publicity chairman of the Y.W.C.A.

Last fall the chapter planned to make several improvements about the house and yard throughout the year. The first improvement made was the construction of cement steps on the sloping path to our driveway which got awfully muddy in bad weather. The second improvement, made during Christmas, was the tiling of the showers. Although these have been small projects, we have all been very pleased with the results.

Rushing for second semester is our next important consideration.

HELEN MOORE

KANSAS BETA—KANSAS STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1915

Pledge Day, October 2, 1937

INITIATED: October 9, 1937: Lorraine Barrett, Salina; Mary Mohr, Tulsa, Okla.

Susanne Long, Eldorado, and Norma Lee Quinlan, Lyons, were elected into $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, women's honorary journalism fraternity.

Virginia Baxter, Jean De Young, and Margaret Mullen became members of *Dynamis* this fall. To this club outstanding sophomore girls in home economics are elected.

Bettie Freeland was initiated into O N, honorary soror-

ity for Home Economics seniors.

For the number of honors, Mary Frances Davis seems to be taking the laurels. She is president of *Prix*, honorary club for junior girls, is on the committee for the proposed Student Union Building, and during Christmas vacation, she attended the annual Y.M.-Y.W. Conference at Oxford, Ohio.

Betsy Phelan, one of this year's pledges, was chosen as chairman of a committee to see to having the tennis courts flooded for ice skating.

Looking back on the intramurals, Lenora Ash won first in interpretive dancing and a team consisting of Lenora Ash, Barclay Wright, Ann Wright, and Vera Mowery won first in technique.

The annual party for fifty poor children was held December 6, at the chapter house.

"Sun Valley Lodge" was the motif used for decorating the ballroom for the pledge party given December 11. The $\Pi \beta \Phi$ pledges won recognition for having the most distinctive decorations of the year.

Ann Wright and Elizabeth Nabours are candidates for honorary officers at the Military Ball.

PLEGDED: Lenora Ash, Wichita; Bette Benjamin, Nowata, Okla.; Alma Jean Fredrick, Kathryn Wheeler, Sterling; Joan Hawkinson, Larned; Milruth Hawkinson, McPherson; Harriette Hull, Rice; Maribelle Teichgraber, Eureka; Eleanor Jones, Margaret McAllister, Garden City; Barbara Nash, Lyons; Carolyn Overholt, Milwaukee, Wis.; Betsy Phelan, Georgia Smedal, Kansas City, Mo.; Dorothy Sumner, Ft. Riley; Barclay Wright, Salina; Marianna Kistler, Manhattan; Louise Riordan, Solomon; Elizabeth Selig, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

VERA MOWERY

COLORADO ALPHA—COLORADO UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1884

Pledge Day, September 25, 1937

Last quarter Jeanette Humphrey had one of the important leads in "Wild December" which was produced in the University Little Theatre, and Julia Anne Caldwell has just started rehearsals in the next production.

Last quarter, also, the chapter won the intramural volleyball tournament, and Evalyn Prouty and Betty Hutchinson are in the finals of the tennis tournament.

The fall formal at the chapter house was the most talked-of dance on the hill; it was a nite club formal with dinner inside the club, after one was "carried" to the 8th floor by a very realistic elevator. Dancing was on the roof garden of the club.

The week before school closed last fall, the chapter held a Christmas party, with a tree, which the sophomores decorated, and each person was given a small gift with a clever poem attached. Five small poor children were entertained. The Denver Mothers' Club gave the chapter some lovely table linen and several lovely hammered silver service dishes. The Boulder Mothers' Club and the Northwestern Mothers' Club gave a handsome silver tea service and tray.

During Christmas vacation a luncheon was held at the Denver Athletic Club for the Denver Sisters and Daughters who will come to college next year. The rushees were particularly impressed with the dainty corsages given them. That night the Denver Alumnae gave a dinner-dance at Lakewood Country Club for members of both Colorado A and Colorado B.

The annual Rhythm Circus of the University is just beginning to get organized for this season. Elise Montandan is secretary of the circus, Evalyn Prouty is pianist for the chorus, and Margy Drake and Helen Collins are in the chorus.

Julia Anne Caldwell is $\Pi \beta \Phi$ candidate for beauty queen of the *Coloradoan*, the year book.

Jane Sampson, a last June's graduate, and Marian Hackstaff, a junior this year, are eligible for the "Who's Who" in the Accredited Colleges of America.

SHIRLEY MARTIN

COLORADO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

Chartered, 1885

Pledge Day, September 19, 1937

On November 13 the annual Engineers Ball of the University of Denver was held at the Wellshire Country Club, and Louise Simon, $\Pi \beta \Phi$, was chosen queen of the Ball.

From November 16 to 18 the chapter was honored by a visit from Mrs. Hanna, Iota Province President. On November 17 it entertained her with a tea attended by chapter members and guests from other women's fraternities on the campus. Her visit was greatly enjoyed by all and

proved to be of great help and inspiration to everyone.

During the fall quarter Colorado B was represented by participation in two radio programs. The $\Pi B \Phi$ trio, including Laura Braden, Shirley Carter, and Beverly Kern, sang on a Denver University program broadcast on a local hook-up; and later in the season the freshman trio composed of Nancy Morgan, Betty Jane Doolittle and Evelyn Nicholas sang on a National network on $\Pi B \Phi$ night at the Silver Glade in the Cosmopolitan Hotel, Denver.

This year the chapter is represented on the Y.W.C.A. cabinet by four members, Elinor Roberts, Edna Saunders, Maretta Lucas, and Virginia Nevans.

Press Club took in three Colorado Betas: Elizabeth Morgan; Betty Ray Thibodeau and Laura Braden. Good Journalists also included in its ranks two inspiring young writers: Maretta Lucas and Mary Margaret McGilvray; electing Mary Margaret business manager. Mary Margaret McGilvray has also shown interest in radio and is a member of Radio Commission, of which organization she is secretary.

Following literary lines, $\Pi B \Phi$ finds Betty Ray Thibodeau editor of *Space*, the campus magazine.

The Drama Club of the University of Denver went back to the days of ancient Greece, and presented the "Daughters of Atrous" as their fall production, in which Nadine Bancroft and Mary Margaret McGilvray both had important roles. Nadine Bancroft was elected Vice-President of Drama Club and Mary Margaret McGilvray was made a member.

Among Psychology students we find Yvonne Crabtree, Annabelle Greenlee and Laura Braden newly elected members of ΨX , National Psychological Fraternity.

$\Pi B \Phi$ chemistry students also have their respective honorary society, $A \Sigma X$. New members include Beverly Kern and Shirley McMillen.

Moving from the campus to the Women's Dormitory the chapter finds Nadine Bancroft president of the Dormitory Council and Helen Monismith social chairman.

Election of Rush Captain was held in the chapter during fall quarter and Shirley McMillen was the newly elected officer.

With a change of seasons to the Christmas holidays, members of the University enjoyed three weeks of vacation. During this time numerous small parties were given including a bridge party participated in by chapter members and friends for the purpose of raising money for

the endowment fund. A style show was also given at a down-town department store and Louise Simon and Mary Esther Barton acted as mannequins. The climaxing social function of the holidays was the Christmas dance, with members of the Denver Alumnae Club, Colorado A and Colorado B participating as guests. The dance was held at Lakewood Country Club on December 28.

EILEEN BOWMAN

WYOMING ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

Chartered, 1910

Pledge Day, September 25, 1937

INITIATED, January 8, 1938: Janet Portz, Luwanna Bennett, Dae LeBar.

The highlight of fall quarter at the University of Wyoming was the homecoming celebration held November 6. A large number of alumnae returned to their Alma Mater to enjoy the Homecoming parade, luncheon, football game, and dance. On the eve of Homecoming Day the various organizations on the campus competed in the Homecoming sing in which Wyoming A won second place. The chapter also entertained all $\Pi B \Phi$ alumnae at an open house after the game.

Colorado B chapter entertained members of Wyoming A who attended the Denver University and Wyoming University football game November 13, and the chapter is looking forward to the opportunity of returning this hospitality in February when Denver University plays their scheduled basketball game in Laramie.

Eleanor Calberg, junior, was elected as one of the attendants at the Engineers Ball.

In November, Wyoming A was honored by a visit from Iota Province President, Mrs. Hanna, and introduced her to other women's fraternities and campus associates at a Panhellenic luncheon and a tea held at the chapter house.

The last activity of the chapter fall quarter was the annual Christmas party and formal dinner. An exchange of presents and the presentation of a clever stunt preceded the dinner.

PLEGDED, October 13, 1937: Frances Jackson, Newcastle.
DOROTHY G. DOWNING

KAPPA PROVINCE

OKLAHOMA ALPHA—OKLAHOMA UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1910

Oklahoma A entertained December 8 for the brothers and sons of Pi Phi with a formal buffet dinner. The centerpiece consisted of a mound of red apples, white candles, and green cedar.

Oklahoma A had its annual Christmas dinner, December 21, for members and pledges. The presents from the Christmas tree were given to the underprivileged children.

Patience Sewell won the Matrix Award, given by the honorary journalistic fraternity, $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, to the most outstanding woman on the campus. Helen Marie Cordell was pledged and initiated to the honorary Greek fraternity, $\Pi \Sigma \Phi$. Lucille Jackson and Kathrine Bretch were initiated to $\Delta \Phi \Delta$, national art fraternity.

Kathrine Bretch, Betty Lambert, Mary Jess Thompson, Elizabeth Coe, Kathryn Jane Hayden, and Betty Galt attended the luncheon for Junior girls in the university having a scholastic average of B or better.

Melva Collins, Dell Perkins, Dathel Haskins and Allie Lou Conner were selected to be in the University Girls' Choral Club.

Charlotte Fogg was elected queen of Oklahoma's birthday party. Betty Galt, Elizabeth Coe, Mary Powell, Barbara Campbell, and Dorothy Connell served as attendants.
EDNA EARL KING

OKLAHOMA BETA—AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE

Chartered, August 12, 1919

Pledge Day, September 11, 1937

INITIATED, November 7, 1937: Ruth Barrett, Watonga; Betty Slocombe, Salt Lake City, Utah; Mariam Thompson, Stillwater.

Oklahoma B held its annual Christmas House Dance

on December 10. The house was beautifully decorated in wine, blue, and silver; the ceiling was covered with blue and silver balloons; and wine "mums" were placed in huge baskets around the walls. Blue lights gave a softening effect.

Oklahoma B has been honored by a visit from Miss Gladys Scivally, Kappa Province President.

$\Pi B \Phi$ has recently had nine girls elected to Players' Club. That organization has already given two successful plays this year, and will give at least one next semester. Liberty Bennett, $\Pi B \Phi$, is president.

$\Pi B \Phi$ has charge of the annual Panhellenic Dance which is to be held February 18. The Panhellenic organization on this campus distributed 51 baskets of food and toys to needy families on Christmas Eve.

This semester the $\Pi B \Phi$ pledges have a Gypsy Tea for the pledges of all other sororities. A Gypsy program was given as the guests were served chili from a huge black pot over flames, and fritos and tea. Gypsy costumes were worn by the hostesses; and an even more rustic effect was obtained by a "leafy" floor, and by the fortune tellers.

Rebecca Jane Nichols has been elected one of the representatives of this college in "Who's Who in American Colleges." Mary Louise Huff has been elected Society Editor of the *O'Collegian*, the college daily newspaper.
GRACE HOPPMAN

ARKANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

Chartered, December 29, 1909

On "Homecoming Day" all the sorority houses built elaborate decorations honoring alumnae. $\Pi B \Phi$ won a prize of \$25 for the best idea, which was to depict the house as a fort.

As for individual honors, Louise Seamster, pledge, had the lead recently in a Russian comedy, "Squaring the Circle," and Martha Earle, initiate, a lead in "The Goose Hangs High."

Anne DuBard won the campus queen election by an overwhelming majority. $\Pi B \Phi$ has worked long and hard for this position but this is the first time it has won it in many years.

Judge Camille Kelly, of the Memphis, Tenn., Juvenile Court, spoke at the annual Women's League banquet in December. Alice Henry, $\Pi B \Phi$, is president of the organization which is open to all women on the campus.

In appreciation of the many things the Mothers' Club and Alumnae Club of Fayetteville have done for our chapter, we gave a tea honoring them in November. Mrs. Iela Gray Clifton, our housemother, and the senior girls formed the receiving line. Chief feature of the entertainment was a style show wherein the girls modeled their own clothes.

Finally, there was Christmas, and our house was all aglitter with cedar and tinsel, and the blue lights. The week before the holidays began, we gave two parties. One in the afternoon was for 20 poor children of Fayetteville to whom we played Santa Claus. That night we had a Christmas tree and dinner just for the $\Pi B \Phi$ girls.

RUBELLE ROARK

TEXAS ALPHA—TEXAS UNIVERSITY

Chartered, February 19, 1902

Pledge Day, September 30, 1937

INITIATED, October 14, 1937: Mary Crain, Houston; Patsy Gannon, Dallas; Anne Harris, Louise Jameson, El Paso; Dorothy Jones, Comfort; Mary Nash, Austin; Laura Patton, Kerrville; Eleanor Williams, Ballinger.

At last Texas A's new house is a reality. The chapter is looking forward to entertaining Miss Onken and Miss Gladys Scivally, Kappa Province President, in it late in the spring.

Beth Ryburn, former Texas A President, made $\Phi B K$ in the fall, and Evelyn Willie made $X T$, honorary geological fraternity for women. Anne Finch and Adele Neely were elected to Orange Jackets, local service organization. Lucile Campbell was elected to Ashbel Literary Society, and Virginia Middleton and Betty Blankenbecker to N.U.T.T., honorary social organization.

The chapter entertained with a tea dance at The Federated Women's Club December 17. The decorations were white Christmas trees with blue lights. Also before the holidays Texas A gave a Christmas party for twenty-five orphan children.

Intramural sports have been in full swing all year with $\Pi B \Phi$ in the finals of golf and deck tennis. The interfraternity sing-song contest comes in March and Texas A hopes to win first place again. In November, Panhellenic sponsored a carnival for the benefit of the Undergraduate Loan Fund. $\Pi B \Phi$ and $\Gamma \Delta$ had a bingo booth, which proved to be a great success.

ROWENA SIMPSON

TEXAS BETA—SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1916

INITIATED, November 21, 1937: Betty Bright, Virginia Austin, Ruth Dyer, Doris Padgett, Dallas; Beth Chapman, Greenville; Helen Montgomery, Ozona.

Texas B completed a very successful fall period with a dinner-dance on December 17, at the Adolphus Hotel, and now is pleasantly and excitedly anticipating a visit from Miss Onken the first week of April. Due to the fact that she will be with Texas B at that time, Founders' Day is to be celebrated on April 6, instead of the original date.

Reverting to the past fall, Texas B had been entertained several times by the Alumnae Club. In October the alumnae entertained the mothers of pledges and actives with a lovely tea at the home of Mrs. John N. Touchstone. Mrs. Lutzer Stark, Grand Secretary, was present and assisted in receiving the guests. In November the alumnae gave the annual Settlement School tea at the Highland Park Town Hall, where a sale of Arrowcraft goods met with great success, many outsiders buying Christmas presents.

In November was started a study hall, directed by Mary Ann Potts, chapter scholarship chairman, and presided over by Mrs. Tom Reilly (Sarah Davidson). Pledges and actives having less than a B average are required to attend eight hours a week. Since Texas B has become more comfortably settled, lunches are being served on Wednesdays and Thursdays to actives, pledges, and any alumnae who care to come. Texas B has been influential in getting the quota of two for midterm raised to two and two little sisters.

Among those newly elected to various honoraries and

honor positions, are: Jeannette Sanford, $\Sigma \Delta \Pi$; Beth Almond, A P T, Senior Representative to W.S.G.B.; Virginia Austin, Vice-President Freshman Club, Convention Delegate; Beth Chapman, A P T Vice-President; W.S.G.B.; Annette Germany, $\Sigma \Delta \Pi$; Anne Dyer, $W \theta \rho$; $W \theta \rho$; Carol Frita, Secretary, senior class; Gene Higginbotham, $W \theta \rho$'s $W \theta \rho$, $\Gamma \Sigma$.

GENE HIGGINBOTHAM

LOUISIANA ALPHA—NEWCOMB COLLEGE

Chartered, 1891

Pledge Day, January 13, 1937

The most important thing that has happened to the chapter is the visit which Miss Onken paid us the weekend of December 10. The afternoon of her arrival the alumnae entertained at a Christmas Sale and Silver Tea to make money for the Settlement School. The tea was a great success, more money being made than was expected. The next day was spent in conferences with Miss Onken, at which each of the officers discussed her problems, and a meeting of the whole chapter where it was given much valuable advice concerning its activities. Louisiana A has enjoyed so much Miss Onken's visit and feels that she has been a real help.

Other chapter activities have included a Christmas tree party held at the house December 16. Each member brought a present for one other member and the coming of Christmas was celebrated with true spirit. In connection with social service activities, the chapter provided presents and Christmas dinner for four poor families, as is done every year. The annual dance given by the actives for the pledges was held at Shushan Airport in November, and proved to be fun for everyone.

On the campus the Anglo-Scottish-Newcomb Debate claimed much interest. The two students composing the Anglo-Scottish team were very entertaining. Both had very keen senses of humor. A lecture by Miss Vera Brittain in which she touched upon Edward's abdication, was also enjoyed by the students. On January 18 the ceremony for the installation of President Harris of Tulane University was held. President Robert Hutchins of the University of Chicago made the address.

PLEGGED: Dorothy Davis, Cecil Rickert.

SALLIE KEEN TEBB

LOUISIANA BETA—LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1936

Pledge Day, September 22, 1937

INITIATED, November 17, 1937: Helen Hudson, Oakdale.

The most interesting event for Louisiana B was the visit from Miss Onken in December. A tea was given in her honor. During the calling hours, representatives from every fraternity were introduced to the Grand President. An informal dinner, including the actives and pledges, was thoroughly enjoyed by the group. Miss Onken proved an inspiration to the chapter, giving her ideas of the standards of the fraternity.

The $\Pi B \Phi$ Christmas tea dance, December 17, was an outstanding event. Decorations were in silver and blue, the central attraction being two large silver trees with blue lights at each end of the hall. Since it was the day before the holidays, everyone was free from the thought of books and eager to enjoy the entertainment.

Every other week the pledges and actives have a buffet supper in the chapter room.

Susie B. Speed was initiated into $\Delta \Gamma \Delta$, an interwomen's fraternity on the campus. Margaret Floyd and Virginia Higgins were initiated into A, a similar organization.

$\Pi B \Phi$ gave its formal dance February 18.

Study hall for pledges, supervised by the actives, is proving successful so far. A two hour study period on week nights is held in the chapter room.

Plans are being made for new women's fraternity rooms in one of the dormitories that will not be in use when the new ones are completed. These rooms are to be an excellent improvement over the present ones. They will be in uniform sizes according to the size of the fraternity. A matron will be present at all times, and girls will be permitted to bring their dates for informal gatherings in the chapter rooms after five o'clock. During the day the rooms will be available, and in this way, it will give the girls an opportunity to be together more often, forming closer friendships. A kitchenette on each floor, with store rooms for equipment, is one of the many unique arrangements for this building, which is to be completed by the end of this year.

VIRGINIA HIGGINS

LAMBDA PROVINCE

ALBERTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

Chartered, September, 1931

Pledge Day, October 20, 1937

INITIATED, November 29, 1937: Katherine Gordon, Frances Haddow, Sheila Morrison, Alex Robertson, Jean Stafford, Edmonton; Melba Hickey, Kathleen Durrell, Calgary; Margaret Harrison, Drumheller; Beth Sovereign Peace River; Betty Bartman, Fairmont Hot Springs; Helen Dickson, Innisfree; Aileen Aylsworth, Calgary.

This year again $\Pi B \Phi$ was "tops" in rushing on the Alberta campus. Nine new girls were pledged on October 20. Following pledging the actives held an informal dance in the Tuck Shop and returned to the house for refreshments.

In November the chapter was honored by a visit from the ARROW Editor, Mrs. Alford. During her stay she was taken to the "Inter-year" Class Play Competition, in which six Π Phis were taking part. One of them, Sheila Morrison, was awarded the title of "best actress."

In the class elections this year Dorothy Pepper and Beth Sovereign were elected vice-presidents of the senior and junior classes, respectively. Margaret Humphries is secretary of the French Club, Jean Smith vice-president, and Margaret Freeman fifth year representative of the B.Sc. in Nursing Club.

At the end of November twelve girls were initiated who were pledged last year. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Graham, the parents of an alumna, Ruth Graham, entertained the whole fraternity at a very enjoyable and novel dance.

One of the high spots in the fall term was the visit paid by Sir Hubert Wilkins to the University while establishing his aero-base in Edmonton. He very graciously spent an hour of his valuable time in addressing the student body, giving an outline of his plans and relating a few of his past ventures.

Before the close of the term when the Alberta A's returned to their homes for the holidays an informal Christmas tea was held. The house mother, Mrs. Boothe, played the role of Santa Claus and distributed among the girls the presents taken at random from the tree. Everyone had a merry time coupled with the thoughts of going home, holidays, and winter sports.

Repledged: Muriel Pettigrew, Mary McLaughlin, Katherine Gordon, Betty Bartman, Frances Haddow, Margaret Harrison, Margaret Haverstock, Beth Sovereign, Jean Stafford, Alex Robertson.

PLDGED: Vera Allin, Ruth Nacombe, Helen Dickson, Ruth Gilchrist, Melba Hickey, Betty Jackson, Dorothy McCaffrey, Marjorie McCullough, Sheila Morrison.

MARION CROSBY

MONTANA ALPHA—MONTANA STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1921

Pledge Day, September 26, 1937

INITIATED, September 21, 1937: Mabelle Rose Baker, Lewistown; Evelyn Hansen, Forsyth; Mary Lewis, Manhattan; Corinne Wheeler, Baker; Genevieve Simkins, Wanna Finley, Bozeman.

Mrs. Fred Donert, President of Lambda Province, visited Montana A for several days in November.

Genevieve Simkins and Mary Ann Flynn were appointed Cadet Drum Majors by the Military Department. These girls march with the band at all dress parades and reviews. Meri Ann Mather displays her talents in the capacity of yell leader at all intercollegiate football and basketball games. $\Pi B \Phi$ won the Novice Swimming Meet. Mary M. Hylton took first place, Virginia Baker, second, and Carolyn Law, fourth.

The chapter volleyball team won second place in the intramural tournament in which seven teams were entered.

Evelyn Hansen and Carolyn Law each won a miniature saber awarded weekly for the highest individual score in the woman's riflery shooting. Jean Duncan was elected vice-president of the Spurs, and Helen Sandvig, historian.

The pledges of Montana A entertained the freshman women on the campus at a tea in November.

Bette Bell of Joliet received her degree in Applied Art at the end of the autumn quarter, and was married January 3 in Glendale, California. Her future home will be at Little Lake, California. The girls of Montana A surprised Bette with a miscellaneous shower immediately following the annual Christmas celebration.

During the latter part of November, the $\Pi B \Phi$ mothers gave a silver tea at which the handicraft of the Settlement School was displayed and offered for sale. The Mothers' Club, which has held monthly luncheons

throughout the quarter, had their regular meeting December 10 in the form of a Christmas party.

The actives were entertained by the pledges at a "Kid" party. Many hair ribbons and all day suckers were in evidence and a hilarious time was had by all.

The chapter's annual fall party was held at the Paxter Hotel on December 3.

Six Π Beta Phis have accepted fraternity pins and passed their five pounds of candy, this quarter. They are, Helene Kelley, Ann Simms, Patricia Bell, Bette Bell, Louise Lepper, Bernice Howell and Corinne Wheeler. This ceremony is particularly impressive when performed during rush parties.

Betty Ross is Woman's chairman of High School Week and a member of the student senate; Ruth Keithly is Student Commissioner of social activities and thus also a member of the senate.

Vesta Robbins and Corinne Wheeler were pledged to Spartanians, honorary athletic organization for women on this campus.

Patricia Hart wrote the "Courtesy Book" of Campus Etiquette and Margaret Austin illustrated it.

Daphne Dell played the feminine lead in the fall play, "The Swan." Louise Lepper acted as student director, Ruth Keithly was in charge of the costumes, and Bette Bell of the make-up.

Mary Ellen Wiggenhorn was pledged to $\Pi K \Delta$, forensics honorary.

PLDGED: Rose Eagle, Mary Baxter, Katherine Border, Mary Hylton, Corinne Harrington, Margaret Smith, Carolyn Law, Ruth Hays, Bernice Howell, Bozeman; Helen Hagstrom, Gertrude Oquist, Meri Ann Mather, Lewistown; Jean Stroup, Daphne Dell, Helen Trandem, Ruth Wiggenhorn, Jean West, Billings; Virginia Baker, Baker; June Drowley, Glendive; Merry Simaton, Malta.

MARGO SEAMANS

IDAHO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

Chartered, 1923

Pledge Day, September 25, 1937

INITIATED, October 9, 1937: Rachel Braxton, Boise; Lorraine Jensen, Twin Falls; June Numbers, McCall; and Ruth Ann Steele, Idaho Falls.

Since fall pledging things at the University of Idaho have settled down to normal. However, the week-end of Dad's Day, Blue Key sponsored a dance featuring Jimmy Lunceford and his orchestra. This orchestra was well received by the students of the campus because of its prominence. Jimmy Lunceford himself was induced to lead the Idaho Pep Band between halves of the Montana game which took place in the new stadium that day.

Because of the importance of the music department at the University of Idaho, the Vandaleer's Candle Light Service was broadcast over C.B.S. just before the Christmas holidays. The following night at the annual Holly Day Dance the enlarged campus orchestra was on the air over the same system.

Idaho A was happy to entertain Mrs. Fred Donert, Lambda Province President, for several days early in November. During her stay she was entertained with a formal dinner to which all Moscow alumnae were invited.

A few days before Christmas vacation the chapter entertained Moscow alumnae at a fireside, the annual Christmas party.

Idaho A was asked to present a radio program over radio station KRLC at Lewiston, Idaho. This broadcast was called "The Arrow Accessory Program" and took the form of a take-off on famous radio programs. It was a half-hour in length and included music, news flashes from the campus and imitations of such people as Cab Calloway, Walter Winchell, Betty Boop, and Donald Duck. This program seemed to be quite a success and it has been suggested that the chapter repeat the broadcast at some later date.

JULIA MILBURN

WASHINGTON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Chartered, January 5, 1907

Pledge Day, September 29, 1937

Numerous teas and parties have kept the members of Washington A busy during the past quarter. Last October the alumnae gave a buffet supper at the chapter house for the new pledges. The members gave a tea, on November 7, in honor of Mrs. Wallace, the chapter's new housemother, and Mrs. Finger, who has done a great deal for the chapter during the past year. Many friends and alumnae dropped in, but the real thrill of the afternoon came, however, when Inez Smith Soule arrived unexpectedly. Both the actives and the pledges felt that it was a great

privilege to meet her and be able to chat with her for awhile.

The annual pledge dance was held at the Rainier Golf and Country Club. During the month of December the pledges surprised the actives with a skating party at Playland. After skating all afternoon, they served a delicious buffet supper at the chapter house.

Mrs. Fred Donert, Lambda Province President, visited Washington A during the first week in December. While she was here the chapter had a formal dinner.

Many of the active members and pledges have been placed on committees in A.W.S., A.S.U.W., and Y.W.C.A. Phyllis Howard was initiated into W-Key, local underclassmen's scholastic and activity honorary. Sally Dawson has just been elected president of F A X which is a journalistic honorary. Both Phyllis Howard and Jean Coon were pledged to Σ E Σ, underclassmen's scholastic honorary. Barbara Horrocks was appointed executive secretary of the Varsity Ball committee. Every year one of the important events of the Y.W.C.A. is the waffle breakfast, and this year Phyllis Howard is assistant chairman of the breakfast.

Another record was broken this year with a total student population of 10,703. Recently the University grade standards were raised by requiring all students, except freshmen, to maintain a "C" average. A new study plan has been put into effect which compels all underclass students to plan their schedules a year ahead. Designs are being made for a new swimming pool which, when completed, will be one of the best intercollegiate men's swimming pools in the United States. During the holidays the University of Washington football team went to Hawaii where they played football with the University of Hawaii on New Year's Day.

GERALDINE HANNY

WASHINGTON BETA—WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1912

Four successful months have just ended for Washington B with days overflowing with studies, activities and social functions.

The fraternity had the pleasure of being hostess to Mrs. Fred Donert, Lambda Province President, for a few days in November. During her stay Mrs. Donert was entertained at luncheon by two other women's fraternities in addition to a fireside and a formal dinner given by the chapter with alumnae present.

A tea with faculty members and townspeople as guests was held at the chapter house October 10, honoring Mrs. Hazel Seymour, the chapter's new housemother. Washington B had the pleasure of entertaining the national treasurer of Mortar Board, Mrs. Coral V. Stevens, during her three-day visit to the campus. A formal dinner for Mrs. Stevens was held at the chapter house with active and alumnae Mortar Board members attending.

On November 13 the pledges had their annual guest luncheon. The chapter again gave the traditional kid party before Christmas for children of alumnae. Santa was portrayed by one of the house boys who presented the gifts to the children from his overflowing sack. Spokane alumnae gave the chapter a floor lamp.

After tryouts by all fraternities and dormitories on the campus, II B Φ's act was one of the few chosen for a place in the All-College Revue. Virginia Burkolder, Margaret Gillespie, and Kathryn Alquist were members of the trio that was included in the act. Phyllis O'Day was one of the principals in the cast.

Dorothy Damon, president of the chapter, was listed in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Dorothy's extra-curricular activities include Mortar Board and woman-at-large on the Board of Control. Phyllis O'Day and Virginia Burkolder are new members of Φ K Φ, national scholastic honorary. Phyllis is also president of Mortar Board, president of O N, and past president of Orchestra, dance honorary. Virginia Burkolder is president of Eurodelphian, the speech, music, and journalism honorary.

Representatives of II B Φ were found in every field of campus activity this semester. Hope Kimbraugh is *Chinook* managing editor, and department heads of the *Chinook* include Sue Fry, Barbara Jean Clark, and Lucile Ramsey. Three pledges, Myrtle McCargar, Annette Wickersham, and Joyce Ledgerwood, are active reporters on the *Evergreen*, tri-weekly college paper, and another pledge, Bernadine Shore, is a new member of Fish Fans, swimming honorary. Aimee Russell is an initiate of Eurodelphian, president of Fish Fans, and also active in Y.W.C.A. Nancy Freese was admitted to M Φ E, music honorary, and appearing in the last college play "The Trial of Mary Dugan" was Frances Fay Bruning.

The annual Christmas dance was especially clever this year. Dorothy Knudson had charge of decorations and

carried out the Pi Phi Honeymoon theme with words and music silhouetted on the walls as well as silhouettes depicting scenes from the song, and hundreds of balloons attached to the ceiling.

Washington State College is to play host to all A.W.S. presidents of colleges west of the Mississippi in March, and also on the campus there will be a western convention of W.A.A. in April. Several of the fraternities have been redecorated and the Φ K T fraternity has a new house into which the members moved after Christmas.

Graduates of last spring are busy at various duties. Joan Wickersham has a position at the Federal Land Bank in Spokane, Florence McEachern is teaching Home Economics at Reardan High School, Myra Francisco is working for the Social Service Bureau in Spokane, and Barbara Kimbrough, winner of the II B Φ Fellowship last year, is doing graduate work in mathematics at the University of Chicago.

LUCILLE RAMSEY

OREGON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

Chartered, 1915

Pledge Day, September 25, 1937

University of Oregon started activities this fall term with Homecoming. Paul Whiteman played for the annual dance and Betty Riesch was on the committee in charge. The weekend was very successful as the chapter always enjoys welcoming the alumnae. Barbara Pierce and Joanne Riesch were chosen members of Amphibian, women's swimming honorary. Betty Riesch is the new president of that organization. Patricia Brugman was elected president of Kwama, sophomore women's honorary, and was on the committee for the Sophomore Informal. Pat was also pledged to Σ A X, journalistic honorary.

II B Φ entertained at a faculty dinner during the end of the term. Dad's weekend was December 12 and 13 and II B Φ won a cup for having the most Dads present. Elizabeth Turner was one of the chairmen for the weekend. Jacqueline McCord has been chosen to be on the rally committee and Helen Wiedmer was co-chairman of the W.A.A. award party.

The active members gave the pledges a dance. Japanese lanterns of all colors were used with huge dragons hanging from the walls. II B Φ celebrated the house birthday with a formal banquet, each class making up a Pi Phi song. The Eugene alumnae members were also present with their song.

The campus grade list has not yet been published, but fourteen freshmen have made their house grades and are anxiously awaiting initiation.

HELEN WIEDMER

OREGON BETA—OREGON STATE COLLEGE

Chartered, 1917

Oregon B has again freshened its house by redecorating the dining room and hall, and adding a few new pieces of furniture to the living room. In this way the house is kept comparatively new year by year.

In November, the alumnae of Oregon B held a Settlement Tea at the house, and invited those interested. With the help of the girls, the event turned out very successfully, and was enjoyed by all, as the articles for sale were interesting and also invitingly arranged about the living room.

Much to the delight of everyone, the dads surprised the chapter with a new Victor RCA Radio and Phonograph combination. Each father contributed to this much needed piece, and with the help of Marion Pier's father, the radio was finally achieved.

A dance was held November 6 in honor of the pledges. Each pledge's name was printed in gold on an arrow head and placed on the wall; these together with a huge Pi Phi arrow, carved from wood and containing eight white lights to represent the pearls, made the decorations. Autumn leaves and berries added the color. The dance was a complete surprise to the pledges and provided a pleasant evening for everyone.

The annual Christmas party was held December 13. Each girl gives a small gift which is later turned over to the Orphan's Home after an evening of enjoyment and fun.

Betty Sturgeon, one of the outstanding sophomore women, was chosen as a princess at the All School Formal. Mae Calloway brought honor to the house through her work on the Sophomore Cotillion, as she was co-chairman of the very successful formal held December 4. Among the new members of the Rally Committee is Eleanor Eakin. As convention delegate, Betty Jane Holt was selected, because of her outstanding ability as house manager this past term, and her interest in the varied activities in which II B Φ participates.

PLEGGED: Lee Elliott, Oakland, Calif.; Isabel Hill, Pendleton.

ELEANOR EAKIN

MU PROVINCE

CALIFORNIA ALPHA—LELAND STANFORD, JR., UNIVERSITY

Chartered, 1893

Pledge Day, January 15, 1938

Autumn Quarter on the Stanford Campus is usually an extremely busy one, and the sororities and fraternities do not conduct very active social programs. California A chapter, however, did take advantage of the fact that the Big Game of the season against California was played at Stanford, and held a pre-game Open House and buffet luncheon, to which all parents, alumnae, and friends were cordially welcomed. The chapter was hostess to several hundred guests; it was extremely successful, and left visitors with a very favorable impression of the chapter house and its members.

Panhellenic Council sponsored a series of teas to which all freshmen were invited on three successive days; at these teas women from all of the houses acted as hostesses, and were thus given the first formal opportunity for contact with the new women. Later in the quarter, each house was permitted to have three teas for freshman women; the house was decorated very artistically with pine branches and cones, with candle-light the only illumination. These two groups of teas were the only rushing permitted during the Autumn Quarter under the strict Panhellenic rules.

For several years the chapter house has been inadequately heated; at the time when the house was redecorated, a new furnace was installed in the new wing, but the old wing had no central heating system. This fall, a letter was mailed to all alumnae and parents, asking financial aid in procuring an auxiliary heating system. It was installed during the Christmas holidays, and is being paid for both through chapter funds and outside help; the chapter is welcoming it with great enthusiasm.

Several members of the house gained campus recognition in a recent all-university competition for models in a fashion show sponsored by Women's Council: Dorothy Champion, Dorothy Brookman, and Mercy Bryan Tuttle. Peggy Woodard, Chapter President, was recently chosen to become a member of its number graduate at the end of the quarter; Marjorie Osborne and Mimi Howard; in addition, it suffered a loss when Mercy Bryan Tuttle decided not to return for Winter Quarter. Helen Huckins is expected to return from her European trip for registration Spring Quarter.

Autumn Quarter witnessed the inauguration of a new and very strict scholarship program; the chapter has been thrilled to see that it produced remarkable results. The latest grades showed great improvement, and the house average has gone up a number of points.

During the Christmas holidays, Mrs. J. F. D'Aule, President of Mu Province, entertained at luncheon a number of $\Pi B \Phi$ actives from three sister chapters: Stanford, University of Southern California, and University of California at Los Angeles. It was a delightful party, and the girls were happy to have a contact with friends from the California A, Γ , and Δ chapters.

PLEGDED, November 23, 1937: Barbara Bintz, Salt Lake City, Utah. ANNE MARTINEAU

CALIFORNIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Chartered, 1900

Members of California B returning to the campus for the first formal rushing tea on January 15 were eager to see the newly decorated living room, which proved to be most attractive.

Chapter social events have included two open house luncheons, preceding important football games, to which came many out-of-town guests, the annual Christmas party, and a Sunday night supper. California B was honored by an unofficial visit from Mrs. Adele Taylor Alford a few weeks before the end of the semester.

Margaret Ann Russell received recognition for distinguished dramatic ability by being elected to Thalian, dramatics honor society. Frances Chase, who was re-elected president of California B, is a new member of Ace of Clubs, an honorary intersorority organization. Several girls are active in the Y.W.C.A., one member being on the cabinet, and two being among the delegates to a regional conference held during the Christmas vacation.

Many pledges are active in publications, including Rosemary Borge and Patricia Lynch, who received appointments on the *Daily Californian*, and Elizabeth New-

man, Betty Grant, and Jean Porter, who are on the staff of the *Pelican*, campus humor magazine. Jean Porter is also vice-president of the freshman class. There are also several pledges active in planning and programming for Little Theatre. Among the recent productions by that organization are "Johnny Johnson" and "Richard the Third." Margaret Ann Russell had a leading part in the latter play.

The chapter's volleyball team reached the semi-finals of the intramural tournament.

LaVerne Kahn brought honor to $\Pi B \Phi$ by winning second place in a contest to select "The Typical Coed" to represent the University of California at the U.C.L.A. homecoming celebration. FLORENCE BROWN

CALIFORNIA GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Chartered, 1917

Pledge Day, October 2, 1937

INITIATED, November 3, 1937: Annabel Perkins, Margaret Teege, Beverly Hills; Barbara Boething, Glendale; Mary Virginia Fisher, La Habra; Audrey Artus, Donna Lewis, Louise Wigton, Los Angeles, November 15, 1937; Jean Cadien, San Pedro.

One of the most outstanding events at the University of Southern California was the annual Homecoming Week which culminated in a football game between the University of California at Los Angeles and Southern California. An open house was held for all alumnae preceding the game. Donna Lewis, Audrey Van Sant, and Eleanor Riley were active on committees for this important event.

The Mothers' Club gave a benefit bridge party at the house. The Christmas motif was carried out very cleverly in favors and prizes. With the proceeds from the affair the club presented the house with several new gifts including a silver teapot, several pieces of linen, three engraved silver trays, a bamboo furniture set for the porch, and some new china. The mothers also sponsored a library of current books for the house.

The semi-annual dinner for the fathers was held at the house on November 13. During the semester there have been exchange luncheons with the $K A \Theta$, $K A$, ΣX , and $\Phi K \Psi$.

California Γ won a scholarship tray which was presented to the woman's fraternity with the highest average for the year at the university. The Los Angeles City Panhellenic gave a tea at which this trophy was given to the chapter. The Panhellenic formal was held this year at the Beverly Hills hotel.

Christmas vacation extended from December 10 to January 3. During this period the Christmas formal was held at the Victor Hugo with dancing to the orchestra of Ozzie Nelson.

A new plan has been installed at the University for those in campus activities. Beginning in February, 1939, all people holding elective and appointive offices must have a scholarship average of 1.5. The College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences has undergone drastic revisions, which will go into effect next year.

The Advisory Board entertained the new pledges with a barbecue supper. The pledges have been very active on campus. Sally Kirby is president of the Freshman Club of the Y.W.C.A., the only freshman women's organization on campus. Kit Hamby is serving as the secretary of the same club. The president of the Junior Senior Transfer Club is Eleanor Bissell.

Beverly Miller was elected social chairman. A record crowd was present at tea for the new pledges to which the entire campus was invited.

Mickey McClelland, a member of Judicial Court and Amazon, has been elected treasurer of the latter society. The chapter president, Mary Moore, is serving as president of Mortar Board.

Betty Jane Barshfield recently announced her engagement to Jack Strong, K A. The wedding will be an event of early spring. Lois Hill was married to Gordon Clark, K A, in a brilliant ceremony in Pasadena on December 29.

VIRGINIA FLIPPEN

CALIFORNIA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES

Chartered, September 8, 1927

Pledge Day, September 15, 1937

INITIATED: October 2, 1937: Frances Doe, Santa Monica; Kathleen Sheridan, Anaheim; Louise Walker, Fresno; and Mary Weisel, La Habra.

Many hungry children were taken care of during Christ-

mas time by the students of U.C.L.A. It is a traditional event on the campus for every student to bring at least one can of food and add it to the line of cans started on the steps of Royce Hall by executives of the university. The drive was a success in every way, and Pi Beta Phi contributed two large cartons of cans, besides the individual donations. Pi Beta Phi also sent in clothing and toys for the children.

U.C.L.A. has been very fortunate this year in being able to present a concert series which students may attend at reduced prices. Otto Klemperer will conduct the Philharmonic Orchestra for two of the events, and Marion Anderson and John Charles Thomas will each be featured in events. Every year the campus has a more distinguished group of artists for this series.

The Interfraternity Ball was held in the Blue Room of the Biltmore Hotel on January 14 and many Pi Beta Phis and their escorts enjoyed continuous dancing because of the novel arrangement of two orchestras.

Helen Deering and Frances Canavan will be graduated this semester. Helen with the B.E. degree and Frances with a B.A. degree.

Jean Hefflinger, chapter treasurer, was just elected to Phi Beta Kappa, an honor which requires no adjectives of explanation. Mary Sue Howard was chosen President of Agathai, the Senior honorary for women which is similar in structure and honor to Mortar Board at other universities. Jane Bell, chapter historian, was in charge of the Annual Christmas Benefit Dance, a feature which enables certain unfortunate students to continue with their college education. Jane is also on the A.W.S. council and a new member of Chi Delta Phi, scholastic honorary for English majors. Carlotta Stoddart and Jeanne Law were both chosen to Philokalia, an honorary. Virginia Keim was bid to Alpha Chi Alpha, the journalistic honorary; she was also named Assistant Women's Page Editor of the Daily Bruin for the spring semester.

Alice Rankin is very active in the Women's Athletic Association and is on the governing council of that organization. Alice also sponsors the horseback riding group for the university women, and many Pi Phis join her every Thursday afternoon. The pledges have been working in campus activities, and Pat Hartley was chosen to the Freshman Council. Barbara Langer, who is already a member of the University Dramatics Society, was elected to Zeta Phi Eta, dramatics honorary.

New Year's Eve was an important evening in the life of Pat Irvin, who, in the little Westwood chapel, became Mrs. Dave Williams. Mr. Williams is an alumnus of U.C.L.A. and a member of Beta Theta Pi.

California Δ gave its traditional Christmas dinner previous to the holidays, and a very nice poor family was entertained. The children, seated around a blue-lighted silver tree, opened gift after gift which the Pi Phis had carefully chosen and wrapped in attractive paper. The mother of the family was given a warm coat and a check for five dollars. When they left, the mother was given a huge carton of canned food.

The annual "Winter Formal" for California Δ was held at the Victor Hugo Restaurant.

The Mothers' Club presented the chapter with two lovely lace tablecloths. They are planning a benefit early in February to raise funds for several other necessities of the house, and the party will be an informal reading and tea. This same idea was very successful last year.

Bunnie Dolan, rush chairman, reported that rush week would be the first week of school, with only one party a day allowed by Panhellenic. Further changes in rush rules include the sending of a telegram for Friday night preference invitations. This is a grand help in rushing in that it enables the chapter to be absolutely sure of the rushee before she is invited for Friday night.

VIRGINIA KEIM

NEVADA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA

Chartered, 1915

Due to the limited number of new girls registering at the beginning of the spring semester, January 3 and 4, formal rushing was not held.

The Nevada Δ girls were very active in various fields on the campus last semester. The chapter was awarded the silver loving cup for Wolfe's Frolic skit and its swimming team composed of Verna Bullis, Gene Wines, Thelma Eager, Jean Rice, and Barbara McKenzie received the swimming trophy in the Intramural swim meet. Cleone Stewart, sophomore, and Wilma Jones, freshman, gave outstanding performances in the latest campus production, "The Royal Family."

Anne McDonald D'Aule, Mu Province President, was a guest at the chapter house during her visit to this chapter, October 25 and 26. A chapter dinner, preceding the business meeting, was held in her honor.

Members of the Mothers' Club have combined to make

one benevolent mother for all of us. They have made numerous gifts to the house, including several pieces of silverware and two new floor lamps. The chapter is especially grateful to them for their willingness to help at all times.

Before Christmas vacation began, our alumnae gave a cooky-shine for the active chapter at the home of Hilda Herz. After the cooky-shine, a Christmas shower for the chapter house was held, at which numerous useful articles of furniture and kitchen equipment were received from the alumnae.

A Christmas dance was held at the chapter house the Saturday before vacation.

GERTRUDE POLANDER

ARIZONA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Chartered, 1917

The outstanding social event of the fall semester was the annual pledge dance given October 12 by the pledges for the active members of Arizona A. Fall floral decorations were used as the predominating note throughout the chapter house.

Arizona A was very happy to have a visit from Mrs. Ann McDonald D'Aule, Mu Province President.

The traditional Christmas party was given at the chapter house before Christmas vacation. All the toys received at the party were distributed among the children at the Arizona Orphanage Home. Following the party all members and pledges went Christmas caroling.

The Associated Women Students' annual dance was held on the night of January 8. A nautical theme was carried out in blue and white decorations. Eight members of the U.C.L.A. and New Mexico chapters of Phrateres were the honored guests.

A new girl organization on the campus has received a charter of Phrateres and was installed the evening of January 8. Representing Arizona A in Phrateres are Ruth Warner, who is recording secretary of the group, and Dorothy Flynn. The organization is open to town girls, sorority or non-sorority girls. Its object is to act as a service group and to assist the Associated Women Students.

Lota Alice Clapp has been awarded a Women's Athletic Association blanket, which is the highest athletic award possible.

Jeanette Castle and Edith Trumbull were made members of A E, national business fraternity.

Emily Watkins is a member of M A, national archeological honorary.

The chapter is planning a dinner dance to be held in February.

PLEGDED: Ramona Prina, Leonia, N.J.; Virginia Harris, Arlington, Va.

DOROTHY FLYNN

UTAH ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Chartered, 1929

Pledge Day, January 30, 1938

INITIATED, November 12, 1937: Barbara Keating and Betty Jean Neal.

Utah A enjoyed a visit from its Province President, Mrs. Ann McDonald D'Aule, during October.

The University of Utah String Trio, also known as the II B Φ String Trio, is composed of Beverly Brown, Dorothy Cowley, and Ruth Hardy.

Donna Madsen, Ruth Summerhayes, Lorraine Hyde, and Betty Thompson organized a quartette which has received much recognition, winning first place in Homecoming activities. Bertha Barker reigned as queen during Homecoming Week.

A fashion show was given in conjunction with the Annual Auto Show this year. Three girls were selected to model from each sorority. II B Φ models Bertha Barker, Lorraine Hyde, and Dorothy Denton were chosen as the most outstanding and won a prize of \$100 for the sorority.

Utah A entertained at "Donut Dunks" after each football game. Open house was held for everyone.

The Mothers' Club has displayed its interest in the chapter by presenting the house with new draperies, towels, and a carving set.

A Christmas party was given for forty underprivileged children at the chapter house where they were served refreshments and paid a visit by Santa Claus. Games were played and moving pictures shown.

The Christmas formal was held in the Mirror Room of the Newhouse Hotel. Blue and silver decorations were used.

PLEGDED: Jo Anne Critchlow, Cathleen McCarty, Salt Lake City; Ruth Strong, Butte, Mont.

RUTH SIMS

ALUMNAE PERSONALS

ARIZONA ALPHA

Marriages

Mary Roberts Fergusson and Ward L. Funk, on December 10, 1937. At home, 145 Englewood Ave., Brookline, Mass.

Betty Joe Reardon and Otto John Bejcek, on September 11, 1937. At home, Tucson, Ariz.

Eleanor B. Smith and Arthur M. Savage, on March 21, 1937. At home, 4625 Palm Ave., La Mesa, Calif.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rehwaldt (Helen Marie Welch), a son, Charles Arthur, II, on October 16, 1937.

ARKANSAS ALPHA

Marriage

Nancy Yarbrough and William P. Turpin, on December 28, 1937. At home, Washington, D.C.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Trapp (Josephine Baker), a daughter, Judith Ann, on August 29, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore (Jewell Kinard), a son, John Malcolm, Jr., on October 14, 1937.

Verna Bates Wall (Mrs. Harry Wall), has a daughter, Martha Dawson Matthews (Mrs. John Matthews), has a son.

Clara Paisley Doyle (Mrs. W. B. Doyle), has a daughter, Elizabeth Anne, born November 26, 1937, at New York City.

Personal

Marie Scott is teaching in Senior High School at Fort Smith, Ark.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Harwood (Elsie Leslie Chase), a son, Anthony, on March 4, 1937.

To Lieut. and Mrs. Ben Scott Custer (Elizabeth Hawkins), a son, Ben Scott, Jr., on October 12, 1937.

CALIFORNIA BETA

Marriage

Virginia K. Cumming and W. Palmer Lucas, on August 24, 1937. At home, 2517 Pacific Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson (Jane Reynolds), a son, Marshall, in November, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ford Harris (Catherine Evans), a son, Jonathan Evans, in November 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Learned (Betty Klitten), a daughter, Carol Lynn, on December 26, 1937.

CALIFORNIA DELTA

Marriage

Patricia Irvin and Dave Williams, on December 31, 1937.

COLORADO ALPHA

Engagements

Margaret Kunsmiller and Arthur William Brown. Margaret McAllister and Philip E. Gregg, $\Theta \Xi$. Sara Kathryn Walker and George R. Foiseth, $\Sigma \chi$. Betty Belle Ewers and Robert Zimmerman, $B \Theta \Pi$.

Marriages

Elizabeth Jane Fox and Richard Harlan Howlett, $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$, on November 24, 1937. At home, Boulder, Colo.

Alisa Jane Rice and Charles Sheldon, $B \Theta \Pi$, on November 30, 1937. At home, 1711 E. 5th Ave., Denver, Colo.

Helen Rees Confer and F. Craig Johnson, on November 10, 1937. At home, 1142 Humboldt St., Denver, Colo.

Patricia S. Wilcox and Perry F. Gifford, on December 25, 1936. At home, 7355 Holly Court, River Forest, Ill.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stockton Morey (Helen Wolcott), a son, Philip Stockton, Jr., on July 11, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Archie Chisholm (Frances Hodges), a daughter, on July 23, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wendell G. Scott (Ella Johnson), a daughter, Sarah Jane, on August 30, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Bromley (Sara Wendelken), a son, John Carter, on October 5, 1937.

COLORADO BETA

Marriages

Olive Remington and A. O. Des Laurier, on August 23, 1937. At home, 725 Logan St., Denver, Colo.

Ella Jane Fellows and O. P. Settles, on November 25, 1937. At home, 1735 E. 14th Ave., Denver, Colo.

Dorothy Roberts and F. Robert Mizer, $\Sigma \Lambda \Xi$, on December 25, 1937. At home, 2382 Clermont St., Denver, Colo.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow King (Betty Stovall), a son, Jerome Stovall, on December 17, 1937.

Personal

Mrs. W. S. Iliff (Alberta Bloom), Miss Alberta Iliff, Mrs. Lewis H. Mahony (Freda Johnson) and Mrs. Thomas Foote (Willo Roesch) were among those who went from Denver to Hawaii in December, for the University of Denver-University of Hawaii football game.

D.C. ALPHA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Somervell (Margaret A. Borjes), a son, James Alexander, on October 2, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hansen (Ruth Williams), a son, Thomas Alfred, on September 13, 1937.

FLORIDA ALPHA

Marriage

Virginia Einsel and George K. Straus, $\Delta T \Delta$, on August 14, 1937. At home, 1402 Bay Villa Place, Tampa, Fla.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Stingley (Darlie Prather), a son, James Harman, on November 27, 1936.

FLORIDA BETA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Slater Cox (Elizabeth Ferguson), a son, George Ferguson, on November 27, 1936.

Personals

Mrs. C. R. Bennett (Frances A. Shelly) is the manager of the Junior League Thrift Shop, in Miami, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shanahan (Rosaline Wilson), moved from Louisville, Ky., to St. Paul, Minn., and are living at 562 Holly Ave.

IDAHO ALPHA

Marriages

Helen Elizabeth Johnston and Harlow Carpenter Barber, on August 11, 1937. At home, Columbian Court Apts., Vancouver, Wash.

Fern Leighton and William Arms, $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$, on November 6, 1937. At home, 1416 Jefferson St., Boise, Idaho.

Fay Pettijohn and John Spencer, on November 26, 1937. At home, Grangeville, Idaho.

Phyllis Fairbairn and Paul Lafferty, in November, 1937. At home, Weiser, Idaho.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bauer (Ruth Lorene Litton), a daughter, Mary Alice, on April 1, 1936.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Everest (Rachel Nelson), a daughter, Barbara Louise.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. Lyons Smith (Ionemarie Minger), a daughter, Janemarie, on March 23, 1937.

Personal

Kenneth Dean, husband of Margaret Mitchell Dean, is the new Superintendent of schools at Genesee, Idaho.

ILLINOIS ALPHA

Marriages

Frances L. Fleming and Pascal Poe, Jr., on June 21, 1937. At home, Faculty Apts., Gunnison, Colo.

Nadine L. Knights and Lour C. Dodge, on December 30, 1937. At home, Galesburg, Ill.

Margaret Jean Loehr and William C. Hemphill, on December 20, 1937. At home, 939 Helmsdale Rd., Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Personal

Mrs. Isabella S. Legg and daughters, Mary and Isabelle, are spending the winter in California.

ILLINOIS BETA

Personal

Sincere sympathy is extended to Dorothy Pulse, in the death of her mother, Mrs. Joseph S. Pulse, on December 15, 1937.

ILLINOIS DELTA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Bruninga (Naola Sulzberger), a daughter, Karen Ann, on June 4, 1936.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McNamera (Margaret Barry), a son, Brooks Barry, on February 1, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold White (Marie Holly), a daughter, Jean Marie, on September 20, 1937.

ILLINOIS EPSILON

Marriage

Mary Anne Mead and Porte Voorhees Wheeler, on June 11, 1937. At home 113 Margaret St., Peoria, Ill.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jury (Willi Minchin), a son, Michael Minchin, on November 16, 1936.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dwight G. Koenig (Mallory Griffith), a son, Donald Morrison, on October 21, 1937.

Personal

Mary Alice Cochran spent six months traveling abroad, in 1937.

ILLINOIS ZETA

Marriages

Barbara Ann Miller and Chilton O'Brien, on October 16, 1937. At home, Beaumont, Tex.

Mary Kile and Henry Keifer Brock, on September 1, 1937. At home, 1965 Carroll Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Redshaw (Barbara Smith), a son, Stephen Allyn, on November 29, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gobble (Ruth Gillan), a daughter, Lurleen Ruth, on July 16, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Mangel (Dorothy Farrar), a son, on October 19, 1937.

Personal

Virginia Rugh is teaching in the high school at Fort Morgan, Colo.

ILLINOIS ETA

Marriage

Helen Ruth Chodat and Frederick S. Schudel, on November 6, 1937. At home, Lake Grove Club, Decatur, Ill.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harper Long (Aileen Omer), a son, Walter Omer, on November 28, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Norman P. Rickards (Alicenow Binney), a daughter, Joyce Elizabeth, on December 30, 1937.

Personals

Miss Jessie Lockett has returned from New York, having spent the holidays with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Long (Aileen Omer), live at 616 W. Sunset Canyon Drive, Burbank, Calif.

Mrs. Delbert Harris (Katharine Kline), and Mrs.

Lionel Jefferson (Ellen Kline), recently visited their parents in LeRoy, Ill.

INDIANA BETA

Marriage

Margaret Linhart and Marshall K. Crawford, on November 13, 1936. At home, 236 Massachusetts Ave., No. E., Apt. 604, Washington, D.C.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Neal Sheldon (Ruth Henry), a son, Geoffrey, on May 22, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Taylor (Marjorie Okes) a daughter, Carolyn Rose, on February 12, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ebner (Virginia Ray), a daughter, Barbara, on July 29, 1937.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Leon W. Wilder (Betty Mead) have purchased Trailer Park on the Allegheny River in the Allegheny National Forest.

INDIANA GAMMA

Personal

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. E. E. Temperley (Madge Eppert), and Betty Jane Temperley, in the death of husband and father.

INDIANA DELTA

Marriage

Virginia Ruth Busard and Ralph D. Webb, Jr., on September 12, 1937. At home, 1720 W. 5th Ave., Gary, Ind.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Aseltine, Jr. (Lois M. Hall), a son, Robert Hall, on April 25, 1936.

Personal

Alice Kennard Cheadle (Mrs. R. B.), visited the Settlement School this fall and reported a lovely experience in seeing the school in session.

IOWA ALPHA

Marriages

Virginia Holland, '36, to Justin Bradbury, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, December 30, 1937. At home after June 1 in Oakland City, Ind.

Mary Conover, '36, to Ronald Bennett, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, May, 1937, at Crown Point, Ind. At home in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Helen Hunt, '36, to Grover Schneckloth, $A \Sigma \Phi$, November 27, 1937. At home in Wolcott, Iowa.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Hillman (Virginia Lowry), a daughter, Jacquelyn Kay, on November 4, 1937.

Personals

Miss Helen Holland is teaching commercial subjects and Speech in the High School at Jacksonville, Ill.

Misses Lydia and Dorothy Dyall have returned from a summer, touring Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Randall (Elizabeth Wright), have recently moved into their new home at 1119 N. Jackson, in Glendale, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Melcher (Miriam Young) have moved from Council Bluffs, Iowa to 409 State St., Marshalltown, Iowa.

IOWA BETA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Roger Keck (Frances Williams), a son, William Dwight, on November 13, 1937.

IOWA GAMMA

Marriages

Mary Lillian Stewart and Dr. Paul M. Gray, on August 15, 1937. At home, 203 W. Magnolia, San Antonio, Tex.

Louise Pattengil and Blaine Stuhlsatz, on November 13, 1937. At home, 487 Duane Ave., Glen Ellyn, Ill.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Mattern (Florence L. Scheman), a son, David, on March 31, 1937.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Schoenbaum (Ruth Tatroe), have moved from Oakland Court Apts. to 515 Huntington St., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Norman, and son, Norman, have moved from Salt Lake City, Utah, to 5025 No. E. Flanders St., Portland, Ore. Mr. Norman works for the Creamery Package Manufacturing Co., and is now in their Portland Branch office.

IOWA ZETA

Marriages

Esther Kraushaar and Don A. Liercke, on April 24, 1937. At home, Moffitt Apts., Iowa City, Iowa.
Emma Lou Smith and James Hill, on September 4, 1937. At home, 412 N. Dubuque St., Iowa City, Iowa.
Kathryn Welch and Ernest Petersen, on December 18, 1937. At home, Omaha, Neb.
Eleanor J. Remley and Charles L. Temple, on October 16, 1937. At home, 7518½ N. Hoyne, Chicago, Ill.
Patricia McClure and William F. Cliff, Δ T Δ, on June 18, 1936. At home, 1035 Dean St., Schenectady, N.Y.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Parsons (Mabel H. Stromsten), a daughter, Patricia Ann, on December 28, 1936.

Personals

Grace Donovan is working with a concern that writes script for Radio, in New York City. Her address is 535 Riverside Drive, New York, N.Y.
Eleanor Kraushaar is now with Family Service Dept. of Associated Charities, in Cleveland, Ohio.
Mrs. Ralph Barnes (Mary Goodykoontz), is teaching Home Economics at the University of Iowa.
Mr. and Mrs. Clay Harshbarger are living in New York City this winter. Mr. Harshbarger has a Rockefeller fellowship with Columbia Broadcasting Co. this semester.
Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Minnie Ely Farr, and Mrs. Mary Ely Gillette, in the death of their mother, Mrs. Julia Ely, on June 18, 1937.

KANSAS ALPHA

Marriages

Jane Ballew Price and John C. Byram, on December 12, 1936. At home, 608 Kearney, Atchison, Kan.
Louise Ingle and Homer Hofflander, on April 25, 1937. At home, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Julius V. Murray (Mary Stewart Hall), a son, Robert Hall, on November 12, 1936.

KANSAS BETA

Marriage

Ruth Siefkin and Francis Leonard Bacon, on December 18, 1937. At home, 1225 Gregory Ave., Wilmette, Ill.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Horn (Lucille Dunn), a daughter, Sally Lucille, on October 25, 1937.

KENTUCKY ALPHA

Marriages

Elizabeth Borries and Milton Oldham, on October 30, 1937. At home, 1141 Everett Ave., Louisville, Ky.
Carolyn Straeffer and Frank Harwood, on December 4, 1937. At home, 2013 Grasmere Ave., Louisville, Ky.
Jane Wyman and Leigh Pruess, on November 10, 1937. At home, 2230 Bonnycastle Ave., Louisville, Ky.

Personals

Dr. and Mrs. Alex Forrester (Juliette Chase) are living at 101 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn, N.Y. Dr. Forrester is studying at the Brooklyn Eye, Ear, Nose, & Throat Hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilder, Jr. (Dulcina Straeffer) have built a new home at 200 Fendley Ave., Louisville, Ky.

LOUISIANA ALPHA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Gary Barkley (Gladys Hopkins), a daughter, in November, 1937.

Personal

Sincere sympathy is extended to Gladys Hopkins Barkley (Mrs. Gary), Miriam Hopkins Huger (Mrs. Killian), and Corrine Hopkins Scoggin (Mrs. Wm.), in the death of their father, Guy Hopkins, formerly Vice President of Southern Pacific Railway.

MAINE ALPHA

To Flora Stone Sylvester, Maine A '35, we extend our deepest sympathy in the death of her husband, Mervale Sylvester, December 28.

MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA

Marriage

Eleanor M. Chaney and John B. Rathbun, on July 31, 1937. At home, Berlin St., R.F.D., Southington, Conn.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Carrall M. Worthington (Marjorie Dickinson), a son, Peter, on June 25, 1937.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Pierce (Martha Chapman), are now living at 809 S. Dixie Way, Apt. 8, West Palm Beach, Fla.

MICHIGAN ALPHA

Marriages

Alice Anthony and Vytold A. Baselle, At home, 2916 Lakeview Ave., St. Petersburg, Fla.
Marian Frank and Edmund Scudder Jamieson, on May 22, 1937. At home, Howe, Ind.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stephens (Mary Chappell), a daughter, Joanne, on August 18, 1937.
To Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wyandt (Harriet Christy Smith), a daughter, Noel Janet, on December 15, 1937.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Stebbins (Anna Burgoyne) were in an auto accident in the summer of 1937. Mrs. Stebbins is a charter member of Michigan A.

MICHIGAN BETA

Marriage

Elaine Hogenson and Alvin William Filstrup, Jr., on November 24, 1937. At home, 701 Pipestone Rd., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. McConnell (Gertrude Gulick), a daughter, Marjorie, on July 10, 1936.

MINNESOTA ALPHA

Engagement

Elizabeth Huey and Lee Sargent McGonagle.

Marriages

Ruth Helen Bachman and Wallace E. Petri, on August 21, 1937. At home, 5 E. 14th, Fond du Lac, Wis.
Elizabeth Mead Collins and John Tennant Adams, Φ K Ψ, on July 10, 1937. At home, 1732 E. 4th St., Duluth, Minn.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. William O. McMillan (Corinne Whitely), twins, a son, William Whitely and a daughter, Bonnie Jean, on September 1, 1937.
To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Flamer (Mildred Browning), a son, George Browning.
To Mr. and Mrs. J. Clough Fredenfeld (Rosalyn Smith), a daughter, Karen, on July 23, 1936.

MISSOURI ALPHA

Engagements

Julie Lee Bradford and William Edward Maurer, Σ X.
Dorothy Davis and Arthur G. Randall.
Frankie Ricksecker and George Longdon Atkeson, B Θ II.
Mary Louise Theis and Robert Barney Elliott, Jr.

Marriages

Dorothy Field Sylvester and George Coe Hine, Δ T Δ, on November 6, 1937.
Harriet Virginia Hale and Kenneth Bell Foreman, Δ X, on December 19, 1937.

Births

To Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Mullin (Alma Gray Hill), a son, Michael, on November 16, 1937.
To Lieut. and Mrs. Ralph P. Swofford, Jr. (Martha Anne Martin), a son, Frank Wood, on April 27, 1937.

Personals

Sincere sympathy is extended to Louise and Sally Lacy in the death of their father, B. R. D. Lacy.

Marjorie Hall has opened a studio of dancing and dramatics in Long Beach, Calif.

MISSOURI BETA

Personal

Frances Buss is Assistant to Stylist in the Stix Baer and Fuller Dry Goods Co., St. Louis, Mo.

MISSOURI GAMMA

Marriages

Margaret L. Jarrett and Jay W. Wright, K A, on April 4, 1936. At home, 710 Grand, Carthage, Mo.

Ylene Carter and Lauren Eugene McMillen, II K A, on July 23, 1937. At home, 1514½ 23rd St., Sacramento, Calif.

NEBRASKA BETA

Marriage

Margaret Unthank and A. W. Kendall, on June 1, 1937. At home, 1106 Taylor Ave., Norfolk, Neb.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniels (Adele Davis), have moved from Council Bluffs, Iowa to Hobbs, N.M.

NEVADA ALPHA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. C. A. States (Dorothy Cooper), a daughter, Joyce Ann, on May 6, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frost (Ethel Lunsford), a daughter, Harriet Joanna, on July 19, 1937.

Personals

Harriet Rhodes has accepted the position of registrar at the University of Nevada.

Rena Semenza spent a prolonged summer vacation in Honolulu. Evelyn Semenza accompanied her to the Islands. Grace Semenza recently has been put in charge of the Child Welfare and Old Age Pension Social Service Work in Las Vegas, Nevada.

NEW YORK ALPHA

Marriage

Dorothy McLean and Charles M. Swarts, on June 28, 1937. At home, 132 N. Jefferson St., Pulaski, N.Y.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beattie (Ellen Stradling), a son, David, on September 25, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kittle (Agnes Warner), a daughter, Katherine Adele, on October 20, 1937, on Mr. and Mrs. Kittle's fifth wedding anniversary.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Laidlaw (Aletha Hutchinson), a daughter, Tamsen Jane, on November 2, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wells (Jean Cooney), a son, on December 9, 1937.

Personals

Mrs. Marcus Womer (Naomi Ellis) and her family are spending the winter in Clearwater Beach, Fla.

Dorothy Grant is doing advertising research work for the *Time* magazine in New York City.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Walter A. Snow (Mildred Wicke), and Margaret Snow, in the death of their husband and brother, in November, 1937.

NEW YORK BETA

Personals

Sincere sympathy is extended to Annie Van Buskirk and Lillian Waring McElvare, in the death of their mothers.

Eleanor Murtha Pocock and daughter, Ruth are spending the winter at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Sophie Woodman is the treasurer of the Panhellenic House Assn., the corporation which owns and operates the Panhellenic-Beekman Tower.

NEW YORK GAMMA

Marriages

Frances Donahue and Carl E. Disbrow, August 25, 1937. At home, Oneonta, N.Y.

Jean Woodcock and Gerald Lyng, at Rome, N.Y., November 25, 1937.

Beatrice Brotherton and Mavnard H. Smith, September 3, 1937. At home, 818 Estudillo Ave., San Leandra, Calif.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Katzenburg (Margaret Stewart), a daughter, Sue, on April 27, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kraus (Ruth Claxton), a daughter, Barbara, on July 18, 1937.

Personals

Violet VanHouten spent part of last summer in Europe. Ruth Slater, Mary Perlee's daughter is a freshman at St. Lawrence.

Margaret Bancroft Griffin's twins, Dorothy and Louise, who are seniors at St. Lawrence, have been awarded hockey blazers for three years' outstanding work in field hockey.

Margaret Griffin is the new corresponding secretary of the New York Alumnae Club.

Sympathy is extended to Mina Getman Jones in the sudden death of her husband, to Helen and Grace Hazen (Mrs. A. Ruark) on the loss of their father, to Rosina and Marion Delmage (Mrs. J. E. Galloway) on the loss of their father, to Lois and Edith Stephens (Mrs. A. White) on the loss of their mother.

NEW YORK DELTA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Ledger Wood (Elinor Jennings), a daughter, Suzanne Elinor, on December 19, 1937.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA

Marriages

Mary Virginia Smith and Hart E. Van Riper, K Σ, on October 14, 1937. At home, 1 Langdon St., Madison, Wis.

Raemon B. Wilson and Hardin Craig, Jr., on June 11, 1937. At home, 211 S. El Molino Ave., Pasadena, Calif.

NORTH CAROLINA BETA

Marriage

Ruth Forlines and John C. Dailey, on June 29, 1937. At home, 2604 Englewood, Durham, N.C.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Olsen (Mary Sullivan), a daughter, on October 7, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Axel Bergquist (Winifred M. Mulloy), a son, Carl Wicktor, II, on May 16, 1937.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Axel Bergquist (Winifred M. Mulloy), with their seventeen months old daughter, Patricia Ann, and their seven months old son Carl, are now residing at 6754 Maple Ave., Mariemont Station, Cincinnati, Ohio.

NOVA SCOTIA ALPHA

Marriages

Constance Jost and Verne Reade, on May 1, 1937.

Hilda Proctor and George Brister, on May 3, 1937.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon White (Maureen Crichton), and young son, Gordon, have moved to Hillsboro, New Brunswick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brister (Hilda Proctor), are spending the coming year in Albany, N.Y.

Miss Mary Harris, of St. Catharines, Ontario, and formerly of Halifax, was the recent guest of Miss Mary Foley, and was welcomed back at the first Alumnae Club meeting.

OHIO ALPHA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Rogers (Susan Clarke Porterfield), a daughter, Cornelia Curtis, on October 25, 1937.

Personal

Mrs. Nelson Risher (Maxine Carter), is Court Reporter for Court of Appeals.

OHIO BETA

Marriage

Freda Postle and Melvin C. Koch, on November 27, 1937.

OHIO DELTA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Carter (Winifred J. Peck), a daughter, Barbara, on November 3, 1937.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA

Engagement

Sarah Billups and Dr. Coley.

Marriage

Polly Anna McBride and Dr. William K. Ishmael on June 1, 1937.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thomas (Nell Ezell), a daughter, Mary Gail, on November 17, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Bradley (Eleanor Jordan), a son, Howard Eugene, on December 3, 1936.

To Mr. and Mrs. Evert P. Rhea (Jewell J. Franklin), a son, Wirt Presley, on January 15, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott (Helen Morton), a daughter, Sharon on April 11, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lee B. Thompson (Elaine Bizzell), a daughter, Carolyn Elaine on February 14, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stewart (Emily McAlister), a daughter, Sharon on January 8, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. George D. Carlock (Susan McWilliams), a daughter, Nancy Sue, on November 13, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Jones (Mary E. Stanton), a son, Carl Stanton, on December 8, 1937.

Personal

Sincere sympathy is extended to Peggy Cochran and to Elizabeth Shores Cochran in the death of their brother, Leon on November 28, 1937.

OKLAHOMA BETA

Marriages

Maxine H. Kiester and Don A. Duell on July 29, 1937.
Janet Rowland and J. T. Decker on January 23, 1937.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Broyles (Evelyn Long), a daughter, Becky Lou, on July 21, 1937.

ONTARIO ALPHA

Engagement

Mary Trainor and Howard Gordon Outerbridge of Somerset, Bermuda.

Marriages

On October 9, 1937, Elizabeth Watts to Kenneth Harris.
On October 22, 1937, Charity Smith to W. Ewart Bannerman.

On November 1, 1937, Virginia Smith to Thomas Balins Evans. At home, 1108 Mountain St., Montreal.

On November 6, 1937, Jean Lovering to Walter L. Emerson. At home, 201 E. Delaware Place, Chicago.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. MacKenzie, November 25, 1937, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pinchin, Midland, Ont., September 15, 1937, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. James N. Swinden on October 20, 1937, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Strong (Mary Fidler), a son, on September 3, 1937.

OREGON ALPHA

Marriages

Evelyn Foster and Dr. John Almack, on September 14, 1937. At home, Palo Alto, Calif.

Marjory Schaefer and Laurence Kirchoff, on August 9, 1937. At home, Wilder Apts., Eugene, Ore.

Thelma Irene Kem and Roy Mahrt, on September 11, 1937. At home, Mill Valley, Calif.

Greta Kirkpatrick and John B. Taylor on April 4, 1937. At home, 1430 S.E. 14th Ave., Portland, Ore.

Catherine Cummings and Glen Kantoek on June 12, 1937.

Mildred Shields and Grant T. Anderson on June 19, 1937. At home, 2730 S.E. Main St., Portland, Ore.

Marytine New and Lloyd G. Abrams on June 27, 1937. At home, 3323 N.E. 12th Ave., Portland, Ore.

Patricia Campbell and Scott Waters in September, 1937. Barbara Weston and Robert S. Miller, on November 6, 1937.

Marjory Linebaugh and William McCall, on December 19, 1937.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hosken (Nancy Weston), a daughter, Sally, on May 19, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gordon Eccles (Ruth Rippey), a son, Homer, Jr., on October 10, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Connolly, Jr. (Helen C. Shive), a son, William Shive, on April 23, 1937.

To Dr. and Mrs. Bruce L. Titus (Beatrice Milligan), a son, John Roger, on May 4, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Tuft (Lou Ann Chase), a son, Stewart, Jr., on May 15, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Palmer (Francis Drake), a daughter, Patricia, on June 14, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wood (Dorothy Ann Warnick), a daughter, Janet.

To Mr. and Mrs. Basil T. Williams (Mary Ellen Ray), a son, Thomas Ray, on September 26, 1937.

OREGON BETA

Engagement

Mary Woodcock and Woodrow Joslin, Σ N.

Marriages

Jean Dutton and Joel Hughes Carver on July 27, 1937. Janet Millard and Charles Buxton, Θ X, on September 12, 1937.

Alice Reed and Spencer T. Moore, $K \Delta P$, on September 26. At home, Waldport, Ore.

Charlotte Hall and William Leer, $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$, in May, 1937. At home, 655 N.E. Crandall, Portland, Ore.

Helen Ramsden and Howard W. Stevens on May 22, 1937. At home, 1806 Monterey Rd., South Pasadena, Calif.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Hal Moe (Estora Ricks), a son, Harold David, on November 16, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Knutzen (Betty Robley), a daughter in June, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Horace Narver (Enid Stidd), a daughter, in May, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Porter (Betty Browning), a daughter, in July, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson (Emmajane Stephens), a daughter, in December, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Adams (Adeline Evans), a daughter, Sara Rae, on February 15, 1937.

Personal

Freida Linder has been elected secretary of the Portland Oregon State Club.

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA

Marriage

Katherine Dunning Hibbert and Joseph Dixon Andrews, Jr., on June 23, 1937. At home, 671 Lincoln Ave., Orange, N.J.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA

Marriage

Lois Virginia Kurtz and Edward F. Wittmer, $\Lambda \chi \Lambda$, on September 6, 1937. At home, 1040 Nelson Ave., Apt. 23F, Bronx, N.Y.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. C. Charles Haines (Doris M. Henion), a son, Clifford Charles, Jr., on November 23, 1937.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA

Marriage

Priscilla McConnell and Harry E. Hinebauch, $\Phi \kappa \Sigma$, on December 22, 1937. In the wedding party were Miss Emma Shawfield, Miss Christina Meredith, and Miss Ruth Shawfield. The Hinebauchs will reside in Johnstown, Pa.

SOUTH DAKOTA ALPHA

Marriage

Isobel Helen Heagness and Ralph Leon Voven on August 2, 1937. At home, 310 E. Arrow Blvd., Fontana, Calif.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gunderson (Ethyl Lyckholm), a daughter, Karla Ann, on August 24, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson (Evelyn Ender- sen), a son, Walter Guy, in September, 1937.

TENNESSEE ALPHA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Starke (Harriette L. Noel), a daughter, Mae Noel, on December 15, 1936.

TEXAS ALPHA

Engagements

Betty McDavid and Claude L. Witherspoon, Σ N.
Hattie Bess Wallace and Harry Park.
Zetta Mitchell and Hubert Laney.

Marriage

Mary Tucker and Ewell Muse, Jr., on November 2, 1937.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnston (Annie Pearl Wiggins), a son, Fred, Jr.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gail Goodloe (Elizabeth Dinwiddie), a son, Gail, Jr., on November 10, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arch Richards (Dorothy Sturgis), a daughter, Suzanne, on March 18, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Seewald (Mary Edson) a daughter, Mary Margaret, on February 26, 1937.

TEXAS BETA

Marriage

Ann Pittman and Dr. Jo. Woolsey Howze on November 13, 1937. At home, Pampa, Tex.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. E. Gardner Cole (Lola King), a daughter, Carol Sue, on June 1, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rehwaldt (Helen Marie Welch), a son, Charles Arthur, II, on October 16, 1937.

UTAH ALPHA

Engagement

Frances Louise Purton and Jack R. Day, Σ N.

Marriages

Catherine Ritchie and Colin F. Miller, on October 4, 1937. At home, Peithshie, Scotland.

Mary Watson Shields and William Miller McPhee, on December 27, 1937. At home, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Louise Emily Thompson and Warren Greenwood Kimball, on January 1, 1938. At home, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Dweall (Helen Townsend), a daughter, Virginia, on September 19, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Creer (Sara Moyle), a daughter, Sara Jane, on May 6, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Ingebretsen (Mary Elizabeth Bergstrom), a daughter, Mary Lyn, on September 28, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jay Eldredge (Marjorie Ormsby Hyde), a son, Walter Jay, on October 9, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Green (Elizabeth Gibbs), a daughter, Patricia Ann, on October 19, 1937.

Personals

Miss Katherine Meagher finished her LL.B. at Stanford and passed the California bar. She is now residing in Salt Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Maximilian Dean (Rebecca Nibley Whitney), have moved to Ketchum, Idaho, where Mr. Dean will be manager of the Challenger Inn.

VERMONT BETA

Engagements

Gwennyth Jones and Robert Aiken.
Carolyn Cook and John Finch.

Marriages

Mary Bennett and Kenneth Scott, on August 9, 1937.
Ann McLaughlin and James Gaynor. At home, Locust Ave., Setauket, N.Y.

Personal

Ruth Shattuck Wright is Reference Assistant in the Yonkers Public Library, Yonkers, N.Y.

VIRGINIA ALPHA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. John B. Taylor (Nancy K. Snyder), a son, John, Jr., on January 12, 1937.

VIRGINIA GAMMA

Marriage

Betty Bartel and I. L. Porter on June 25, 1937. At home, Jefferson Apts 23, Richmond, Ind.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gaines (Ann Trent), a son, Richard, in February, 1936.

WASHINGTON ALPHA

Marriages

Ruth MacKay and Lieut. James Gardner Frazer, Σ A E, on September 14, 1937. At home, Parris Island, S.C.
Florence Parr and James E. Linston, on December 26, 1937. At home, Wenatchee, Wash.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. David R. Young (Vivian Merrill), a son, David Ross, on November 19, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Warren Walker (Margaret Daly), a son, John, on November 7, 1937.

Personals

Mrs. Walter Wand (Ann Lamping), returned December 1 from a four months' trip to the Orient. Molly Wand, who accompanied her mother, returned earlier to register for the fall quarter at the University of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Paddock (Hazel Wallace), left December 26, for a motor trip through California, Mexico, and Texas.

Marion Bergren is spending the year in New York City. Betty Boone returned to New York in September, after eighteen months of travel and study in Europe. She was awarded a scholarship to the University of New York and is continuing her study of foreign languages there.

Marjorie Wood spent part of November visiting friends in Seattle. She had just returned from a year's travel on the Continent, and is now at her home in Billings, Mont.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Jubitz (Ruth Berry), of Portland, spent the holidays with Mrs. Jubitz' mother, Mrs. A. M. Berry.

Patricia Fiset is taking post-graduate work at Simmons College, Boston, Mass. Her parents Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Fiset, of Seattle, spent the holidays with her.

Mary Frances Hartson, winner of the national Amy B. Onven Award in 1936 spent the holidays with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Clinton Hartson. She was awarded a scholarship by the University of Washington upon her graduation, and is now working for her Master's Degree in Psychology at Mills College, Oakland, Calif.

Marion Harper is working for her Doctor's Degree in Sociology at the University of Chicago.

Helen and Phyllis Venon returned in September from a six weeks' trip to Honolulu.

Margaret and Mary Frances Hartson accompanied their parents on an extended trip to Hawaii last summer.

Mary Weber has accepted a position with the Oregon State Welfare League, at Portland, Ore.

Jean Douglas, whose success with the Penthouse Players of the University of Washington was outstanding, is continuing her study of dramatics in New York City.

Helen Lidstone is teaching in a private school in Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stoddard (Margorie Schuett), and daughter, Virginia, spent the holidays at Palm Springs, Calif.

Helen Pierce is teaching at Bainbridge High School, Bainbridge Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Lee (Katherine Shank), spent three weeks in December at Carmel-by-the-Sea, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chastain (Thelma Harold), and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovering (Pearl Harold), spent the holidays in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Schmitz, Jr. (Margaret Duncan), have recently moved to Seattle from Shelton, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Gallagher (Miriam Youell), moved to their beautiful new home in Washington Park, December 1. Mrs. Gallagher spent two months in the Orient this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Case (Beth Wilbur), and two young daughters spent the holidays in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eckmann (Dorothy Jones) went to Honolulu to attend the University of Washington-University of Hawaii football game New Years Day. Mr. Eckmann is director of athletics at the University of Washington.

Mary Elizabeth Starr spent the summer in Norway and Sweden studying weaving and textiles. She is a member of the faculty at the University of Washington.

WASHINGTON BETA

Marriage

Jeanne Beatty and Lamar N. Ostrander, Φ Δ Θ , on June 19, 1937. At home, 471 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Williams (Florence Steffensen), a daughter, Patricia Joan, on September 6, 1937.

To Mr. and Mrs. D. G. O'Shea (Marjorie Freakes), a son, Michael John, on July 29, 1937.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark (Dorothy Dean Manasse), a son, Donald Bruce, on June 16, 1936.

WISCONSIN ALPHA

Marriages

Margaret Smith and Dr. Harold W. Epling, on April 9, 1937. At home, 17 Elm St., Pittsfield, N.H.

Mary Carolyn Palmer and Charles Edward Coleman, on September 8, 1937. At home, 827 N. 47th, Omaha, Neb.

Charlotte Conway and Walter G. Glascoff, Jr., Δ K E, on October 23, 1937. At home, 2114 N. Summit Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Wigdale (Helen Echols), a son, Thomas Echols, on September 21, 1936.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Fonseca (Esther Haven), a daughter, Olive Antonia, on May 31, 1937.

Personals

Mrs. Lillie Gould (Lillie Tredwell) is Garment Designer Instructor, at the American Academy of Art, in Chicago, Ill.

Helen Echols Wigdale is gaining recognition for her portraits of children. Besides her painting, she is active in the Milwaukee Junior League.

WISCONSIN BETA

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Glenn O. Vandavere (Betty Atkinson), a son, David James, on April 9, 1937.

WYOMING ALPHA

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Owen (Nancy Burrage), have moved from Denver, Colo. and now live at 1016 E. Los Olas St., Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Boddy (Betty Miller), are now living at 615 N. Dubuque St., Iowa City, Iowa.

Miss Margaret Thomas, instructor in English at Colorado State College, is living at 425 S. College Ave., Ft. Collins, Colo.

Miss Marion Holliday is employed by the State Board of Equalization in Cheyenne, Wyo.

Maude Doyle is the Secretary to Director of School of the Theatre, Pasadena Playhouse School of the Theatre. She was awarded the scholarship at Pasadena Playhouse School of the Theatre.



FOUNDERS' DAY

Twelve maidens lit the candles bright,
In Monmouth town so long ago,
That were to be our beacon light
While our Pi Beta Phi did grow.

In darker hues these candles glow
For those who tarry with us here,
Alas, but two are in this row,
Our love for them is very dear.

For those who passed across the glade
Beyond the starry realms of night,
Are candles of a lighter shade.
For them glow bright, O candle light!

Will someone light a candle gay
In friendship's heart, a keepsake true,
When we have gone that starry way?
For we have loved our wine and blue.

FLORENCE PUTNAM CASS, *former
Grand Secretary and first cataloguer
of Pi Beta Phi*

This poem was used to accompany the candle lighting ceremony by the Northern New Jersey Alumnae Club at their banquet in New York City two years ago.

IN MEMORIAM

MARY L. BALLOU, initiated September 29, 1882 into Illinois Beta.

RUTH WASHBURN EDDY (Mrs. E. B.), initiated October 3, 1925 into Ohio Delta.

MARGARET WHEELER RICE HAGUE (Mrs. Cuthbert), initiated February 19, 1929 into Minnesota A, died September 16, 1937.

KATHERINE BRAMKAMP HAYS (Mrs. Robert), initiated April 19, 1924 into Oregon B, died February 18, 1936.

MADGE RACHEL RICHARDSON HEALD (Mrs. Percy), initiated October 19, 1906 into Vermont A, died in November 1937.

MAY B. KELLY LEE (Mrs. Leonard Burton), initiated October 25, 1895 into Illinois E, died June 1, 1937.

ELVA PLANK, initiated October 1881, into Iowa E.

GLADYS MERRILL READ (Mrs. Roland R.), initiated March 20, 1926 into Vermont B.

ELLA JANE REANEY, initiated as a charter member, May 28, 1904 into New York B, died in June 1937.

ELIZABETH CLAY ROBISON (Mrs. Walter), initiated October 14, 1905 into Missouri A, died October 30, 1937.

MARGARET THOMPSON, initiated October 15, 1926 into Indiana Γ, died in October 1937.





ALUMNAE CLUB LETTERS

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LOTTA JOHNSON WEIR

ALPHA PROVINCE

ALBANY CLUB

The Albany Club started the year with a business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Henry Stoneman. This was an evening meeting and we decided to alternate from afternoon to evening meetings throughout the year. Mrs. Laurence Olmstead was our hostess for the November meeting at a delightful tea, the chief feature of which was a display of Settlement School products. A number of these were sold and later one of our members gave a tea at her home where further sales were made. As a result there was around \$20 worth of Settlement School products sold in addition to those sold to our members. Mrs. John DeGraff (Audrey Brown), our novelist member, will be hostess for a dessert bridge in January.

Our club is small, with a membership of only eighteen members, but we are very much alive and hope for new members before the year is over.

LOU SKINNER MOORE

BOSTON CLUB

The Boston Club had two very delightful meetings in the fall of 1937. Following the usual custom, the first meeting was a cooky-shine. Mrs. F. W. Stock opened her lovely home in Wellesley Hills, and about 30 members gathered to enjoy the much-loved Pi Phi tradition—the informality and congeniality of a cooky-shine. Mildred Hood, retiring Alpha Province-East president, gave an interesting talk on her work as president.

On December 4, the club had Settlement School day. Mildred Benson, a recent visitor to Gatlinburg, told of her impressions as a Pi Phi visiting a net project and also of the effect the school and its work has on outsiders traveling through the Smoky Mountain region. After the meeting there was a sale of Settlement School articles. The South Suburban group acted as hostesses at the Christmas tea that brought to a close a very enjoyable afternoon and a happy 1937.

DOROTHY E. HEY

BUFFALO CLUB

The Buffalo Club started regular monthly meetings in September, with Ruth Miller as president. At the October meeting two New York Delta actives, Helen Rogers and Jean White, talked briefly about their new house and rushing plans. Letters about the Endowment Fund drive have been sent by Ella Donnocker to fifty-eight alumnae in the Buffalo area not associated with clubs, and there has been some response.

Our most profitable idea so far this year has been sponsoring two movie performances of "Stella Dallas." The Club also receives a commission from a jeweler for purchases made by members and from an art and book store.

A very successful Christmas party with husbands present began with dinner at the Park Club and continued at the home of Alice Savase. We are looking forward to a visit from Mary Scott.

ALICE K. BUSCH

BURLINGTON CLUB

The Burlington Alumnae Club fall activities have included two meetings, a rummage sale, the Settlement School sale and tea, and a Christmas party with the actives.

At the September meeting Joyce Stearns, a member of

the active chapter spoke to the club on her trip abroad and at the October meeting the Club entertained the actives at a covered dish supper.

The rummage sale held in October was very successful as was the Settlement School sale in November. The latter included a table for the sale of the products made at the school, a food table, and one of Stoweware and winter bouquets.

For the December meeting the alumnae club was entertained by the actives at a Christmas party with their tree, games, stunts and refreshments.

DORIS S. WEBSTER

HARTFORD CLUB

The Hartford Alumnae Club started off the year in September with a dinner meeting at the home of Mrs. Joseph Motycka. Attractive new programs were given out, the gift of Mrs. Willard Campbell.

The October and November meetings were held at the homes of Mrs. George Wulp and Mrs. Willard Campbell respectively. These were both dessert meetings which we find a huge success with an average attendance of twenty-five.

On December 1 Mrs. Justus Paul opened her home from three to ten P.M. for a sale of Settlement School products. Tea and cookies were served in the afternoon and coffee and cookies at night, all of which were donations. The sales amounted to \$200 thanks to the efficient planning of our chairman, Mrs. Alfred MacClurg, and the splendid cooperation of every member of the club. A check for \$90 will be sent to Settlement School, a total of profits from the sale, magazine subscriptions, and stationery along with donations.

The December meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robson Brown after a delightful luncheon at The Blue Plate tearoom. Three hundred gifts were wrapped and sent to Settlement School. Mrs. Brown showed many interesting articles from her recent trip to Japan and explained some of the customs. In March she will give a lecture on Japan.

Mrs. Gail Porter will lecture on January 5, her topic being Bulgaria and Rumania. She will show moving pictures some of which are in color.

We are happy to welcome Frances Farrell, Kansas B; Barbara Wishart Erickson, Vermont A; and Isabel Ingham, Vermont A to our club.

HARRIET WILLARD

LONDON CLUB

The fall season was opened by a rummage sale which was quite a success despite the fact that the flood we had in London last spring lessened the available clothing. At our October meeting, we gave a shower of flat silver to the chapter house and a linen table cloth. Both were greatly needed and appreciated.

Myra Moorehouse gave us a very fascinating account of her trip to the Settlement School at our November meeting and showed us many lovely articles she had brought back with her. She was one of the first Canadians to visit there.

At the initiation banquet held at the Hotel London, we had a splendid turnout of alumnae and many old acquaintances from out of town were renewed. Mrs. Scott, our province vice-president, was with us and officiated at the drawing of the two season theatre tickets which we were raffling. The proceeds of these enterprises helped to expand our treasury considerably.

NORienne RANAHAN

NEW YORK CLUB

The club year opened October 5 with a cooky-shine in the Panhellenic clubroom of the Beekman Tower. About fifty were present. Singing and a business meeting followed the supper.

The Panhellenic Congress held at the Beekman Tower in October, gave us the pleasure of meeting the members of Grand Council. Miss Onken, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Stark, and Mrs. Alford (Mrs. Stoolman had not yet arrived), were entertained at dinner, and many attended the round table and reception as well as the formal banquet. Florence Chase Cass was a special guest at the sessions of the Congress.

In November a tea and Settlement School sale were held at the Barnard College Club in the Hotel Barbizon-Plaza. The December meeting, at the Beekman Tower, was the annual Panhellenic tea and Settlement School sale. Svetla Nacheva, a Bulgarian student at Barnard, gave a talk in native costume on the holiday customs of her country. Toys and magazines were brought for distribution to institutions. The Long Island group also held a Settlement School sale in November.

The deb group, composed of girls less than four years out of college, is having an active year under the leadership of Jean VanDusen. Several social meetings have been held and the group has accepted the responsibility of serving and helping at the teas.

The Long Island group has decided to function as a separate unit, while paying national dues through the New York Club. Members receive all New York notices and have a representative on the Executive Board.

Besides the Settlement School and Endowment Fund work, we are raising funds for a delegate to Convention.

The February meeting will be held at the Beekman Tower, with Dr. Louise Pearce of the Rockefeller Institute as speaker.

MARGARET GRIFFIN

PORTLAND, MAINE, CLUB

The Portland, Maine, Club is getting into its social and business stride for 1937-38. During our September meeting, we planned our program for the year. Margaret Snow has replaced Mrs. Matthew Williams as secretary, because the latter has moved from Portland. We miss her very much.

In October we were glad to welcome Miss Amy B. Onken to Portland. When she arrived, she was *ruined* to Mrs. Donald Daniels at a buffet supper. After breakfasting with the officers of the club, she was driven around the city to see the sights. We were sorry to have to see her to the train the same day, but she would leave.

Hazel Sawyer entertained the Club at a bridge during our November meeting. She used Settlement School products as bridge prizes, much to the envy of those who didn't win anything.

Speaking of Settlement School goods, we have done well for so few members. But what can one do otherwise, when such things have such a popularity? We haven't reached last year's mark yet, however.

We have started a new idea for raising money for our local chapter. We have created a day called Maine Alpha Day, which day we each earn over a dollar which we submit to the state to use as they see fit in regard to the chapter's need—this being the chapter room.

Our last meeting was a Christmas party for the actives who were home for a vacation. The theme of this party was that of college, with classes, etc. Diplomas were awarded to the students and professors. During recess, everyone had collegiate sandwiches, cider, and doughnuts.

We hope to continue to work and play as well as we have done in 1937. And now we wish all our Pi Beta Phi sisters a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

DOROTHY FRYE

SYRACUSE CLUB

Syracuse Alumnae Club has enjoyed four meetings so far this winter. The first was held at the home of Elizabeth Jordan, as it has been many times before, and was devoted to the presentation of the budget, and the adoption of the same.

The second meeting, at Mabel Bratton's was, as always, a lovely meeting; and the third, at Sara Sullivan's was a very large meeting at which we had as our guest and speaker, Mary Herdman Scott, our province vice-president.

The fourth meeting, at Carrie Sherwood Clark's, was devoted to discussion of our rummage sale and the sale

of tickets for a Bermuda cruise—our first two money-raising plans of the year. The rummage sale was again under the leadership of Elizabeth Jordan and the money thus raised was used to complete the set of Onondaga Pottery china for the chapter house, the club's Christmas gift to the house. We now have a complete dinner set for forty, the entire set the gift of the Alumnae Club.

The Bermuda Cruise ticket sale is under the leadership of Marian Horr, Michigan A., whom we are very happy to welcome into the Syracuse Club.

It is too early to outline our further winter plans, as they are only now in the making, but the hearts and minds of all Syracuse Pi Phis are very much occupied with plans for a new home. We'll tell you more about that later.

CHARLOTTE N. CHAFFER

STATE OF MAINE CLUB

During the winter season, the State of Maine Alumnae Association has to carry on all of its work through correspondence. We are very widely distributed throughout our large State, so meetings, especially in the winter time, are quite out of the question.

Every so often letters are sent out to all the members; these letters contain news items of the actives, of the alumnae, and any bits of general interest. These are truly very helpful in keeping our scattered group in touch with things and each other and in bringing us closer together, in spirit anyway.

Our Christmas news letter was particularly cheering—such good news of the way the Maine Alphas are taking hold of things and being a credit to Pi Phi. We are indeed proud of them. That they are making extensive use of the room we help provide for them makes us feel very happy and that our efforts in that direction are well worth while.

This fall the state alumnae provided mittens for favors for the "Lumberjack" rushing party which the active chapter gave.

On October 23, we enjoyed a visit from Miss Onken. A buffet supper was given her at the home of Helene Daniels, Maine A '25, in Portland, and the next morning Helene, Hazel Sawyer, Maine A '31 and Olive Essender, Ohio A '29 entertained her at breakfast at the Lafayette Hotel. Her visit was all too short but as usual she gave many constructive suggestions, all of which we have found very useful and helpful.

That Lydia Douglas, our Alpha Province East President was married to Dean Rollins of Brunswick last summer comes to us as a surprise since we recently announced her wedding as a Christmas event in our news letter!

ELIZABETH LAUGHLIN, Maine A '26

TORONTO CLUB

The Toronto Alumnae Club held its first meeting on October 5, at the home of our vice-president, Mary McLean. Mary Owens showed the moving pictures she made on a recent world cruise. They were most interesting and educational.

Our November meeting was an afternoon "At Home" at our new fraternity house, Spadina Road. We had an unusually large attendance. It is our first real venture with a house and has met with great enthusiasm and success. The draw was made for our raffle, the proceeds from which we use for our altruistic work.

We held our birthday celebration, in December, with the active chapter: at the University Women's Club. At this meeting we turned in the Christmas stockings which are distributed to the needy.

On January 11, we are entertaining the rushees at a cabaret dinner at the home of one of our members.

Our February and March meetings will be devoted to Settlement School and Constitutional study. We are planning a buffet luncheon for one of these.

For Founders' Day in April we hope to have our annual meeting at Hamilton to which Pi Phis from the surrounding cities and towns and suburbs are very welcome.

Our regular meetings in Toronto are held, when possible on the first Tuesday of the month. The members are divided into groups, and each group is responsible for one meeting. There are a number of out of town Pi Phis with us this year, and we are happy to be able to welcome them at our fraternity house.

Jessie Thomason is this year in charge of the magazine agency. With a great deal of effort, the volume has increased considerably.

With our fraternity house available for most meetings, we are most enthusiastic and hopeful of a banner year.

GERTRUDE KERNAGHAN

WESTCHESTER CLUB

The Westchester Alumnae Club had its first meeting on October 8, at the home of Mrs. Phillips Brooks Nichols (Josephine Sniffen) in White Plains. Mrs. John Robertson (Nelle Mitchell) presented a proposed constitution which after little discussion was unanimously adopted.

On November 12 Mrs. Peter C. Reilly (Jeanette Parker), Settlement School Chairman, opened her attractive home in Larchmont for a Settlement School tea and sale. This was a most successful undertaking from the standpoint of articles sold, and in addition it was a lovely social event. Mrs. Stephen Wells, Jr. (Gail Putnam) is assisting with the sale of articles this year, and she also has charge of the sale of vanilla, a percentage on which goes to the Settlement School.

Our Magazine Agent, Mrs. James Fri (Florence Parks), has been most industrious over the holidays with the result of many new subscriptions and renewals.

The January meeting was at the home of Mrs. Lewis Love in Pelham Manor and the Annual Bridge, which is to be held in the spring for the benefit of the Settlement School was discussed.

The Book Group under the leadership of Mrs. Melvin Dawley (Dorothy Tisch) meets the fourth Monday of each month. The last meeting was at the home of Mrs. Oliver Gang (Frances Westfall) in Scarsdale. Mrs. Joseph Braham (Opal Rains) reviewed, "The Life of Madame Curie," by Eve Curie. This group has been the means through which many have been interested in other activities of the Club.

The Bridge Group under the chairmanship of Mrs. Oliver Gang has a dessert bridge on the second Monday of each month. The last meeting was at the home of Mrs. William E. Hocky (Kathryn Heckman) in White Plains.

Our Club has sent fifty dollars to the Endowment Fund and ten dollars to the Loan Fund. There are now forty-eight paid members listed in our "Blue Book" which is a directory of officers, standing committees, and members for 1937-38.

Under the excellent leadership of our President, Mrs. Paul Arnall (Edna Chain) we anticipate an active and interesting spring program. The Westchester Club welcomes all Pi Phis in this vicinity, and we extend to all alumnae clubs a wish for happiness and progress in the coming year.

NORMA HOPSON JONES

BETA PROVINCE

ATHENS CLUB

Immediately after Founders' Day banquet with the active chapter, the Athens Alumnae Club met in business session electing the following officers: Helen McLaughlin Gray (Mrs. Gordon B.), president; Marjorie Stalder, vice-president; Margaret White (Mrs. R. H.), treasurer; Anne Pickering, secretary.

In July the club gave a picnic in the garden of the chapter house. All Pi Beta Phis, active and alumnae, in the town and immediate vicinity were invited and fifty-two were present.

At the October meeting (a dessert meeting), a general plan of meetings for the year was announced. It was voted to join with the active chapter (Ohio Alpha) for Endowment Fund contribution. To this end both actives and alumnae staged a very successful rummage sale, and sponsored a picture show.

The last of October actives and alumnae held open house at the chapter house for visiting alumnae after the Homecoming game. This was a great success.

In November the Alumnae Club gave a formal tea honoring Mrs. H. C. Johnson, province vice-president, at the home of Mrs. H. G. Stalder, with the actives and patronesses as guests. Following the tea, Mrs. Johnson spoke informally and helpfully to the Club members. The Athens Alumnae Club has a paid membership of twenty-two.

ANNE PICKERING

CLEVELAND CLUB

The Cleveland Alumnae Club cooperated with the active chapters during the summer by forming a rushing committee to take charge of all letters and information concerning possible rushees of $\Pi\beta\Phi$. This committee gave two parties for girls entering colleges where we have chapters. The first party was a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Paul Sprague and a swimming and bridge party at the Shaker Heights Country Club, followed by refreshments served at Mrs. Joseph Kewley's new home. The second party was a luncheon, bridge, and swimming party at the home of Ann Louise and Jane Hankins.

The club enjoyed a busy and profitable fall season. Meetings were held monthly on Saturdays for luncheon or Mondays for dinner. The annual rummage sale for the benefit of the Settlement School was held in October. The sale was very successful and netted us close to \$419 which is more than we have realized in several years. The Cleveland Panhellenic Council sponsored an all day meeting at the Cleveland Hotel on October 11. Included were the Panhellenic representatives and presidents of every women's fraternity represented in the Cleveland Panhellenic Council. An effort was made to have a province or national officer attend and we were disappointed that Candace Johnson was unable to attend at the last moment. Round table discussions on active chapter and alumnae club problems made the meeting interesting and worth while.

The middle of November Mrs. Joseph Kewley opened her home several afternoons for the sale of articles from the Arrow Craft Shop. The sale was well attended and more than \$500 worth of merchandise was sold.

The various Pi Beta Phi bridge groups are enjoying their

meetings which are held every two weeks, and the members are all looking forward to the play-off held in May which decides the champion player. The club is running on a budget again this year and we hope it will prove to be as great a success as last year.

JANE WELHOFF THOMPSON

CINCINNATI ALUMNAE CLUB

The Cincinnati Alumnae Club started its fall activities with a meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Browne. Plans for the coming year were discussed, among them our usual fall rummage sale. In November the club will have a bridge luncheon at which there will be a display of Settlement School goods.

Those who wish to be forming a book exchange group. Each Pi Phi will obtain a new and interesting book which she has enjoyed reading and which she believes others would enjoy. Through the help of a librarian, appointed by the president, the books are distributed. In this way we have the opportunity of reading many fine things. At one of the November meetings we will have a book talk by an employee of the Kidd Book Store of Cincinnati.

We are anxious to do all we can to help the Endowment Fund reach its goal. Last year was very successful, and we hope to make this one equally so.

MARY HOLMES ERRETT

COLUMBUS ALUMNAE CLUB

The program of the Columbus Alumnae Club for 1937-38 has been quite interesting and intensive. Mrs. Candace Johnson, Beta Province vice-president, was a guest at our first meeting of the new year.

The outstanding achievement of the past months is the new chapter house of Ohio Beta.

A lecture by Dale Carnegie was sponsored last spring netting around \$1,000. Our big project this year is a dance January 28 at the Neil House. Don Bestor's orchestra will furnish the music.

In December the last of a series of bridge parties was held at the new chapter house, thus benefiting those who wished to inspect the premises and the house itself.

GWEN L. MEREDITH

HARRISBURG-CARLISLE CLUB

The Settlement School will furnish the Harrisburg-Carlisle alumnae a most interesting theme for the January meeting, to be held at Mrs. Paul Hutchison's home. The Weavers' Guild Play will be given. The members will then make plans for the large benefit card party, the proceeds of which will form a nucleus for the club's Settlement School contribution. Miss Lucretia Heisey is chairman of the card party.

The meetings thus far have been most enjoyable. In September, Mrs. John Garrett, entertained the club at a dessert luncheon at her home, and in October the group assembled at Miss Emma Shawfield's cottage at Speecheville. Miss Ruth Trout was hostess for the November meeting which was spent in making doll clothes for

Christmas dolls which were given to the sick children in the Harrisburg Hospital. The annual Christmas supper-party, held at Mrs. Harvey Simmon's home, was most successful. The members brought their favorite dishes which were served à la cafeteria, the members paying for each serving and thus augmenting the Settlement School fund.

Four more interesting meetings are planned for the year: a cooky-shine on February 26, election of officers on March 26, the Founders' Day Luncheon on April 23, and finally, the Panhellenic tea on May 28.

The club was very sorry to hear of the death of the husband of Mrs. Mildred Day Roorbach, Mr. Agnew O. Roorbach, for thirteen years a teacher in the Harrisburg schools, died at his home on December 30. Mr. Roorbach, an author of many textbooks was a member of the American Academy of Political Sciences.

EMMA M. SHAWFIELD

PITTSBURGH CLUB

The Pittsburgh Alumnae Club inaugurated its winter meetings on September 9, with a tea for our younger friends who were entering college in the fall and for the members of the South Hills Club. Mrs. William A. Hazlett acted as chairman and Mrs. Floyd Carson graciously extended the hospitality of her lovely home for the occasion. Everyone enjoyed renewing relationships after a summer's absence.

The October cooky-shine was held in the home of our new President, Mrs. Boyd Newcomb. At this meeting Mrs. Conrad Myhre gave a most interesting talk on Boulder Dam, where she recently spent a year with her husband, a consulting engineer.

Mrs. James Garrison was chairman of a delightful Arrowcraft tea held in November in the home of Mrs. William A. Hazlett for members and their guests. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. William Gantner, the Settlement School committee displayed many attractive Arrow Craft articles, the sale of which amounted to \$175.00. This is our largest sale in years and we are delighted with the results.

In December, with Mrs. Roy R. Stevens as chairman, we enjoyed a luncheon at The Culinaire. Each member brought a toy for the Settlement School Christmas box. During the business meeting, Mrs. Edward C. Myers, magazine chairman, reported a very successful campaign amounting to approximately \$400.00 in subscriptions. Needless to say we are very proud of the efforts of our Pi Phis. We were most fortunate in having Miss Elizabeth Kates (Pennsylvania B), Superintendent of the Virginia Industrial Institute for Women, address us at this meeting.

January held two Pi Phi functions for us. On January 15, the Constitutional meeting was held in the home of

Mrs. C. G. Kinter and on the following Thursday we sponsored a display of Towle silver in the home of Mrs. E. W. Tillotson. The \$75.00 derived therefrom went to the Endowment Fund.

Four other meetings which are anticipated with much interest are planned for the remainder of the year. With our magazine drive and Arrow Craft sale past history, our immediate goal is an increase in membership over the twenty-eight active members that we had last year. Each month we greet several new members and it is hoped that, under the already successful guidance of Mrs. Boyd Newcomb, our president, we shall be able to contact many more Pi Phis in the Pittsburgh area so that they, too, may enjoy the enthusiastic friendships of this club.

MARJORIE MILLIGAN HAZLETT

SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY CLUB

The Southern New Jersey Alumnae Club is trying a new plan for its meetings this year. Since the members are scattered over a large territory, the number of meetings has been reduced to five, in the hope that more members will attend each meeting.

The year began in October with a cooky-shine at the home of Mrs. Kent Bodine in Haddonfield. There were eighteen members present. In November the annual bridge party for the benefit of the Settlement School was held in the Moorestown Community Hall. Articles from the Arrow Craft Shop were on display and for sale. The club also sent a small gift of money to the Settlement School for Christmas.

VIRGINIA MARTIN BROWN

PHILADELPHIA CLUB

The Philadelphia Club is having a fine year with Mrs. Howard Katzenbach as our president. Our activities for the current year are varied and interesting. In October our first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. H. Morgan Ruth. Several Pi Phis, new in Philadelphia joined the club. This was a supper meeting and we listened to an interesting talk on flower arrangement. Our November meeting was the Settlement School tea held at Mrs. William Evan's home in Swarthmore. We had a nice display of Settlement School goods and the sale was quite successful. Book reviews formed the main part of the program at the December meeting.

So far this year our money raising program has been a theater benefit at the Germantown Theater Guild and a rummage sale. The magazine agency continues to be very profitable.

MARTHA STAPP

GAMMA PROVINCE

BALTIMORE CLUB

The Baltimore Club started enthusiastically this fall, the first meeting being devoted to a report of rushing news from Maryland Alpha. The November meeting was devoted to the Settlement School. Eleanor Diggs Corner told of her visit there last summer and of the great changes wrought since the school was started. The club decided to raise money for the School by pledges rather than by money making schemes. A luncheon and bridge in the fall brought in money for the scholarship fund. It was decided to donate a pin to be given each year to the active who has the highest scholastic average. Our next meeting in January is to be a cooky-shine with the active chapter at Goucher as our guests.

DOROTHY MAY HOBLITZELL

COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, CLUB

Our club usually has nine meetings a year, so we have ample time for these* and other programs. At our first meeting in September the President of the active chapter gave a résumé of rushing plans and told how alumnae could help. The October meeting was a general business meeting.

November 3 we planned to have a business meeting followed by a short program about things every Pi Phi should be interested in.

In December we presented the Settlement School program and gave "The Weaver's Play" which had been produced at other club meetings with satisfaction. As the actives and pledges were invited to the play, we had a social

* These—refers to the four required meeting per year.

hour afterwards and had alumnae as hostesses.

In January we had a business meeting and at that time discussed plans for a bridge tournament or some other way of making money for the Settlement School.

The February meeting will be devoted to the Constitution of Pi Phi. Martha Aiken has agreed to have charge of this program.

The March meeting will be on the History of Pi Phi and Dr. Eskridge will have charge of it.

April meeting will be the Founders' Day luncheon which will be celebrated by the actives, pledges, and alumnae on or near April 28. We are planning to make an effort to get all the alumnae here for the luncheon from throughout the state.

May meeting will be principally business because at this time we will hear the various yearly reports and also have the election of officers for next year. At this time plans will be made concerning the National Pi Phi Convention to be held at Asheville.

The club has progressed considerably in attendance, there being a 100% increase in membership over last year. The club recently had a party for the actives and pledges at which they were entertained by a presentation of the Settlement School play. The alumnae took the parts of the various characters. In the early fall, a lovely tea was given by the alumnae club for one of its members, Mrs. Herbert Hucks, who prior to recent marriage was Dorothy Marsh.

At one of the monthly meetings, the club met for supper at a local cafeteria and later adjourned to the chapter house for the business meeting.

The club is planning to give a bridge tournament soon to raise money for the Settlement school.

L'ARTIGUE GRIFFIN

RICHMOND CLUB

The Richmond Alumnae Club has a very interesting program planned for this winter.

Our first meeting was a tea in the beautiful garden of our distinguished member, Dean May Keller, of Westhampton College, President Emeritus of I B Φ. Dean Keller and Miss Pauline Turnbull were the hostesses for this meeting. Our out of town guests for the tea included Mrs. Thomas Magruder, of Washington, D.C., president of Gamma province, and Mrs. Samuel S. Spruce, also of Washington, province vice-president. At this meeting our program chairman, Miss Elizabeth Kates, presented the members with individual programs. Officers for the ensuing year were announced. Mrs. J. L. Bray, our able president of last year will again guide us this year. Other officers include Mrs. J. B. Green, Vice-President; Mrs. Earl Manning, Secretary; Miss Pauline Turnbull, Treasurer; and Mrs. T. Leonard George, Corresponding Secretary.

October was our annual rummage sale month. Everyone agreed it was a most successful venture.

November was our benefit card party. At this meeting, which was held this year at Westhampton College in the new recreation building, Settlement School articles were sold. A lovely tea followed the bridge.

December was our cooky-shine month. We packed a big box for Settlement School at this meeting.

January was the month for our musical tea. This was a benefit for the Endowment Fund.

February there will be a book review; the book to be from a Pi Beta Phi pen.

March there will be a garden meeting, when a movie of the famous gardens of Virginia will be shown and discussed.

April is our Founders' Day luncheon. This year the whole alumnae club plans to motor to Williamsburg and join Virginia Gamma in celebrating Founders' Day with them.

In May we shall wind up our year with a social meeting, a buffet supper in Goochland with Miss Elizabeth Kates as hostess.

This is a yearly event to which the whole alumnae club always looks forward with pleasant anticipation.

This year we welcomed into our midst a number of new members.

BETTY CHAMBERS GEORGE

WASHINGTON CLUB

The fall round-up of Washington Pi Phis took place at the home of Mrs. C. P. Trussell (Bee Tait) October

DELTA PROVINCE

ANN ARBOR CLUB

The Ann Arbor Club held its first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Warren Cook in October. A rummage sale was held in November. The January meeting was with Mrs. Charles Jamison. We look forward to a visit with Miss Onken when she comes to the active chapter soon.

MARIETTA R. TWISS

BLOOMFIELD HILLS CLUB

Our club meetings started off with the usual enthusiasm in September at the home of our president, Mrs. R. W. Thomas, with a luncheon followed by a business session. It was decided not to have the usual Arrowcraft sale in Birmingham but that each member should invite eight friends at fifty cents each, for luncheon and bridge, at which affair Arrowcraft articles would be displayed. This plan proved highly successful. Since September our meetings have been held at the homes of members with luncheon, bridge, and business. For bridge prizes Arrowcraft articles are always given.

The December meeting was a Christmas party, each guest receiving a ten-cent gift accompanied by a poem. After this we all joined in old-fashioned games. At another meeting our interest centered in a prospective Pi Phi, little Marcia Kay Friedline, the granddaughter of Mrs. King. Marcia's mother, Jane King Friedline, is also a Pi Phi, Indiana Beta.

We have two new members this year bringing our total membership up to eighteen. Our next meeting is to be held with Mrs. Julia Lalley who is hostess and director of the Birmingham Community House.

MARTINA MARSH MCKINNEY

12. As usual the large group in attendance was not only hungry for the tasty cooky-shine supper but also for the summer's accumulation of news. We were fortunate in having Mrs. Stark, Grand Secretary, with us and enjoyed her informal talk and suggestions as to how to bridge the gap between actives and alumnae. As a result of one of these suggestions our Club has offered a prize of five dollars to the D.C. Alpha girl who shows most improvement in scholarship during the school year.

While there was some talk of Convention at the first meeting, it wasn't until the November meeting at Marion McCoy's that real enthusiasm was shown. The treat of the evening was the introduction of our own Mrs. Carl Smith Dow (Alice Hulce) as Convention Guide, and she told of the plans made for next June. Our program was a combination of Settlement School and Convention. The products from Gatlinburg had a brisk sale and new financial pledges were made to support the school.

Christmas season called for a party. The guests of the evening were the actives of D.C. Alpha who were entertained prior to the meeting at dinner by Mrs. James N. Greear, Jr. (Mary Schaaff.) Numerous "white elephants" were contributed by members of the Club to add their bit to the fun and were given as prizes for various stunts. Highlights of the evening were those who bravely wore clothes that were the fashion during their college days.

A luncheon and bridge was held at the Virginia home of Mrs. Edmund Parry (Ellen Buell) in October. Another pleasant afternoon was spent at bridge and tea at Mrs. John E. Larson's (Margaret Monk) in November. We find these small parties a partial solution of the problem of getting the newcomers to Washington better acquainted with the comparative old settlers.

While Adele Alford is still too much one of the Washington group to be considered "company," she was a most welcome guest of honor at a tea given in November at the home of Marian McCoy. Products of the Settlement School were displayed to our guests from the Panhellenic Association of Washington.

As we are unable to meet our budget with yearly dues, it is a relief to know that a hundred and ten dollars has already been raised aside from them. Seventy-five dollars was secured by cooperating with the Towle Silverware Co. at a silver display at Mrs. Wilson Compton's (Helen Harrington). A dance, efficiently managed by Mrs. Reginald Pledger (Peggy Beasley) netted us about thirty-five dollars as well as a most enjoyable evening.

Next on the calendar was a night meeting at Mrs. Greear's, January 11 and a tea at the home of Mrs. George Ober (Mary King) on January 14.

BERYLE EDMISTON PLEDGER

BLOOMINGTON CLUB

The Bloomington Alumnae Club has participated in several interesting activities this fall. We had a great interest in the opening of the new Indiana Beta house, as many of our members were directly responsible for making this lovely new home possible. Open house was held in October, and during the day many students, faculty members, and Bloomington residents visited the house.

Also in October the alumnae entertained the pledges of Indiana B with a Halloween buffet dinner at the home of Mrs. Stith Thompson. After this party we feel that we are in much closer contact with the new members of the active chapter.

In November our club held a benefit bridge combined with a sale of articles from the Settlement School at the active chapter house. The Settlement School articles were on display during the afternoon and evening for those who were interested in seeing them. The bridge party was held that evening, and the articles were displayed for sale before and after the party. The proceeds from this event were quite successful.

MARJORIE L. RICE

DETROIT CLUB

The Detroit Alumnae Club opened its activities this fall with a membership tea at the Colony Town Club. An effort was made to extend special invitations to all Pi Phis who had not been active previously. In addition to a delightful musical program, the club had the pleasure of hearing Helen Anderson Lewis, Delta province vice-president, who spoke of active chapters and alumnae groups in her district.

The North, East, and West groups of our club have held three monthly upper meetings; programs given by

members ranged from movies of the Coronation to a talk on Braille given by a licensed operator.

By arranging appointments for about a hundred people we were able to have the Towle silversmith display again this fall.

The younger alumnae are organizing a junior group which should be an attraction to recent graduates who are strange in the city.

Special interest is being shown in our magazine department since Martha Beal Stevens is now district supervisor.

Mrs. Benson, our Settlement School chairman, was at home two afternoons for tea in order to further the Christmas sale of handicraft articles.

Plans for the year's special projects will be completed in January.

ISABELLE RAYEN TRYTHALL

FLINT CLUB

Our club has been enjoying a profitable year with Mrs. E. G. Peckham as president. We have welcomed to our meetings Mrs. K. N. Scott of Vermont B and Mrs. John G. Riegel of North Dakota A.

The monthly dinner meetings at the homes of members have been continued. At the November meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Fessler, Ohio B, plans for a Settlement School sale were discussed. The December meeting at the home of Ethel Harris, Michigan A, was a social affair with games and a gift exchange. Mrs. W. R. Roberts, Michigan A, was hostess at the January meeting.

ISABELLE FRANKHOUSER

FORT WAYNE CLUB

This year has seen the Fort Wayne group striving to be worthy of the gavel awarded for last year's activities. At our September meeting, for which the club's officers were hostesses, plans were made for the year. In October we held our constitutional meeting and in November we were most happy to have Mrs. Benjamin C. Lewis, our province vice-president, as our guest. During the Christmas vacation a breakfast party was held for the girls in college. Fifty Pi Phis and pledges were present and we also welcomed Margaret Webber Hahne, Illinois Z, who has just moved here with her husband and young son from Little Rock.

We plan to have a rummage sale in the spring and our Settlement School tea and sale will be held at the Art School and Museum in March or April.

MARTHA GILES REEVES

GRAND RAPIDS CLUB

The Grand Rapids Club held its Settlement School sale and tea at the home of Irma Robinson Clark on November 15. We were much pleased to have the visit of our province vice-president, Mrs. Lewis, coincide with our sale and tea. We have an attractive and profitable series of programs planned for the remainder of the year.

HENRIETTA MCG. SULLIVAN

INDIANAPOLIS CLUB

In July the Indianapolis Alumnae Club gave a very successful Magician Show in one of the downtown department stores. The proceeds were sent to the Settlement School.

The club holds one meeting a month starting in September and finishing in June. There are alternate luncheon and dinner meetings so that more of the members can attend. The opening meeting in September was a luncheon held at the Butler chapter house. At the October supper meeting Mrs. Vaughn Cornish (Melissa Cornelius), Indiana B, told about her visit to the Coronation. The guest tea in November was also the Settlement School meeting. Dr. Allegra Stewart, Indiana F, gave a wonderful talk on the history and present trends of the Settlement School. The display of articles from the School was charmingly arranged and the sales were very good. A Christmas party was held after the luncheon at the December meeting.

A rummage sale was held in October. The results were

even better than had been hoped. The magazine sales are very good and it is hoped this year can equal or better the record of last year. In order to raise money for the Endowment Fund it was decided to have a "birthday box." During the year May 1937 to May 1938 each member will contribute on her birthday at least the amount of her age to the Fund. The club also has an opportunity to sell memberships in the John Herron Art Institute and receive a commission.

The vice-president, Mrs. B. C. Lewis (Helen Anderson), Kentucky A, resigned in order to have sufficient time to fully discharge the duties of Delta Province Vice-President to which she was recently appointed. Mrs. R. D. Pritchard (Mary Covert), Indiana A, is the new vice-president. The year book was ready for distribution at the November meeting. This year it was decided to have the maiden names as well as the married names of all members living in Indianapolis. Two daughters of Mrs. Ellis Hall (Cleo Millikan), Indiana F, were initiated this fall. Miss Onken advises that to her knowledge this is the first time a mother has initiated two daughters at the same time. There are more paid members for the first four months this year than for the same period last year. Many of the members contributed to the Needlework Guild. This Guild receives only new articles of clothing and distributes them where needed. The Indianapolis Alumnae Club sent Christmas gifts to all the active chapters in Indiana.

CHARLOTTE SPEARS BENNETT

LAFAYETTE CLUB

Our Arrowcraft sales for the Settlement School totaling almost four hundred dollars (\$393.43 to be exact at the date of writing) and our November dinner party for the Indiana A pledges are perhaps our most noteworthy accomplishments since September. We thought the Pi Phi husbands seemed to enjoy the October wienner roast executed in deluxe fashion in their honor at the farm home of one of our members, Mrs. Ben Lewis, our new province vice-president, was our most welcome guest of honor at the Christmas dinner party. The gifts which were brought to this party were all mailed to Settlement School and we enjoyed Mrs. Weaver's personal note to us telling how our little gifts helped out down there.

RHEA E. WALKER

SOUTHWESTERN INDIANA CLUB

The first fall meeting of the Southwestern Indiana Alumnae Club was held in September at the home of the president, Mrs. Frank Gibson. Plans for the year were discussed.

The November meeting was devoted to the sale of Settlement School products.

A Christmas dinner followed by a short business meeting was given at the Mayfair Tea Room in December. Mrs. Benjamin Lewis, Province Vice-President, was the guest of honor.

Regular meetings, preceded by buffet suppers, held the second Monday of each month will constitute the remainder of the year's program.

RAGENE RALPHY WILLIAMS

TERRE HAUTE CLUB

The Terre Haute Club is having a pleasant year under the leadership of Mrs. B. A. Arnold (Elizabeth Moschenrose). We began the year with a luncheon meeting at the Elks Town Club and since then we have held monthly meetings at the homes of members. There have been cooperative luncheons with the exception of the Christmas meeting which was a dinner at Mrs. W. W. Behman's (Eleanor Flowers). We were happy to have with us at this meeting our province vice-president, Mrs. Lewis, who gave us an interesting account of what other clubs are doing and of plans for Convention next June.

We expect soon to have a puppet show, the proceeds from which will be given to the Settlement School. We are fortunate in having several new members this year and will welcome any Pi Phis in this city or nearby towns.

GRACE JAMES GERRISH

EPSILON PROVINCE

COLUMBIA, MISSOURI, CLUB

In July the alumnae club assisted with rushing by entertaining a group of rushees at the home of Mrs.

Dean Parks. In August rushees were invited to be guests of the alumnae and active chapter on a cruise sailing under the colors of the wine and blue. The home of Mary Jane Hill was the sailing dock, the second course

was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sydney Stephens, and the dessert at the home of Mrs. Barry McAlester where a swimming party was enjoyed later in the evening. Favors from Switzerland were presented at each part of call. Rushes were guests in the homes of active members overnight and were entertained at breakfast at the home of Mrs. Dean Parks. Following the breakfast, members of the party motored to Pelican Point, the summer home of Dr. and Mrs. Dan Stine and daughter, Ellen, in the Ozarks where they were guests overnight.

In September a special meeting was held at the chapter house to discuss plans for rushing with the active chapter.

At the October meeting we enjoyed a program given by Mary Jane Hill, a member of the active chapter, who gave a most enthusiastic account of the Province Convention at Chattanooga. This meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Hartley Banks.

On October 24 we held a special supper meeting in honor of Ruth Barrett Smith at the home of Mrs. Chester Brewer. The evening was spent in informal discussion of Panhellenic Congress and national and local problems, both of the active and alumnae chapters.

At the November meeting in the home of Mrs. Warren Whittle we made plans for the Settlement School sale. The sale took place on December 1, and was most successful.

Early in December the alumnae club entertained the active chapter at a cooky-shine at the chapter house. After the supper the actives and pledges entertained the alumnae with a most enjoyable show.

We are happy to add Iela Hackney Bell of Kansas A to our group.

MARGARET WICHMAN VAILE

LITTLE PIGEON CLUB

The past few months have been rather uneventful for the Little Pigeon Club as so many activities in the Settlement School direct attention to helping in that field rather than planning any particular club program.

The first week in December, the managers of Gatlinburg's new bowling alley turned the hall over to the alumnae club for a benefit day. Prizes were awarded to the man having highest score and also to the lady having highest score. This proved to be an excellent way of raising money as well as an entertaining one.

Mrs. Ida Anders, Iowa P, and Miss Iessie Harris, of the Home Economics department of University of Tennessee, have built a very lovely summer home in Gatlinburg.

MARY LOUISE DURKEE

LOUISVILLE CLUB

The Louisville Club meets once a month at the homes of members, with supper followed by a program. In June our club sent five members to the Epsilon Province Conference at Chattanooga. The reports from this conference were given at our September meeting, and proved helpful in many ways. At a recent meeting moving pictures of the Settlement School were shown and aroused great interest. In December the Settlement School tea and sale occurred. In addition to the funds thus secured we sent the proceeds from a dance given during the Christmas holidays. We have also sold Pi Phi cook books and have taken several magazine subscriptions.

ELIZABETH A. MASON

KANSAS CITY CLUB

The Kansas City Alumnae Club has had three very interesting meetings so far this year under the leadership of Mrs. Oliver B. Simmons.

ZETA PROVINCE

JACKSONVILLE CLUB

The Jacksonville club has had a variety of interesting meetings so far this year. At the October meeting plans were formulated and have worked out well. In November we had as our guest our province vice-president, Mrs. D. R. Paiee, who gave us an interesting talk on the Settlement School. Yearbooks were distributed at this time. Several informal parties were given for Mrs. Paiee during her stay in Jacksonville.

A Settlement School tea was given in December and a holiday party was given for the actives and pledges who

met for the first time October 5 at the home of Miss Donna Sutherland. We were all glad to hear that the three nearby chapters had very successful rushing seasons.

We have continued this year our dutch-treat luncheons on the Monday following our regular meetings to help those new to the club become acquainted.

Laurabell Ashley, a junior at the University of Kansas City, was chosen to receive the scholarship given each year under the name of the Pi Beta Phi Kansas City Alumnae Club Scholarship.

We were very glad to have Mrs. E. L. Holton, who is Chairman of the Settlement School Committee, with us at the December meeting. She told us some very interesting things about Settlement School and the work done here in the Arrow Craft Shop.

MARION DAVIS

SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI, CLUB

The Springfield Alumnae Club opened the year's activities with a luncheon meeting in September at the home of the president, Mrs. Robert Glynn. Plans were made for a rummage sale to be held in October. The active chapter reported on their new pledges. The regular meeting date was set for the third Wednesday of each month. A book review will be given at the October and February meetings. A Constitution and History program will be carried out in November and as has been the custom for a number of years, the members will do some charity sewing. The Settlement School tea which will be given just before Christmas is always one of the most outstanding projects of the year. In April, the meeting will be centered around Founders' Day, using a costume idea in order to carry out its significance. The year's activities will end with a luncheon meeting in June. With such a program planned, we are looking forward to a most successful and beneficial year.

PAULINE BALDWIN

ST. LOUIS CLUB

The St. Louis Alumnae Club of $\Pi B \Phi$ has had four meetings of special interest this fall.

At the October meeting, Alberta Herget of the active chapter brought us a report of the province convention.

In November we had a meeting on the subject of Settlement School. A large quantity of Settlement School articles were sold at the meeting, and orders taken for intended Christmas presents. Mrs. George M. Hagee, secretary of the Settlement School committee and in charge of Ways and Means, a member of our club, gave a talk on the workings of the School. Many of us gained a new conception of the various phases of the School from this informative message. At this meeting we also heard a talk by Mrs. Burtress Young on the work of the Love-Thy-Neighbor Club.

On the first Saturday of December, we had our annual Christmas luncheon, in the cafeteria of the Woman's Building at Washington University. About 50 members attended, and many stayed to play bridge in the delightful Pi Phi rooms.

We again competed with our Christmas table at the Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney store, having charge of the "Teen Age" table. There is a table for every age with some club in charge of each one. As a 1936 winner, we were obliged to compete with clubs which won during other weeks of the previous year, and considered it a special honor therefore to win the 1937 prize of \$100 for selling the most merchandise from all departments of the store.

The active chapter of Washington University was honored by a visit from Mrs. Ruth Barrett Smith, our Grand Vice-President. The alumnae gave a beautiful tea for her in the lounge of the Woman's Building at the University.

JANE POINDEXTER EMERSON

were home from college. Mrs. Clifford Schultz entertained Panhellenic during the Christmas season at her home. A cooky-shine was held in January.

ALBERTA AXTELL

LAKELAND CLUB

We are again proud to have all Pi Phis in our vicinity enrolled as club members, all dues having been paid. In August our two members living in Bartow, Mrs. P. M. Childers and Mrs. V. R. Judson, entertained us with a swimming party and picnic at Kissengen Springs. The

September meeting was in the form of a welcome to Lucille Le Roy, Florida T, who returned to us from a year at Duke University. She is now Mrs. A. R. Turquette. A gift from the club was presented to her. The October meeting was made more interesting by having Grace Porter give her account of her western trip and her visit to the Settlement School.

Mrs. D. R. Paige, Zeta province vice-president, visited us in November. A dinner party was given in her honor at the home of Mrs. Ben Flood, when she talked informally but inspiringly. In November we also entertained the Lakeland Panhellenic Association at the Sorosis Club. As a bridge prize a Pi Phi cook book was given. Mrs. W. R. Battle was hostess for the Christmas party at which gifts were distributed from a lovely tree.

Our regular meeting date is still the third Monday night in each month.

LUCILLE NEWBY BRYANT

MIAMI CLUB

The Miami Club has had several interesting meetings since the last letter to the ARROW was written. Winifred Smith Paige (Mrs. D. R.), vice-president of Zeta Province, paid the Alumnae Club a two day visit in November.

The September meeting was held at the home of Dorothy Knass, with Mrs. H. L. Clarke, Jr., and Mrs. T. H. Anderson assisting hostesses. A good many actives attended this meeting and the banquet to be given the 8th was discussed by both actives and alumnae.

The October meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Jack O. Cleveland, with Mrs. Thurman Whiteside and Mrs. J. H. Lloyd.

The November meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Roland Griffin with Mrs. W. T. Cox and Mrs. R. C. Sherman. All arrangements for the benefit bridge to be given December 1 were made at this meeting.

Mrs. Paige's visit occurred November 10 and 11. While in Miami she was the house guest of Mrs. Fred Ingle and was entertained by many of the Pi Phis individually. She was the guest of the club at a Kaffee Klatsch at the lovely home of Dorothy Knass, where she spoke to the club on the Settlement School, and on the coming convention in Asheville, in June 1938.

The December meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George Thorpe assisted by Mrs. Walter B. Schultz and Mrs. L. H. Kerr, Jr. The club is very proud that Miss Onken has recently appointed Mrs. George Thorpe president of Zeta province.

The Christmas luncheon, an annual affair for alumnae and for actives home from school was held December 29.

The January meeting was held at the home of Lillian

Baker with Mrs. W. W. Charles and Mrs. O. F. Keune. Our club is glad to welcome Mrs. C. R. Allemang (Lelia Kidd) Michigan B, who has moved to Coral Gables, Florida, from Kansas City, Missouri, but regrets the removal of Mrs. Chas. T. McMurtry (Elizabeth Lemmon), Indiana A, and Mrs. McClure Lupfer, Florida B, to Jacksonville.

MARIAN TIMMINS KERR

ORLANDO CLUB

The 1937-38 season of the Orlando Alumnae Club opened with a meeting at the home of our president, Mrs. H. C. Sanderson, in October. The results of our program of summer rushing were discussed and the Club feels that they have had a most successful season for Central Florida with pledges at Stetson, Tallahassee, and Rollins.

At our November meeting Winifred Smith Paige, our province vice-president, was our guest. Everybody enjoyed Mrs. Paige's talk, and gaining news and ideas from what the other clubs are doing. Plans for our annual Christmas dance and raffle were discussed and committees appointed. The money received from this is sent to Settlement School.

Our Christmas meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Loomis Leedy Small and presents were exchanged around the Christmas tree. A holiday rush party was discussed and it was decided to have a breakfast on the day of our Christmas dance. Plans for raising money for the Endowment fund were talked over.

MARGUERITE LOBEAN SCHNUCK

TAMPA CLUB

The members of the Tampa Club keep in close and friendly contact with each other by regular monthly meetings. The second Tuesday in each month we meet with one of the members for supper and a business meeting.

The November meeting was a little out of the ordinary. Mrs. Winifred Paige, our province vice-president, visited us that week and after a dinner at the Cricket Tea Room, she talked to us informally about the strides of the Settlement School and the plans for the coming Asheville Convention. She spoke with such enthusiasm that each of us immediately began to make Asheville-bound plans.

During the holiday season, we entertained at our annual Christmas dance, held this year at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club, and including Pi Phi and their guests.

We regret losing our Corresponding Secretary, Lillian (Mrs. J. E.) Lindley, who moved to Miami shortly before Christmas.

JULIA FOLSOM

ETA PROVINCE

CHICAGO ALUMNAE CLUB SOUTH

The first joint meeting of all the groups was an evening supper, on October 14, at the home of Mrs. Arthur B. Wright (Nelle Kemp). The attendance was excellent, with fifty-five South Side Pi Phis, among which were a great many younger girls who have transferred to the University of Chicago or have just graduated from colleges. One of these was Barbara Kimbrough, Washington B, winner of the Pi Phi Fellowship for 1937-38, who is continuing her studies at the University of Chicago. The high spot of the evening was having Mrs. Murkland, Eta P.V.P., as our guest of honor and we hope she will visit us often in the future. She also met with our president, Mrs. W. A. Pennington (Eugenia Shaw) and the board and we feel that a number of questions about the group system were cleared up at that time.

The names of the groups have been changed to Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta, Epsilon, and Zeta. The latter is a new evening group that was organized in October. Seventeen attended the first meeting and they plan to meet once a month, alternating between social meetings and lectures or tours.

Our treasurer reports 53 paid members at this time, which is considerably more than last year.

A Christmas plant was sent to each of our I. C. Sorosis members living on the south side.

Another evening supper is planned for February when we hope to have Mrs. Warren T. Smith, Grand Vice-President, as our guest of honor.

We have already sent \$100 as part of our pledge to Settlement School and \$10 to the Loan Fund. We are also working toward sending money to the Endowment Fund and are selling Pi Phi cook books, vanilla, and magazine subscriptions. In the spring it is proposed to have a sale of Arrow Craft and in the meantime to raffle off articles at the general and group meetings.

Any one wishing to join a group or attend our next supper meeting is asked to telephone Mrs. L. O. Pencken at Regent 3005. We will be glad to welcome any Pi Phi to membership or as a guest at any meeting if she is unable to attend all of them.

CECILE GILROY MUNNECKE

CHICAGO NORTH CLUB

The summer activities of our club were very successful both from a financial standpoint and a social one. We deemed it advisable to hold joint meetings and found this most satisfactory.

Our program this fall has been a most active one, starting off with our usual cook-shine held at the home of Mrs. E. G. Wilcox at which we had the extreme pleasure of Mrs. Murkland's presence. On November 12 we held our benefit bridge which we considered quite a success. A very lovely Settlement School tea was held at the chapter house at Northwestern University on December 8 and considering the adverse weather conditions was well attended.

The membership of all groups has increased considerably this fall and we hope that after the holiday season it will continue to increase. We cordially invite any new Pi Phi and wish that they would contact Mrs. E. P. Russell, Greenleaf 4783.

Our club is still sponsoring vanilla and will be glad to send information and prices to any alumnae club. A good many clubs have taken advantage of this offer and have found it to be very profitable.

Plans are now under way for our spring social events and promise to be very interesting and worthwhile.

DOROTHY FISHER KIRK

CARTHAGE CLUB

The meetings of the Carthage Alumnae Club are held every other month in the homes of the members. At the first meeting the Constitution was studied. The second meeting was a review of Willa Cather's "Not Under Forty." A report of the Information Number of the ARROW was given at the last meeting. The programs for the rest of the year will be on the Settlement School, the history of $\Pi \Phi$, activities of other fraternities, and a celebration of Founders' Day. Since our club is not near an active chapter, we decided to adopt Wisconsin B as the active chapter to be interested in this year.

We are glad to have two new members, Mrs. Harrod Hiller (Nelle Tower) of Kohoka, Missouri, of the Wisconsin B chapter, and Mrs. John Bustard (Lenore Bland) of La Harpe from Illinois B.

We enjoyed a visit from Mrs. Murkland, our Province Vice-President, on Armistice Day.

Two of the members attended the ceremony at Monmouth when the bronze tablet was placed on the grave of Miss Campbell. This was followed by a tea at Mrs. Lauder's.

MIRIAM E. WILLIAMS

CHICAGO BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB

Getting an early start with a September meeting, we have had an average attendance of fifteen members for the first four meetings. However, to indicate the fluctuation in our group, only five of the seventeen members attending in October had been present the previous time. We have an active list of approximately 45.

Miss Betty Aldrich is our president and we have continued under her leadership our activities to raise money for the benefit of the Settlement School. In October we held a rummage sale and netted \$65; during November and December we have been selling Christmas cards and wrappings and so far have netted \$15. We received a nice display of Arrow Craft articles and beginning with a tea November 13 have bent our efforts towards their sale.

At our November meeting which was held in Little Bohemia, we had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Weir, alumnae editor of the ARROW, and her daughter, Frances Weir Shuford. Mrs. Weir gave us some interesting sidelights on the job of going to press with letters such as this. We followed our usual custom of bringing gifts for a grab bag for our Christmas party and at the same time filled a box of toys to be sent to the Settlement School.

Our January meeting brought a certain nostalgia for college days as Margaret Lindsay presented a study of the Constitution and History. Our meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month and we are anxious to have business girls affiliate with the group.

COSETTE NELSON

DECATUR CLUB

The first fall meeting of the Decatur Alumnae Club was held during rushing week, the second Tuesday in September, in the Pi Phi house. The members who attended enjoyed seeing the many improvements which had been made in the chapter house during the summer, and were greatly interested in the discussion of rushing given by the actives.

The October 12 meeting based on the Pi Phi constitution was held in the home of Margaret Dewcain Valentine. At this time plans for a dress raffle were given to the club. The program consisted of a "spell-down" on constitutional questions.

On November 13, which was Homecoming at Millikin, the Alumnae Club was fortunate in having as its guest, Mrs. Phillip Murkland, Eta Province Vice-President. Following the Homecoming dinner which took place in the chapter house, Mrs. Murkland met with the alumnae members. Mrs. Murkland's helpful suggestions and bits of interesting news of other clubs were greatly appreciated.

The December and January meetings have been combined, and will be held the second Tuesday in January.

Money making schemes which have been most successful this year consist of a fall rummage sale, a dress raffle (the money being used for Endowment and Settlement School), the sale of cook books, and the sale of magazines for the Magazine Agency.

JOSEPHINE HUTCHINGS CAMPBELL

DU PAGE COUNTY CLUB

The club started its fall program with a good percentage of the members present. A cooky-shine, carried out in the traditional fashion, demonstrated that even those of us who have been alumnae for many years can

still sit on the floor without groaning. In November our Settlement School tea and sale were most capably managed by Dorothy Lively. Her ability and personality will be greatly missed when she leaves us soon to make her home in Des Moines.

The December meeting included only the Glen Ellyn members as a severe ice and sleet storm made it impossible for those living in the other towns to attend. So the fun of our usual White Elephant Sale was postponed until the January meeting. Our membership is small and widely scattered but all the members are enthusiastic in their cooperation and the club is a source of pride and pleasure to us all.

KATHLEEN FLEMING BROWN

GALESBURG CLUB

The Galesburg Alumnae Club joined with Illinois B-Δ at a breakfast in June at which time we welcomed back all Illinois B, Illinois Δ, and Illinois B-Δ Alumnae. This year brought us an unusually large number due to the celebration marking the founding of Galesburg and of Knox College one hundred years ago.

In August we met at a picnic-luncheon to lay plans for the new year and to discuss prospective rushees.

On October 23 we again combined with the active chapter to entertain at a formal dinner in honor of the 1937 rushees. A short business meeting was held following the dinner for the alumnae present.

This year promises to be one of the best with awakened interest in $\Pi \Phi$ and in Knox College, with additional Centennial Celebrations planned for October.

CORENNE SMITH

JOLIET CLUB

On November 16, 1937, twelve Pi Beta Phis from Lockport, Gardner and Joliet, Illinois, met at the home of Mrs. Harry E. Jennings, Jr., in Lockport for a "cooky-shine" and the organization of a new alumnae club for Eta Province.

Following a candlelight "cooky-shine," $\Pi \Phi$ songs were sung and Pi Phi, who had lived in this same locality for years, became acquainted socially for the first time and renewed their bonds of mutual friendship in their Fraternity.

Seven chapters were represented, Illinois A, Illinois B, Illinois Z, Indiana A, Kansas A, Ohio Γ, and Wisconsin B. The twelve charter members with their chapter affiliation were:

Lucille Lorimer Evans, Illinois A.
 Marjorie Caton Pyle, Illinois B.
 Blanche Lindsay Wood, Ethel Scotland, and Beulah Green, all of Illinois Z.
 Elizabeth Myers Jennings, Indiana A.
 Nellie Dow Burden, Kansas A.
 Isabel B. Gibson, Ohio Γ.
 Emily Cheesebro Carson, Charity Carson, Mary Adeline Robb Bottino, and Florence North Kasper, all of Wisconsin B.

Elizabeth Myers Jennings (Mrs. Harry E. Jr.) was elected president, for the club year 1937-38; Lucille Lorimer Evans (Mrs. Glenn A.), vice-president; Marjorie Caton Pyle (Mrs. Thomas V.), recording secretary; and Emily Cheesebro Carson (Mrs. Hugh B.), treasurer. Each member contributed games and toys for a Christmas box for Settlement School children and wrapped and packed them following the business meeting.

Meetings are to be held once a month from September through June, but will be alternated with Saturday afternoon and Tuesday night meetings.

The second meeting of the club was a luncheon on December 11, 1937, in the new Casino Room at the Louis Joliet Hotel in Joliet. Ten members and one guest, Lucille Hull Fletcher (Mrs. Edwin L.) a Pi Phi from Illinois H and Morris, Illinois, were present. Before the meeting had adjourned Mrs. Fletcher decided she would also like to be a member of our club. Now we have thirteen members and our goal is a membership of twenty before the end of this fiscal year.

Interesting projects for the betterment of our Fraternity, both locally and nationally, are planned for the remainder of our first year along with our desire to rededicate and revive those ideals for better womanhood and truer friendship which is created through the ties of our $\Pi \Phi$ Fraternity.

CHARITY CARSON

LIBBIE BROOKS GADDIS CLUB (AVON)

Following an annual custom, the club held its mid-summer session at the Avondale Club with a picnic supper followed by a business meeting.

The centennial celebration of the settlement of Avon

occurred in August and several of our club members were active in making it a success. Seven members took prominent parts in the pageant, Portraits of a Century, Miss Ruth Woods being especially commended for her unusual work. A car decorated in wine and blue, crowned with a large golden arrow and carrying a group of Pi Phis dressed in blue, took part in the parade.

Miss Lucy Davis (Illinois B), the daughter of Frances (Ross) Davis, is sailing for Puerto Rico where she will act as dietitian in the Presbyterian Hospital at San Juan.

EDITH CRISSEY

MADISON CLUB

The Madison Club started out well this year with an increase in membership. So far the meetings have been chiefly concerned with the plans and work connected with the remodeling of the chapter house. Club members have also helped more than usual with rushing, since the girls of the active chapter had to hold rushing parties outside of the house. The new home of Wisconsin A has turned out so beautifully under extensive remodeling that we all think of it as a new house.

We look forward to entertaining Mrs. Murkland, our province vice-president, at a combined meeting of actives and alumnae to be held at the chapter house in January. We have made a definite effort to reach all Wisconsin Alpha alumnae so that they may have a share in our activities.

BETTY HUTCHCRAFT

MILWAUKEE CLUB

The Milwaukee Alumnae Club opened its season on September 18 with a luncheon and business meeting at the home of Mrs. John Ray in Wauwatosa. Summer rushing activities were reviewed and a rising vote of thanks given Mrs. Val Blatz, who entertained a large group of rushees at her Oconomowoc home. Mrs. Arthur Sawers' resignation as president was regretfully accepted and Mrs. Holland Thomson elected to the office. Dues were raised fifty cents to provide a convention delegate fund. Mrs. Ray reported over \$60 worth of magazine subscriptions received during the summer.

On October 7 and 8 we had our annual rummage sale for the benefit of the Settlement School. Under Mrs. C. Ray Cook's chairmanship it went over very successfully.

Our October meeting was an exhibit and sale of Arrow Craft products in the attractive showrooms of the Butler & Sons Company downtown. Members brought guests and tea was served.

In November we met for luncheon at the Y.W.C.A. and heard a program consisting of book reviews by Mrs. Phyllis Higgins.

Our Christmas party, at the home of Mrs. Cook, was well attended. The committee in charge served a buffet supper to about eighty, including actives and pledges from nearby chapters who were at home for the holidays. Three of these girls, Suzanne Pick, Carolyn Overholt, and Margaret Thorp, are daughters of Club members.

In January we will meet for Incheon at the College Woman's Club and hear a lecture by Leon Pescheret, a well known artist and Pi Phi husband, on the "Art of Etching."

ALICE MCNEEL ECKSTEIN

MONMOUTH CLUB

The regular monthly meetings have been held this year on the first Monday of the month. The club has succeeded in raising money in two ways this fall—by a rummage sale and by the sale of dish cloths.

The visit of Mrs. Philip P. Murkland, Eta Province vice-president, was enjoyed by all the members. During her short stay in Monmouth she was a guest at a cooky-

shine held at the home of Mrs. Clarence Gittings near Cameron.

On Pledge Day, November 7, the alumnae entertained the actives and pledges at a luncheon following the pledging ceremony. Just before college closed for the Christmas holidays a cooky-shine was enjoyed by the actives and alumnae at the home of Mrs. Louise Campbell. The actives held their annual Christmas grab bag.

MARY MACDILL

OAK PARK CLUB

During the summer the Oak Park and River Forest Alumnae Club was busy assisting with rushing activities. On August 28, at the home of Mrs. G. W. Hales, we gave a tea for girls in the vicinity who planned to enter colleges and universities this fall.

The program for the coming year promises to be an interesting and unusual one. In November, Mrs. C. M. Purdunn came to Oak Park and told us about her work as Director of Central Office. In December was the Christmas Party and in February a Pi Phi Little Theater meeting. The annual Settlement School sale took place sometime shortly before Christmas.

PAULA SCHUMACHER

PEORIA CLUB

The first club meeting of the year was held at the University Club with a full roster of new officers. After luncheon a business meeting was held and plans made for the ensuing year, and for raising money as our contribution to the Settlement School.

We held a rushing party late in the summer at the home of Jane Dickinson in Washington, Illinois. Later results seemed to prove that our efforts to influence these girls to pledge Pi Phi were successful.

The November meeting was held in the new home of Mrs. Robert Brown.

WILLA M. JURY

ROCKFORD CLUB

The Rockford Club opened its 1937-38 series of monthly meetings in September with an al fresco picnic supper. Our new president, Mrs. Edward Fox, being in charge. We have felt the loss of many of our members who have moved away, so that now our group is quite small. We were greatly encouraged at our October meeting, however, by a visit from Mrs. Phillip Murkland, our Province Vice-President. In spite of our small number, each of us is working enthusiastically and we expect a most successful year.

Our November meeting was given over to a study of the constitution, and our December meeting to a Christmas party and grab bag. A feature of each of our meetings is a raffle, the proceeds of which will go on our Settlement School, Endowment, and Loan Funds.

MARTORIE WHAM RUTHERFORD

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS, CLUB

A rummage sale under the leadership of Mrs. Bullard initiated our money making schemes for the year, the profits amounting to \$43. Julie Macpherson was in charge of the Settlement School sale in December at which \$100 was cleared. A Christmas party in the form of a pot-luck dinner was held at the home of the Misses Smith. Everyone had such a good time that it was decided to make it an annual affair. We are happy to welcome Betty Barker from the Illinois E chapter into our membership this fall. We regret to lose Jane Harris, our recording secretary, who has moved to Shorewood, Wisconsin.

JANE DICKSON BUCKLEY

THETA PROVINCE

CEDAR RAPIDS CLUB

The Cedar Rapids Club has enjoyed a successful year under the leadership of Mrs. LeRoy Weld. The season opened with a rushing tea in September for the girls from Cedar Rapids and nearby towns who were going to college. Laura Storms Knapp, our province vice-president, visited with the club in October. Our annual rummage sale in November was very successful. At the Settlement School tea and sale a goodly number of articles was sold. Plans are made for alternate luncheon and evening meetings so that the girls may all have an opportunity of attending.

DES MOINES CLUB

As the President of the Des Moines Club, Mrs. Charles Henshaw, went to California in July for an indefinite period, it was necessary at the October meeting to elect someone to take her place. Mrs. William Abraham, the Vice-President, was chosen and she is proving to be a very capable and charming leader. Mrs. Charles Mortensen was elected Vice-President. At that meeting, which was preceded by a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Charles Waldron, Mrs. Don Bostwick gave an interesting talk about her visit to the Settlement School last summer. In November a luncheon meeting was held at Mrs.

Charles Brown's, and methods of raising money for the Endowment Fund were discussed. Plans were made to sell chances on a lovely doll donated by one of the members, and to sell Christmas cards and playing cards. Since then \$28 have been realized from those projects. To add to that fund, a sealed box will be placed in the room where the wraps are left at the January and February meetings and everyone will be requested to put into it what she can.

At the sale of goods from the Settlement School held in November in the Women's Lounge of the Commodore Hotel about \$300 worth was sold.

Due to the efforts of the membership committee, headed by Mrs. Fred Olmsted, an unusually large number attended the annual Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. Leslie French. Everyone brought canned goods to help fill a basket for a charitable organization. A delightful Christmas reading was given by Mrs. Dwight Percival, who is active in the Little Theatre here.

It is the sincere wish of all the members that any Pi Phi moving to Des Moines will call me for information about meetings and will affiliate with us.

ANNE P. BRUBAKER

DULUTH CLUB

The outstanding event of the year so far, in our Alumnae Club circle, was the Arrow Craft tea given by the Club at the home of Jessie Schee Blu, with Eloise Clark, our President, in charge of arrangements. Three hundred invitations were issued and we feel quite a good deal of satisfaction in the fact that we sold many Arrow Craft articles, beside bringing Pi Phi's accomplishments before the public through newspaper articles advertising our sale. We are certainly grateful to Mildred Syverson Jones for her efforts in promoting the sale. It was such a success that we would like to make it an annual affair.

We are indebted to Mrs. Philip Murkland, Eta Province Vice-President, who visited us last summer, for many valuable suggestions. Mrs. Murkland's visit is always helpful.

Elizabeth Collins' marriage to John Tennant Adams was an event of last summer, and now we have another wedding to look forward to as Elizabeth Huey has announced her engagement to Lee McGonagle.

RUBY BURTNESS OLMSTEAD

IOWA CITY CLUB

The first fall meeting of the club was held in October at the chapter house. It was the annual scholarship dinner with the actives and pledges, and scholarship awards, given by the Building Corporation, were presented by Mrs. William Byington. On this occasion we were favored with a visit from Mrs. Laura Storms Knapp of Ames, Iowa, Theta Province vice-president.

The November meeting was a supper at the home of Mrs. Glenn Ewers. Also in November we had the Settlement School tea and sale which were held at the

chapter house with Mrs. John B. Thompson in charge. She reported sales amounting to \$125. The Christmas party at the chapter house was greatly enjoyed. After a real Christmas dinner the pledges furnished entertainment for the club members and actives.

ELAINE SMITH SWENSON

Mt. PLEASANT CLUB

The first meeting of the Mt. Pleasant Alumnae Club was a supper meeting at the home of Josephine Carper. Following the regular business session and supper the local active chapter held pledging ceremonies for nine new girls, the result of fall pledging. This was a very happy evening for all and the alumnae club was delighted with the new pledge group.

In November the club entertained the active chapter, pledges and Province Vice-President Mrs. Laura Knapp, at a tray supper at the home of Helen Rohde. Due to illness Mrs. Knapp was unable to be present at the meeting, but was sufficiently recovered to meet the executive board the following day. Lydia Dyall gave a talk following the supper on her trip to Europe.

Mrs. Eliza Palmer was hostess to the annual Christmas Tea. This tea is thoroughly enjoyed each year as it gives visiting alumnae a chance to review old times and acquaintances.

The Ways and Means committee headed by Martha Grube has been hard at work. The food sale and rummage sale both proved successful and a benefit movie and bridge are planned for the near future.

This year the added interest in the club is due to the excellent program as developed by Geraldine Ristine. Every member is enjoying each meeting to the fullest and it looks like a banner year for the Mt. Pleasant Alumnae Club.

ALAINA SMOUSE

SIoux CITY CLUB

The Sioux City Alumnae Club of $\Pi B \Phi$ has had a busy autumn. We were happy to have Mrs. Alford as our guest for the November meeting, held the tenth of the month. The meeting was preceded by a dinner in her honor at the West Hotel. She also met with some of the members at luncheon in the Sioux Tea Room at noon on that day.

Mrs. Knapp was our honored guest at a buffet supper preceding the meeting on December 7. It was held in the home of Mrs. Ralph Brubacher.

On December 13, the club had its annual exhibit and sale of articles from the Arrow Craft shop at a tea given in the parlors of the Sioux Apartment Hotel. A satisfactory sum to add to our fund for the Settlement School was realized from the sale.

Mrs. J. A. West and Miss Nancy Broadhead are new members in the club this year. We regret that Mrs. Frank Crabb, who has been actively interested in the work of the organization, is soon to move from the city.

ELIZABETH SMITH

IOTA PROVINCE

BOULDER CLUB

The Boulder Club is having a successful year. We have several new members, graduates of the University, who are bringing us new interest and enthusiasm. We are having our usual supper meetings for which each member pays fifty cents. A gypsy basket and the raffling off of a gift at each meeting are means of raising money for the Settlement School and Endowment and Loan funds.

The first meeting of the year was a traditional cooky-shine at the chapter house with all the pledges and active members. Seventy-two Pi Phis sat on the floor of the attractive new recreation room. The highlight of the November meeting was a charming talk by Sally Peebles, who told some of her experiences while teaching English last year in a girls' school in Le Puy, France. A gay Christmas party was given in December. The alumnae had charge of initiation in January. The February meeting will be devoted to the Settlement School.

LOU H. McALLISTER

DENVER CLUB

Our first fall meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Shrive Collins, Iota Province Vice-President, when reports of pledges of Colorado A and Colorado B were given, with several pledges from Colorado B being present. In November, the Settlement School tea was held at the

Mrs. Frederick Powell's home. From the tea and orders from neighboring clubs who order through us, our Chairman, Mrs. W. G. Rutledge, reports approximately \$450 made to date.

The Christmas luncheon at Mrs. Golding Fairfield's was a very attractive party with Mrs. Lawrence Haney, membership chairman, as Santa Claus. A beautiful Christmas dinner dance at Lakewood Country Club was well attended by alumnae and actives.

In January, we had a supper meeting and book review. In February, a special program was planned in anticipation of the visit of our Grand Vice-President, Mrs. T. Warren Smith.

The annual Benefit Card Party and Style Show, with $\Pi B \Phi$ actives and alumnae modeling, will be held February 26. Founders' Day will be celebrated with a luncheon in April with Colorado B as hostesses.

Mrs. Kenneth Snodgrass, magazine chairman, reports over \$600.00 in orders sent in by January 1.

Mrs. Robert Hanna, Iota Province President, visited Colorado A and Colorado B in the fall and was guest of honor at several functions during her short stay.

Approximate attendance at meetings, 90.

ALBERTA S. WHITE

LARAMIE CLUB

The Laramie Alumnae Club began the year's activities with a well-attended meeting at the home of Mrs. Harriet

Corthell during rush-week. With several actives present to report their progress, excitement and interest in rushing prevailed. Mrs. Cady, Mrs. Gottschalk, and Mrs. Bylund assisted in entertaining.

A visit from Mrs. Collins, our province vice-president, late in September inspired the club to an early and eager start for the year's work. Mrs. Collins led an informal discussion of the national program in relation to the clubs. Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. DeKay, and Miss Isberg entertained the club at the chapter house for this meeting.

November 20 was the date for the annual Settlement School style show and card party given by the club and the Wyoming A chapter. Eloine Cook and Helen Gottschalk, the business managers, reported approximately one hundred dollars earned for the Settlement School by the two groups. Betty Burrage managed the ever-fascinating style show, which was accompanied as before by her original readings. Mrs. Susan Helzer conducted the very successful sale of Arrowcraft articles. Members and friends alike anticipate this affair with so much pleasure each year that it has become an established event in the winter social program.

Detailed reports of the party comprised most of the business meeting in November at Mrs. Lydia Corthell's home. A congenial social followed with Mrs. Greenbaum, Mrs. Helzer, and Mrs. Holliday assisting. Mrs. Alice Ellen Cherbneau, of Denver, was a welcome guest.

The club was especially pleased this year to be able to contribute to the Downey-Hebard Memorial Scholarship Fund established at the University Semicentennial celebration last June by the Alumni Association. Dr. Grace Raymond Hebard, Iowa Z, was responsible for and largely instrumental in establishing at the University of Wyoming a chapter of her Fraternity, $\Pi B \Phi$, the first national fraternity on the campus. As members, three sisters, and two nieces of the distinguished Dr. June E. Downey have contributed more than their share of talent and loyalty to maintaining that chapter and its alumnae club.

Alpha Omega sorority, which became Wyoming A of $\Pi B \Phi$ in 1910, held a reunion during the University's Semi-Centennial celebration last June. Members attending were Helen Clark Sargent, Mary Scott Embree, Jean Douglas Faville, Tessie Langheldt Newman, Agnes Wright Spring, Wilburta Knight Cady, Marion Roberts Tyndall, Miriam Corthell Moreland, Helen Nelson Jeffers, Nellie Snyder Griffiths, Agnes Anderson Gottschalk, Alice Downey Nelson, Harriet Abbot Corthell, five of these being charter members of Wyoming A. Helen Sargent entertained the group at a midnight spread and the local members gave a breakfast, but courage failed at the prospect of an old time slumber party.

Mrs. Nelson T. Johnson (Jane Beck), wife of the U. S. ambassador to China, and her two children are spending these anxious weeks at the home of her parents in Cody, Wyoming.

Coming meetings will include a party for our seniors and freshmen under the chairmanship of Mrs. Cecil Nussbaum, a constitution study, celebration of Founders' Day with the chapter at the chapter house, and election of officers.

HARRIET A. CORTHELL

LINCOLN CLUB

The Lincoln Club has been honored this year by a visit from Miss Onken as well as a visit from our province vice-president, Mrs. Hallie C. Collins. Both guests were entertained with luncheons at the University Club. The active chapter and the alumnae club are indebted to Mrs. Webster for lending her assistance in rushing. Nebraska B has had a most successful year and the alumnae cooperated by assisting with the parties at the chapter house.

We are sorry to lose Lucille Junge as our president, owing to her moving to California, but we have a capable successor in Dorothy Stanley Van Sant. Our treasurer, Cynthia Tupper, also moved away, and Colita Aitken was chosen to take her place.

The Omaha Club entertained the Lincoln Club at luncheon in Omaha in October and we look forward to having them as our guests soon.

This year the Settlement School sale was held at the chapter house and was open to the public. The annual food sale was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Stuart. We are anxious to have all Pi Phis who live near Lincoln come to our meetings and notices have been sent to all near-by towns.

ALAINE M. HARTWELL

TOPEKA CLUB

The Topeka Club held its first meeting of the year in September at the home of Mrs. Russell A. Colvin with Mrs. Muri Johnston, the new president, presiding. Plans for a rummage sale were discussed. This sale was held late in the month and cleared for us more than \$40. The October meeting was a luncheon at the Jayhawk Hotel with Mrs. Shrive Collins, Iowa Province vice-president, as our guest. We met at the Manor Tea Room for our December meeting. A dozen more cook books were sold at this meeting. The remainder of the year will be taken up with the Settlement School meeting, the constitution program and the cooky-shine. Our new members this year include Mrs. Bruce Church, Kansas A; Helen Louise Stants, Colorado A; Mrs. Major Bliss, Kansas B; Mrs. Robert Osborne, Kansas B; and Miss Ruth Winn, Oklahoma A.

MARJORIE HARBAUGH COLVIN

VERMILION CLUB

Meetings have been held regularly each month. Grace De Klotz, South Dakota A, is a new member. In October the club enjoyed a visit from Mrs. Hallie Collins, Province Vice-President. A luncheon was given in her honor, to which the patronesses of South Dakota A were invited. In November the club gave a tea at which products from the Settlement School were sold.

The new house for the active chapter is nearing completion and should be ready for occupancy early in the second semester.

LUCY CONNER

KAPPA PROVINCE

ARDMORE CLUB

The Ardmore Alumnae Club can report a most pleasant and successful year so far. During the summer we had several informal parties for rushees, and monthly meetings, in the homes of various members, usually in the mornings.

With the autumn we commenced a series of monthly luncheons. These have proved most enjoyable. Mrs. Garlock inaugurated the plan, in September. Since then two hostesses have shared the hospitality. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Batis, in October, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Hollingsworth in November, and Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Galt in December.

Our president, Mrs. Adams, arranged that the club members purchase simple printed programs, which include the subject for each meeting of the year, our roster, and the personnel of the standing committees.

A dozen of our members helped celebrate, at Oklahoma University, when Mrs. Stark made formal presentation of the Balfour Cup. We also expressed our congratulations to the chapter with a gift of silver. A charter member of the Ardmore Alumnae Club, Mrs. Bretch, now of Oklahoma City, made a delightful speech that evening, on behalf of the chapter alumnae.

We raised our dues 20 per cent this year, held a sale of Settlement School products, early in December, at the home of Mrs. Love, an intensive campaign for magazine subscriptions, and carried out one or two other ideas—all

together we felt we were able to budget a small sum to each of the Fraternity's national projects.

We have enjoyed visiting Pi Phis at every meeting this year, and we reiterate our invitation to let us know if you are near enough to join us.

MARTHA JOHNSON WILLIAMS

DALLAS CLUB

From the time of the first opening meeting in September, our club has shown a fresh enthusiasm and response for the 1937-38 projects. The yearbooks which were mailed to every Pi Phi in the city before the first meeting were profitable, not only from the advertising space sold, but also because they stimulated attendance because of the interesting programs. In the yearbook was a complete roster of all Dallas Pi Phis and a list of the members of the active chapter of Texas B, at Southern Methodist University.

Due to the efforts of the membership committee, many Pi Phis who have been inactive or who have recently moved to the city, have identified themselves with the club and have brought refreshing inspiration to the group. The October program on the constitution was made interesting by a "true and false" test. Mrs. Litcher Stark was a guest at this meeting and she gave us a delightfully informal talk on the Settlement School.

The pledges and active chapter were our guests at the

November meeting, when the ring annually presented by the club to the freshman having the highest scholastic standing was awarded to Mary Ann Potts.

A tea was given honoring Mrs. J. M. Clayton, the only IC Sorosis member of the Dallas Club, Miss Lida Spraggins, Dean of Women at S.M.U., Mrs. Lutcher Stark, Grand Secretary, and the mothers of pledges and members of Texas B. Also honored at this tea were the presidents of other Greek letter organizations at S.M.U.

The Arrowcraft exhibition and sale was held at the Highland Park Town Hall and was highly successful. In December a musical program by the club and the active chapter revealed new talent. We look forward to Miss Onken's visit in the spring.

ELISE BUMPASS HELMS

FORT SMITH CLUB

The meetings of the club are held the first Monday night of each month in the homes of the members with two members as hostesses.

The club is happy to announce two new members, Ruthe Wright and Marie Scott, Arkansas A.

On December 2, 3, and 4, the club sponsored five benefit bridge parties in the homes of the different members to raise money for the Settlement School. These parties were very successful.

The club is glad to announce that three Fort Smith girls were pledged at the University of Arkansas and one at Randolph-Macon.

RUTH MORTON

FORT WORTH CLUB

The club's fall activities included an unusually successful Settlement School tea and sale in the form of a morning coffee and an afternoon tea.

Among the debutantes presented here this season were five Pi Phi's, namely, Hattie Bess Wallace, Nancy Lee Muse, Loretta McDermott, Sallie Teas and Mary Ellen Lilly. These girls were honored at the Settlement School tea.

The annual Christmas party given for children was held in December, the proceeds being given to the Good-fellows, an organization devoted to charity.

We have been pleased to welcome several new members into the club and hope to have more.

MALLORY GRIFFITH KOENIG

HOUSTON CLUB

The Houston Club has had a happy holiday season. Our money raising project was a costume dance for the students home from college, held at the River Oaks Country Club on Christmas night. The money thus raised is to be used for our contribution to the Settlement School and for a gift to the new chapter house at the University of Texas. Another event of the holiday season was the rush tea given in the gracious and lovely setting of "The Oaks," home of Alice Baker Jones, one of our debutantes who is soon to be a bride.

We are happy to welcome several new members, all of whom are showing great interest in our undertakings. Our active membership is now 73.

ALICE HURLEY MACKAY

LITTLE ROCK CLUB

Each month our club has one evening meeting and one luncheon. This enables both business girls and housewives to attend at least one meeting a month.

During the past summer plans were made for rushing, a committee being appointed to cooperate with the Arkansas A chapter in regard to the girls who were to be recommended. The alumnae club entertained for the rushees of the entire state with a tea at the home of Margaret Ann Alpheldt, the tea being preceded by a luncheon given by the active chapter. Following the tea, a dinner and dance were given. The last entertainment of the club was a tea given at The Old Coach House for girls entering Arkansas University.

The club has 43 active members and 10 inactive ones. During the summer interesting reports have been received from two of our members who were traveling in Europe, Mildred Wood and Elizabeth Dunaway. Catherine Hardin was recently married to William Smith and Mary Lillian Stuart to Paul Gray.

Frances Richardson has been elected Secretary of the Red Cross. Pauline Hoeltzel is now Secretary of the American Association of University Women. Virginia Ellen

Edwards is in Washington, D.C., where she is connected with the Social Security Administration.

DAISY TRIBBLE

The Little Rock Alumnae Club celebrated the Christmas holidays with its annual Christmas party. Dinner was served at the beginning of the party, followed by a short business meeting and games. There were approximately thirty-five Pi Phi's at the party.

During this time of the year the Alumnae Club tries to make some needy family happy by contributing baskets of food, clothing, etc. This year we chose a high school girl and acted as a "Big Sister" to her during the holidays. We are now planning a loan fund for the benefit of young girls who are worthy but not financially able to attend business school, enter nursing training or any other college of mediocre expense.

The Little Rock Alumnae Club is looking forward to a visit from Miss Onken in the spring. We have received a letter from her which is very encouraging, and we are sure that we are going to benefit by her visit.

We are glad to report that twenty-five members of our club have paid their National Dues.

DAISY TRIBBLE

MUSKOGEE CLUB

At the first meeting this fall each club member was presented with a pamphlet edited by the executive committee. This gave the names of all hostesses for the year and the dates of several parties including a Thanksgiving luncheon and a Christmas week Coffee. The Thanksgiving luncheon was given in honor of the three new pledges at the University of Oklahoma, Marjorie Griffin, Ann Swan, and Mary Powell.

The Coffee was held at the home of Mrs. Douglas D'Armand. Christmas decorations were used and twenty rushees were invited.

A rummage sale and a white elephant sale have netted the club \$17.14. We hope to increase our funds later in the year.

DOROTHY D'ARMAND

NEW ORLEANS CLUB

It will be possible here to give only a few of the activities of the New Orleans Alumnae Club for the past few months. The interest of the club members has increased to such an extent that it has been possible to make great strides in our organization.

On October 15 through the courtesy of the Towle Silver Company, we were able to make \$75 for our efforts in contacting one hundred young matrons in the city to examine the display presented by the company. On December 10 a very successful silver tea and Christmas sale was made the highlight of the year by having Miss Onken as our guest. The following day Miss Onken was guest of honor at a luncheon at a Vieux Carre tea room with fifty alumnae, actives and pledges present.

Aside from our regular business meetings we have been having what we call "work and play" meetings. At these gatherings the alumnae make gauze swabs for the Women's Dispensary of New Orleans, and are entertained by reviews of current books. We have been fortunate enough to hear Mrs. C. C. Henson and Miss Dorothy Oeschner, who are well known for their excellent book reviews. This is an unusually pleasant way of working and visiting, and the meetings have become an event which the club members enjoy even more than an "afternoon of bridge."

We have contacted many of the out of town alumnae who are now living in New Orleans. Some have been in the city several years, others only a short time, but all of them are graciously entering into all of our activities. It is with a great deal of pleasure that we welcome them.

With a great deal of pride the New Orleans Club looks back on the accomplishments of 1937, and it feels confident of greater things in 1938.

ELEANOR SHANDS LEAKE

OKLAHOMA CITY CLUB

The Oklahoma City Alumnae Club meets on the first Monday of each month in homes of members, with a luncheon the usual form of meeting, and an average attendance of about thirty-five members.

On October 28, 1937, the alumnae of the state held a sort of a conclave at Norman, to celebrate the formal presentation of the National Balfour cup, which the

Oklahoma A chapter won for the past year. The alumnae, Oklahoma A and otherwise, attempted to show the active chapter their pride in their accomplishment by gathering there and witnessing the presentation. The active girls entertained with a beautiful tea at the house in the afternoon, followed by a banquet in the Students' Union Hall. The cup was presented by Mrs. Nita Hill Stark, Grand Secretary, and acknowledged by Patricia Sewell, chapter president. Among other important guests were Miss Gladys Scivally, Province President, and Mrs. Olivia Smith Moore. Mrs. Jewell Robbins, Oklahoma A alumna, ably filled the toastmistress' chair and short talks were made by the guests of honor and several of the charter members of the chapter. Very well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by all the grateful alumnae, it proved a very successful evening.

Our December meeting comprised a cooky-shine at the home of Mrs. John Charles and a sale of Settlement School articles. The sale was confined to members of the club this year, since we were a bit late on deciding on same, and the quantity of articles available from the school was limited.

We are talking Convention at our every meeting and planning on sending a delegate, also hoping many members will feel the urge to attend this particular time, because of the added attraction of the side trip to Gattinburg.

DORIS FISHER DALTON

SABINE DISTRICT CLUB

The club opened its fall activities with a luncheon at the Hotel Beaumont. We have a membership of between twenty and twenty-five and these usually attend all meetings. The annual sale of Settlement School products was held this fall in the home of Ruth Walker, chairman for the Settlement School fund, and was a delightful occasion as well as a financial success. In the center of the tea table was a beautiful arrangement of orchids and chrysanthemums which had been sent from the Stark conservatories at Orange. The day following Nita Stark, our Grand Secretary and fairy godmother, entertained with a lovely luncheon at her home in Orange in honor of Mrs. Moore of Texarkana, our new province vice-president, Barbara Miller O'Brien, a new member from Illinois, was also an honored guest. Mrs. Moore spoke informally and interestingly about the work of other clubs and proved an inspiration to us all.

HELEN ADAMS KEIG

SAN ANTONIO CLUB

The San Antonio Club has begun a well organized program under the leadership of Mrs. W. F. Sylvester, our president for 1937-38. For the first time the club has a yearbook containing the name, address, and telephone number of every member, and an outline of the entire year's work.

This year every member of the club has some definite work to do, either as an officer or member of a committee, and every member will act as hostess sometime during the year. Every Pi Phi in San Antonio has been contacted either by the visiting committee or the telephone committee, and many formerly inactive members have returned to the club.

Mrs. Gilbert Denman was chairman of the Settlement School sale held in December for one day in the guest house at Ivy Lane. Mrs. Lutchter Brown's lovely new estate, and the following two days at the Bright Shawl Tearoom operated by the Junior League of San Antonio.

In February the alumnae club will be hostess at a

luncheon honoring the Pi Phi debutantes, Margaret Terrell (Texas A), Mary Louise Tips (District of Columbia A), Gerry Fraser (Texas A), Martha Wiggins (Texas A), Sara Lillian Dugger (Texas A), and Anne Wright, Texas A pledge.

NELL EZELL THOMAS

STILLWATER CLUB

The Stillwater Alumnae Club has hardly realized in the rush of local activities that half of its club year is past. We have, however, met three times and have done our usual bit for the local chapter.

We are glad to welcome back into membership three people who have been away from us for a year or more. Mrs. Harry Anderson (Melva Dark) spent last year in Berkeley with her husband while he completed work for his Master's Degree at the University of California. Mrs. Roger Flanders (Elizabeth Boyd) and Mrs. H. A. Graham (Hattie Hayman) are back from a two years' sojourn in Dallas.

Our first social meeting was a shower for Betty Price, who married Paul Browning in September. She was our outstanding campus celebrity of year before last and a fine alumnae club member last year—our loss is a gain for the Bartlesville Pi Phis. In November a meeting at the home of our president, Mrs. A. E. Buikstra (Eunice Paterson), was next on our calendar. Mrs. Roger Flanders gave a fine talk on the Settlement School and we were able to send out contributions to our II B Phi projects after this meeting as a result of the success of a rummage sale held the previous Saturday.

Miss Gladys Scivally, our province president, was honored at our meeting in December. This month also brought the annual Christmas party at the chapter house, when all the Pi Phi children are entertained by the active girls. It is an event eagerly looked forward to by every Pi Phi family, for the papas and mamas are included, and the atmosphere is one of homecoming.

Our club feels very thankful for its happy start, and hopes that 1938 will bring success for the remainder of the club year.

RUTH SUNDELL ORR

TULSA CLUB

Tulsa Alumnae Club is well launched on a successful new year. Our activities are varied and are both philanthropic and social. We have contributed generously to the local milk fund and to Panhellenic which maintains several hospital beds and finances medical attention for underprivileged children. As you know, we are on record in support of the Settlement School and the Endowment Fund.

We have thoroughly enjoyed our efforts in raising our funds for these worthy projects. We had a treasure hunt in which all ages participated and which proved a huge success. We observed our annual custom of entertaining with a mothers' tea which was beautifully appointed in a motif of holiday suggestions.

Many of the alumnae members attended the tea given in honor of Mrs. Stark and Mrs. Hill at the chapter house in Norman and that evening, the banquet at which Mrs. Stark presented the Balfour cup to Oklahoma A in recognition of their scholastic standing.

Under the leadership of a most capable and enthusiastic president, Mrs. Helen Robbins, Tulsa Alumnae Club is carrying on in a traditional manner worthy of the name it bears. So may we pledge anew our loyalty to II B Phi.

ALLIE YOUNG CONNER

LAMBDA PROVINCE

BOISE CLUB

The Boise Alumnae Club opened the year's meetings with a hotel luncheon meeting in October, honoring Mrs. Sue Fletcher, Province Vice-President. The Alumnae Club felt very fortunate in having Mrs. Fletcher present at its first meeting. A large number of members were present, bringing with them much enthusiasm for the coming year. Mrs. Fletcher spoke of the affairs of Pi Phi in general and of the proposed convention of the alumnae chapters of Lambda Province to be held sometime the latter part of April at some centrally located city, not then definitely decided upon.

In November a Settlement School meeting was held. At this meeting the membership committee reported four new members.

At the December meeting, business was the main topic.

Ways and means of raising money were discussed. Plans were also made for the Christmas party which was held the last of December. The party, honoring visiting active members of Pi Phi, their mothers and alumnae club members, was a candle-light tea. Mrs. A. J. Coats, at whose home the tea was held, gave a short program of musical numbers on her pipe-organ, after which she accompanied the entire group in singing Pi Phi songs. Moving pictures of seldom photographed sections of Idaho were shown as part of the program.

The fall meetings of the Boise Alumnae Club have been most successful and enjoyable; and with the present enthusiasm continuing throughout the year, we are looking forward to a most successful spring.

The club is very sorry to have had to lose three members during December. Mrs. D. S. Kebra was transferred to Spokane; Mrs. E. R. Greenslet was transferred to

Salt Lake; and Miss Frances McMonigle left for Washington, D.C., to accept a position with the Federal Government.

CHRISTINE MCLEAN

CALGARY CLUB

The Calgary Club held its first meeting of the year at the home of Lorna Park. Given King was elected treasurer, replacing Billie Ferguson, who is taking a course in interior decoration in Chicago. This year our membership is smaller than usual because several of our former members have moved away while we have only one new member from the active chapter, Mary Davidson.

The October meeting was held at Dr. Oakley's when plans were made for Mrs. Alford's visit. Mary Davidson showed some of her souvenirs from the Convention last June at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago. Lambda Province Vice-President, Mrs. Fletcher, visited us in November, bringing with her a fine selection of Arrow Craft articles. Later in the month Mrs. Alford paid us a visit when a tea was given in her honor.

The December meeting was a luncheon with the actives and pledges as our guests.

MARY DAVIDSON

CORVALLIS CLUB

The interests of the club members this winter were centered primarily around a Settlement School tea given in November at the chapter house. Over 200 illustrated invitations were issued to women of the Oregon State faculty and of Corvallis. A total of \$114 showed in the receipts column as a result of the venture. To garner additional funds a rummage sale is being planned for early in the spring.

Mrs. Sue Winton Fletcher, Province Vice-President, was the welcome guest of the club in October at a buffet luncheon given in her honor. At one of the fall meetings Alice Ingalls spoke concerning her experiences in Honolulu last year, where she was affiliated with the II B & Alumnae Club in its activities in the Islands.

All members of the Corvallis Club were invited as guests to a gala Christmas party at the local chapter house, and the club held its own annual party and exchange of gifts a few days later. A baby shower was given in November for Mrs. Hal Moe. Mary Woodcock, who is to be a bride in February, will be honor guest at the next supper meeting.

ALICE INGALLS

EDMONTON CLUB

Edmonton Alumnae Club opened its season by helping the actives prepare the house for the new term. Rushing next took our attention. We were delighted that for another consecutive year we were the most successful on the campus.

We were extremely fortunate in having visits from Mrs. Fletcher and Mrs. Alford before the worst of our winter set in, and we can only hope to see them again at an early future date. Their bits of news about Settlement School and other Pi Phis are always welcome.

Monthly meetings are being held in the homes of the various members, where business and enjoyment are mixed and we get an opportunity of hearing short talks from different members at each meeting.

Mrs. Charles Freund (Ruth Bowen) from Chicago, has been staying with her parents at Government House for a month or two. Barbara Burns has left Edmonton for Vancouver, British Columbia and Ruth Graham has left us for a position on Johns Hopkins Hospital staff. We miss both of them terribly as they were both very active Pi Phis. We have Gretchen Eckel from Ontario Beta with us again this year.

The Mothers' Club has been of great assistance with redecorating the house and also had a lovely tea for Mrs. Alford to which they asked the alumnae.

We held a very successful Rummage Sale late in October to raise funds.

We are increasing cooperation with the active chapter over the Magazine Agency, resulting in a greater increase of subscriptions than last year.

We are looking forward to much activity in the New Year.

DOREEN E. FRASER

EUGENE CLUB

The Eugene Alumnae Club's 1937 Fall season has been quite an eventful one, beginning with a supper-meeting

at the home of the president, Coral Graham Kneeland, with Margaret Warren acting as co-hostess. During this meeting, plans for the Settlement School sale were discussed, and, in order to net a little more money for the treasury, it was decided to continue raffling purchases not amounting to more than twenty-five cents, and the raffle 10 cents per chance.

In our October meeting, we had the pleasure of entertaining our Province Vice-President, Mrs. Fletcher, who spoke to us of the Settlement School, the 1938 National Convention, Endowment Fund, and the probability of having a Lambda Province Conference in consideration of the fact that many would not be able to attend our National Convention, and to create a closer relationship among the clubs of the Lambda Province.

The alums were "warned" that a song in honor of the Pi Phi birthday must be composed before the dinner to be held at the chapter house, October 31.

The Settlement School sale was held at the chapter house, November 18 from 2 to 5 P.M., and 7 to 9 o'clock, and was reported to have been quite successful.

We are glad to welcome Jessie Rav Atwater, Helen Dodds, Frances Dodds Ness, Mary Ellen Eberhart, and Mrs. M. B. Frickman into our club.

RUBY FRANCES GEORGE

FANNY WHITENACK LIBBEY CLUB (YAKIMA)

Our club started its meetings late this year as every one in this fruit country is very busy in September. We held our October meeting with Mrs. Ora Lee and had as our guest Mrs. Fletcher, province vice-president. Our new club president, Mrs. Chastain, had everything well planned for the year. Each meeting is to start with a buffet supper followed by a business session and then an entertainment of some sort.

At the October meeting, Mrs. Ben Perham gave a talk on "What interested me most on my European trip." The November meeting was held at the home of our president, A puppet show, The Wishing Fairy, was given by the Chastain youngsters and was truly delightful.

The December meeting was held with Julia Shadbolt with a Christmas tree and gift exchange. At each meeting someone brings an article which is raffled off, thus bringing in some money to our treasury monthly. We have had a Settlement School tea at which four Pi Phi mothers assisted. The club has twenty-four very active members with so many young members that it seems more like an active chapter than an alumnae club.

BETTY JACKSON

INEZ SMITH SOULE CLUB (TACOMA)

Since the beginning of the Fall season, interest and attendance have continued to grow. At the first meeting in October, plans for the following year were outlined. We were fortunate in having our Province Vice-President, Mrs. Howard G. Fletcher, with us at this time, for she helped us with her ideas. Our meetings are dinner meetings, and we have planned to have seven during the year. The December meeting was a luncheon honoring the active chapters.

The latter part of November a sale of Arrow Craft products was held in the home of Mrs. Paul E. Billings.

Our beloved founder, Mrs. Inez Smith Soule, attends all of our meetings, and it is indeed an inspiration to all of us to have her.

JANE WILSON GORDON

THE NANCY BLACK WALLACE CLUB (SALEM)

Our club is again following the custom of having monthly meetings in the form of dinner desserts. We meet the second Thursday of each month and have an average of 14 members present.

Mrs. Vern Miller was hostess for the October meeting at which we were most happy to have Mrs. Howard G. Fletcher, Lambda Province Vice-President, with us.

Mrs. Floyd Thompson was hostess for the November meeting. Arrow Craft products were displayed and sold to members present.

In December we entertained our husbands with a very enjoyable dinner party at the home of Mrs. T. C. Terril, one of our new members.

We are planning a rummage sale to be held sometime

in the near future. This is our most profitable means of raising money.

Mrs. Marion Mulkey is our new president, filling the vacancy left by Mrs. Ruth Field Minnaugh, who has accepted the position of Music Supervisor for the Lincoln County schools.

NAN LAROCHE LADD

OLYMPIA CLUB

In the spring of 1937 the comparatively young Olympia chapter proved that a membership of thirteen is not unlucky (provided it is an entirely paid-up membership), when we were honored with a visit from Mrs. T. N. Alford, editor of our "ARROW"; Mrs. Howard G. Fletcher, Lambda Province Vice-President, and Mrs. Ray H. Finger, chairman of the Endowment Fund Committee. They arrived in time for a Saturday luncheon at the home of our president, Mrs. G. Noyes Talcott, Jr., and we spent the afternoon in an informal exchange of ideas led by Mrs. Alford, who seems to have a limitless supply of interesting ones on every subject.

On October 16 Mrs. Fletcher again joined us for a luncheon meeting and imparted some of her enthusiasm for Settlement School work, which culminated in a tea on December 1, when the group were hostesses to more than one hundred and fifty Olympia women. What had been arranged as an Arrow Craft display developed into an order-taking orgy that necessitated a reorder and grossed more than a hundred and twenty-five dollars. It served a secondary purpose in making the capitol city definitely "Pi Phi conscious."

We relaxed at our December meeting with an exchange of "white elephants" and much fun at the suburban home of Vera McCline.

GWEN LEGEE

PORTLAND, OREGON, CLUB

Under the leadership of Mrs. Ross the Portland Club is enjoying a most successful year. A September rushing tea was given by the club for Oregon A and Oregon B chapters at the home of Mrs. Frank L. Knight. A cooky-shine was also held at the home of Mrs. Geisler. In October the club had a luncheon at the Mallory Court Hotel and a Settlement School tea at the home of Mrs. McMennin. Mrs. Williams, the chairman of our Settlement School committee, has made these sales a real success financially.

In November a luncheon meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Linn. Our dance at the Congress Hotel was on November 24. The Christmas party with Mrs. Dean Vincent concluded the year.

MILDRED SHIELDS ANDERSON

SPOKANE CLUB

First meeting in the fall was held at the home of Mrs. Ed Lehan on September 20. The meeting dates were changed from first Monday in month to second Monday.

It was decided to have a rummage sale, sponsor a card party and give a dance in February. Marjorie Brown was appointed chairman of rummage sale, and we cleared over \$30.

We were glad to welcome many new members into our club this year and hope to have a very successful year with our new president, Mrs. T. V. Morris.

The second meeting at the home of Mrs. Helen Browders had a very large attendance and we were all happy to have Mrs. Fletcher, our province vice-president, with us. She told us about the Endowment Fund drive, the Settlement School and told us of the plan to have a Province Convention, in Seattle, Portland or Spokane sometime in the spring, probably around Founders' Day.

The committee on the yearbook had the books ready for distribution at the November meeting. It was voted to send for some Marvel-S cleaner, as Mrs. Fletcher suggested it would be a fine way to make money, also to send \$10 to the Endowment Fund, \$10 to the Settlement School and \$5 to the Loan Fund.

Mrs. Henry Schlomer gave an interesting talk about her year's stay in Germany.

We were delighted to start out the year with 34 paid memberships, as compared with only 12 at the same time last year.

The December meeting held at the home of Marjorie Brown was in the form of a Christmas fireside and dessert for the active girls home from school. Forty attended and the evening was spent playing games and singing songs, and there was an exchange of gifts.

MARY LE GORE

SEATTLE CLUB

The Seattle Alumnae Club was entertained at a tea at the home of Mrs. Lawrence K. Smith, September 21, with Mrs. Luverne Smith, Mrs. Ray Eckmann, and Mrs. Roscoe Torrance at hostesses. The honored guests were Mrs. Warren T. Smith, Grand Vice-President, Mrs. Howard G. Fletcher, Lambda Province Vice-President, and Mrs. Phillip D. MacBride. Mrs. MacBride with Mr. MacBride, who is a regent of the University of Washington, spent several months traveling in Europe, and gave a most delightful talk on the experiences and observations of her trip. Mrs. Howard G. Fletcher gave a short talk on the national projects of the fraternity. The meeting was well attended and was a forerunner of later successes. Mrs. James T. McDonald (Frances Hopkins) presided at the meeting and assisted the hostesses.

It is the plan of the club to hold all meetings of the year except Founders' Day Banquet at the chapter house on the University of Washington campus. We hope to have members of the active chapter join us, thus promoting a spirit of friendliness between the two groups. Our regular meeting day is the third Tuesday of each month, alternating afternoon and evening meetings.

The second meeting of the year was a Smörgasbord dinner at the chapter house October 19, honoring the pledges of Washington Alpha. Plans were very cleverly worked out by a group of the younger alumnae, including Mrs. Homer Bergren, Virginia Rae Symonds, Dorothy Crouch, Mrs. Dow Tinker, and Jane Smith.

The Pi Phi Arrow Craft Bazaar was held November 6 at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel and was most successful. A large committee, headed by Mrs. William F. Paddock, assisted by Mrs. Homer Bergren and Mrs. Harry Lomen, was in charge.

The November meeting was a tea at the chapter house November 16. Mrs. Harvey Densmore acted as hostess and introduced Mrs. Frank L. Curtis, who gave an informal talk on Christmas Wreaths and Holiday Decorations. Mrs. Emery Fraser, Mrs. E. Stewart Carter, and Mrs. Henry Strassburger were assisting hostesses during the tea hour. Mrs. Ray H. Finger, National Endowment Chairman, was the honored guest. She has resided in Seattle the past year, and has made many friends in both the active chapter and the alumnae club. She will make her new home in Montreal Canada.

In January we held a buffet supper at the chapter house, as a Washington A birthday party. For February a cooky-shine at the chapter house was planned with a Travelog on Alaska by Mrs. Earl Dibble.

In March a Fashion Show tea will be given at the chapter house, with Fashion Highlights by Mrs. Herbert Brink, and election of officers will be held.

We have carried on all money-making activities entirely apart from the regular meetings. We are sponsoring a series of theater parties, the proceeds of which will be divided between the active chapter and the national projects. Mrs. Frank Skinner heads this important committee.

We will concentrate our efforts the next few months on the Endowment Fund race. Jane Smith is in charge of the plans, with Mrs. Lawrence K. Smith and Mrs. J. L. Williams as her assistants.

We are very fortunate to have Ruth Barrett Smith, Grand Vice-President, and her daughter, Betty Smith Cerf, as members of our club this year.

The club has enjoyed increased membership this year, and, due to the devoted and untiring efforts of our president, Frances Hopkins McDonald, we anticipate a successful and profitable year.

The Seattle Alumnae Club extends sincere wishes for a year full of happiness to all Pi Phis, everywhere.

ADELE CARLIN FIX

WENATCHEE CLUB

Our Club officially opened its year with plans for a rushing party which was held in the attractive home of our president. In October we held a tea and reception in honor of our Lambda Province Vice-President, Sue Winton Fletcher, whom we are fortunate enough to claim as a new member of our local club, the Fletchers having recently moved here from Seattle.

This year we have ordered and sold a great deal more Arrowcraft goods than ever before, and we are considering a public sale for next year. We are also ordering more metal sponges for we find their sale an easy way to make money. The profit from these and from a cleaner will be used as our contribution to the Endowment Fund.

In the spring we are to be hostesses at a Panhellenic luncheon to be held in one of the local hotels. These luncheons are for the purpose of bringing together once a year some two hundred fraternity women in this community. Last year K K T was hostess.

ETHELYN JESSEPH GARRETT

MU PROVINCE

BERKELEY CLUB

The Berkeley Club began the year 1937-38 with a resident membership of two hundred. Mary C. Day (California B) was elected president and her official staff consists of:

Mrs. A. E. Kenney (Edith Cook, California B)
Mrs. George Johnson (Sue Boot, Colorado A)
Mrs. W. R. Augustine (Marguerite St. Clair, California F)

Mrs. R. W. Englander (Peggy Porter, California B)
Two of the events scheduled on our Club Calendar have taken place and were very successful. On September 29 our club year opened with a dessert luncheon at the home of Mrs. Forrest C. Kracaw (Betty Johnston, Iowa A). Mrs. G. B. Blanckenburg (Oreon Lucas, California B) was chairman for the affair and gave us a most enjoyable party. About fifty attended.

Then the Settlement School card party was given on November 9 at the chapter house. Mrs. J. S. Morshead (Genevieve Spader, California B) had charge. Twenty-two tables were sold and there were a number of others who came just for tea. The table prizes were Settlement School products and a large number of the Arrow Craft articles were sold during the afternoon. We also raffled off a pewter tray from the school.

The chapter house was beautifully decorated and the success of the party was very gratifying.

The rest of the major events scheduled for the year are the Initiation Banquet in January, a recital in February and the Founders' Day Luncheon in April.

MARGUERITE ST. CLAIR AUGUSTINE

HONOLULU CLUB

The Honolulu Alumnae Club closes its activities for 1937 with a list of varied programs and get-togethers to its credit.

In June we were the luncheon guests of Mrs. Eli Helmick at her Waiiua beach home following a plunge in the surf. In July a tea was held where we welcomed several visiting Mainland Pi Phis among whom was Mrs. Lloyd Wright, past president of the Los Angeles Alumnae Club. At this affair were thirty-four Pi Phis with a representation of twenty-six chapters. Another swim and luncheon was enjoyed in August at the Kailua cottage of Dorothy McLaren Anthony. We were glad to have with us at this meeting Pi Phis from Texas and California.

In October members of the club acted as hostesses at the Settlement School tea which proved a great success, sales and orders at the tea amounting to \$162.

Under the leadership of Mary Stewart White and Geraldine Ridings Denison the club has been able to sell over \$500 worth of Settlement School products including and following the October tea.

Frances Huddleson was married to August Merz, Jr., on September 16 and has left the Islands for Hanover, New Mexico, where she will make her home. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Grade (Marjorie Mullenbach) announce the birth of a son in November.

The Honolulu Alumnae Club looks forward to a successful new year and extends a hearty welcome to all Pi Phis visiting the Islands.

MARJORIE BAIRD RUSTEBERG

LOS ANGELES CLUB

The senior members of the two active chapters of California F and California A were honored on December 10 with a Christmas dinner at the home of Neva Sonna in Los Angeles. The theme of the party was "Christmas as Celebrated by Our Mexican Neighbors." Mexican dances were given by a group of young girls, and then everyone participated in games popular in Mexico. It was a very enjoyable evening, and quite a large group attended. At this time, the annual gift was made to the two chapters.

MRS. WM. E. HOOKER

PALO ALTO CLUB

The Alumnae Club of Palo Alto held its first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. G. W. McEntire. Twenty-five members were present. Plans for two social events to benefit the settlement school were considered, one of which has already been carried out. This was a tea, held at the Stanford chapter house on December 1. Goods from the school were displayed and sold to members and guests. Mrs. Nelson T. Nowell was in charge of the tea.

The second event is to be a joint gathering of Pi Beta Phis from San Francisco, Palo Alto and Berkeley, sometime in March, to hear Beatrice Edmonds, Pi Phi and nationally known reader, interpret one of the season's best plays. Proceeds are to go to the Settlement School and to the Endowment and Loan Funds.

The January meeting of the club will be a luncheon at the Allied Arts Guild, followed by a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert L. Templeton.

ROBERTA WRIGHT

PHOENIX CLUB

The Phoenix Alumnae Club under the direction of Leslie Davis Shivers planned an interesting calendar, opening with a cooky-shine on October 11.

The November meeting was devoted to the annual Arrow Craft exhibition tea at which we raised our Settlement School contribution rather than by having several small benefit parties.

The December meeting was a Christmas party with the chapter at Tucson included. The January meeting combined the Parliamentary discussion with a white elephant party. The February meeting was a chuck wagon dinner on the desert for the husbands and escorts.

The March meeting will be on Arizona wild flowers and of course the Founders' banquet in April.

Our meetings come on the second Monday each month and are usually in the evening at the homes of members. We hope that every Pi Phi who is a winter guest in Phoenix will get in touch with the Alumnae Club.

BRENDA TATUM LEPPLA

SALT LAKE CITY CLUB

At the September meeting of the club each member was given a new pledge to sponsor. In October a tea was given at the home of Jane Wright, the active chapter being honored guests. In November we had a luncheon at the chapter house. Music was furnished by the active girls and the social hour was followed by a business session at which we decided to have a series of teas during December at which Arrow Craft articles would be displayed for sale.

FLORENCE HAMMOND

SAN FRANCISCO CLUB

Members of the San Francisco Alumnae Club opened the fall season with a supper party at the home of Mrs. Walter L. Brown on September 29, 1937. A short review of the operas to be given this season, accompanied by selected recordings, was arranged by Mrs. George M. Smith, the program chairman.

A regular business meeting was held on October 28 at the home of the president, Miriam Cutter, at which excerpts from the History and the Constitution were read. Financial plans were discussed and books of raffle tickets given out for a drawing on February 8, 1938, the prize being two tickets dinner dancing and two tickets for the theatre. This means of raising money at ten cents a chance proved so successful last year that it is being repeated.

Mrs. Sidney Lawrence was hostess on November 18 at a beautiful tea at her home.

All of the meetings have been well attended and members are already looking forward to the interesting programs that have been planned for the spring.

VIRGINIA CANFIELD

SAN DIEGO CLUB

The San Diego Alumnae Club is well started on a most interesting year.

Our luncheon meetings, which are held each month at the home of one of the members, pay for part of the Settlement School contribution; the program is furnished by the year book committee.

Because we are a navy town, we have the pleasure of contact with sisters from all parts of the United States. This year we are happy over the return of Eva Aronson Pitton, Colorado B, and Esther Bigger Jenkins, Ohio B. We have also gained two college graduates, Jeanette Munkelt and Alice Fay.

We extend our sympathy to Frances Estes Boughn, California A, in the death of her mother.

We have three new babies, Grace Fisher, Colorado A, boasts a grand daughter, Sharon Adele Black; and Ben

Scott Custer II arrived at the home of Lieut. and Mrs. Ben Scott Custer (Elizabeth Hawkins, California A) on October 12, 1937. David Ross Young arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Young (Vivian Merrill Young, Washington A) on November 19, 1937.

MYRELLA JOHNSTON THOMAS

SAN JOSE CLUB

The San Jose Alumnae Club lost three members who moved away this year and we began our fall meetings with only ten.

Since we have such a small membership we decided to hold a sale of Settlement School handicraft at the local Y.W.C.A. instead of giving a bridge tea at which the articles were sold in former years. We sent five hundred printed invitational notices and were delighted to find that the beautiful work from the Settlement School has become so well known here that we had a fine response to our notices and the sale was successful without the added attraction of a bridge tea.

The club had a very enjoyable Christmas party at the home of Marion Bower Stevens and white elephant gifts were exchanged.

Our philanthropic project this year was a Christmas gift to a blind tubercular woman in San Francisco of a subscription in braille to the "Readers Digest."

Stuart McKee, the husband of Mildred Brown McKee, Oregon A is radio officer on the *President Hoover*, the liner which went aground in the Pacific in December, causing many hours of anxiety until word came that everyone on board was safe.

MARGARET P. BOWMAN

SANTA MONICA CLUB

The Santa Monica Alumnae Club held its first Fall meeting in October at the home of Gladys Craig Tebbe with Irma Patterson, Beatrice Hinmon, and Ruth Wyman as assistant hostesses. A business meeting preceded a travel program which was followed by a beautifully appointed tea. Maurine Murray, president, presented each member of her executive committee with a corsage, also one to Mrs. Ed S. Snell, charter member of Colorado A, who is now living in Santa Monica. Mrs. Snell expects to be an active member of our Club and we are very happy to have her meet with us. Each member was privileged to bring a guest to this meeting. Katherine Robbins Dye had a most interesting vacation in the New England states and gave us a charming résumé of her trip. Mrs. Mable Ocker of Ardmore, Oklahoma, was also a guest speaker. She has traveled extensively throughout Europe and told us particularly of several weeks she spent on the Island of Majorca off the coast of Spain a few months ago. She appeared in costume, the same as worn by the women of the Island, and also displayed many pieces of handwork as well as beautiful pictures portraying the life of the people of this Island. Mrs. Ocker was introduced by her very dear friend, Jessie Scott Cline, a member of our Club.

The November meeting was held at the home of Marion Siegmund Roberts, with Clarice Davis Row as assisting hostess. At this meeting the club voted to sponsor a very worthy senior high school girl who is an honor student. Due to a temporary financial condition she is unable to do many of the things her classmates are doing, so our club is going to meet these needs when possible during the remainder of her senior year.

Several new Pi Phis are moving to Santa Monica or Westwood and most of them have indicated that they want to become members of our club. At this meeting Lahoma Vincent Curran (Oklahoma B) became a member. She has just recently moved to Westwood and when in school was a delegate from Oklahoma B to the Pasadena Convention.

Our December meeting was a Christmas luncheon held at the home of Mae Anderson Dunbar with Mable Troutletter Freeland and Frances Conklin Bailey assisting. A luncheon meeting at the home of Mae Dunbar is always a special treat. The articles from the Settlement School, which had just been received, were displayed and several Christmas gifts were selected from them. Each member brought a gift for our high school girl. A short business meeting was held—Ruth Norris presiding in the absence of our President, Maurine Murray. A white elephant exchange was followed by bridge.

The January meeting was held at the home of Marie Reardon Matzinger with Helen Hill and Edith Bacon as assistant hostesses. Ruth Barrett Smith, Grand Vice-President, was the honored guest at this meeting. When Mrs. Smith lived in Los Angeles she was often a guest of the Santa Monica Club and it was with a great deal of pleasure that we welcomed her again.

EDITH BACON

SANTA BARBARA-VENTURA CLUB

The fall season opened with a sport party-picnic supper at the home of Elizabeth Smeal at Santa Barbara. Edna Coldren assisted Mrs. Smeal. The October meeting was a dessert bridge at the home of Mildred Pitt in Ventura.

A Christmas party was enjoyed at the home of Ruth Harker, president of the club. Eldore Conger assisted. The club has sold Settlement School products and Pi Phi cook books. Meetings were planned for each month in the form of cooky-shines, bridge parties, teas, barbecues, and constitution and fraternity study. Founders' Day will be celebrated in Ventura this year.

ELDORA REMPFER CONGER

TUCSON CLUB

The Tucson Club plans monthly meetings in the homes of its members, a social hour following the business session. The annual Settlement School tea and sale were held in November at the chapter house of Arizona A. At the Christmas party a gift was presented to the chapter house. In place of a January meeting a tea for pledges, actives and all Pi Phi mothers will be given.

RUTH BUSHNELL

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