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THE ARROW
OF
PI BETA PHI



MOUNTAINEERS MAKING BASKETS
For Pi Beta Phi Settlement School
Gatlinburg, Tenn.

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All communications intended for Central Record and Supply Office should be addressed: Mrs. R. D. Brown, Central Record and Supply Office, 60 Woodrow St., West Hartford, Conn.

***September 10**

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

September 28. Chapter letters should be mailed to Chapter Letter Editor. Alumnae club secretaries should mail alumnae club personals, club yearbooks and programs, etc., to Alumnae Editor.

October 1. Chapter officers should have received from Central Record and Supply Office sufficient blanks for first half of year's work. If not, Corresponding Secretary should notify Mrs. Brown at above address.

Chapter corresponding secretaries send to Central Record and Supply Office, on blanks provided, five copies of list of active members, and one to Province President. Chapter vice-presidents send to Central Record and Supply Office, on blanks provided, four copies of list of members active in June but inactive at beginning of current college year.

Chairman of chapter scholarship committee should send to her province scholarship supervisor and also to the chairman of the standing committee, Marion Wilder, 115⁰ Goodrich Ave., St. Paul, Minn., the names and addresses, home and college, of the members of the chapter scholarship committee for the college year.

October 10. Chapter corresponding secretaries send in to Central Record and Supply Office three copies of Alumnae Advisory Committee list and one to Province President.

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

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

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

***December 20.**

January 1. Alumnae club secretaries send to Central Record and Supply Office list of members of club with addresses and chapters.

January 5. Chapter letter for Arrow should be mailed to Chapter Letter Editor. Alumnae club secretaries should mail Alumnae Personals, etc., to Alumnae Editor.

January 15. Chapter vice-president send to Central Record and Supply Office complete list, with latest addresses, of chapter alumnae, including deaths and dismissals, following form in card index instructions.

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

For further announcements, see notices following Fraternity Directory. List of blanks and other supplies on last page of this issue.

February 1. Corresponding secretaries send chapter membership list to your province supervisor of Fraternity Study and Examination.

February 1-first week-end in March: Fraternity Examination.

March 1. Chapter corresponding secretaries send to Central Record and Supply Office five copies of list of active members, second term, six copies of list of chapter officers and one of each to Province President. In case of three term system, lists should be sent at the opening of each term. Chapter vice-presidents send to Central Record and Supply Office four copies of list of persons leaving college since October 1.

***March 1.**

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

March 20. Chapter letter should be mailed to Chapter Letter Editor. Alumnae club reports, alumnae personals, etc., should be mailed to Alumnae Editor.

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

April 30. Alumnae Clubs elect officers.

May 1. Beginning of alumnae fiscal year.

May 1. Chapter corresponding secretaries should send six copies of annual report to Central Record and Supply Office, and one to Province President.

May 1-10. Annual Reports of National Officers, Province Presidents, Province Vice-Presidents, and Chairmen of Standing Committees should be sent to Grand Secretary for use at spring meeting of the Grand Council. All reports should be typewritten.

***May 15.**

June 1. Chapter corresponding secretaries send to Central Record and Supply Office six 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 Record and Supply Office and entered in the card index.

Chapter Panhellenic representative should send 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 Marion Wilder, national scholarship chairman.

June. Annual meeting of the Grand Council

June 26-July 1, Convention, Breezy Point Lodge, Pequot, Minnesota.

Minnesota welcomes Pi Beta Phi to 10,000 Lakes Country

Registration

PI BETA PHI

28th Biennial Convention

Breezy Point Lodge, Big Pelican Lake, Pequot, Minnesota

Will all who are planning to attend the convention please sign and mail to Pi Beta Phi Convention Booking Office, Attention, Mrs. M. E. Guttersen, Convention Guide, care Mr. M. M. Goodsell, G. P. A., 914 N. P. Building, St. Paul, Minn.

Name.....Delegate or Visitor
(cross one out)

Home Address.....

Chapter

Train space desired.....Will board train at.....
(lower, upper, Compt. or D. R.)

Convention Room—
I would like to room with.....Delegate or Visitor

of..... Chapter.....

whose address is.....

I am planning to make Yellowstone Tour after Con-
vention..... (yes or no)

I desire accommodations for post-convention house-
party at Inwood, on Gull Lake..... (yes or no)

Wonderful Yellowstone Park Tour after the Convention

Swimming — Boating — Fishing — Hydroplaning

Tennis — Horseback Riding — Golf

Songs for Convention are now in demand! Write down the music and words and send them at once to the Music Chairman.

Volunteers are also wanted for the Convention Daily. Send your name to the Daily Editor immediately.

Submit stunts as soon as possible to the Chairman of Stunt Night.

TALK CONVENTION!

PLAN CONVENTION!

ATTEND CONVENTION!

FILL OUT REGISTRATION BLANK!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW ADDRESSES have been omitted from the Alumnae Personals section of this issue of THE ARROW previous to the publishing of a new directory. Any address may be obtained at any time from the Central Record and Supply Office by sending a return postal card to Mrs. R. D. Brown, 60 Woodrow St., West Hartford, Conn.

OLIVE DEANE HORMEL, author of Co-Ed, is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma instead of Delta Gamma as stated in the last issue of THE ARROW.

MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS make excellent birthday gifts. Send your order now to Blanche G. Reisinger, 6 Northfield Place, Baltimore, Maryland. All profit from the sale of magazines goes to our Settlement School.

DUE TO A misunderstanding the convention prize song, "Pi Phi Marching Song," was published in the November ARROW without the corrections of the composers, Adeline Denham and Frank S. Rowley. The Editor regrets that the song as published is not as the composers wished it to be due to errors made by the person who prepared the song for the engravers.

BE SURE to make Convention reservations early!

VOLUNTEERS WANTED! All persons who are willing to volunteer their services for work on the *Convention Daily* please send their names at once to Katherine Robinson, 1130 So. Franklin St., Denver, Colo. Tell her what line of journalism you are most interested in: cartooning, reporting, feature writing, joke writing, etc. Do it today! We need all Pi Phi Journalists!

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TWENTY-EIGHTH BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF PI BETA PHI

Breezy Point Lodge, Pequot, Minn.

The call of the Northland is sounding! Shimmering lakes, refreshing breezes, the tang of pine and fir on the air, paths winding through shaded forests, the comforts and luxuries of Minnesota's finest resort beckon us to follow the arrow to Pi Beta Phi's Twenty-eighth Biennial Convention, June 26 to July 1, on the shores of Big Pelican Lake and Thomas Bay, Minnesota.

Breezy Point Lodge, Convention headquarters, lies on the shores of one of the most beautiful of Minnesota's Ten Thousand Lakes, five miles from Pequot (pronounced Peek-what), which is connected by train and bus service with the Twin Cities.

Breezy Point Lodge, the hobby of Mrs. W. H. Fawcett, wife of Captain W. H. Fawcett, who was a member of the last Olympic Trap Shooting Team, is new and represents the latest development in comfortable and fashionable resort life in the North Woods. Cottages and rustic bungalows adjoin the main hotel,

From the North and South, from the East and West Pi Phis will come to renew friendships, to make new acquaintances, to work and play together. Convention is the outward expression of nationalization,—it affords the opportunity to see Pi Phidom in the concrete.

Plans for our entertainment and comfort have been perfected by Mrs. Milton E. Gutteresen, Convention Guide, and her committee.

Read carefully every detail of the Convention plans—and then fill out your reservation blank!

COMMITTEE ON CONVENTION

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ATHLETICS—Lydia Cox Klein (Mrs. George F.), 4034 Pleasant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

AUTOMOBILE TRIP—Juanita Day Carman (Mrs. Ernest C.), 2007 Sheridan Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

WE WELCOME YOU

Already we are planning so much on seeing all the Pi Phi visitors to the 1927 Convention. Planning for company is so much fun and so very thrilling to us, that it would seem as though you must all catch the spirit and be busy planning, too. We hope sincerely that we can make you all feel our welcome in our endeavor to see that your stay at Breezy Point is both happy and comfortable.

If there are any questions which have not been answered in THE ARROW, we will gladly help you to solve them.

Yours in Pi Beta Phi,
 SYBIL BATES GUTTERSEN,
 Convention Guide.
 EDNAH DUNLOP WALKER,
 Assistant Guide.

GREETINGS

Pequot, Minn., Jan. 6, 1927

Women of Pi Beta Phi:

The woman manager of Breezy Point Lodge feels justifiable pride in having the opportunity of entertaining you next summer.

Our Lodge is situated in the heart of the primeval forest, ensconced among the famed Ten Thousand Lakes of Minnesota. Its woods and waters are rich in the lore of the Chippewas and the Sioux and the romance of frontier days still haunts this region.

Pelican Lake, whose waves lap at our doorstep, is one of the most beautiful of Minnesota's inland waters. Within a few minutes' ride there are located nearly a dozen more.

For those who seek only rest and relaxation, we have a haven of bliss. For those who seek outdoor recreation there are golfing, tennis, trapshooting, saddle horses, bathing, boating, fishing and just plain loafing.

Our main lodge was completed two years ago and is the largest log structure in the Middle West. In order that we might boast the finest piece of log work in the world, no time or money was spared in its construction. Veteran woodsmen, whose axes rang in the deep pine woods in the days when logging was the chief industry, were engaged to rear this monument to woodcraft. I believe that we have the most striking example of log architecture in existence.

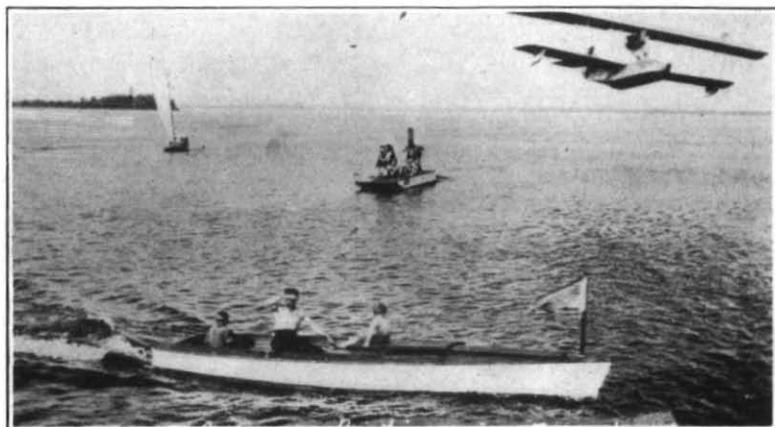
The kitchen is ruled by a skilled chef; our food is justly famous for its variety and excellence and the dining room has a seating capacity of more than 500 persons.

I am looking forward with much pleasure to the coming of Pi Beta Phi when I will have the opportunity to give visual proof of Breezy Point's charms.

With best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

ANTOINETTE FAWCETT.
 (Mrs. W. H.)



RECREATION

Breezy Point can happily offer recreation for all, in that it has such a variety to choose from.

If golf is your favorite sport, this resort affords you a sporty standard length course of nine holes and beautiful greens. A committee has been appointed to take charge of the matches and to award a prize to the Pi Phi winner.

For those who enjoy the thrill of riding, the Lodge has several well-chosen mounts.

There are hard surfaced courts where one may enjoy a set of tennis. Trap shooting for those who like the target practice.

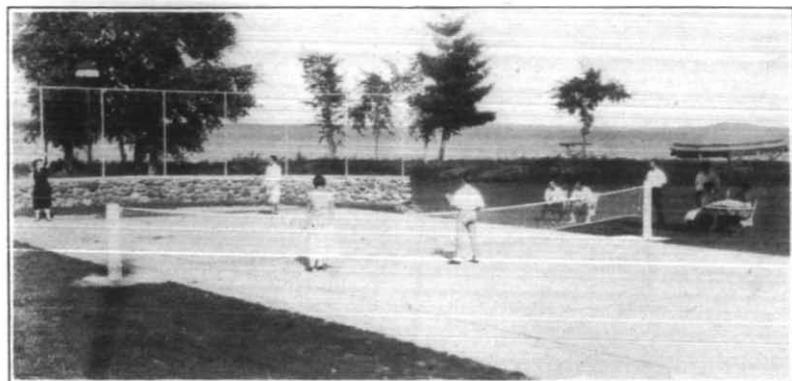
As Breezy Point occupies a point running out into big Pelican Lake, there has been a great deal done so that the guests may enjoy the water. There's aqua-planing, boating, swimming, and diving in the clear, fresh waters,—and a velvet beach for your daily sun bath.

If you have ever gone fishing and landed a big one, you will have a thrill in store for you in fishing this northern lake, for they grow big in Pelican.

Those who prefer a less strenuous form of sport will find there are many lovely shaded walks, pretty gardens, and beautiful surroundings on all sides.

If you wish to plan a motor trip, we will help you. One can scarcely go a mile on the well-paved roads of Northern Minnesota without passing a beautiful lake nestled down amongst the tall pines.

I am sure every Pi Phi will agree that there is some outdoor sport to fit every one's needs at Breezy Point.



WHAT SHALL WE WEAR?

For one taking even a short trip, this is always an important question:—to have enough and not too much for one's luggage. For Banquet Night an evening gown will be needed. On other evenings one can dress in a simple dinner dress or not, as one desires. Sport clothes will be very much the order of the day, as there will be golfing, boating, tennis, and hiking to be enjoyed. Do not forget the bathing-suit. And last, do not forget a warm wrap, as the evenings are likely to be chilly.

ATTENDANCE CUP

Pi Beta Phi offers a silver attendance cup upon the following points: Total number of chapter present; mileage; actives present; active enrollment; and total enrollment. Every chapter has an equal chance to win. The cup was won by Ontario A at the Bigwin Convention and by Illinois E at the Estes Park Convention.

CHAPTER EXHIBITS

Splendid spirit was manifested at the last Convention through the very excellent chapter displays or exhibits. An award is made upon the following points: Representation of chapter; social, athletic, dramatic, musical and other activities to be included, representation of university or college; artistic effect. (See December ARROW, 1925, pages 256, 257.)

STUNTS FOR STUNT NIGHT

Are you at work now upon a stunt for stunt night? This is always one of the most entertaining evenings of Convention as it gives the chapters an opportunity to display originality and talent. Read the Convention Chronicle in the December ARROW, 1925 for suggestions.



WHO?

one to a subscription to the *Daily*.

Volunteers are wanted for the *Daily*. All journalists are urged to send their names to the *Daily* Editor, Katherine Robinson, 1130 So. Franklin St., Denver, Colo.

CONVENTION DAILY

A *Convention Daily* will be published and will be mailed every day to subscribers upon receipt of 50c, sent to the Business Manager, Katherine Robinson, 1130 South Franklin St., Denver, Colo. The regular convention registration fee paid by those attending Convention will entitle each

DELEGATES

Choosing your delegate is one of the most important duties to be considered by your chapter. Your delegate will represent to the rest of the fraternity your chapter "type." Do not send a girl to convention because you feel she deserves the honor since someone else was elected president or received other recognition. Disregard personal feelings and choose the young woman who you consider is most representative of your group and who can also bring back the greatest amount of inspiration and national information to you. Send someone who is not afraid to rise on convention floor and present your problems and ideas; choose someone who is a quick thinker and who can make decisions wisely.

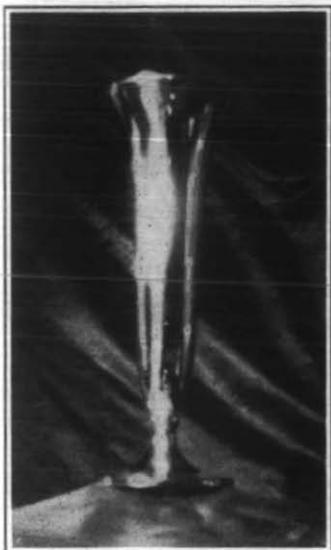
Alumnae clubs should make every effort to send representatives to the Convention this year. Alumnae delegates have a voice in all alumnae matters.

SONG CONTEST

Before the last Convention, the New York Alumnae Club gave to Pi Beta Phi a beautiful sterling vase about fifteen inches high which is to be presented at each Convention to the chapter having submitted the best new song to the music committee during the intervening two years. Its purpose is to foster better songs and music among the chapters, and at present the cup is held by North Carolina Alpha, University of North Carolina.

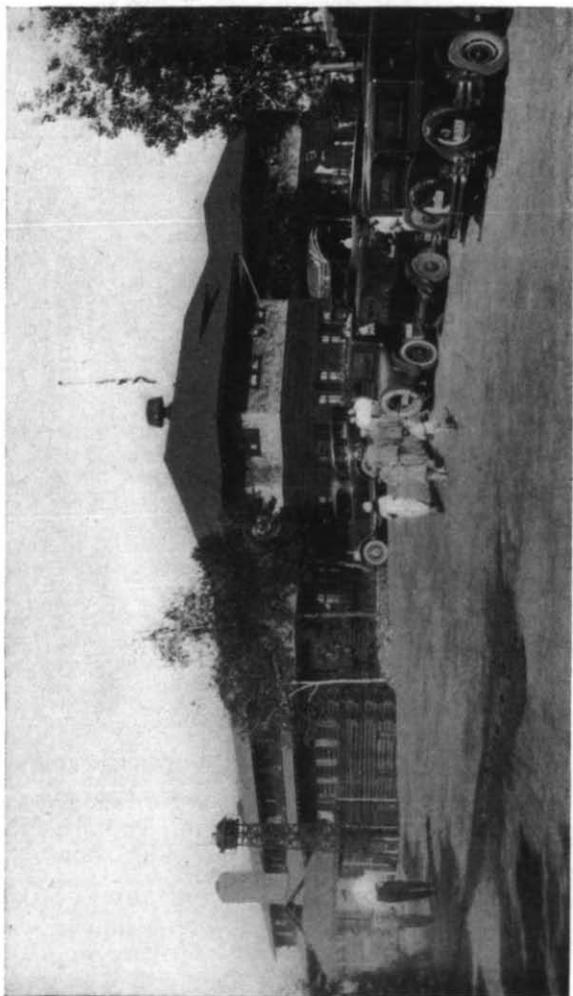
The song contest is open now. All types of songs will be considered, and while original music is not necessary, the latter would of course command first attention. Anyone may write the songs, but they must be sent in by some definite Pi Beta Phi chapter.

All songs for this competition must be in the hands of Margaret Kellenbach, 3135 College Ave., Indianapolis, Indiana by May 15.



PROGRAM

The Convention schedule carries many interesting business sessions in addition to the Model Initiation, The Sing, Recreation Day, Informal Reception, the Settlement School Program, Stunt Night, the Banquet, alumnae sessions and many instructive and interesting Round Tables. A complete program will appear in the May ARROW.



A VIEW OF THE MAIN HOTEL AT FAWCETT'S
BREEZY POINT LODGE

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS!

(Read each word carefully)

Your Convention guide asks that everyone follow the directions very carefully and do the various things that are asked: delegates, officers of the fraternity, Grand Council, as well as visitors. It is assumed that no one is coming unless her name is sent in as designated below:

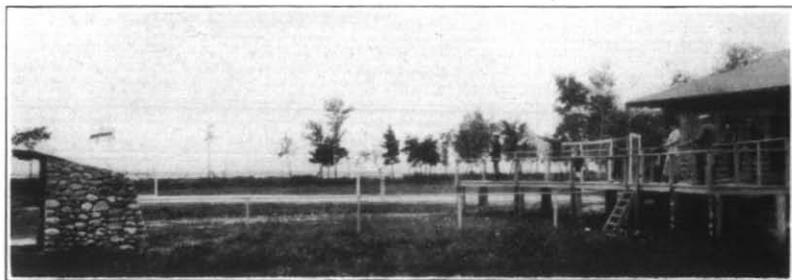
RESERVATION SLIP (found in this ARROW) must be filled out and sent in as soon as possible after the receipt of this ARROW. The slip should be sent to Mrs. M. E. Gutteresen, Convention Guide in care of Mr. M. M. Goodsill, General Passenger Agent, 914 Northern Pacific Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.

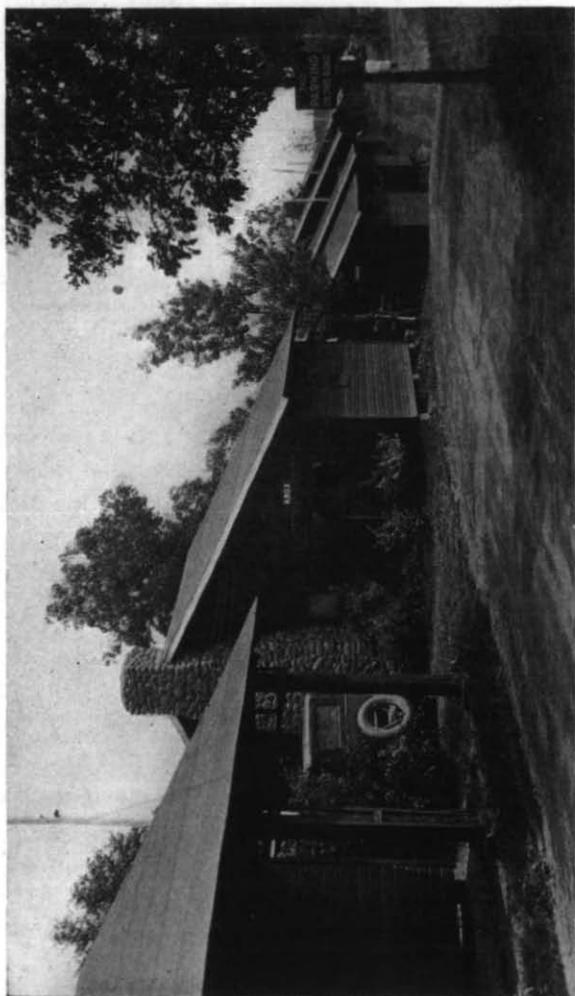
Be sure to fill it all out with the name of persons with whom you desire to room; whether you will attend the after-Convention houseparty; or whether you will take Yellowstone trip.

Hotel reservations will be given out only after reservation slip has been properly filled out and sent in. You will thereupon receive a letter giving you directions telling how to get your ticket. Your pullman reservation will be given to you, likewise your hotel reservation, your baggage tags and stickers upon receipt of your reservation slip.

REGISTRATION FEE. A registration fee of \$7.50 will be charged every person attending Convention. This fee will be collected on the train so be prepared with ready money for it.

HOTEL REGISTRATION. Hotel registration will also be done on the train and at the same time you will be asked to have ready your check, draft, post office order or money to the





A ROW OF THE FIFTY-SEVEN CABINS AT FAWCETT'S
BREEZY POINT LODGE

amount of \$31.00 which will cover your hotel bill, bus ride from train to hotel and return. The Pi Phi registration fee and hotel bill will be collected at the same time by two auditors of the railroad assisted by two Pi Phis. You will receive a badge to wear which will signify that you are all paid up and will also serve as means of identification.

It is important that every one keep this in mind and be ready to help us out. The money will not be turned over to the hotel until the close of Convention, but this system of collection enables us to do away with all statements and red tape, allowing your officers to enjoy Convention with you.

The official delegate's badge will be of a different color from visitors and the Grand Treasurer will take care of all hotel bills for delegates and also the bills for the personnel of Convention.

RATES AT BREEZY POINT: Convention rates at Breezy Point will be \$6.00 per day, per person, American plan. There will be a charge of \$1.00 per person for automobile transportation from train to hotel and return, therefore the total charge for one person's hotel bill for the duration of Convention and transportation from train to hotel and return will be \$31.00 which amount will be collected on the train from every Pi Phi, the Grand Treasurer settling for delegates and personnel of Convention. These rates made us by the hotel are only for the duration of Convention, June 26 to July 1, after which the regular rates go into effect.

There will be an additional charge for transfer of trunks from train to hotel, which will be paid at hotel, direct to management. This charge will be \$.75 each way.

The greens fee for golf will be \$1.00 a day.

Saddle horses will be charged for at the rate of \$2.00 per hour.

No charge for traps, shells at regular rate of \$1.75 per box.

No charge for rifle shooters except for shells.

No charge for row boats.

No charge for tennis, bowling, billiards, horse shoe, etc.

Breezy Point gives two day service on laundry work. Guests are permitted to press clothes in their rooms or cabins and can

attach their own electric irons for such pressing. There is a tailor shop and valet at the hotel.

Meal Schedule:

Breakfast: 7:30 to 9:30.

Luncheon: 12:30 to 1:30.

Dinner: 6:00 to 7:30.

All mail should be addressed: Pequot, Minn., care Breezy Point.

Checks will have to be approved by the Grand Treasurer of Pi Beta Phi for cashing by hotel.

AUTOMOBILE TRIP THROUGH TWIN CITIES

The Minneapolis and St. Paul Alumnae club members are so happy to be able to offer a little extra hospitality to all Pi Phis attending Convention by giving them an automobile ride through the beautiful Twin Cities. The trip will start at 9 A. M. sharp, June 26, from the St. Paul depot. The specials from Chicago get into St. Paul at 8:45 A. M. and the trains from Denver, Omaha, Kansas City, Des Moines, St. Louis and Galesburg will arrive before 8:45 A. M. so that everyone traveling over the Pi Phi route will make connections nicely for the ride.

Everyone is urged to follow the Pi Phi route if possible as special coaches will be on the designated trains and coaches will be switched right on to the special train at St. Paul. Everyone on the Chicago Specials and those on the Pi Phi special coaches as mentioned above can leave all baggage in their coaches and thus save themselves much trouble.

Any Pi Phis who come in on other trains will put their baggage in a space reserved for Pi Phi baggage in charge of local Pi Phis and it will be put on the Pi Phi special. The Pi Phi special will continue to Pequot adding all the other special coaches at St. Paul.

The drive will be made through St. Paul to Minneapolis and around Minneapolis, ending at 11:30 A. M. sharp, at the Minneapolis depot where the Special will be waiting. The train will leave at once for Pequot.

The Twin Cities' Pi Phis will be at the depot to greet you Pi Phis—come six hundred strong to return their welcome!

MOTOR TO CONVENTION

It is possible to motor to Convention, Breezy Point being only about 175 miles north of Minneapolis. There is a choice of several routes, all being excellent and going through picturesque country. There is a continuous succession of lakes, which will prove to



all who motor that we justly come by the title, the region of the Ten Thousand Lakes. There are numerous resorts along the way so that one can loiter as much as one wishes.

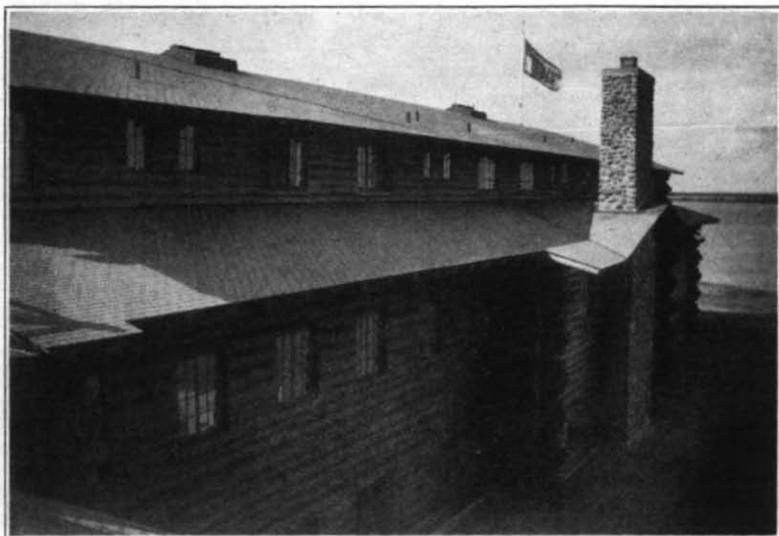
Those who motor should plan to reach Breezy Point by 2:00 P. M., June 26. The committee will be glad of all help in transporting those who come on the Special from Pequot to Breezy Point, a distance of five miles, and would also like to have everyone coming by motor registered and in her room ahead of the arrival of the Special.

Those desiring road information will find it cheerfully given by the Side Trip Chairman.

TRANSPORTATION

The Pi Beta Phi Convention Special Train will leave the new Union Station, Chicago, at 8:45 p. m. Central Standard Time, June 25, going via St. Paul and Minneapolis to Pequot, Minnesota. Special car parties will leave from various other points in time to connect with the Special Train at St. Paul, June 26. Automobiles will meet the Special Train at Pequot and transfer the party to Breezy Point Lodge.

RESERVATIONS: All who expect to attend Convention should fill out the blue reservation slip in this issue of THE ARROW and mail at once to the Pi Beta Phi General Convention Office, 914 Northern Pacific Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota. All hotel, special train or special car and pullman space will be assigned from this central office. Those planning to take the post-convention Yellowstone Park tour should also



A CORNER OF BREEZY POINT LODGE
Pequot, Minn.

write this office. To avoid duplication it will be of great assistance to railroad and pullman agents and all Convention committees if the full names are given of every member in the party making application for any kind of reservation.

SPECIAL TRAIN SCHEDULE: Leave Chicago, Union Station, via Chicago, Burlington and Quincy R. R. 8:45 p. m., Central Standard Time, June 25. Arrive St. Paul, 8:45 a. m. June 26. Automobile ride through St. Paul and Minneapolis, party entraining at Hennepin Avenue Station, Minneapolis. Leave Minneapolis 11:30 a. m., Northern Pacific, arrive Pequot, Minnesota, 4:30 p. m., June 26.

SPECIAL CAR SCHEDULES JOINING SPECIAL TRAIN IN ST. PAUL:

Leave Denver	C. B. & Q.	No. 2	11:30 p. m. June 24
Arrive Omaha			3:30 p. m. June 25
Leave Kansas City	C. B. & Q.	No. 21	12:10 p. m. June 25
Arrive Omaha			6:30 p. m. June 25

Leave Omaha	C. & N. W.	No. 210	8:20 p. m. June 25
Arrive St. Paul			7:25 a. m. June 26
Leave Des Moines	CRI. & P.	No. 17	12:05 a. m. June 26
Arrive St. Paul			7:15 a. m. June 26
Leave St. Louis	CB. & Q.	No. 15	2:15 p. m. June 25
Arrive St. Paul	CRI. & P.	No. 61	8:35 a. m. June 26
Leave Galesburg	CB. & Q.	No. 47-57	5:30 p. m. June 25
Arrive St. Paul			8:15 a. m. June 26

ROUND TRIP RAILROAD FARE TO PEQUOT

Chicago, Ill.	\$26.85	Galesburg, Ill.	\$26.40
Kansas City, Mo.	28.86	Omaha, Neb.	24.80
Des Moines, Iowa	20.31	St. Louis, Mo.	32.80

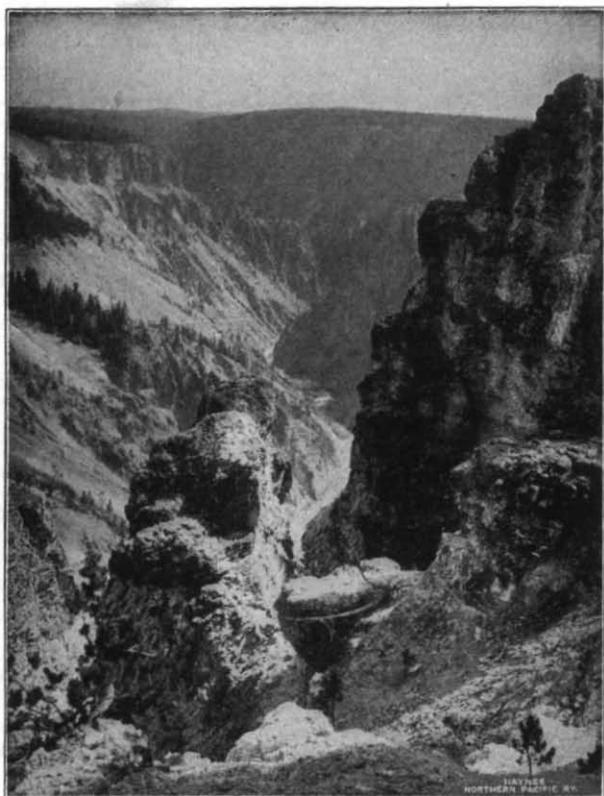
PULLMAN FARES, ONE WAY, TO PEQUOT

	Lower	Upper	Drawing Room	Compart.
Chicago, Ill.	\$6.75	\$5.40	\$24.00	\$19.50
Kansas City, Mo.	8.63	6.90	31.50	24.75
Omaha, Neb.	6.75	5.40	24.00	19.50
Des Moines, Ia.	6.75	5.40	24.00	19.50
St. Louis, Mo.	8.63	6.90	31.50	24.75
Galesburg, Ill.	6.75	5.40	24.00	19.50

Special Notice: To travel on the Chicago Special Train via St. Paul, tickets must read Chicago to St. Paul via Chicago, Burlington and Quincy R. R. St. Paul to Pequot, Minn., via Northern Pacific R. R. to Brainerd, Minn., and M. & I. to Pequot. For further information concerning rates, reservations or side trips address Mr. M. M. Goodsill, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific R. R., 914 Northern Pacific Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.



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GRAND CANYON OF THE YELLOWSTONE
Yellowstone National Park

SPECIAL PI BETA PHI POST-CONVENTION YELLOWSTONE PARK TOUR

After the Convention, we are planning a jolly special train party leaving Pequot the late afternoon of July 1, and running directly to Yellowstone National Park. Yellowstone was seriously considered for the 1927 Convention and many members of the fraternity have been counting on the Yellowstone trip since last Convention at Bigwin Inn when Mrs. Clyde Erskine, Iowa F, so well presented Yellowstone to the Convention.

Miss Amy B. Onken, Grand President, and other officials of the fraternity were anxious to take advantage of the convenient opportunity for a post-convention tour for the members, leaving the Ten Thousand Lakes region of Minnesota and going directly to Yellowstone. We ex-

pect to have a full train load and it will be a wonderful trip. The following schedule and prices will answer most of your questions and if you have others, write them along with the coupon to the general convention headquarters at 914 Northern Pacific Building, St. Paul, Minn.

Leave Pequot, Minn.	M. & I.	July 1	Special	4:00 p. m.
Arrive Gardiner	N. P.	July 2	Special	8:30 p. m.

Regular 4½ day tour of Yellowstone Park

Leave Cody, Wyo.	CB. & Q.	July 6	Special	8:00 p. m.
Arrive St. Paul	N. P.	July 8	Special	7:15 a. m.
Leave St. Paul	CB. & Q.	July 8	Special	8:00 a. m.
Arrive Chicago	CB. & Q.	July 8	Special	7:55 p. m.

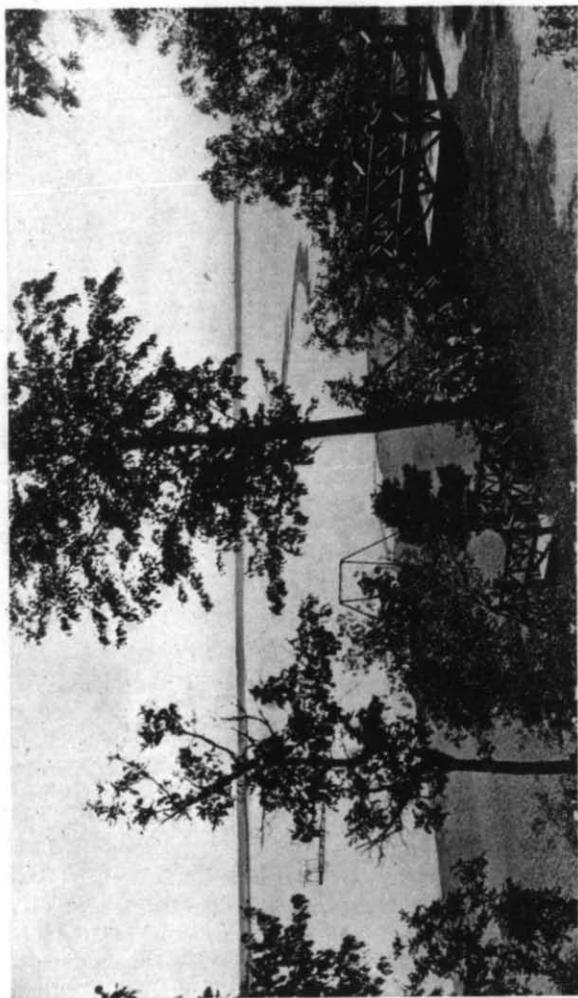
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Leave Cody	CB. & Q.	July 7	Special	8:00 a. m.
Arrive Denver	C. & S.	July 8	Special	10:00 a. m.
Leave Denver	C. & S.	July 8	Special	3:00 p. m.
Arrive Colorado Springs	C. & S.	July 8	Special	3:50 p. m.
Leave Colorado Springs	C. & S.	July 9	Special	1:10 p. m.
Arrive Denver	C. & S.	July 9	Special	3:50 p. m.
Leave Denver	CB. & Q.	July 9	Special	4:00 p. m.
Arrive Omaha	CB. & Q.	July 10	Special	6:42 a. m.
Arrive Chicago	CB. & Q.	July 10	Special	7:00 a. m.
Leave Omaha	CB. & Q.	July 10	Special	8:25 p. m.

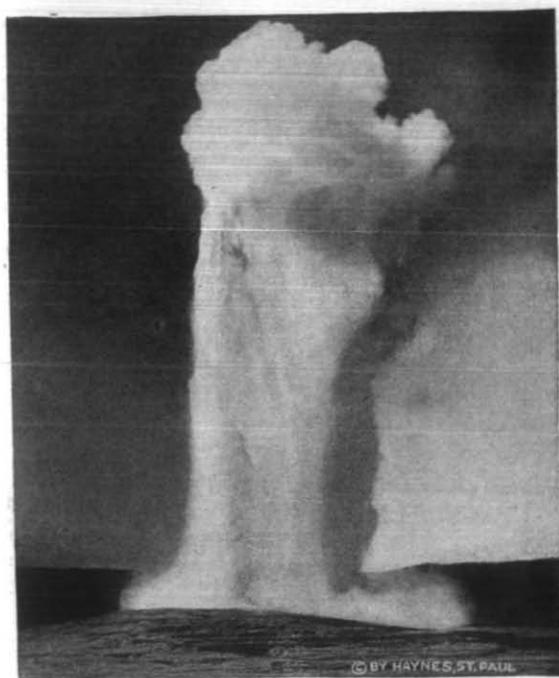
The cost of the convention trip to Breezy Point will be:

Railroad fare, round trip, Chicago to Breezy Point.....	\$26.85
(Using 30 day limit ticket, which is cheaper than the summer-tourist ticket.)	
Pullman fare, one lower berth, round trip.....	13.50
Meals	5.00
Five days at Breezy Point, \$6.00 per day.....	30.00
Bus transfer.....	1.00
<i>Total</i>	<u>\$76.35</u>

If you decide to go to Yellowstone a round trip ticket from Chicago via Brainerd, Minnesota, with side trip to Pequot and return would be \$61.07, returning either through the northern states or through Colorado. That is, Yellowstone trip would add rail fare to above total of.....\$34.22 and Pullman fare, (if lower berth is used all the way)..... 18.37 Yellowstone Park trip, if lodges are used through the park..... 43.00 or Yellowstone Park trip, if hotels are used..... 51.00 Adding meals enroute a member can make the trip to and through Yellowstone Park, all expenses, for about.....\$100.00



VIEW OF BEACH AND LAKE FROM WOODED BLUFF
Big Pelican Lake, Pequot, Minn.



OLD FAITHFUL GEYSER

From Pequot, after the Convention is over, our special train will head through the Ten Thousand Lakes region of Minnesota toward the Red River Valley, the Dakota wheatlands and the famous Badlands, where Roosevelt ranched. Then down the historic Valley of the Yellowstone River, famous in the lore of Indian wars, to Livingston, Montana, the diverging point to Yellowstone Park.

At Gardiner, after a thrilling ride in open observation cars from Livingston, Montana, through enchanting Paradise Valley, between the steep walls of Yankee Jim Canyon and past the glowing "Devil's Slide", you pass under the Roosevelt Arch into the wonderland of the Park.

Rocky foot-hills carpeted with pine forest crowd around you, while high above tower rugged snow-clad peaks, aloof and awesome. There is something distinctly primal about the Rocky Mountains, in Yellowstone Park you see them "as they were in the beginning."

Mammoth Hot Springs, the "capital" of the park, lies in a hollow of the mountains. Here the government administration buildings are grouped about an inviting big hotel, with the hospitable lodges nearby.

The rainbow colored terraces of the hot springs glisten above the valley on one side, and tourists are eager to explore them immediately. A herd of buffalo may be seen grazing nearby and the Park museum also demands attention.

On the trip through the Park, forests, colored lakes, strange rock formations and hissing caverns appear, and finally the wonders of the upper and lower geyser basins. He who has not seen a geyser cannot imagine the wonder and beauty of it. And then the landscape appears filled with them, you begin to understand the exalted praises you have heard sung as long as you can remember.

Old Faithful Geyser, close to Old Faithful Hotel and Camp, is considered most beautiful of all by the tourists, and it is hard to go on from this fascinating part of the park.

But beyond lies the wonderful ascent to the Continental Divide, with Lake Yellowstone's serene loveliness below, a lake framed by high mountains only dimly visible from one shore to the other. Bears, friendly and unafraid, entertain tourists here, while good fishing and boat trips tempt everyone to linger at Lake Hotel and Camp. Surely, you think, nothing in the Park can surpass the beauty of this particular region.

No one is quite prepared, therefore, for the climax of the tour. It comes suddenly, overpowering one with its unsurpassed splendor—the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone.

Great writers and great artists have attempted to put upon paper and canvass the ageless grandeur of this great colored rock, but no one has succeeded in even approximating the effect which it has upon the emotions. It can only be called a wondrous thing, and left undescribed.

From the Grand Canyon you take the spectacular 90-mile sightseeing drive on the Buffalo Bill country and Shoshone National Forest of Wyoming.

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HONOR GRADUATES, 1926

BY MARION WILDER

Chairman of Committee on Scholarship.

Worthy of special note are the records of Virginia F with one Phi Beta Kappa and three Phi Kappa Phis, and of Louisiana A with four members elected to Phi Beta Kappa this year. Columbia A and Michigan A have the distinction of presenting both the valedictorian and salutatorian of the senior class. Dorothy Burrows of Illinois Z has been elected to $\Phi B K$ in her junior year. Ruth Robertson, of Indiana Δ , and Myra Burr, Florida B, were elected the most outstanding girls on their campuses.

Aside from the membership in Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi, which stand for scholarship, we find a large representation in the national honorary professional fraternities. Included in this list are the following: $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, journalism; $O N$, home economics; $\Delta \Phi \Delta$, art; $K \Delta \Pi$ and $\Pi \Lambda \Theta$, education; $\Sigma \Delta I$ and $M \Phi E$, music; $A K \Delta$, sociology; $\Sigma T \Delta$, English; and Mortarboard, which selects girls for all-around activity.

ALPHA PROVINCE

VERMONT A—Mary Moore, B. A. Literary. High honors in English. $\Phi B K$.

Madeline Dunn, B. A. Literary. Honors in French.

Eleanor Frast, B. A. Literary. High honors in English, honors in French.

BETA PROVINCE

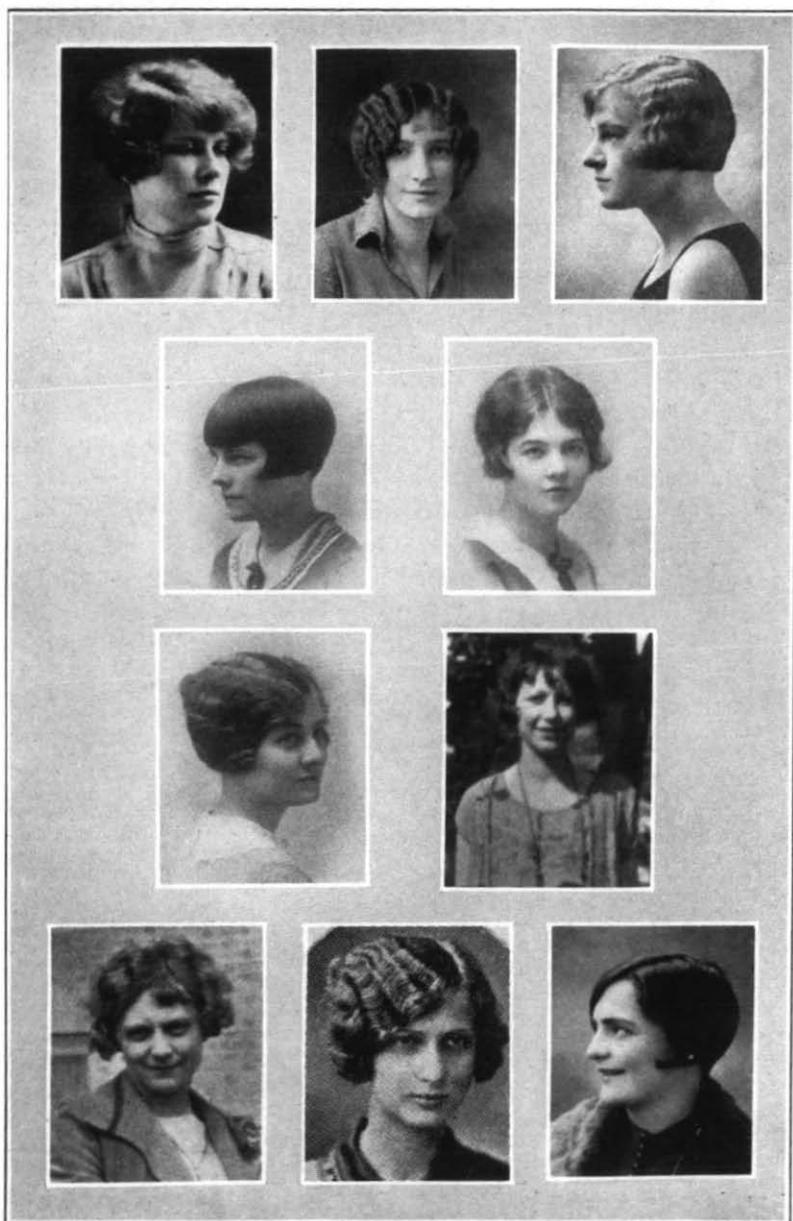
PENNSYLVANIA A—Elizabeth Colket, A. B. Honors in Mathematics, Astronomy and Physics. $\Phi B K$.

PENNSYLVANIA B—Ruby Irene Bell, A. B. Cum laude.

Mrs. Paul Otto (Margaret Mattern, '18), A. B., M. A., $\Phi B K$.

PENNSYLVANIA F—Ruth A. Chambers, A. B. Mathematics, Cum laude.

PENNSYLVANIA Δ —Fern H. Wein, B. A. Education, majors in Spanish and English. $\Sigma K \Phi$ (honorary language).



HONOR GRADUATES

Ruth Chambers, Penn. Γ ; Fern Wein, Penn. Δ ; Lysbeth L. Hamilton, Penn. Δ ; Ruth Williams, D. of C. A.; Elizabeth Dorsey, D. of C. A.; Sophia Waldman, D. of C. A.; Gertrude Adkins, Va. Γ ; Maedie Muir, Va. Γ ; Myra Burr, Fla. B; Emily Sanderson, Fla. B.

Lysbeth L. Hamilton, B. S. College, major in zoology, Mortarboard.

OHIO Δ —Dorothy Briggs, B. A. Home Economics. $\mathbf{K \Delta \Pi}$ (honorary education). $\Phi \mathbf{B K}$.

Ruth Crowder, B. A. Art. $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ (honorary art).

Mary Durant, B. A. Art. $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ (honorary art).

GAMMA PROVINCE

MARYLAND A—Kathryn Barry. ΣZ (local honorary scholarship).

COLUMBIA A—Elizabeth Dorsey, A. B. Modern Languages, with distinction.

Sophia Waldman, A. B. Modern Languages, with distinction. Salutatorian, second highest average for four years. Sphinx (honor society).

Ruth Williams, A. B. Modern Languages, with distinction. Valedictorian, highest average for four years. Sphinx (honor society).

VIRGINIA A—Nellie Wilson. $\Phi \mathbf{B K}$.

Mary Wilson, with honor.

VIRGINIA Γ —Gertrude Adkins, A. B. $\Phi \mathbf{K \Phi}$, $\Pi \Gamma \mathbf{M}$.

Mae Douglas Muir, A. B. $\Phi \mathbf{B K}$, $\Pi \Gamma \mathbf{M}$, Alpha (honor society).

Louise U. Sale, A. B. $\Phi \mathbf{K \Phi}$, Alpha.

Edna Laudenslager, A. B. $\Phi \mathbf{K \Phi}$.

Fern Cabell, B. S. $\mathbf{T K A}$ (home economics).

R. Elizabeth Smith, B. S. Honors in Home Economics.

FLORIDA B—Emily Sanderson, Honors in History.

DELTA PROVINCE

MICHIGAN A—Gladis L. Clark, $\mathbf{E \Delta A}$ (honor society). Given prize for having exerted greatest good influence, valedictorian.

Josephine Kerr, $\mathbf{E \Delta A}$ (honor society), salutatorian.

MICHIGAN B—Doris Gladden, A. B. Literary $\Phi \mathbf{B K}$.

Helen Hall, A. B. $\Phi \mathbf{B K}$.

Louise Roberts, A. B. Education. Mortarboard.



HONOR GRADUATES

Marjorie Chiles, Ind. ♯; Ruth Robertson, Ind. Δ; Mildred Scheirich, Ky. A;
 Lillian Elrod, Ky. A; Mary McClure, Ky. A; Dorothy S. Harris, Tenn.
 A; Lucille Sasse, Minn. A; Virginia Leonard, Ill. Δ; Marie Holly, Ill. Δ;
 Constance Irwin, Ill. Δ.

- INDIANA A—Helen Forsyth, A. B. Liberal Arts. Honors in History, summa cum laude, Alpha (honorary scholarship).
 Clara Godwin, A. B. Liberal Arts. Magna cum laude.
 Lella Kelly, A. B. Liberal Arts. Honors in French, Magna cum laude, Alpha.
 Margaret Collins, A. B. Liberal Arts. Honors in History, cum laude.
 Clarine Kelly, A. B. Liberal Arts. Cum laude.
- INDIANA Γ—Marjorie Chiles, B. A. Liberal Arts, Major in English and History, Φ K Φ, Scarlet Quill (petitioning Mortarboard).
- INDIANA Δ—Ruth Robertson, B. S. Home Economics. O N, © X Γ (honorary English), winner of medal awarded to most out-standing girl.
- KENTUCKY A—Lillian Elrod, A. B. Graduated with average of 92.
 Mildred Scheirich, A. B. Graduated with average of 90.
 Mary McClure. A. B. Graduated with average of 90.
- TENNESSEE A—Dorothy Stockwell Harris. Σ T Δ (national literary), cum laude, Alpha (honor society).

EPSILON PROVINCE

- MINNESOTA A—Elizabeth Dixon. B. A. Education. Π A © (national education).
 Lucille Sasse. B. A. Education. Mortarboard.
- WISCONSIN A—Bernardine Chesley. French Major. Mortarboard.
 Mary Elizabeth Haven. Economics Major. Φ B K.
 Mary Sommers Garstman. Φ K Φ, © Σ Φ (journalism.)
- WISCONSIN B—Norma Farnsworth. Magna cum laude, Golden Taper (petitioning Mortarboard).
- NORTH DAKOTA A—Agnes Moe. B. A. Φ B K.
 Dorothy Upham. B. A. Σ A I (music).
- ILLINOIS Δ—Marie Holley. B. A. Honors in Mathematics, cum laude.
 Virginia Leonard. B. S. Special honors in Chemistry, magna cum laude. Φ B K.
 Constance Irwin, B. A. Mortarboard.



HONOR GRADUATES

Gladis Clark, Mich. A; Josephine Kerr, Mich. A; Doris Gladden, Mich. B; Louise Roberts, Mich. B; Clarine Kelly, Ind. A; Clara Godwin, Ind. A; Lella Kelly, Ind. A; Helen Forsyth, Ind. A; Margaret Collins, Ind. A; Marguerite Robinson, Iowa B.

ILLINOIS Z—Edith Lucille Welch, Φ B K. Upper 3 per cent of junior and senior years, Δ Σ Π (Spanish).

ZETA PROVINCE

IOWA A—Helen Hobbs, B. A. Π K Δ .

Vera Shipley, B. A. Σ T Δ (literary).

IOWA B—Marguerite Robinson, A. B. Honors in English, E Σ (local scholarship), Z T Δ , (honorary English).

ETA PROVINCE

KANSAS A—Dorothy Fontron, A. B. English. Mortarboard.

Mary Miller. A. B. Sociology. A K Δ (national sociology).

Frances Westfall. A. B. Sociology. A K Δ .

Naomi MacLaren. B. Mus. Voice. M Φ E (national music).

WYOMING A—Ester Konkell. K Δ Π (education), Φ K Φ .

Aileen Nelson. K Δ Π .

COLORADO A—Isabelle Keating. B. A. School of Journalism. Mortarboard.

Myrtle Allison. B. A. Cum laude.

THETA PROVINCE

OKLAHOMA A—Miriam Kernodle, B. S. Education. K Δ Π (education), Φ B Σ .

Gertrude Gardner, B. A. K Γ E (honorary language).

OKLAHOMA B—Mary Watson, B. S. Second highest average in college.

Inez Goodholm, B. S. Φ K Φ .

ARKANSAS A—Elizabeth Paisley, B. A. English major. Graduation honors, class honors, honors in English, K Δ Π , Γ Γ (local English), Skull and Torch (local scholastic).

TEXAS A—Marion Ball, Φ B K.

LOUISIANA A—Virginia Fenner, Φ B K.

Sedley Hayward, Φ B K.

Etolia Simmons, Φ B K.

Ula Milner, Φ B K.



HONOR GRADUATES

Esther Konkell, Wyo. A; Aileen Nelson, Wyo. A; Isabel Keating, Colo. A; Miriam Kernodle, Okla. A; Gertrude Gardner, Okla. A; Elizabeth Paisley, Ark. A; Eva Jane Wilson, Idaho A; Florence Greene, Idaho A; Irma Scritsmier, Oregon B; Vera Rogers, Ore. B; Jean McClew, Ore. B; Rena Semenza, Nev. A.

IOTA PROVINCE

IDAHO A—Florence V. Greene, B. A. Spanish honors, Σ A I (music), Σ Δ II (Spanish).

Elizabeth Mount, B. S. Psychology honors, Winged Helmet (literary).

Eva Jane Wilson, B. S. Physical Education Honors.

OREGON B—Irma Scritsmier, B. S. Home Economics. O N (home economics).

Vera Rogers, B. S. Vocational Education. Δ Ψ K (hon. phy. ed.).

Jean McClew, B. S. Home Economics. Φ K Φ , O N, Θ Σ Φ (journalism).

KAPPA PROVINCE

NEVADA A—Rena Semenza, B. A. Arts and Science. Φ K Φ .

MOTHERS' CLUB OF INDIANA DELTA

The Pi Beta Phi Mother's Club of Indiana Δ , Purdue University, W. Lafayette, Indiana, met on Friday, October 22, 1926 at the chapter house for the purpose of reorganization. A very enthusiastic meeting was held with a membership of fourteen.

Plans were perfected for a study of the history of Pi Beta Phi and also to help the girls in the active chapter.

Meetings are to be held the first Friday of each month at the chapter house. It was voted to hold a rummage sale in December.

The following officers were elected for the year:

President—Mrs. J. Freeman Richardson.

Vice-President—Mrs. George Kaufman.

Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Charles F. Edgerton.

(Note: The Editor will be glad to publish accounts of meetings of Mother's Clubs).

MY SILVER HONEYMOON IN EUROPE

BY ELINOR HARMON MARTIN, *Indiana B*

(The following very interesting account of glimpses of Europe told in a refreshing way was sent by Mrs. O. C. Martin, former president of the New York Alumnae Club, as a Round Robin to her friends. Mrs. Martin is in Belgium at present with her husband who is a metallurgist and mining engineer supervising the erection of a large copper plant midway between Antwerp and Brussels.—THE EDITOR).

Life over here continues interesting, fascinating, and full of new experiences. Because we doubted our ever having the opportunity again of seeing Europe as a family unit, we have been crowding years into one brief moon. Ever since our sons arrived in June we have been going and coming at such a dizzy pace that at times I meet myself in the middle of the road wondering which I am doing.



LOMBARDY LANE
In The Rhine Valley

On the first day of August the five of us set out from Antwerp in the Peerless, on what we have called the concentrated culture expedition. We traveled so far, saw so much, and received so many varied impressions that I for one had to swallow them whole,—and am just now beginning the process of digestion. At present I find it hard to visualize the essentials, and can not recall "which was where, and why." There are scenes and incidents, however, on which my memory throws the spotlight.

There was the never-to-be-forgotten journey up the Rhine, where at every bend lay some quaint old town steeped in an atmosphere of by-gone centuries, or some great grey castle famed in song and story, mouldering on a cliff above. There was the little old street in Bonn with its white cottage, the birth place of Beethoven and his "Moonlight Sonata." At sunset the cliffs of the Lorelei rose into view recalling to us the Rhine-land folksong, "*Ich weiss nicht was soll es bedeuten, Dass Ich so traurig bin,*" and so on about the song of the sirens who lured sailors to their doom in the whirlpool below. And then, "*Old Heidelberg, gem of the German Rhine,*" with its picturesque student life, Bohemian cafes, fascinating shop windows exhibiting paintings of some

obscure artist who may rise to fame and fortune, its old castle, high above the town and the river, mellowing in the sunlight of a glorious and gory past, a romantic past, colored with the glint of sabre and flash of steel.

Then there was the visit to the land of the storks, the birthplace of the Alsatian friend of my girlhood days, whose tales of Strasbourg and its wonderful clock made a deep impression on my childish imagination. We waited for hours among the crowd of other sightseers at the old cathedral for the little mechanical figures to parade forth and strike off the hour of twelve.

Next we drove around some of the gem-like lakes of Switzerland on our way up and over the famous Furka Pass to the Rhone glacier, on one side of which was the birthplace of the Rhine and on the other, the icy cradle of the Rhone. I recall the snowball fight the boys had here, and the hair raising thrills I experienced as the car slowly felt its way down the dizzy heights over the narrow road, and the prayers I said when at a dangerous turn we met an autobus of tourists and remembered a sign which told us to take the outside if we should meet one of these cars on a narrow curve. I recall the ride down the warm peaceful valley of the Rhone, its vineyards, its fir clad slopes from which came the tinkling of bells of the browsing herds, its long level stretches of road lined with sentinel-like Lombardy poplars or magnificent chestnuts which bent in friendly attitude forming a Gothic arch overhead.

There was the day's ride in search of something which seemed as illusive as the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow, and then at a sharp turn in the road leading into the village of St. Gervais, Mont Blanc burst upon our senses. The effect of this magnificent mountain spectacle, flooded in sunlight, was almost stupefying. It seemed to reflect the glory of God in its expansive majesty, its glistening whiteness. To assure myself that this was really Mont Blanc and not a mountain of my dreams, I took a picture of my four very human men folk with the great white crest in the background.

Another scene which stands out in my memory is the visit to the Grand Chartreuse, an ancient monastery in the Savoie Alps, which we reached after a tortuous drive that led up through a gorge to a vast cup walled in by granite cliffs. The building itself, rambling and solitary, still preserves its austere atmosphere, seemingly challenging the elements to soften it with age,—a mute tribute to the hardihood of the departed ascetics. Its emptiness was emphasized within by its long corridors and the main cloister, said to be the longest in the world. Along its great length were set the doors to the cheerless cells of the monks, who in this particular order were dead to the world and to each other. To the American youths I had with me, bubbling over with joy of intimate contact with the great wide world, this cloister had the effect of a prison.

Much more to their liking was the all day's ride through the white dust of southern France, which ended in the oleanders, the olive and orange groves of the Riviera, the winter playground of the world. There, at Monte Carlo, I can picture ourselves standing on the terrace of the Casino and looking out over the turquoise blue of the Mediterranean toward the island of Corsica which lay just beyond our horizon. I can picture again our night at Marseilles, the Gateway of the Orient—a city where everybody seemed satisfied with things as they are, where natives and tourists alike were "awake to glory" till dawn, a city so permeated with the spirit of gaiety and good will that the call of "to arms, to arms" of the Marseillaise seemed a voice from out a discordant past. For us there was a long hard climb in the burning sun next morning to the church of Notre Dame de la Garde where we looked out over the sea to the Isle of Monte Cristo and recalled the Count's escape from the chateau prison there, how he cut through his cell to an outer one and exchanged places with its dead occupant whose body was shrouded in a weighted canvas bag ready to be dropped into the sea. We allowed our imaginations to picture the gruesome bundle as it hurtled from the parapet and splashed into the water, where later emerged and gasped for air the very lively but cautious body of the Count, who had slit the canvas with his knife, and who then swam silently away toward shore and freedom.

From Marseilles we followed in Caesar's footsteps, a country of barren rocks, vineyards and goats. We wondered what Caesar saw here to merit so much construction in stone and so much destruction of life. At Arles and Nimes we almost felt the presence of "Great Caesar's Ghost" in the massive old ruins, amphitheatres and aqueducts and temples and baths. The boys were so thrilled at the sight of the Pont du Gard, that stupendous piece of ancient masonry, that they decided to forgive this old Roman for the trials and tribulations he had occasioned them in their school work.

Then there was Carcassonne with its "towers, turrets, and battlements," and encircling wall. Here we were transported into the time "When Knighthood was in Flower." As we drove over the drawbridge and through the gates at sundown, we half expected to see some helmeted head to appear over the ramparts and call out, "Up drawbridge groom, let the portcullis fall." That evening we fairly saturated ourselves with medieval history and that night went to sleep to dream of knights in armour, dungeons, torture chambers with chopping blocks and battle axes.

I chuckle reminiscently at our encounter with some geese in the Basque country, when our progress was as effectually blocked by a company of these feathered soldiers as if Charlemagne and all his forces opposed us. The haughty Toulouse gander and his flock waddled down the middle of our road unruffled, unmoved by our insistent horn. Perhaps these geese were the enchanted Black Prince and his knights

guarding the border of Fairyland, for such seemed the country into which we next came, the chateau district along the Loire.

Here we saw the wonderful castles of our fairy stories come to life, but when we entered them, the kings and queens, knights and ladies, Prince Charming and Sleeping Beauty had vanished. Many of the castles are now peopled with rich Americans or turned over to the state for museums.

In striking contrast to the splendor of castle life on the hills above the Loire was the squalor of the cliff dwellers' existence along the banks. We were amazed to see that such primitive life existed. Without the aid of Keith's kodak I can picture the statue of the "Maid of Orleans" in her armour still guarding the town she liberated, as we passed through on our way from this district toward Chartres.

I recall clearly the beauty and impressiveness of Sunday services in the magnificent cathedral of Chartres, which began to raise its lofty, unadorned spires two centuries before the sacrifice of Joan of Arc.

At Chartres the family held, not exactly a council of war, but what might be called a conference of tastes; the point of issue being which route shall we take to Compiègne, our next objective. One road lay through Beauvais and the other by way of Chantilly. The four men, as usual, stood as one in favor of the former because it would give them a chance to visit an historic chateau along the way and the Beauvais Cathedral; the one woman of the party argued that she had been fed up on musty old castles and cathedrals and somewhat starved to see and perhaps possess some of the fine old laces of France, and so, urged the Chantilly route. The minority ruled; we took the lacey way. It proved a circuitous route on account of many detours and bad roads.

When we reached Chantilly virtue had its reward. Before us and bordering on a gem-like lake was one of the loveliest medieval chateaux of France. While to my chagrin I learned that the famous Chantilly lace is made in Belgium.

Next we hurried through the prairies of France from Chantilly to Compiègne. We stood on the spot where the Armistice was signed, and later walked through the marble halls and grand salons of Napoleon's palace. Here poor Josephine read her doom, and later the Austrian princess became the Little Corporal's queen. I stood in the latter's boudoir and looked down a long lane, which seemed to have no ending cut through the forest so that the homesick Louise could look toward the land of her birth. I saw her toilet articles on the dresser and the playthings of the dauphin strewn about just as if they had been left there yesterday.

The last lap of our journey was down Hindenberg Line from Compiègne to Dixmude past the remaining evidences of the recent destruction and awful carnage. What pathetic pictures I have of little roadside shrines before which knelt a bent old woman or some younger one with despair written in her attitude as she crossed herself before



GLIMPSES OF EUROPE

The Family in A Frame Caesar Made
Mount Blanc and the Martin Men
Chantilly Chateau

the Virgin, of cemeteries of white crosses row on row stretching away in the distance and in the rays of the setting sun glistening white-mute symbols of patriotism and sacrifice. Men, women and children, horses, dogs and goats were busy in their united efforts to bring about order, peace, and prosperity out of the chaos, confusion, and poverty left in the wake of the Huns. Particularly appealing to me were the patient lacemakers as they sat just outside their doors plying their bobbins weaving a thing of beauty worthy the garments of a queen.

As is always my custom, when we reached home I offered a prayer of thanksgiving that we had returned safe, sound, and in full possession of our faculties. That evening in the family discussion it was agreed that equipment for our next trip would include a knowledge of at least six different languages, a trailer for souvenirs and films, and "blinders for Mother," especially if our road lay over the Alps or Pyrenees. We certainly went over some hair raising heights and had some hair breadth escapes, but I am glad of the experience even though my hair may be a little whiter. It was my silver honeymoon, and high time for "silver threads among the gold."

BEFORE CONVENTION

Little bank roll, 'ere we part,
 Let me hug thee to my heart;
 Many months I cherished you.
 You've been faithful, I've been true.
 Let me hug you to my heart,
 Little bank roll, 'ere we part.

AND AFTER

Little bank roll, one June day
 You and I both went away
 To a famed convention spot;
 I've come back, but—you have not!
 Yet I'm very glad we went;
 Cash was never better spent.

—Alpha Gamma Delta Quarterly.



THE SUNBEAM

SIGMA KAPPA'S SEACOAST WORK

Among the big national philanthropic projects being fostered by Greek letter organizations is that of the Maine Sea Coast Mission, supported in part by Sigma Kappa.

On August 28, 1926 there was launched the new "Sunbeam" which carries the staff of the Mission to its duties with comfort and expedition. It serves a parish which extends along more than three-fifths of the Maine Coast. The Sunbeam is eighty feet long, sixteen and a half beam and draws six feet. She is fisherman type, built according to a proved design and equipped with auxiliary sail rig for steadying in bad weather. Her power is that of a 120 h.p. crude oil engine and her cruising radius is nearly fifty per cent longer than that of the old Sunbeam. She is equipped with a small hospital and other accessories.

Sophie Parsons Woodman, New York B of Pi Beta Phi, who was staying at her "best loved spot" of South Bristol, Maine last summer had the pleasure of attending the launching of the new Sunbeam at Damaris Cotta.

In sending the above photograph and information to the ARROW Editor she writes:

"As you know this is the visible means to the splendid work of the Maine Sea Coast Mission, supported in part by Sigma Kappa. My snap isn't very good as I had to aim into the sun from my vantage point of a keg of salt fish on the fish-house wharf but it at least shows that a Pi Phi was there.

"On the street afterwards I met a very charming girl, Carolyn Peasley, Maine A of Pi Beta Phi, whose mother is head of the Bible work of the Mission, and she helps in the summers."

The Maine Sea Coast Missionary Society is undenominational in religion and concerned only that it is a real need to which it is called to minister. The facilities of the Mission are available for service under all circumstances and in any place within its physical limitations. The Mission co-operates enthusiastically with any agency religious or social which has a contribution to make to the solution of the problems of the coast.

NATIONAL INTERCOLLEGIATE ORATORICAL CONTEST

The Third National Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest on the Constitution will be held this spring under the auspices of the Better America Federation of California.

The prizes, seven in number, total \$5,000 and will be awarded at the grand final meeting in Los Angeles on June 23, 1927.

The orations must be original, must not require more than ten minutes for delivery, and must be on any one of the following subjects: The Constitution, Washington and the Constitution, Hamilton and the Constitution, Jefferson and the Constitution, Marshall and the Constitution, Franklin and the Constitution, Madison and the Constitution, Webster and the Constitution, or Lincoln and the Constitution.

Any *bona fide* undergraduate student in any college or university in the United States is eligible.

There will be seven major regions (embracing the entire country) in which the colleges and universities will compete among themselves.

For further particulars write: Contest Headquarters, 605 Hibbs Building, Washington, D. C.

PHI BETA KAPPA SESQUI-CENTENNIAL

On November 27, 1926, Phi Beta Kappa, the mother of Greek-letter organizations, celebrated its one hundred and fiftieth anniversary on the campus of William and Mary College, the South's oldest college.

Pi Beta Phi was officially represented by Dr. May L. Keller, President Emeritus, who reports a most delightful time. Other members of the fraternity whose names appeared on the official program were: Mrs. Berton L. Maxfield (Winifred G. Hill, Massachusetts A), who is a member of the Senate of Phi Beta Kappa; Pauline Turnbull, New York A, who was an official delegate of Kappa of New York, Syracuse University; and Mrs. Clarence G. Cleaver (Ethelyn Hardesty, Pennsylvania Γ), an invited guest.

At this Sesqui-Centennial celebration was held the dedication of the Memorial Hall of Phi Beta Kappa, on the campus of William and Mary College. This Hall was provided for in the \$1,000,000 endowment campaign of the national organization. The campaign was attempted with a threefold purpose: the erection of the memorial building to the fifty founders of the fraternity; the financing of a program for promoting a more widespread recognition of the value of scholarship among university, college and high school students; and the support of the regular activities of the fraternity.

The program of the Dedication Exercises consisted of the Academic Procession; Invocation, Dr. William A. R. Goodwin; Presentation of the Memorial Hall, Dr. Oscar M. Voorhees, Secretary of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa; Acceptance of the Hall, Hon. John Stewart Bryan, Vice-Rector of the Board of Visitors; Singing, "America the Beautiful", led by the College Glee Club; Sesqui-Centennial Oration, Dr. Henry Van Dyke, Princeton University; Sesqui-Centennial Poem, Dr. John Erskine, Columbia University; Dedication of the Memorial Hall, Dr. Charles F. Thwing, President of the United Chapters, Benediction, the Right Reverend Collins Denny.

WITH THE ACTIVES

Edra Russell, New York A, has a prominent part in many of the campus activities at Syracuse University. This year she is women's chairman of the all-university convocations which replace chapel. She is also publicity chairman of Y. W. C. A. and president of English Club.

For three years she was a member of the women's staff of *The Daily Orange*, the university newspaper. Last year she was women's editor of *The Onondagan*, the university year book; a member of English Club; and, of Romance Language Club.

She is a member of H II Y, honorary society for senior women; and, of $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, national honorary journalistic fraternity.



VIRGINIA MORGAN

TEAM WINNERS

A team from Minnesota A of Pi Beta Phi won the Gopher Derby subscription race and with the sales for one day holds high record of all Gopher Derby campaigns.

The button team from the same chapter won first prize awarded to the team selling the most badges and tin jugs. This team was captained by Phyllis Ells who was assisted by Faith Patterson, Louise Jones, Marajane Warren, Gladys Paulson and Lucille Friedl.

FROM KENTUCKY A



WINNERS IN BEAUTY CONTEST
GLADYS FRIEND
Kentucky A



WINNERS IN BEAUTY CONTEST
MILDRED LYLE GOODWIN
Kentucky A

PROVINCE CUP WINNER

Columbia Alpha has been awarded the Gamma Province Cup for scholarship, for 1925-26.

TO GREET MRS. COOLIDGE

The Indianapolis *Star* of November 11 says:

"President Coolidge smiled a greeting to about three hundred persons who gathered at the Union Station late yesterday afternoon to welcome the presidential party while engines were being changed on the special train en route to Kansas City, Mo. But characteristically the President didn't have a word to say, even when one of his ardent admirers cried, 'We're for you in 1928.'"

The presidential party, which also included Mrs. Coolidge, Secretary of War Davis, Everett Sanders of Terre Haute, who is the President's secretary, and attaches, arrived on the Pennsylvania railroad special train at 5:30 p. m. Ten minutes later they departed for St. Louis, Mo., and thence to Kansas City, where the president will deliver an Armistice day address today.

During the party's brief stay here Mrs. Coolidge was presented with a large bouquet of chysanthemums by members of the Butler university chapter of Pi Beta Phi and alumnae. Mrs. Coolidge is a member of the organization.

Miss Billy Mae Kreider of Plainfield, president of the Butler chapter presented the bouquet to the first lady of the land, who leaned down over the rail of the rear platform of the observation coach.

"Are all you girls Pi Phis?" Mrs. Coolidge asked as she saw about fifty young women gathered about Miss Kreider.

"We sure are," the girls chorused and Mrs. Coolidge laughed and said, "That's fine."

Then the girls sang several of the songs of Pi Beta Phi and of Phi Gamma Delta and after the first group the President applauded vigorously and Mrs. Coolidge smiled and applauded.

Indiana T is very proud of the note which Mrs. Coolidge sent as follows:

Dear Girls:

I thank you for your welcome when we passed through Indianapolis on our way to Kansas City. Your bright, eager faces and your singing made a great impression—and a lasting one—upon us all. Keep up your fine spirit.

Thank you for the flowers, too.

With a greeting in Pi Phi,

Sincerely your friend,

November 15, 1926.

GRACE COOLIDGE.

STUNT CUP AWARD

The Committee on Social Exchange announces that the cup award for last year has been made to New York Delta, Cornell University, for its stunt, "An Old Fashioned Rushing Party", which was submitted by Gretchen Fisher. Nebraska Beta's "Cooky-Shine" stunt submitted by Margery Lane placed second; and Wyoming Alpha's stunt prepared by Nell Avent was third. These stunts will be sent out to the chapters by the Committee on Social Exchange.

PRESIDENT OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Lois Thompson, Pennsylvania A, is a senior at Swarthmore College and holds the highest office open to women—that of president of the Women's Student Government Association.

Lois' personality and ability have made her an outstanding figure upon the campus, and it is no exaggeration to say that the entire college is her friend.

In her freshman year she was secretary of her class. She played on the sophomore hockey team. She is a member of the swimming team, and a high scorer in swimming events. As one of the five girls in the junior class showing the most interest and enthusiasm in sports, she was awarded the Old English "S" blazer. In her own words, she is an "archery enthusiast," but besides being an expert with the bow, she has also coached several of the archery teams. She was student leader of the Women's Glee Club her junior year.

Student government has claimed her particular attention. Sophomore year, she was elected secretary, junior year she went as Swarthmore's delegate to W. S. G. A. Conference, and this year she is president of the organization.



LOIS THOMPSON
Pennsylvania A

DOROTHY BROWN

PI BETA PHI CONVENTION
JUNE 1927, BREEZY POINT LODGE, MINN.



Maragaret Tasher, Colorado A, won first place in the popularity contest conducted by the *Coloradoan*.

SIX SISTERS IN ONE CHAPTER

White Sisters of Illinois Z

Six sisters of the White family belong to Illinois Z, of Pi Beta Phi, University of Illinois, Champaign, Ill.

Upon request, Marion K. White has written to the *ARROW* as follows:

"There are six girls in our family and we were all fortunate to be elected not only members of Pi Beta Phi but also of one chapter, Illinois Z.

"The pioneer member of our Pi Phi family was Hilda Kirke White who is now Mrs. W. A. Walters. She started her college career at Oberlin with all of her interests centered in music. Over-practice developed player's wrists and she was forced to change her life plans. Her avocation was literature so through the influence of my father and Mr. Purd B. Wright, then librarian of the St. Joseph Public Library, she was persuaded to take the library course offered at the University of Illinois. She was graduated from that institution in 1907. Following graduation she became Librarian of the William Jewell College at

Liberty, Mo., the first woman to be on the William Jewell faculty. She was married in 1909 and since then has been very busy with her children of whom there are now five, four girls and one son.

"Anne was next in line, entering the next year. She was unable to attend more than two years due to a breakdown from overwork. She was married in 1908 to J. M. Giles and lives in Ponce, Porto Rico. She has four sons.

"Sarah entered the second semester of 1906, only a few days after Anne left the University of Illinois. Their similarity of size and appearance caused a great deal of fun and some embarrassment on the part of Anne's friends and acquaintances.

"Sally' as she is known to her friends took the public school music course and following her certification became assistant supervisor of music of the St. Joseph schools and then was promoted to the supervisorship about five years ago. Last summer she taught under Dr. Hollis Dauer at New York University and has been asked to serve again this summer.

"Mildred, alias 'Mim', entered the University in 1907 so there were three Whites in the chapter at the same time. After two years she thought she would put into practice her theoretical training in Home Economics but the plans of the two did not work out until several years later. She is now Mrs. James R. Stalker and lives in Youngstown, Ohio, and has a four year old son on whom to try out pre-school age ideas.

"The chapter had almost five years to get over the effects of such concentrated clannishness before it had to face its fifth White. I entered in the fall of 1913 and was graduated in 1917 in Home Economics. I began teaching in 1918 and have had that as my chief occupation since.

"Jeanne the last and best (her sisters think) entered college in 1918 and graduated in 1922. She has done Y. W. C. A. recreational work since: first, in Peoria, Ill., and now, for the past two years, in Scranton, Pa.

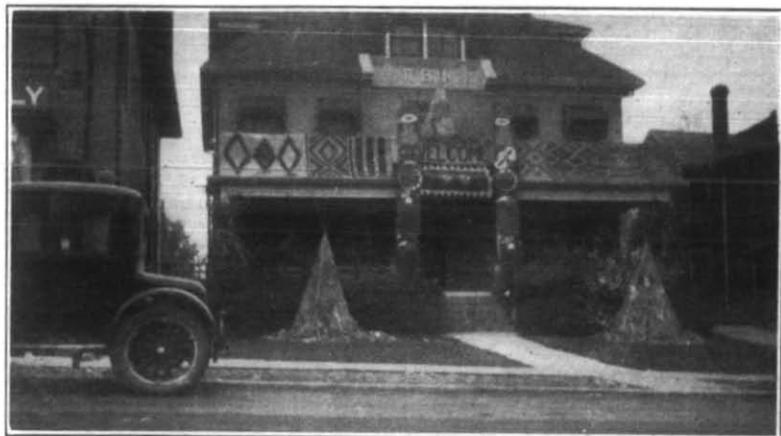
"Many honors came to the White sisters both in the chapter and on the campus. Two were chapter presidents and held other offices as well. Three received preliminary honors from the University (high scholarship for the first two years), and two received final honors.

"Jeanne represented us more on the campus than any other. She was Y. W. C. A. president, on the champion basketball team winning an 'I', on the Stadium committee, member of Mortarboard and member of some lesser organizations.

"Hilda was a member of Phi Delta Phi which became Mortarboard.

"Two of our cousins have also been members of Illinois Z: Anne Siemeus Guilliams (Mrs. Gordon), who was there from 1914-17 and Katherine Siemeus who is a senior now.

"We all of us, have been intensely interested in Pi Beta Phi both locally and nationally and, of course we still are. It is the pet ambition of the six of us that some day we shall be able to attend a Convention 'en masse.'"



Winner of First Prize
HOMECOMING DECORATIONS OF COLORADO A
University of Colorado, Boulder, Co'o.



Winner of Second Prize
HOMECOMING DAY FLOAT OF COLORADO A
University of Colorado, Boulder, Colo.

PI PHIS IN THE PUBLIC EYE

ELECTED TO LEGISLATURE



EDITH VALET COOK
New York B

In November, Mrs. Robert J. Cook (Edith Valet, New York B), Alpha Province Vice President, was elected on the Republican ticket to a seat in the House of Representatives of Connecticut.

When asked for information concerning her victory Mrs. Cook wrote:

"The Republican ticket went in yesterday—with a bang! And so I went along with it. I am one of the two representatives from New Haven to the Connecticut General Assembly (State Legislature). My colleague is Judge Samuel Hoyt, and I was the only woman on either Republican or Democratic ticket in New Haven.

"Our Connecticut House of Representatives numbers about 250, two from each town. There will probably be eight or ten women there."

Edith Valet Cook is known to Pi Phidom through her years of loyal service to the fraternity and brings added honor to our organization in this new achievement.

OTHER PHI PHIS IN POLITICS

Miss Josephine Schain, Minnesota A, of New York City is director of the department of international cooperation to prevent war in the National League of Women Voters.

ELECTED COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Mrs. H. K. Beatty (Lucile Wright, Wyoming A), was elected at the last election on the non-partisan ticket to the position of County Superintendent of Schools of Albany County, Wyoming.

Mrs. Beatty is a graduate of the University of Wyoming from which institution she holds a B. S. degree. She taught Home Economics in the Douglas, Wyo., high school and did public school teaching for several years.

She standardized the first rural school in District No. 4, of Albany County to be brought up to the state standardization requirements, organized a Parent-Teachers association, promoted the Extension Work in her community and carried on a health clinic. She is an enthusiast in the work of the Boys and Girls clubs and of the Farm Bureau.

She will undoubtedly make an excellent record as County Superintendent.

Mrs. Beatty is the sister of Agnes Wright Spring, Wyoming A, and has five Pi Beta Phi cousins. She has always been an interested worker in the fraternity.

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Mrs. John M. Vander Vries (Bernice Taber, Kansas A and New York B), is chairman of the League of Women Voters of Winnetka, Illinois of a membership of 1,055.

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Mrs. William H. Lough (Elizabeth Shepard, Wisconsin A), is chairman of the Westchester County League of Women Voters. This county adjoins New York City and comprises such



LUCILE WRIGHT BEATTY
Wyoming A

cities as Yonkers (100,000), Mt. Vernon (50,000), New Rochelle (about 30,000). It is a big position.

GIVES \$6,000 GIFT

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, Iowa T, of New York City, noted woman suffrage leader, has donated \$6,000 to the Pi Beta Phi chapter at Ames, Iowa. The gift was made to the investment company which owns the chapter house.

Mrs. Catt has always been a loyal and interested member of the fraternity.

BUILDER OF HOTEL

Josephine T. Berry, Kansas A, who is a graduate of the University of Kansas and of Columbia University is building an apartment hotel exclusively for women tenants.

This residence hotel is a new project in Kansas City, though similar ventures have proved successful in Chicago and New York City.

Miss Berry is mentioned in Who's Who as an expert in home economics. A building, the Josephine T. Berry Home Management House was so named at the University of Minnesota, several years after her service there as head of the department of home economics.

The *Kansas City Post* of December 22, 1926, says:

THORNDIKE HALL, an apartment hotel exclusively for women tenants, will open the first of January at 2928 Forest avenue.

The apartment is being built by Miss Josephine T. Berry, formerly secretary of the hospital and health board, and it is a successful conversion of her residence into an apartment through remodeling and the addition of twenty rooms.

Miss Berry's residence was built by E. M. Ridenour and was so well planned that it still is an attractive building. No change has been made in the arrangement of the first floor, which provides entrance hall, reception room, office and owner's suite, preserving much of the atmosphere of the home. Adjoining baths have been added for the second and third floor rooms. The apartment singles are in the new structure. Altogether, the building contains fourteen bachelor rooms and sixteen apartments.

Miss Berry has kept her apartment on the lower floor of the residence during the converting of the building into an apartment and personally has supervised the construction.

She gives credit to Charles E. Donnelly, engineer of the city planning commission, for the suggestion of saving her home in this way, for the residences in this district rapidly are being replaced by apartment buildings.

Miss Berry planned the arrangement of the rooms and made floor sketches which were revised and developed by Mrs. Nelle E. Peters, architect. Another woman, Nell W. Crouch, loan broker, arranged the loan for Miss Berry. W. L. Elson is the contractor.

A home for employed women with all the independence provided by a hotel, and yet with more of the spirit of a home, has been the dream of the building for some years. Many women have expressed interest in the undertaking. It is believed that Thorndike Hall, tastefully furnished and making a moderate charge for its rooms and apartments, will satisfy a real demand among business and professional women in Kansas City.

BECOMES A MISSIONARY

Eunice Hudson, West Virginia A, has just sailed for South America to take up her duties as a missionary.

From a West Liberty, West Virginia newspaper we quote:

Miss Eunice Hudson of Millville, N. J., a graduate from the University in 1920, sailed from New York September 26 enroute to Brazil, South America, where she will take up her work as a missionary, according to a letter and newspaper clipping received by Dr. and Mrs. Friend E. Clark of Morgantown.

A member of the class of 1920, Miss Hudson was also a member of Phi Beta Kappa and of Seo Beowulf Gedryht. She has been teaching French for the past six years in Millville high school.

Her father, H. B. Huston, and Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Evans of the Methodist Episcopal church of Millville accompanied Miss Hudson to New York where with a party of seven others she left on the Southern Cross for a two weeks' travel by water to Rio de Janeiro. From Rio de Janeiro they will travel by land to Motto Grasso, from which place they will be assigned their final destination.

WINNER OF SCHOLARSHIP

Katherine Drake, Texas A, who won one of the two scholarships in French given by Wellesley College, is now studying at the *University of Lyons, France.*

A DENISHAWN DANCER

The following clipping from the *Pasadena Star-News* concerns Dorothy Ware, Wisconsin A:

An unusual but extremely welcome advance Christmas present has been received by Miss Dorothy Ware, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray S. Elton of Pasadena, in the form of a contract with the Denishawn Dancers, who start their American tour with Ruth St. Denis and Ted Shawn on Sunday after 18 months in the Orient.

Miss Ware has been studying at the Denishawn School of Dancing in Los Angeles for less than two years, and her selection as one of the dancers in the company now going on tour is a distinct honor.

Recently the company appeared at the Philharmonic Auditorium in Los Angeles, and the Oriental program which they are to present throughout the United States is heralded as something quite out of the ordinary. They will appear in Chicago, New York City and in fact, all the big cities from coast to coast.

Miss Ware has been living with her parents, who recently moved from Linda Vista to 415 Grand avenue, South Pasadena, where they are residing temporarily. Her many friends will be glad to hear of her good fortune in being added to the dancers supporting Ruth St. Denis and Ted Shawn.

PRESIDENT OF DELPHIAN COUNCIL

Says the Flint, Mich., *Journal*:

The more than 300 members who make up the Delphian chapters this year have at their head a woman whose dramatic ability is well known throughout the United States—Mrs. Edna Bassler Rotert having been chosen as the president of the Delphian Council which serves as an intermediary between the six local branches and the national headquarters in Chicago.

This year the Delphians are devoting their interests to the study of drama and few leaders could be better equipped than Mrs. Rotert to conduct their activities. For not only did she specialize in speech and dramatic work during her university career, but she made that her life work, appearing on the Lyceum platforms throughout the country following her graduation.

Mrs. Rotert was born in Lima, O., attending Ohio Wesleyan university one year, was graduated from Northwestern university, and took summer school courses for several seasons at the Chicago Lyceum school and the University of Michigan. Her Lyceum appearances were in the nature of play-reading, dialect sketches, musical readings, original monologues and other features, and during one season she was

leading lady in the Lyceum drama, "Sarah Sidesteps" which played successfully for some time in Chicago before its circuit run in the middlewest.

Then came a period of educational work, Mrs. Rotert demonstrating her executive ability during three years as principal of the Charlevoix high school, one year as principal at the Central Lake high school, and a period as head of the public speaking department of the Sturgis high school.

Mrs. Rotert is starting her third year as a teacher at Flint Central high school, where her originality of ideas, her rare ability in directing dramatic work, her skill in coaching debates and bringing out the latent oratorical powers of the students have contributed so invaluable to the various school activities. She is intensely interested in developing the talents of her students and by a variety of methods makes the work of those who come into contact with her interesting. Mrs. Rotert supervises the staging of all of the Central high dramatizations and musical productions, the successes of the last several years' presentations evidencing her ability.

Mrs. Rotert spent last summer abroad and has been interesting audiences in the nearby cities and Flint with delightful travelogues since her return.

Edna Bassler Rotert is a member of Illinois E of Pi Beta Phi, North Western University, Evanston, Ill.

VISITS ROYALTY

Stella Kayser, Wisconsin, A, has returned from Europe where she has been making a survey of foreign methods of presenting the study of piano to children. In the late summer Miss Kayser met Vivian Smith, Wisconsin A, in Warsaw, Poland, where both were entertained for a week at the home of the Prince and Princess Lubomviska, whose daughters, Natalia and Christine, are friends of Miss Smith.

A PLAYHOUSE DIRECTOR

Cloyd Dalzell, California F, is co-chairman of the Pasadena Community Playhouse Workshop. The Workshop provides opportunities for those who delight in producing or directing plays. The plays, many of them, are the work of local playwrights. Miss Dalzell took one of the leads in "The Farmer's Wife" at the

Playhouse recently. Her regular role is that of Assistant Director of the Broadoaks School in Pasadena.

IN FRENCH SERVICE BUREAU

Lelah-Bell Davis, Illinois H, is conducting Colette's Service Bureau in Chicago at 5738 Blackstone Ave., which being interpreted, is a service combining education in the French language, and a travel bureau booking passage to Europe, planning itineraries (especially through France), and offering all kinds of help to those contemplating independent travel. Her letterhead carries this note: "Tutoring, situations, interpreting, translations, itineraries."

HOSPITAL MEMORIAL

Pi Phi alumnae, Pi Phi husbands, mothers and fathers of Lafayette Pi Phis, and the patronesses of Indiana Delta of Lafayette, Indiana have subscribed a Memorial to the Home Hospital in the name of the chapter.

"Indiana Delta of Pi Beta Phi" will be engraved on the plate for the door to this unit of the hospital. Mr. R. H. Shook, husband of one of the Patronesses, proposed the Memorial and helped to make it possible.



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NEWS FROM LITTLE PIGEON

Edited by AGNES MILLER TURNER (MRS. J. R.),

45S Rodney Ave., Portland, Ore.

A DRESS FOR MRS. COOLIDGE

The Pi Beta Phis of Kansas City will long remember Armistice Day of 1926, as it brought to the city for the dedication of its Memorial, President and Mrs. Coolidge.

Since their stay was of only a few hours duration it was impossible for the Pi Phis to obtain any time for the entertainment of Mrs. Coolidge. Anxious, however, to do something to express their admiration and love for her, and feeling that flowers would bring only a moment's pleasure and would then be lost to her in the myriads of other bouquets, these Pi Phis decided that a gift from the Settlement School at Gatlinburg, Tenn., might bring her lasting pleasure.



EDNA McCARTER

When this idea was transmitted to Miss Evelyn Bishop, Head Resident at the School, it received her hearty endorsement and she straightway set the School's most expert weaver, Edna McCarter, a girl of fifteen, to work upon the weaving of a lovely dress pattern in soft cream wool, with a deep block pattern of self color.

The material arrived in Kansas City just a day before the time for its presentation and was greatly admired by those who had a glimpse of it, ere, with a picture of the young weaver at her loom, it went into its snowy wrappings, and was bound about with ties of wine and blue.

Mrs. Clyde Porter (Willie M. Reed, Iowa Γ), president of the alumnae club, presented the dress through a courteous but watchful member of the Secret Service on guard at the portals of the presidential suite. Later Mrs. A. I. Beach (Marjorie Marshall, Kansas A), the wife of Kansas City's mayor, and hostess to the President's party, told Mrs. Coolidge the details of the weaving of the dress and found her to be most appreciative of it.

So, in the gardens of the White House in early spring perhaps our lovely First Lady will walk, clad in a gown of softest white.

Several days after the presentation a most cordial note of thanks came from Mrs. Coolidge to the Kansas Alumnae Club.

The Kansas City *Star* gives the following colorful description of Mrs. Coolidge during her first hours in the city:

"The winsome smile of the First Lady of the land was one of the highlights of the arrival of the presidential party. The President stepped from the train with formal and dignified mien to meet the welcoming committee. But it was the smiling and beautiful woman alert of countenance and ready to receive the hearty greeting of an admiring populace with genuine sincerity, who won all hearts.

"Simple and gracious of manner, she was ready for the day's events by that best of preparations with which humanity can be fortified, a willingness to be pleased by the hospitality that is offered in which she was taking part by her volition.

"Mrs. Coolidge has a knowledge of the value of time, a rare thing in a woman. She proved it by arraying herself upon arising, in the costume which she was to wear for the principal events of the day, the Memorial Dedication and the luncheon at the Hotel Meulebach.

"As she stepped from the train platform the crowd saw a tall woman in a broad brimmed sea green velvet hat and a long black seal skin coat which was wrapped closely about her slender figure. Recognition was instantaneous from the assembled crowds. Mrs. Coolidge's luxuriant, long brown hair, could be seen beneath the big green hat with a mink bow on the left side. Bronze reptile skin shoes and matching hose and bronze gloves were in evidence. Every woman with an eye to pretty accessories noted the jade button earrings which the First Lady of the land wore.

"At the Hotel Meulebach Mrs. Coolidge took time to write a personal note, and to have a quiet chat with the President; then, into a cream and gold bag she tucked the little necessities of the day; a green and tan chiffon handkerchief and a pale green one of linen, a compact, and a gold pencil. Without the slightest confusion, without the opening of trunk or bag, the First Lady of the land was ready for the day."

GLIMPSSES OF THE SCHOOL STAFF

After a six weeks stay at Huff's Inn, Mrs. R. A. Nickerson from St. Louis was so impressed with the work carried on by our School that she talked herself into the task of furnishing the program for an evening meeting of the St. Louis Alumnae Club. Mrs. Nickerson, not being a Pi Phi sent an S. O. S. to Miss Bishop for facts and the following will be self-explanatory.

Dec. 11, 1926

My Dear Mrs. Nickerson:

Of course I remember you very well. To be sure I didn't see you or Mrs. Chandler as often as the Shop girls did but I knew you just the same.

It is mighty nice of you to be roped into this and I am sure we, as well as the St. Louis Pi Phis appreciate it. I find the clubs are so much more interested when they can really talk with someone who has been to the School.

Helen Chew, from the Sugarlands, has been having an enforced vacation this week due to an attack of the flu so when your letter came I read it to her and she said (just joking) that she would answer it for me as I was rushing around trying to get baskets and weaving off in time for Christmas. Well, It didn't take me long really to call her bluff and the enclosed is the result.

In reading over what she has written I find that she has entirely left out the Sugarlands work. Maybe she was too modest. Three years ago Helen started work six miles above here and now, with two other girls carries on not only the regular county school work there but does a good deal of most interesting adult work. Last year she had a class of boys two or three times a week after the regular school hours, then visited many older people and gave them personal instruction. Several over sixty years learned to read and write their names.

This year she is having night school at the cottage and some afternoon classes too. A sawmill in the Sugarlands has been furnishing a most interesting night class, the school morale being kept up to a large extent by the man who is in charge of the work.

With the lumber camp men who come twice a week, our night class numbers seventeen pupils and the monthly attendance from one hundred to one hundred and fifty. Every class ends with an hour's play and because it is new they play like children.

Last year we closed at Christmas, but this year this adult work bids fair to continue through the entire school year.

In addition to the annual Christmas tree they have what I think is just fine, a community dinner on Thanksgiving at the schoolhouse. This is always preceded by a Thanksgiving sermon and this year, the additional pleasure of Mr. Harve Reagan's guitar.

Cora McCarter, one of our local girls, has been with Miss Chew ever since she has been in Sugarlands and this year we have a Pi Phi from Indianapolis, Martha Flowers.

The county is building a new schoolhouse at Sugarlands this year and the girls hope to be in it by the holidays. It is a three room, modern building, a great improvement over the one room house they have had to teach in. Also it will have desks and a sliding partition between the rooms, which can easily be made into an auditorium.

The people gave two acres of land adjoining the county school ground and on this the Pi Phis are building a Teachers' Cottage. A fund from the Pi Phis in Athens, Ohio has made the starting of this house possible, and although not sufficient to finish it now, they expect finally to complete it entirely. The house will be ready for the girls to move into by the first of the year.

I had no idea I was going to draw such a prize from Helen but know you will be pleased with it.

All good wishes for the meeting.

Very sincerely

EVELYN BISHOP

December 11, 1926

My Dear Mrs. Nickerson:

Miss Evelyn asked me to answer your letter, really for the purpose of giving me a little recuperation after a week of flu. She would do a great deal better herself, but maybe I can help you a little. I was here for four years and then went to the new center in the Sugarlands three years ago.

Some of the newer girls might give you details that now pass me. One's first years are so full of the new ways of the people.

To answer your first question about our new nurse. Miss Ruby Ryman is our nurse now, not a Pi Phi but a splendid girl who would do us credit if she were. At this time of year, with so much dampness and rain, colds and flu keep her traveling from one home to another. Measles have been in both schools all fall with now and then a case of mumps. Several babies have made their advent, with her assistance, and I believe next week we are to have an operation in the hospital. This fall we had a splendid tonsil clinic, with Dr. Potter, a specialist from Knoxville, in charge. A Knoxville dentist comes twice a month to our hospital. For the first few months he came only one Saturday a month but there was so much to be done he found that even Sundays would not take care of the patients so now takes two week-ends in the Burg.

For quite a while our nurse has been working to get the feet of several children straightened. She has taken them to Knoxville Hospitals, where they are so fine to us. Just this fall two children, either by braces or operation, are walking with straightened feet. Kate

Huskey, from the Sugarlands, and Eula Floyd from Baskins. Because Eula's mother was a young girl of fourteen who did not realize her responsibility in keeping braces on continually, Eula has been taken to the Shriners' Hospital in Lexington until she can be perfectly cured.

Although every year increases the confidence of the people in our nurse, bringing them to her for help, still a larger part of her work is in the homes. She also keeps in touch with the county schools of this district by giving inoculations, vaccinations, eye examinations and weighing and measuring the school children. Any needing special care are then turned over to the doctors who come to us from time to time. No work done by our school comes nearer touching the vital part of the people's lives than the nurse's.

Ruby is unusually tall, light curly hair, a very straight forward and sincere girl in her relation to people.

More community work is done by our weaving teacher, Gene Redding, also not a Pi Phi but just as interested in the School as if she were. This year her work is in the homes more than among the school children, with whom this department naturally started. She works in thirty homes, running about forty looms for the school. This work covers a radius of about five miles. Men, women and children weave. In many homes it is the only source of income, in others supplementary. No doubt you know the various articles we make: Dress goods, towels, scarfs, rugs, bath mats, curtain materials, bags and coverlets. Aside from this hand work we handle all sorts of baskets, made in the homes of the people. Our hand-work has grown to a considerable business, one of the largest departments in the School. Miss Redding has had splendid training, and with a fine taste naturally, is developing a very great appreciation among the people for beauty as a nice fabric. She is tall and slender, dark hair and grey eyes. She comes from Boston, with a Boston twist to her words, and although this is her second year here she continues to take "Bahths."

Jean Steel has classes in Domestic Science, in the School in the mornings and in this community and others in the afternoons. These community classes are for adults, held in most cases in the local schoolhouses. Her attendance for a month will average from seventy-five to one hundred, with usually from three to six to a class. There is no more discouraging work than the pioneer steps of such work with the mountain women. Two or three seem a small number but when the situation is really understood, it is a great triumph. The typical mountain woman stays in her home. It is what you might call a folk way with the people, rather than a lack of interest, the changing of which is very slow. Every impression, no matter how small, leaves a dint of tremendous importance in their lives, becoming evident at the least expected moments.

Jean is another one outside the ranks of Pi Phi. She is a very practical minded girl, with the keenest possible sense of humor. The

picture she makes in her new, long sheep skin coat, on our handsomest horse, "Lady", as she rides down the road, is a picture never to be forgotten. We should add that in addition to the afore mentioned coat, she has a large horse blanket festooned around her, giving the appearance of an old time circuit rider.

Our agricultural man, Mr. Mattil, has been with us more than four years, carrying his work into many communities, through classes among the farmers, talks, pictures and fairs. Many men consult him every week about personal problems, often getting their start on blooded stock, good seeds for their fields and varieties of fruits for their orchards. During the time he has been here he has developed a community chicken hatchery at the school, a pig club that has been the means of putting Berkshire pigs of the best kind through these hills, built up the County fair, assisted in building farm buildings for the school and community and developed the athletics in the school. Mr. Mattil is a Delta Tau Delta, from the University of Tennessee, tall and slender, with a very amiable disposition, allowing him to maintain his position with fortitude among fourteen women. His Ford, his horse and his dog are in constant use, and even if he desired, he could never make a get-away to the city alone. No one in the place will be more missed, when he leaves us, (with the exception of Miss Evelyn) as Mr. Mattil.

In the office this year La Delle Allen is the new assistant to Miss Evelyn. She is a Pi Phi from the University of Arkansas, calling Memphis and Little Rock, home. A well set up girl, with brown hair and eyes, very hard boiled when it comes to postage money and telephone tolls. Every call over our new telephone is 20c amounting to a considerable sum if charged to the School, also causing a lot of trouble always to make change, consequently La Delle's string to every call. As all school bills go through her hands she is quite an important appendage to the institution. Without her we never would have been able to carry on the immense amount of business pertaining to the industrial work that has so nearly swamped us this fall.

In the School we have six teachers, not counting the special ones. Each with two grades in a room, with the exception of the kindergarten, a new department this year. Our school now carries its pupils from the kindergarten through second year high school. We number 66 boys and 58 girls, not counting any of the community classes. Seven boys and girls are living here on the place. Dorothy Trainer, from Chicago, the youngest in the family of teachers, teaches the kindergarten, a class which numbers from six to eighteen, depending upon the weather and measles, etc. As there was no available room in the school-house for this class she has her class in what has always been the dining-room of the Teachers Cottage. Dorothy is a decided blonde, with a thinking head on very small and young shoulders. She is new in the game but learning fast.

In the primary is Emily Burton, from Montclair. She has first and second grades. Very small and exceedingly young looking but with nine years residence, an element to be reckoned with. Her years of service should make her worthy of wearing the Arrow.

The next two grades are taught by Mrs. Chapin, of New York City. Herself a Pi Phi, as well as a Pi Phi mother. She came to us to live in the little girls' dormitory but remained to teach in the school.

Elmer Watson, of the local community, teaches the 5th and 6th grades. He helps with the athletics and without him our Sunday School would fall far below its present standard.

In the high school are Marion Folsom and Maggie White. Marion is a University of Vermont Pi Phi, with a residence here of four years. Dark and active, and, with a boyish bob and a sparkling eye, she is abundantly able to take care of her room full of boys.

Maggie White is the other one of our blondes, a Pi Phi from Austin, Texas, but hardly one of the wild western Texans you read about in books, a typical bud of the 'modern college. She came to us three years ago a society butterfly but today can hunt possum and climb mountains with any of them. No doubt much of this is due to Marion's strenuous training.

Miss Evelyn's mother feeds us three times a day, and a good feeding it is. She lives in the girls' dormitory with the girls. Mrs. McCarter, who has been in the boys' dormitory for two years, and Aunt Lizzie who has been with the teachers for eight years, do the cooking. Aunt Lizzie has moved from the Teachers' Cottage to the Girls' Dormitory, even taking her clock from the living room (the very clock promised to Miss Evelyn when she married, but because of Miss Evelyn's procrastination, Aunt Lizzie has turned Indian Giver and has taken it back.)

Mrs. Dowell, a Pi Phi from Simpson College, is keeping house for the boys on the hill. Boys, girls and teachers all have their meals together this year, a plan which is working out very well, even though the dining room in the girls' dormitory is much too small. While this simplifies things somewhat it is so necessary to have a woman like Mrs. Dowell who can make a real home for the boys.

It would take me too long to recount the virtues of our Head Resident, Miss Evelyn, but if you visited the school for any length of time you came in contact with her personally and you can give a picture of your own, which would mean more to you, as well as to the girls.

We close this week Friday with our annual Christmas exercises and Christmas tree. This happy time is made possible for the children by the lovely boxes sent to us from the clubs, and the extra Christmas checks take care of the candy and oranges given, not only to our own school boys and girls but many more up and down the creeks.

Alice Kendall, of the local chapter there, could give you some more personal touches, after spending three summers here.

Sincerely,

HELEN CHEW

A TRIBUTE TO PI BETA PHI

From the *Lyre* of Alpha Chi Omega we quote the following:

SOUTHERN HIGHLANDERS

I have been dean of girls in Murphy Collegiate Institute in Sevierville, Tennessee the last two years. This school is in the heart of the Smoky Mountains, and has as its students boys and girls now known as Southern Highlanders. Contrary to the prevailing idea that the mountaineer is an idolent, ignorant sort, he is the soul of ambition when once he is given an opportunity. I have never seen such types of physical perfection—fine featured, erect, well groomed American boys and girls.

I could write volumes of my admiration for the Southern Highlanders, but I can give an idea of life and service there with one concrete example.

Just two years ago this month I felt a new sense of pride in my privilege of being a fraternity woman when I saw the embodiment of a wonderful fraternity ideal, worked out in the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School in Gatlinburg, Tennessee. I had gone with the president of our school to an old fashioned county fair, high up in the mountains. Hundreds of men on horseback, a mountain of corn, old fashioned fiddlers—I felt as if I was looking at a movie. Suddenly I heard a Pi Phi song sung by a chorus of some thirty or forty boys and girls ranging in age from eight to fourteen years. I wish that I could describe it so that everyone could get the thrill that I did as I watched those children singing their praise to Pi Phi, who has made education possible for them.

I have visited the school itself several times since then for it holds a wonderful fascination for me. Forty miles from Knoxville over a road winding around the mountains one reaches the Pi Phi school, situated in a Valley, surrounded by mountains. There are cottages for the girls, cottages for the boys, a cottage for the teachers, a school, a hospital. Besides regular school work, agriculture and handicraft are taught to the boys, household arts and textile crafts to the girls.

The teachers are Pi Phis—Pi Phis from Canada, from Texas, from Illinois—charming, vigorous girls, devoted to their work and their fraternity.

The nurse, untiring in her service, rides the mountains day and night, cares for all who need her skill, and receives the love and gratitude of the whole countryside.

The superintendent of the school, Miss Bishop, is known and hailed

by everyone in Sevier County as Miss Evelyn. To her belongs the credit for the steady improvement, the constant advancement of the school.

In the last year the road has been improved, hotels repaired, and Gatlinburg which lies at the foot of Mt. Le Conte is fast becoming a summer resort.

I asked Miss Evelyn what they would do as Gatlinburg grew larger and more modern.

She replied, "We will move—back, back to the mountains. Our duty is to give education to the children who would not have a chance otherwise.

MARY HELEN THOMAS, A, *Chi Omega*

FOURTEEN YEARS ON LITTLE PIGEON

Upon request, Mrs. Lutchter Stark, Jr., (Nita Hill, Texas A), who is Chairman of the Settlement School, wrote the following article for the editor of Theta Kappa Nu for the *Theta News*:—

The Pi Beta Phi Fraternity feels that in having founded the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School the ideals of the first at Gatlinburg, Tennessee, it responded to a need and lived up to the ideals of the first Greek letter fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa, founded at William & Mary College, back in colonial days.

Fraternities and colleges have done a good deal of constructive work. Most of the higher and cultural colleges maintain settlements of some kind, placing these mainly in large cities where conditions are crowded and a foreign element has to be taken care of.

The Pi Beta Phi work, we feel, is unique in that, instead of doing our work with the foreign element, we are dealing with the truest type of American.



NITA HILL STARK
Texas A

Since our earliest recollections there has been a division between the peoples of the mountains and those of the plains. The Pi Phis feel that through their code of ethics they have learned that any experimental effort toward humanized service, with its object the betterment of humanity, is worthy of consideration and that it is of vital significance to our Nation.

Several years ago there were numerous newspaper articles that touched on the tragic ignorance of the primitive life of the mountaineers of North Carolina, Kentucky, and Tennessee. At the Swarthmore Convention in 1910, the Washington Alumnae Club delegate appealed to the National Fraternity to sanction the establishment of a school in one of these districts.

For nearly two years the Fraternity enlisted the help of Congress men, State Legislators and Government officials, in order to locate the most needy place. A committee found that Gatlinburg or "Little Pigeon," as it is familiarly known, in Sevier County, Tennessee, offered a most excellent field for such work as our dreams had been anticipating. It is a recognized fact that all of the big things that have happened in history have usually started in a very small way. So, we felt that our beginning being so small was destined to be great. It is interesting to know that we started school with one teacher, an experienced mountain worker, whose house rent cost us all of one and one-half dollars per month.

The people of these mountains, the Unaka Range, a part of the Appalachian system, have an interesting history. They are descendants of Scotch, Scotch-Irish, French and a few French-Italians, known as Waldensians, however, all of which is too long a story to take up here. Should anyone be more interested in this, it would be advisable for him to read "The Land of Saddle Bags," A Study of the Mountain People of Appalachia, by James Watt Raine. Much has been said about the ancestry of these mountaineers and their customs, so I shall not go into detail, as my main object here is to present the School to the members of your fraternity.

The purpose of the School is to give to the mountaineers of South-eastern Tennessee educational training, equivalent to an elementary and high school course, with particular emphasis on industrial and agricultural work, to provide a health center, to maintain a settlement house with recreational activities, and to extend to the mountaineers such help as from time to time is needed.

Gatlinburg, on the Little Pigeon River, lies forty-eight miles by automobile road southeast of Knoxville. It is sixteen miles from Sevierville, the County Seat of Sevier county. At present there is no railroad connection from Sevierville to Gatlinburg and only this year has a telephone line been installed.



AN IDEAL DISPLAY FOR A SETTLEMENT SCHOOL MEETING
 Memphis, Tennessee Alumnae Club

Teaching in a settlement requires a different method and, to quote from another writer, it has been found that the mountaineers cannot take "their learning heavily." It must be given out in small parcels, sometimes through social atmosphere, developing fellowship and good will.

Our first school was at the junction of Baskins Creek and "Little Pigeon River," and we felt that even though we could only run the school four months of that year that each year we could increase the length of the term until we would have a full nine months school term. At the beginning of our School Gatlinburg was a little hamlet of six or seven houses and an open air blacksmith shop, a tumbled down school house—wonderfully ventilated, as many boards had fallen off, and an equally well ventilated Baptist church. I remember a service I attended in the last mentioned church. The flies nearly ate us up and those we killed with the hymn books gave a very meaty dinner to the religious chickens that attended services. Church was held once a month by a preacher who was more or less uneducated. The age of the students in the beginning varied from ten to forty. And, another thing we had to contend with was that children of actual school age had to bring the younger children with them, in order to be able to come to school at all. The natives were suspicious of outsiders, did

not want any interference, but they desired better educational advantages. They had to accept the work offered by Pi Beta Phi. Their spirit of hospitality, crude as it was, prevailed and a cooperative working atmosphere was created among the young workers. It was not an easy beginning. And, to this day, we have to consider, very carefully, public opinion.

In looking backward, we find that in the early part of 1912 they had their first sociable. It was a primitive room with long seats, no desks, very low ceilings supported by poles, and there were six of these poles. Here they were taught to sing and here the two Pi Phi workers said, "All these people at Gatlinburg need is a light and a chance."

It is interesting to know that we had to teach these children their games. They did not even know how to "drop the handkerchief." And, now, each year it is with a great deal of satisfaction we watch these healthy young Americans play with their neighbors at "tug of war", baseball, basketball, and such sports during the county Gatlinburg fair. For some years we have promoted community interest in a fair which would do credit to any thriving community. In speaking of basketball, I feel I should tell you of a funny instance that happened several years ago. We have a very good friend who has a summer home at Gatlinburg. He provided the basketball team with their suits, and the teacher who has charge of athletics instructed the boys to don their uniforms. After quite a long time they appeared with their suits over their overalls, as they felt that they were entirely too immodest otherwise.

I shall not go into detail to tell you how uninviting their homes were, but, if at any time you were occasioned to be there, they were always open to welcome in a stranger. The teachers at the Pi Beta Phi school were looked upon to be peculiar if they happened to be more than twenty when they arrived at Gatlinburg to teach because they were not married. Early marriages, as early as twelve and thirteen to nineteen, were contracted and it was no unusual sight to see a family of thirteen to nineteen children. They are, however, marrying later in life on the whole than in 1912, and there are fewer children.

When the World War came, Gatlinburg sent her quota of mountaineers. They went in the 30th Division which came from the mountains of North and South Carolina and Tennessee. You may depend upon it that the men of the 30th Division could shoot, for hunting game had not died out in their country. We have stars for nineteen boys on our service flag, of which there are three gold stars.

I have told you mainly of our beginning and now I want to tell you of our work as it is today. Our plant has grown from one little school house to quite a number of houses. We have the main building, the teachers cottage, two cottages for girls dormitories, which are supervised by matrons and teachers, one cottage for boys, a museum and

a health center. The pupils who board at the school are kept there through scholarships given by certain people from over the United States, while others of them do part time work to pay for their tuition.

In the Smith-Hughes Agricultural work, we conduct a short course in Animal Husbandry. We have an "Endless Pig Chain" where a boy is given a pig with a contract to return a certain per cent of the little pigs. Those, in turn, are given to another boy who raises another litter of pigs, returning so many back to the school. The same scheme is contracted in promoting thoroughbred chicken raising.

Gatlinburg soil is well adapted for fruit raising, especially apples. In reaching the older people we have asked the father to give the boy one tree out of his orchard. The class in the Agricultural Department has come to this tree, sprayed it, pruned it, and cultivated it. The father notices that the apples on this tree are of a more even size; that it is free of rust and spots, so he comes to ask us to help him. This is a part of our community work. We have taught them that it is better to raise thoroughbred cattle and chickens. We have taught them how to build a barn that is up-to-date, yet in keeping with this isolated district.



BUILDING CHICKEN HOUSE

We also have the Smith-Hughes Domestic Economy classes. Here we have classes in canning, studies in balanced diets, and practical as well as theoretical cooking and sewing. The ages of the students in these classes range from twelve to seventy years. Beside the regular school course, we have classes in weaving. We promote weaving among adults as a rainy day industry. We encourage the people in farming and cattle raising, but we also promote this weaving and basket making for rainy day purposes.

We feel very proud of the advancement in this line.

We have a very well organized Health center. Every three weeks we hold dental clinics, and during the summer some Chicago dentists assist in this work for a very small fee. We promote education in sanitation and health hygiene and feel that we have accomplished a great deal.

Some interesting statistics of Sevier County, I think, should be noted here. The number of desks there in 1916 was forty-three, and in 1923, 2100. In 1916 there were no libraries. Now, there are twenty-one. There were no consolidated schools in 1913, but in 1923 there



THE NEW BARN AND OLD ONE

were thirty-two with two or more teachers. In 1915 there were 5113 pupils and in 1923, 6994, with a decrease in population.

I have not said much about the finances or operation of the school. The donations to the School have always been voluntary and never have the funds decreased since the beginning, but each year we find that the members of Pi Beta Phi are more willing to give to this great cause than ever. We feel that with this wonderful object to work for that there has been a closer bond of fellowship between alumnae clubs and active chapters. The Pi Beta Phis have contributed annually by individual gifts through clubs who have conducted sales of industrial goods such as weaving and basket work, or at bridge parties, etc. The School is supervised by a committee of five who makes an annual visit to the school, the Chairman making two visits, annually. At the School proper, there is an excellent staff of people, particularly and peculiarly suited to conduct classrooms, meet obstacles and mingle in the civic and religious life of the community. Our work has grown to such an extent that we have opened up an extension work at Sugarlands, upon the request of the people of that community. At this center we have been conducting classes in adult education. It is a pathetic sight to see old men and women, some grandparents, struggling to learn to write their names, and it also gives us a great deal of pleasure to see their joy in having learned this feat.

May the spirit that fostered the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School in the beginning, support it through the years to come, that the entire work may act as a leaven to help not only the Pi Phis, but the Fraternity spirit from one end of this great nation to its uttermost bounds,

for the world's greatest teacher said: "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these, Ye have done it unto me."

NITA HILL STARK

FORD PARTY VISITS GATLINBURG

From *The Knoxville Journal* of October 27, 1926, we quote:

Henry Ford will arrive in Knoxville over the L. & N. railway about 8:30 o'clock this morning. The famous automobile magnate will be accompanied by Mrs. Ford and a small party of friends. Mr. Ford and party will be driven to Gatlinburg by a group of representative citizens. They will return to Knoxville in the afternoon and leave here early tonight for Middleboro.

Object of the visit is to see the Pi Beta Phi school, in which Mrs. Ford has expressed a great deal of interest, and to see the Great Smoky mountains.

The Ford party is coming to Knoxville from Harrogate, where they visited and inspected the Lincoln Memorial university, and are making an indefinite tour of such places as promise to be of interest.

Invitation to visit Knoxville and the "Pi Beta Phi" school was extended by Charlton Karns, city manager; W. P. Davis, president of the Great Smoky Mountain Conservation association; Carlos Campbell, manager of the Chamber of Commerce; A. N. Shearman, of the Shearman Concrete Pipe company; H. B. Vester and John W. Rryan, of the Vester Motor company, who motored to Harrogate Tuesday afternoon for that purpose.

FORD IS CHEERED IN FIRST SPEECH

Manufacturer Gives 48-Word Talk To School Children

GATLINBURG, Tenn., Oct. 27—Henry Ford made the first public speech of his life here today. It contained only 48 words, but at its conclusion he was cheered by a little crowd of school children and visitors at the Pi Beta Phi Settlement school in Gatlinburg, gateway to the great Smoky mountains.

Mr. Ford said:

"This is the first speech I ever made in my life. I am glad to be here and I am glad to see you children all so clean and healthy. That remark will cause some of my party to laugh, but I will explain it later. I thank you."

The Ford party went to Berea from here, where an inspection was made of Berea College. The tour South included visits to Lincoln Memorial University at Cumberland Gap, Knoxville, and will be continued to other places yet to be announced.

CONVENTION, BREEZY POINT, PEQUOT, MINN.

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BOOK NOTES

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"*Chi-Wee and Loki of the Desert*," by GRACE MOON (MRS. CARL MOON, Wis., A). Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Page & Co., 1926.

Grace Moon has achieved one of the most delightful of recent children's book in *Chi-Wee and Loki of the Desert*, a sequel to *Chi-Wee* which recounts further the life and adventures



GRACE MOON
Wisconsin A

of the little Pueblo Indian girl and her playmate the young Navajo sheep herder. In her "greeting," *Chi-Wee* says, "When you, little and big white people, read this tale of my desert and mesa, and my Baba goat and my friend, *Loki*, it may be you will love them as I love them and maybe, a little, you will love me too." Any child of seven to eleven years who enjoys reading, and many older ones, will respond to *Chi-Wee's*

appeal. The life of the desert and mesa Indians is vividly pictured and *Chi-Wee* has enough exciting adventures to hold the interest of those who must have something happen. Although

this is the second book about Chi-Wee, it is not necessary to have read the first in order to enjoy this. As with the other books on Indian themes by Mrs. Moon, this too is made still more appealing by the illustrations of her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Moon are doing a valuable work in interpreting in story and picture for the average American child, the life and customs and legends of the Indians of our Southwest. Chi-Wee and Loki is fully worthy of a place beside their earlier works. In fact, to some it makes a still stronger appeal. An article about Mrs. Moon and her work appeared in the *ARROW* for December 1925, after the publication of Chi-Wee.

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"TENNYSON, ALFRED." *Idylls of the King*, ed. by ELIZABETH NITCHIE, N. Y. B. Macmillan, 1926.

One of the latest additions to the Modern readers series, published by Macmillan, is this volume of Tennyson.

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"*Teachers' Book of Phonetics*" by SARAH TRACY BARROWS (Ia. F) and A. D. CORDYS Boston, Ginn, 1926.

Miss Barrows, whose latest book on phonetics is just out, is also the author of English pronunciation for foreigners. This newest book embodies still further the results of her experience in teaching English to immigrants in California.

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Dr. Grace Raymond Hebard, Iowa Z, professor of history in the University of Wyoming, is the author of the following books for history teachers in that state: "Civics for use in Wyoming public schools." C. F. Weber, pub.; "History and government of Wyoming," 10th ed. Weber; "Teaching Wyoming history by counties." Bulletin 9 ser. B rev. ed. Wyoming Department of Education.

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Stories and essays from the pen of Carolyn Hosmer Rhone (Mrs. Henry W., Colo. B) have appeared in several of the recent magazines. Of the stories, "So Not to be Alone" appeared in the *July Century*, "Janey Kept Her Vow" in *Children*, for October, a

new publication for parents published by the Century company, and "The Soul of a Sod House, a story of Western Colorado," in the *Western Home Monthly*, a Canadian magazine. Two Corner Cupboard essays, "A Slice of Beet"; and "Room for the Pudding" were in recent issues of *American Cookery*, the Boston Cooking School magazine.

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"Fields of Work for Women," by MIRIAM SIMONS LEUCK, M. A. D. Appleton & Co., New York, \$2.50.



MIRIAM SIMONS LEUCK, Illinois E

Miriam Simons Leuck, Illinois E, who was introduced to ARROW readers in June, 1925 as a syndicate writer, is the author of a new book on vocational guidance. The work, intended primarily for girls and women who have completed at least a year or two of high-school work, also is designed for the girl who is viewing the occupational field for the first time.

"Your Job," "Why Women Fail," "That Liberal Education," "College For Every One," "Health and Physical Handicap," "Office Work," "A Business of your Own," are some of the intriguing titles of the various chapters. "I've Always Wanted to Write," and "If You Marry," other chapter captions, invite the reader's attention.

Through nineteen chapters covering 335 pages, the author discusses very thoroughly every phase of vocational work for women. Her conclusions are drawn after wide research through original sources and her advice is practical and to the point.

Every college woman whether an undergraduate or alumnae will find entertainment in the book and many valuable suggestions and ideas. It may help you to find the sort of congenial work which you have been seeking.

Says the author, "One woman who has had much to do with the placement of college girls in business offers a defensive explanation for part of their failure. 'No wonder they don't do well in jobs,' she explains. 'They haven't any idea what they want or are supposed to do.'"

Miriam Simons Leuck through, "Fields of Work for Women," offers great help to college women in "finding themselves."
A. W. S.

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Among the recent stories by Shirley Seifert, Mo., B, are "At the Foot of the Steps" in the *American Magazine* for December, 1926, "Dumb Bunnies" in *Colliers* for November 27, 1926; and "A Man On The Place" in the *Delineator*, January, 1927.

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Another book by Welthy Honsinger Fisher, New York A, "Top of the World" has just been issued by the Abingdon press. A more extended notice will be given in the next issue of the *ARROW*.

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"Blood of Kings," a hopeful romance, by REGINALD W. KAUFFMAN, husband of Ruth Hammit, Pennsylvania B, has just been issued by Duffield and "Aloft in the Shenendoah II," by LEWIS E. THEISS, husband of Mary Bartol, Pennsylvania A, by Wilde.

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Mary Badger Wilson, Columbia A, and New York B, is the author of a very charming story under the title of, "Dust Behind The Sofa," which appeared in a recent issue of the *Saturday Evening Post*.

"Sectarian Shackles", by Libbie Miller Travers, Iowa E, was published in September by the Macmillan Company, New York.

It is a story of religious life in the middle west during the last half century.

The following comments were taken from the Indianapolis Times:

"'Sectarian Shackles' will get both into the heart and the brainbox of the reader. If you believe in open mental windows, then read this book!"

And this from the New York Herald Tribune:

"The author's vignettes of her childhood and later life in a village of the Middle West are quite as attractive as the story of her escape from narrow religious denominationalism."

HORSEBACK TOUR OF YELLOWSTONE PARK

Bess Randall Erskine, Iowa F, who with her husband and parents runs the O T O Dude ranch at Corwin Springs, Mont., is again making the offer to Pi Beta Phi of an opportunity to make money for the Settlement School.

For each 30 Pi Phis who tour Yellowstone Park with the Erskines, a donation of \$300 will be made to the Settlement School. Each reservation counts one point and there must be five points or more to compete.

The complete cost of the sixteen day tour on horseback through Yellowstone Park is \$200. This includes every necessary expense for the tour except personal laundry.

Details concerning the tour and information concerning the O T O Ranch may be obtained from Mrs. Erskine.

PI PHI RELATIVES

Edited by FLORENCE TAYLOR SHIELDS,
(MRS. PAUL L.) *Nebraska*

Nebraska B

Box 1178, Aberdeen, S. Dak.



Since the President of the United States is a Pi Phi relative, the husband of Grace Goodhue Coolidge, Vermont B, it is especially interesting to note others of the official Washington family also related to Pi Beta Phis.

The list now known may not be complete and we will be very glad to know of any others whose names should be here.

ALBERT B. CUMMINS—Brother of Ella Cummins Grefe, Iowa Iota and Iowa Lambda, Mr. Cummins, who died in July 1926, had three times been governor of Iowa and for eighteen years had been a senator of the United States.

DAVID W. STEWART—Husband of Helen Struble Stewart, Iowa Z, was chosen by the governor of Iowa to complete the unexpired term of the late Senator Albert B. Cummins. This fall he was elected to the same position. Mr. Stewart is a graduate of the University of Chicago.

CORNELIUS COLE—Uncle of Rhoda Jones, California F, is also a member of the United States Senate.

WESLEY L. JONES—Father of Hazel Jones, Colorado A, is a senator from the State of Washington.

The late WILLIAM PAUL DILLINGHAM—Grandfather of Ruth Dillingham, Vermont B, was also a United States Senator.

EDWARD THOMAS TAYLOR—Father of Etta Taylor Baker, Colorado A, is a representative from Colorado.

ASHTON C. SHALLENBERGER—Father of Grace and Dorothy Shallenberger, Nebraska B, has served Nebraska once as governor and several terms in the House of Representatives.

THOMAS S. WILLIAMS—Father of Ruth and Alice Williams Colorado A, is a United States representative from Illinois.

J. BANKS KURTZ—Father of Dorothy Kurtz, Pennsylvania F, represents the state of Pennsylvania in the lower house of Congress.

LADISLAS LAZARO—Father of Elaine Lazaro and Heloise Lazaro White, Colorado A, comes to the House of Representatives from Louisiana.

WILLIAM A. AYERS—Father of Pauline and Kathryn Ayers Nichols, Colorado A, is a representative of Kansas.

WILLIAM E. HULL—Uncle of Eloise Park, California F, is a member of the House of Representatives from the 16th district of the State of Illinois.

CLEVELAND A. NEWTON—Brother-in-law of Harriet Mitchell Stringham, Colorado A, represents the State of Missouri.

COLONEL JOHN T. AXTON—Father of Matilda and Lily Axton Pitts, Vermont A, whose name has appeared in a previous list, is Chaplain General of the Army and stationed in Washington.

CLIFFORD K. BERRYMAN—Father of Florence S. Berryman, Columbia A, is a cartoonist, illustrator and lecturer. From 1896 to 1907 he was the cartoonist of *The Washington Post*, and since then of the *Washington Evening and Sunday Star*. Mr. Berryman originated the "Teddy Bear." He is probably the only cartoonist who has cartooned every member of any one Congress as he did in his "Berryman's Cartoons of the 58th House." In 1921 he received an honorary A. M. degree from George Washington University. He is now president of the Gridiron Club

of Washington. Among the numerous books he has illustrated are, "Cornfield to Press Gallery," also "In the Heart of Hoosierland," by LOUIS LUDLOW; "Twenty Years in the Press Gallery," by O. O. STEALEY; "Roosevelt and the Old Guard," by J. HAMP-
TON MOORE; "Mrs. Andrew Johnson Jones' Handmaid" by CHAR-
LOTTE STELLWAGON, and others, as well as articles in various
publications. Biographical sketches of Mr. Berryman are to be
found in "Who's Who in America" and in "The American Art
Annual."

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EDITORIALS

Convention will soon be here again bringing us together from all corners of this country and even from foreign lands. It should mean a week of constructive work and pleasure in which every day is devoted to the strengthening of our organization. The coming together of so many women of varied experiences and ideas yet who are all interested in the advancement of educated and cultured womanhood, should mean much to Pi Beta Phi. The fact that we represent chapters in colleges of all sizes, ages and stages of development should mean that we have a combined viewpoint capable of grasping all problems of the college woman of today. We should remember that we are all units of a big team and should play the game from the team's standpoint. The Convention referee's whistle is blowing. Get into line!

Convention

Pi Beta Phi extends congratulations to the young women whose names appear in the list of the Honor Graduates in this issue of the ARROW. This list shows the attainment of two goals: the finishing of a full college course, and the finishing of it with distinction. An investigation of the work of the majority of these honor graduates reveals the interesting information that they have not been just "grinds" but have lived normal, healthy and well-rounded college lives.

Scholarship

The winning of a key or honorary pin should not be the goal of a student—at least not the winning just for the sake of possession—but it should be a goal signifying to the student hours well spent. The primary object in attending college is to study and to train the mind so that the individual may go out into the world and more easily work out her problems of living and advancement. The mother of Greek-letter organizations, Phi Beta Kappa, which has just celebrated its one hundred and fiftieth anniversary has as its chief aim—high scholarship. This organization

should be an inspiration to every other organization bearing a Greek-letter name. In these days of hurried living, changing conditions, the speeding up of every phase of existence—too much emphasis cannot be placed upon scholarship and the development of mind and body through study.

It seems rather unnecessary to call attention to the fact that many letters fail to reach their destination because of an incorrect address, yet complaints come regularly to the Editor's desk concerning this point. A name appearing in

Correct Address the ARROW directory as Mary Brown Jones (Mrs. Tompkins), should read as follows when placed on an envelope to be sent to the above person: Mrs. Tompkins Jones. The name used in the parentheses is always the husband's first name or initials. Please observe this in addressing letters.

FELLOWSHIPS AWARDED BY THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN

The American Association of University Women announces ten fellowships to be awarded for the academic year 1927-1928, and three fellowships available for the following year. Inquiry should be made by letter to Professor Agnes L. Rogers, chairman, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, Pa. The list of fellowships is as follows:

FELLOWS AVAILABLE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 1927-1928

Alice Freeman Palmer Memorial Fellowship, \$1,500.

Candidates must have the degree of Doctor of Philosophy or Doctor of Science, and must present evidence of distinctive subsequent accomplishment in research.

The Sarah Berliner Research and Lecture Fellowship, \$1,000 to \$1,200.

Is available for research in physics, chemistry or biology.

Open to American women holding the degree of Doctor of Philosophy or Doctor of Science who give promise of distinction.

Anna C. Brackett Memorial Fellowship, \$1,000.

Open to any woman having a degree in arts, science or literature, who intends to make teaching her profession.

Mary Pemberton Nourse Memorial Fellowship, \$1,500.

Open to candidates possessing a bachelor's degree or its equivalent, and having a minimum of either two years of practical work in the field of public health.

Gamma Phi Beta Social Service Fellowship, \$500.

Open to women graduates of colleges of recognized rank, who have done at least one year of graduate work, including some courses in the department of social science. It is understood that the Fellow will devote herself entirely to preparation for social service in a graduate school of recognized standing.

The Phi Mu Fellowship, for Graduate Work, \$1,000

Open to American women having a degree from any university or college in which Phi Mu has a chapter.

Boston Alumnae Fellowship, \$900.

Open to a graduate of an approved college, with good health, excellent character, ability and initiative. The fellowship must be used in Europe or in America for one year of constructive work, and not merely for the purpose of general culture.

The A. A. U. W. European Fellowship, \$1,500.

For research in Europe. Is open to any woman having a degree in arts, science or literature, who has met all the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree with the possible exception of the completion of the dissertation.

The Margaret E. Maltby Fellowship, \$1,500.

Open to women showing promise of distinction and having a degree in arts, science or literature.

The A. A. U. W. Fellowship, \$1,500.

Open to women showing promise of distinction and having a degree in arts, science or literature. Preference will be given

in the award of this fellowship to candidatts who are interested in pre-school work.

A. A. U. W. International Fellowship, \$1,500

It will enable the holder to carry on one year's research in some country other than her own during the year.

Alpha Omicron Pi Fellowship \$500

Open to non-members of the fraternity. The successful applicants wil not be limited to any particular field of work, but character and a disposition toward humanitarian service will be considered among other qualifications. Application blanks may be obtained from the office of the Dean of Women of the institutions in which there are chapters of Alpha Omicron Pi. Applications must be mailed not later than March 1, 1927.

ADDITIONAL FELLOWSHIPS TO BE AWARDED FOR THE ACADEMIC
YEAR 1928-1929

Alpha Xi Delta Fellowship, \$1,000

Open to graduates in the field of medicine or mental science.

The Rose Sidgwick Memorial Fellowship, \$2,000

Open to British women of graduate standing and is to be held for the purpose of graduate study in American colleges or universities.

Julia C. G. Piatt Memorial Fellozship, \$1,000

Open to any woman having a degree in arts, science or literature, who intends to make teaching her profession. Preference being given to those applicants who have had successful experiance in teaching and in addition have completed at least two years of graduate study.



ALUMNAE PERSONALS

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ARIZONA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

ENGAGEMENTS

Elizabeth Angle and James Earl, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

Alice Warren Eastman and Lowell Arnold, Editor of *Progressive Arizona*.

BIRTHS

To Mr and Mrs. John Baylis (Eleanor Parsons) San Bernardino, Calif., on New Years Eve, 1926, a son, John Baylis V.

To Mr and Mrs. Gilbert Marshall (Elizabeth March), Nashville, Tenn., a son, Gilbert III, in November, 1926.

PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. George Franklin Farman of Beverly Hills, Calif., visited Mrs. Farman's parents in Tucson during Christmas. Mrs. Farman was formerly Mary Insee Franklin.

Gladys Franklin, who is teaching at the Florida State College, spent the holidays in Tucson.

Helen Powner is doing interesting and original work in one of the Pasadena, Calif., schools. She teaches French and Spanish to selected classes of unusually bright grade school children who consider games and stories in French or Spanish as great fun.

ARKANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

MARRIAGE

Esther Allen and John Lewell Lafferty, $\Sigma A E$, on Dec. 25, 1926. At home, 5502 Columbia Ave., Dallas, Texas, where Mr. Lafferty is assistant secretary to the North Union Trust Co.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack East (Frances Sue Edwards), a son, Jack, Jr., on Dec. 21, 1926.

PERSONALS

Lunette Hedgepath is spending the winter in Tucson, Ariz.

Mrs. J. T. Weaver (Elizabeth Nichols) has moved from Archdale, N. C., to 116 Roland Park, High Point, N. C. Her sister, Mrs. John C. Abels (Lucy Nichols) lives at 113 Roland Park, High Point, N. C.

Florence Kruger has returned to Little Rock after a six weeks visit in New York City and Brooklyn where she was the guest of Mrs. Felix Charlton (Lila Mae Maddox), 99 Joralemon Street.

Mildred Moss who has been studying at Johns Hopkins is at home 3820 Hill Road, Little Rock. She is with the State Health Department.

Amy B. Onken, Grand President and Mrs. Orville McPherson (Grace Parker), Kappa Province President visited the Los Angeles Alumnae Club and California Gamma Chapter from Nov. 15 to 18.

CALIFORNIA ALPHA—STANFORD UNIVERSITY

ENGAGEMENT

Marjorie Wilson and Walter Wood, *Stanford, A T O.*

MARRIAGES

Elizabeth Newton and Thomas Griffith in the summer of 1926. They are at home on Greenleaf St., Whittier, Calif.

Helen Strawser and Clyde G. Reynolds, *Nebraska*. Mr. Reynolds is head resident physician for the Folsom State Prison. At home, Represa, Calif.

Lucy Means and Richard Hiscox, April 28, 1926.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Knowles (Gertrude Clancy) of 832 Pepper Ave., Burlingame, Calif., a daughter, Barbara Ellen, Sept. 2, 1926

To Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Wright (Ruth Jones), a daughter, Patricia Ann, in March, 1926

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nicholson (Freda Khune), a daughter, Patricia Ann.

PERSONALS

Marcella O'Keefe is working in the Stanford University library.

Mrs. John Wimmer (Harriet Banhardt), is in Europe.

Virginia Hoffman and Fidelia Conard are abroad.

Margaret Gemmel is teaching in Glendora.

Monette Steele was chairman of the tea card party and fashion show.

Robertta Mitchell is teaching in San Jose, Calif.

Cecile Fensler is teaching gymnasium work in Chino, Calif.

CALIFORNIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

ENGAGEMENT

Edna Marie Hohen and Robert C. Duncan, Δ K E.

MARRIAGES

Helen Carter and Allan D. MacBoyle, *California*, Δ K E, in November, 1926. They are at home at the Highland Inn, Hollywood, Calif.

Dorothy Cook and Raymond Tremaine, *California*, Σ x, Nov. 17, 1926. They are residing at 509 So. Gramarcy. Mr. Cook is a lawyer.

BIRTHS

To Mr and Mrs. H. F. Haldeman (Elizabeth Robbin), a son, Harry Robbins on Oct. 27, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bevis (Marion May Norton), a son, John Hilary, on Oct 25, 1926.

To Dr. and Mrs. S. Mettier (Mildred Metzner), of 144 Parnassus, San Francisco, a son, Nov. 18, 1926.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

ENGAGEMENTS

Ethel Huff and Phillip Moore, *California*, Α Σ Φ.

Kathleen Campbell and Donald Cameron, *Southern California*, Φ K T.

MARRIAGES

Florence Mullin and Pettis Tanquary, on Jan. 19, 1927. Mr. Tanquary is a professor at the University of Southern California.

Mildred Moir and Edward Dorreston, *Stanford*, Α T Ω, in November, 1926. At home, 824 So. Detroit, Tulsa, Okla., Mr. Moir is in the oil business.

Katherine Spangler and Chester Smithers, Δ Θ Φ, Nov. 4, 1926. At home at 526 N. Las Palmas Ave., Los Angeles. Mr. Smithers is a building contractor.

Aileen Renison and Armstead Leigh, Nov. 24, 1926.

PERSONALS

Cloyde Dalzell is co-chairman of the Pasadena Community Playhouse Workshop. The Workshop provides opportunities for those who delight in producing or directing plays. The plays, many of them, are the work of local playwrights. Miss Dalzell took one of the leads in "The Farmer's Wife" at the Playhouse recently. Her regular role is that of assistant director of the Broadoaks school in Pasadena.

COLORADO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

ENGAGEMENT

Vivian Fort and Sam Sweet, *Colorado* Δ T Δ.

MARRIAGE

Lucille Cowan and Reuben Ball, *Colorado*, Φ Δ Θ, on Dec. 15, 1926. Mr. Ball is traveling secretary of Phi Delta Theta. At home, 111 So. Beech St., Oxford, Ohio.

Lois Longshore and Edwin J. Zoble, *Ames*, Σ N, June 1, 1926. At home, 804 E. 3rd St., Casper, Wyo. Mr. Zoble is with the Texas Oil Co.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Albyn B. Blake (Aleda Kelly), a son, Courtland Albyn, on May 2, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Halley (Fredrica Probst), a daughter, Matilda Ann, on Nov 4, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Etter (Marion Dale), a daughter, Marion Dale, on Nov. 24, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Herschel White (Alberta Seal), a daughter, on Jan. 16, 1927.

PERSONALS

Miss Elizabeth Gamble, a former grand president, has spent most of the past year on a trip around the world.

Marjorie S. Crouch is assistant dean of women at Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Sarah Wendelkin will sail on May 10 for the Philippines, where she will teach for two years.

COLORADO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

MARRIAGE

Elizabeth McSweeney Hilliard and Frederick Powell, *Colorado*, Σ A E. At home, 844 Humbolt, Denver, Colo.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. John S. Nicholas (Charlotte Wood), a daughter, Nancy Wood, on July 27, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. L. Kent Robinson (Nan Johnson), and her husband are in Europe for several months.

Mrs. Florence Vaughn Meyer is secretary to her brother-in-law who is president of the University at Oklahoma City. Her address is 1218 West 21st St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Ilene Templeton Bent, whose husband was killed in an automobile accident in December.

COLUMBIA ALPHA—GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. William L. Libby (Mildred Hughes), a son, William Leon, Jr., on October 11, 1926.

MARRIAGE

Minnette H. Ruddiman and Adrian M. Shields, $\Lambda T \Delta$, on Sept. 7, 1926. At home, 2801 Tangerine Ave., St. Petersburg, Fla

FLORIDA ALPHA—JOHN B. STETSON UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGE

Wilhelmina Bates and William Hugh Riddell, on August 20, 1926. At home, 147 Summit Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Cockrell (Margaret Moore), a daughter, Margaret Josephine, on August 31, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stockwell (Catherine Haynes), a daughter, Catherine, on Jan. 1, 1927.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin H. Walker (Martha Moore Partrick), a son, on Feb. 27, 1926.

PERSONALS

Virginia Bow is studying in the Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky

Katherine Peters is the secretary of the Memorial Junior High School, Tampa, Fla.

FLORIDA BETA—FLORIDA STATE WOMEN'S COLLEGE

PERSONAL

Augusta Laxton has returned from Johns Hopkins and expects to be in Charlotte, N. C., at 703 Hawthorne Road.

ILLINOIS DELTA—KNOX COLLEGE

MARRIAGE

Amy Matteson and William M. Perry, *Washington University*, on Oct. 21, 1926. At home, 5566 Cates Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Stanton (Marguerite Taliaferro), a son, John Arthur, on Jan. 14, 1927.

ILLINOIS EPSILON—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

DEATH

Mrs. Rufus W. Scott (Dorothy Brown Howell), died at Mercy Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa, on Dec. 24, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. R. M. Tucker (Carolyn Steadman), lives at 10 Union St., Oneonta, N. Y., instead of Canton as stated in the November ARROW.

Mrs. Edna Bassler Rotert is president of the Delphian Council of Flint, Mich. Mrs. Rotert is now in her third year as a teacher in the Flint Central High School after a summer spent abroad.

Mrs. David Fogwell (Mabel Ellis), of Chicago and her daughter Marjorie, are spending the winter at 1150 Oak St., South Pasadena, Calif.

ILLINOIS ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

MARRIAGES

Rosalind L. Mathis and Maj. M. E. Gates, K Σ , Oct. 9, 1926. At home Crystal Lake, Ill.

Nan Core and Raymond A. Karcher, K Σ , October 11, 1926. At home at 619 Rock St., Little Rock, Ark.

Dorothy Atwood Smith and Bradley R. Mahana, Nov. 11, 1926. At home at 7126 Bennett Ave., Chicago, Ill.

ILLINOIS ETA—JAMES MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY

ENGAGEMENT

Kathryn Freeman and Roger Dawson, *Illinois*.

MARRIAGE

Helen Marie Jones and Wendell B. Trenchard, on Oct. 16, 1926, at Monticello, Illinois.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deetz (Marguerite Chamberlain), a son, on Oct. 25, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Adin Baber (Lois Shoot), a daughter, Nancy Shirley, on Sept. 17, 1926.

PERSONALS

Lelah-Bell Davis is conducting "Colette's Service Bureau" in Chicago, at 5738 Blackstone Avenue, which being interpreted, is a service combining education in the French language, and a travel bureau

booking passage to Europe, planning itineraries (especially through France), and offering all kinds of help to those contemplating independent travel. Her letterhead carries this note; "Tutoring, situations, interpreting, translations, itineraries."

Mrs. McDonald (Eloise Lutz), made a recent visit at Decatur with her family.

Mrs. O. C. Montgomery (Lucy Penhallegon), and Mrs. Harry Crea (Jessie Penhallegon), were called to Decatur in October by the death of their father.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Clark (Edith Schenck), was awarded special honorable mention by the *Decatur Herald* as one of the most beautiful built in Decatur during 1926.

Adele Murphy has opened a downtown office for the advertising agency, which she has been conducting under the trade name of Midland Advertising Service.

INDIANA ALPHA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE

MARRIAGE

Helen L. Carter and Alan David MacBoyle, *California*, Δ K E, on Nov. 13, 1926, at Berkeley, Calif. At home 117 S. Virgil Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Frost Tilson (Julia Barnhizer), a daughter, Joan, Sept. 29, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lawshe (Julia Wilson), at Plummer, Idaho, a daughter, Dorothy Athlene, Dec 10, 1926.

PERSONALS

Ethelwyn Miller and her father are visiting Mrs. Harold Rugg (Bertha Miller), in New York City. Later they will go by way of Panama to Los Angeles to visit Mrs. Ezra Vannuys (Gladys Miller).

Helen Jeffrey is spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pulliam (Martha Ott), are living this winter at Daytona Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin (Elizabeth Payne), are spending the year in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Thomas (Helen Barnhizer), are residing at Daytona Beach, Fla., for the winter.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. R. E. Carter (Leta Hall), Mrs. George N. Selby (Mary Hall), Florence Hall and Marguerite Hall in the loss of their father and to Betty Brown whose mother died recently.

INDIANA BETA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGES

Mildred Gross and John J. Coleman on Christmas evening. They will live in Chicago.

Elizabeth McCray and Valede Sorrells, *De Pauw*, B Θ II, on Dec. 11, 1926, at Kentland, Ind. At home, 1700 West Fifth St., Gary, Ind.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cookson (Mignon White), a daughter, Kathryn, on November 18, 1926.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Andrei Hudiakoff (Doris M. Geile), is now living at 134 West 80th St., New York City.

INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER COLLEGE

MARRIAGE

Kathryn Mead and W. Irving Palmer, Oct. 12, 1926. At home, 502 E. Maple Rd., Apt. 8, Indianapolis, Ind.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. B. Cline (Mary Scott), former president of the Yakima, Wash. Alumnae Club is spending the winter at the Lexington Arms Apartments, Glendale, Calif.

Mrs. C. B. Davis has recently moved to 2033 East 7th St., Charlotte, N. C.

INDIANA DELTA—PURDUE UNIVERSITY

ENGAGEMENTS

Margaret Richardson and Stephen Bond, *Purdue*, Σ N.

Eleanor Brendel and Herchel Miller, *Purdue*, Δ T.

Dorothy Diggins and Al Wiggins, *Purdue*, K Δ P.

Katherine Smeltzly and Leslie Benner.

MARRIAGES

Cornelia Sears and Verle Dowell, *Northwestern*, Σ A E.

Christine Brown and Gordon Taylor, *Purdue*, Σ A E, on November 15, 1926.

Gay Case and Wayne P. Hughes on Dec. 26, 1926, at Wolcottville, Ind. At home at Charleston, Ill.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Penn Holter (Juanda Kirkman), a daughter, Janet Yetive, on Sept. 22, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Trost (Frances Small), a son, Frederick Albert, on Sept. 30, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Piepho (Lois Wilson), a daughter, Lois Ann, on Feb. 17, 1926.

PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. I. L. Baldwin (Mary Lesh), are moving to Madison, Wis. Dr. Baldwin has accepted the position of Professor of Agricultural Bacteriology in the University of Wisconsin and will take up his new duties there Feb. 1. The family will be at home at 1513 Madison St., after March 1.

Martha Trost is teaching foods and nutrition in the high school at Newcastle, Ind. Her address is 517 South 14th Street.

Katherine Willard is living at 215 West Yandell Street, El Paso, Texas, and teaching in the public schools there.

Pi Phi alumnae residing in Lafayette, Pi Phi husbands, mothers and fathers of Lafayette Pi Phis, and the patronesses of Indiana Delta subscribed a memorial to the Home Hospital in the name of the chapter. "Indiana Delta Of Pi Beta Phi" will be engraved on the plate for the door to this unit of the hospital. Mr. R. H. Shook, husband of one of the patronesses proposed the memorial and helped to make it possible.

IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

ENGAGEMENT

Norine Becker and Manuel Gay, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$.

MARRIAGES

Alice Green and Richard Weir, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, on August 19, 1926, at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. At home, Glenrock, Wyo., where Mr. Weir is teaching.

Marie Schrader and Willis Baldrige on Nov. 14, 1926, at Manilla, P. I. At home, Fabrica, Occ. Negros, P. I.

PERSONALS

Blanche Thomas is teaching in Whiting, Ind.; Norine Becker at West Branch, Iowa; and Regina Connor at Elkhart, Ill.

IOWA BETA—SIMPSON COLLEGE

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. John Shivers (Vera Hollowell), a daughter, Marietta Anne, Dec. 18, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Warren Garst (Clara Clark), will sail February 17, aboard the S. S. DeGrasse for Havre and will go direct to Paris. She plans to motor into the Riviera district and over Italy for several months. She will later go to Sicily and back north through the French Alps and Italian lake region. In June she plans to meet a nephew in England.

Gladys Mary Smith is teaching salesmanship at the Belmont High School.

IOWA GAMMA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

ENGAGEMENTS

Jane Wagner and Edwin B. Streater, *Iowa State*, B Φ II.
Margaret Proctor and Hubert Garrecht, *Iowa State*, A T Ω.
Thirza Hull and Don T. Hibner, *Pennsylvania*, Φ K Υ.
Gayle Pugh and Austin Noble, *Iowa State*, A Γ P.

MARRIAGE

Margaret L. Killian and Thomas Wilson Conway, Notre Dame, Ind., on June 19, 1926. At home, 1 Chauncey St., Cambridge, Mass.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kurtz, Jr. (Helen Milley), a daughter, Nancy, on Dec. 12, 1926

To Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Gray (Margaret Ford), a daughter, Margaret Ford, Nov. 11, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. H. McHenry (Nellie Lane), was one of the committee in charge of the annual Panhellenic banquet held at Harris-Emery Tea Room in Des Moines, Dec. 11, 1926. It was a very successful and delightful party with 300 in attendance. The principal speaker of the evening was Mrs. Edward P. Prince of Webster City, National Panhellenic Congress delegate of Phi Mu. Her talk concerned personal glimpses of the National Congress. Panhellenic legacies was the subject of the toast program.

IOWA EPSILON—BLOOMFIELD NORMAL

PERSONAL

"Sectarian Shackles" by Libbie Miller Travers has been published by the Macmillan Company. It is a story of religious life in the middle west during the last half century.

IOWA ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K. Walling (Lola Long), a son, Charles Lee, on Nov. 18, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. David W. Stewart (Helen Struble), is in Washington, D. C., this winter with her husband, senator from Iowa. Mr. Stewart was appointed by the governor to fill out the term of the late Senator Albert B. Cummings.

Mrs. Stanley Bell (Alice Hoffman), 1448 8th St., Des Moines, opened her home Dec. 22, 1926, to the Pi Phi Alumnae Club for a musical and social afternoon. The alumnae entertained the active girls and the pledges home from college for the holidays.

Mrs. George D. Boone (Natalie Phillips), and husband spent Christmas in Phoenix, Arizona.

Sarah McBride gave a toast to "Heritage of Service" at the Panhellenic banquet in Des Moines, Dec. 11, 1926.

KANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

ENGAGEMENTS

Sally Lahey and Marsh M. Murdock, *Columbia*, Σ X.

Elizabeth Sifers and George Hollingsberry, *Kansas* Φ K Ψ .

MARRIAGES

Ruth Ohmer and Elmer Seidhoff, *Kansas*, Σ N, on Dec. 17, 1926.

Vera Saxon and John Hubble on Oct. 7, 1926. At home, 425 No. Topeka Ave., Wichita, Kan.

Agnes Schnur and George Anthony Spiva on Sept. 30, 1926. At home, No. 66, Gentry Apts., Joplin, Mo.

Katherine Smith and Robert C. King on Dec. 22, 1926. At home, 520 No. Lorraine Ave., Wichita, Kansas.

Betty Tested and Edgar Dunne, *Kansas*, B Θ II, on Nov. 25, 1926. At home, 1043 N. Emporia Ave., Wichita, Kansas.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Elyvn S. Cowgill (Helen Thurston), a daughter, Courtney, on Dec. 8, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Dixon (Louise Utter), a daughter, Joan Louise, on Oct. 18, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Willard Brooks (Hazel Carson), with her mother and two daughters is spending the winter in Pasadena, Calif.

Anne Katherine Innes is leaving in February for a European trip. She will be accompanied by her parents.

Mrs. Riffle (Bella Love), is now a member of the Albuquerque Alumnae Club. Her address is 1105 W. Central, Alburquerque, N. Mex.

KANSAS BETA—KANSAS STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

ENGAGEMENT

Katherine King and Paul Chappell, *Kansas State Agricultural College* II K A.

MARRIAGES

Virginia Carney and Cliff Currie on Oct. 5, 1926.

Marie Coons and Paul Weigel, *Cornell*, on June 5, 1926. Mr. Weigel is head of the Department of Architecture at *Kansas State Agricultural College*.

Jean Frances Middleton and Malcolm Aye on August 26, 1926. At home, Manhattan, Kansas.

Corinne Smith and Emmett Graham, *Kansas State Agricultural College*, II K A, on Jan. 10, 1926, in Ft. Myers, Fla.

Eva Timmons and Roscoe Womer on June 20, 1926. At home Manhattan, Kansas.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brewer (Edith O'Brien), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Law (Hortense Watkins), a daughter, Suzanne.

To Mr. and Mrs. Mac Short (Mae Siefkin), a daughter, Sarah.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tatge (Lucile Smith), a son, Walter Ashton.

PERSONALS

Margaret Avery is teaching in Okmulgee, Okla.; Katherine King in Ellinwood, Kansas. and Esther Otto, in Burlingame, Kansas.

KENTUCKY ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE

PERSONAL

Mary McClure is teaching in Raleigh, N. C. Her address is 519 N. Wilmington St., Raleigh, N. C.

LOUISIANA ALPHA—NEWCOMB COLLEGE

PERSONAL

Mary C. Raymond is secretary of the Miami Community Chest of Miami, Fla.

MAINE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

DEATH

Mrs. Edward T. Hacker (Victoria Weeks), passed away on Sept. 16, 1926.

MARYLAND ALPHA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

MARRIAGES

Eleanor Gherky and Thomas Rowe Price, Jr., *Swarthmore College*, Δ T, on Sept. 18, 1926. At home, The Gwynnwood, Windsor Hills, Baltimore, Md.

Edith Faith Connet and Parker Cloyd Williams, *John Hopkins* and *Harvard*, A T Ω, on Thanksgiving Day, 1926. At home, 1960 East 73rd St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Elizabeth Gardiner and Dr. S. Kraur Ferguson.

BIRTH

To Dr. and Mrs. Harry H. Haggart (Jessie Joslin), of Bluefield, W. Va., a daughter, Jocelyn.

MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—BOSTON UNIVERSITY

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Stewart (Gertrude Haslam), a son, Reed Francis, on Oct. 7, 1926 at Hyde Park, Mass.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wildes (Mildred Aldrich), a daughter, Carol Gilman, on Dec. 22, 1925.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Thos. Gibb (Edna Cullis), is running for School Committee in Belmont, Mass.

MICHIGAN ALPHA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE

MARRIAGES

Sybil Ellen Ray and Ellis Oliver Jones, Jr., on Aug. 4, 1926. Mr. Jones is a graduate of *M. I. T.* and is power and illumination engineer for the Consumers Power Co., of Pontiac, Mich, where they are residing.

Marian E. Hulce and Charles Lyle Quixley, *Wisconsin*, on Sept. 25, 1926. At home 334 Ninth Ave., Mount Dora, Fla., where Mr. Quixley is a real estate broker.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Miller Christiansen (Leora Doolittle), a son, Curtis Harken, on August 17, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Warren Don Sherman (Norma Mark), a daughter, Joan Lee, on June 1, 1926

To Mr. and Mrs. Pearne N. Watkins (Helen White), of 73 West Main St., Cortland, N. Y., a son, Stuart Wayne, on Nov. 22 1925.

PERSONAL

Mrs. V. L. Stone (Estella Green), although living in Asheville, N. C., at 285 Merrimon Ave., takes an active interest in the North Carolina II B Φ Alumnae Club. She hopes to be able to attend the Founders' Day banquet in Chapel Hill, which is several hundred miles from her home.

MICHIGAN BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Bayless (Norma DeGuise), a son, Tom Alfred, on Nov. 30, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dan C. Miller (Marguerite Reed), a daughter, Janet Elaine, Nov. 8, 1925.

MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

ENGAGEMENT

Elizabeth Forrest and Franklin J. Rochford, *Minnesota*, Σ X.

MARRIAGE

Bernice Marsalais and William Hull on Nov. 17, 1926. Mr. Hull is director of and Mrs. Hull is doing leads with the Berkell Players of Davenport, Iowa.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Spurgeon, (Marie Martinez), a son, Richard Martinez, Sept. 1, 1926.

To Mr and Mrs. Loring J. Ingraham, (Mildred Loomis), a daughter, Mary Jane, Dec. 20, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Lakore, (Margaret Barnard), a son, Lucius Barnard, Dec. 11, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Oman, (Mildred Micholson), a son, in November, 1926.

DEATH

Catherine Newman Hawkins died in Monrovia, October, 1926.

PERSONALS

Ruth G. Anderson is working in the advertising department of Montgomery-Ward in Chicago.

Lyle Byrnes has been working with the Red Cross in Miami, Fla., since the hurricane. She spent the Christmas holidays in Havana, Cuba.

Mrs. George E. McGeary, (Myrl McKinnon), and her children are spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mary Ruth Colby sailed on January 6, for an extensive European tour. She expects to return in July.

Caroline McKnight Hughes is managing The Crossroads, a tea house in St. Paul.

Mrs. M. E. Guttersen, (Sybil Bates), has been appointed Convention Guide. She has unusual executive ability and we feel she is an excellent choice for the position. She has appointed Mrs. Arthur J. Walker, (Edna Dunlop), as her assistant.

Elizabeth Dauneberger is teaching at Lincoln Junior High School in Duluth.

Gladys Chatman is teaching history and is in charge of assembly at Duluth Central high school.

Eleanor Abbett is teaching mathematics at Duluth Central high school.

MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

MARRIAGE

Lula Moss Robnett and John Duncan on Nov. 10, 1926.

Alma Baker and Otto Newton Rea, on June 27, 1926.

BIRTH

To, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brents Witty (Kathryne Baker), a son, Milton Brents, Jr., on Dec. 11, 1926.

PERSONALS

We are very glad to welcome Mrs. Morris V. Hall, formerly of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Samuel Watson, formerly of Manhattan, Kansas, into the Alumnae Club.

Mrs. George Bond and Mrs. Wesley McAfee are now located in St. Louis.

Mrs. Sherman Dickinson is studying for her master's degree this year.

MISSOURI BETA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

ENGAGEMENT

Dorothy Jane White and Dwight Donald Thomas, *Washington*,
 Φ Δ Θ.

MARRIAGES

Mildred Cass and Frederick William Baumhoff on Nov. 16, 1926, at Berkeley, Calif. At home, 3203 Russell Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Hattiebelle Van Gieson and Harry Albert Ayling on Jan. 1, 1927, in St. Louis. At home, 2100 Hemphill St., Ft. Worth, Texas.

BIRTHS

To Mr and Mrs. W. K. Bliss (Estelle Leiber), a son, Robert Alan, on July 14, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs Edward Cox (Vera Hermann), a daughter, Margaret Vee, on Oct. 4, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. X. Hemming (Mildred Fox), of 232 Warren Rd., San Mateo, a daughter, on August 21, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kerth (Noel Baird), a son, Alfred, Jr., on Dec. 6, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. Nohl (Winona Wuertenbaecher), a son, John Compton, on Dec. 23, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Turner (Dorothy Krebs), a son, James Krebs, on Oct. 2, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Weidner, (Louise Birch), a son, Frederick Mark, on Oct. 10, 1926.

PERSONAL

Captain Burwell Hayden Clarke, late husband of Marion Scroggin Clarke, will be awarded posthumously, the "Navy Cross" for heroism above and beyond all call of duty.

MISSOURI GAMMA—DRURY COLLEGE

MARRIAGE

Kathryn Jezzard and Homer L. Goss on Oct. 7, 1926. At home 501 E. Delmar, Springfield, Mo.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Count C. Olwin (Ora Louise Anderson), a daughter on Oct. 24, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brown (Frances Meyer), a son on Oct. 23, 1926.

To Rev. and Mrs. Hardy Roper (Florence Watson), a daughter, on Nov. 23, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jay (Mary Bell Minard), a daughter, Jane Ellen, on Dec. 31, 1926.

DEATH

Mrs. Murray L. Horn (Pauline Pate), died Nov. 3, 1926, in St. Louis, Mo.

PERSONALS

Irma Robertson is teaching in Yauco, Porto Rico.

Frances Ullman is acting as secretary to Emily⁹ Newell Blair in Joplin, Mo.

Nelle Kump is in Jefferson City, Mo., acting as secretary to Lieut. Governor Phil A. Bennett.

Mrs. John Hyland (Ora J. Walton), accompanied her husband on a trip to New York City. They were in the city for a couple of weeks just before the holidays. At the present time Mrs. Hyland is at her home in Missouri due to the illness of her father.

MONTANA ALPHA—MONTANA STATE COLLEGE

MARRIAGES

Ella Clark and Louis Erwin, Σ X, on June 24, 1926. At home, Liholiho, Honolulu.

Ruth Davidson and R. J. Kelly, *Montana State College*, on Sept. 2, 1926. At home, Conrad, Mont.

Alice Moody and Virtus Gage Lund, Σ A E, on Nov. 2, 1926. At home, Shelby, Mont.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowan (Elva Ayler), of Billings, Mont., a son, January 15, 1926.

NEBRASKA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. H. Swoboda (Berenice Meieryrugen), a daughter, Gretchen Ann, on April 8, 1926.

NEVADA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA

MARRIAGE

Ruth Hampton and John Simpson. Mr. Simpson is a superintendent of mines.

NEW YORK ALPHA—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGES

Ann Marie Hawkins and James Henry Barnard, $N \Sigma N$, at Rome, N. Y., on Oct. 9, 1926.

Edna M. Du Bois and Walter W. Nicholson, Jr., Ψ T, at Syracuse, N. Y., on Oct. 23, 1926.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Posthill (Roberta Flaherty), a son, William Henry, on Sept. 30, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rexford E. Potts (Celia Sargent), a son, Ronald Sargent, on Oct. 17, 1926, at Pulaski, N. Y.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jesse W. Fleck (Florence Caldwell), a son, James Caldwell, on Dec. 5, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Arthur E. Burke (Marion Wean), is living at 45 Fifth Ave., New York, N. Y. The address sent in the November ARROW was, through some mistake, a very old one.

Bishop and Mrs. Frederick Fisher (Welthy Honsinger), sailed on S. S. Alaunia from Boston, Mass., on Dec. 12, for India.

Sincerest sympathy is extended to Jessie Makefield and to Mrs. George Gray (Leora Sherwood), in the deaths of their mothers recently.

NEW YORK BETA—BARNARD COLLEGE

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Leyerle (Margarita Leland), of 1618 West Calvin St., Syracuse, N. Y., a son, Frank John, November 18.

DEATHS

Marion Barber, after a long illness, April 6, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Robert J. Cook (Edith Valet), who has been for several years executive secretary of the Connecticut Child Welfare Association was elected last November as one of the two representatives which New Haven sends to the State Legislature. Edith's husband is a professor at Yale and holds up his end of the civic responsibility as one of the city aldermen.

Sophie Woodman spent an interesting holiday at Thanksgiving time when she visited *Smith* and *Mt. Holyoke* Colleges in the name of her school. In Northampton she spent the night with Dr. and Mrs. Robert Gault (Anne Lee).

The December meeting of the New York Alumnae Club was in charge of New York B with Sophia Woodman as chairman. As her house guest she had our Grand Vice-President, E. Margaret White of Washington. Edith Cook also came to town for the meeting. In honor of these guests New York B entertained at dinner at the Women's City Club through the courtesy of Ethel Leveridge. She, Adele

McKeown, Beth Thomson and Lillian Sullebaiger were responsible for the success of the afternoon and evening. In November a letter of news was sent to all New York Betas. Replies were read at the dinner from Isabel Totten, Mary Wilson, Eleanor Pocock, Bernice Van der Vries and Edna Stillman. Eighteen members of the chapter were on hand that Saturday. It was an especial pleasure to welcome Virginia Ralph Davis, a charter member, who came down from Boston. It was an equal disappointment that Anne Gault, who was to speak on her husband's discovery and research on the interpretation of speech by touch, was ill and could not be present.

Anne Lee Gault is living in Northampton at 115 Elm St. Dr. Gault is a research professor at Smith. He has been two years in Washington working under the National Research Council.

Isabel Totten is living in Washington this winter where her temporary address is 1626 Rhode Island Ave. She is still executive secretary for Camp Hanoum, Mrs. Farnsworth's camp at Thetford, Vt.

Bernice Taber Van der Vries is president of the Winnetka League of Women Voters which has 1055 members, the largest in Illinois.

Annie Van Buskirk is giving a New York B party on January 29, in honor of Mary Wilson of Washington, who will be visiting Sophie Woodman.

Last June Dorothy Griffen Davis gave a most delightful New York B party at her lovely home in New Rochelle in honor of Lucy Landru Fountain. As Lucy had her two daughters with her, one ready for high school, and many of the girls had not seen Lucy since she graduated there was much "oh-ing and ah-ing". Lucy has sent Betty to France to spend a year with the child's grandmother. Prof. and Mrs. Fountain are now in Nashville at 2018 Hillsboro Rd.

Florence E. Hubbard and Annie S. Van Buskirk spent the summer abroad.

Sophie Woodman's brother, Professor J. E. Woodman of *New York University* is one of the staff of the "Floating University." He is accompanied on the S. S. Ryndam by his wife and daughter.

We sympathize deeply with Margaret Wood who lost her father in November.

NEW YORK DELTA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGE

Alice Mae Levin and Frank H. Sussex, *North Dakota*, B Θ II, on Nov. 27, 1926. At home, Hope, North Dakota.

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERSONALS

Aline Hughes has been living at Palm Beach, for a year and a half. She is secretary to the president of Ladd and Nichols, brokers of Palm Beach real estate. Her address is Box 807, Palm Beach, Florida.

Katherine Batts has just been appointed secretary to the county health officer in her home county of Edgecombe, North Carolina.

Elizabeth Branson has just returned to Chapel Hill, N. C., from New York, where she has spent the fall.

Norma Connell is studying social work in New York, and her address is East Side House, 76th St., at East River, N. Y.

At latest accounts, Mrs. George V. Denny (Mary Yellott), is in Bel Air, Maryland, while she is waiting to join her husband who is on the stage in New York.

Dorothy Greenlaw whose address is 707 University Parkway, Baltimore, Md., recently visited some of her friends in Chapel Hill, N. C.

Elizabeth Hickerson is teaching at Marion, N. C. Her permanent address is still Ronda, N. C.

Lina Pruden is teaching at Rockingham, N. C. Her permanent address is still Edenton, N. C.

Mary Verner is teaching at the Winston-Salem High School, Winston-Salem, N. C. Her permanent address is still Brevard, N. C.

Daisy Cooper who was the only woman to pass the bar examination held a year ago, is now working in the law office of her uncle in Oxford, N. C.

OHIO ALPHA—OHIO UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGES

Gretchen Schlaffler and Harry Barstow, *Ohio*, Σ II, on Dec. 18, 1926. At home, Athens, Ohio.

Josephine Bagley and Daniel Davis, *Ohio*, Φ Δ Θ , on Dec. 4, 1926. Mr. Davis, a civil engineer, is employed in Cleveland, Ohio, where they will make their home.

PERSONALS

Merle Danford is teaching at the Rayon High School of Youngstown, Ohio.

Anne Pickering is teaching at Athens High School, Athens, Ohio.

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. John Taylor Shiplett (Susan Putman), who has recently lost her husband.

OHIO BETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGE

Margaret Doyle Hammond and Harry H. Howarth, Jr., *Nebraska*, Δ T, on June 15, 1926. At home 84 Linwood Ave., Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Howarth travels for the Insurance Company of North America.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dougherty (Ruth Sprankle), a daughter, Ruth, on November 3, 1926.

OKLAHOMA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

MARRIAGES

Ruby Morgan and Alvin Zwerneman in Corsicana, Tex, on July 2, 1926. At home 102 N. Painter Ave., Whittier, Calif. Mr. Zwerneman is with the Axelson Machine Co., Los Angeles, Calif.

Catherine Patterson and Charles P. Stuart, *Oklahoma*, K A, Dec. 6, 1926, at Muskogee, Okla. At home 118 1-2 W. 18th, Oklahoma City, Okla.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Kramer (Jeannette Sparrow), a daughter Caro Lee, on November 3, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Frances Gorman Riser has had poems published in *Oklahoma Women*, a magazine about women of the state in the public eye and also in some of the state papers.

Lorene Thompson is now a member of the Albuquerque Alumnae Club. Her address is 1908 E. Silver, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Percy Bonfoey in the loss of her mother, to Mrs. Dean Davenport (Marion Billingsley) in the loss of her father, and to Mrs. Al Jochem (Grace Lee) and Eva Lee in the loss of their mother.

OKLAHOMA BETA—OKLAHOMA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE

MARRIAGE

Willena Owen and Mr. Paul Johnson, *Missouri*, Δ T Δ, on Aug. 4, 1926. At home, 5536 Pershing, St. Louis, Mo.

ONTARIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

ENGAGEMENTS

Kay Cosgrove and Ben Douglas of Grossille, Mich.

Mary Fletcher and Fred Passmore.

Adrienne Fry and Howard Wheaton, $\Theta \Delta X$.

Beth Ironside and Dr. Earnest James, $\Phi \rho \Sigma$.

Margaret Thorburn and Dr. Robertson Caven.

MARRIAGE

Clayton Calloway and Edgar Gordon Burton on Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Burton are spending their honeymoon in Europe.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kilbourne (Mary Fawcett), a son, William Morley, Dec. 18, 1926.

To Dr. and Mrs. Tom McGinnis (Daphney Parsons), a son, John Morley, Dec. 20, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burgess (Victoria White), a daughter, Joan Victoria, Oct. 7, 1926.

PERSONALS

Mrs. C. Goddeve (Jean Hamilton), will be living in England for two years, owing to her husband's new appointment in the army.

Anne Edgar, who is a missionary nurse in India, is home on leave of absence for one year.

Mrs. J. H. Howson (Lillian Campbell), and her little boy were home for Christmas.

OREGON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

MARRIAGES

La Nita Gaskhill and Walter Pearson, $K \Sigma$, June 12, 1926.

Florence Jensen and Harold Geodic, ΣN , Nov. 22, 1926.

Luella Hausler and Walcott Buren, $B \Theta II$, December, 1926.

Margaret Carter and Chas. Bluett, $S A E$, June 22, 1926.

Nell Gaylord and Claire Small, August, 1926.

PERSONAL

Mrs. R. L. Young, has moved to 2 Ashland Ave., Charlotte, N. C. She is president of the Charlotte City Panhellenic, which has about 25 active members

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA—SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

ENGAGEMENT

Mary Gahrng Price and John Harper, *Swarthmore*.

MARRIAGES

Alice Lippincott and Anson de Vout, *Lehigh*, Oct. 16, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. de Vout live in Chicago.

Hilda Lang and Raymond Denworth, *Swarthmore*, $\Phi K \Psi$, Dec. 27, 1926. Mr. and Mrs. Denworth will live in Lansdowne, Pa.

BIRTHS

To Dr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Pyle (Elizabeth Johnson), a son, October 30, 1926

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long. (Ella Falck), a son, John Clark, October 31, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Roland Laning (Mary Schellinger), a daughter Mary Elizabeth.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Anthony (Dorothy McClaren), are now living in Honolulu where Mr. Gordon is practicing law.

Isabel Jacobs who teaches in the Girl's High School in Philadelphia has been granted a half year's leave of absence which she is spending in South America. She will return in February.

PENNSYLVANIA BETA—BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. G. Hobart Brown (Dorothy Markham), Box 113, Scotch Plains, N. J., a daughter, Barbara Jane, on April 2, 1926.

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—DICKINSON COLLEGE

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Lehman (Larue Gress) have moved to Williamsport, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Mohler, (Harriett Stuart), are now living in Lancaster, Pa., where Dr. Mohler is teaching in Franklin-Marshall College.

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker (Dorothy Friesell), a daughter Jane Gordon, on Dec. 27, 1923, and a son, Robert Statton III, on Sept. 25, 1926.

TENNESSEE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF CHATTANOOGA

ENGAGEMENTS

Emma Holston Greenwood and George Edmonson Pyle, *King College, Transylvania, K A.*

MARRIAGES

Gladys Grote and Williard G. Viers, *Chattanooga, Φ Δ Σ.* At home Chattanooga, Tenn.

Annie Laurie Keys and Sidney Hermon Whipple, *Trinity College, Φ Γ Δ.* At home, New York City.

Margaret Leavitt and Henry Grady Turner, *Wofford College.*

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson (Virginia Taylor), a daughter.

PERSONALS

Margaret Q. Smith has been appointed on the Committee on Fraternity Examination for Delta Province.

Mrs. Donald Cable (Ellen Saunders), has returned to her home in New York City after spending a few weeks in Chattanooga as the guest of her mother.

Mrs. Grover C. Graves (Nelle Greenwood), of Tampa, Florida, attended the wedding of her sister, Emma Holston Greenwood, which took place on January 20.

Mary Bobo Gibson, who is teaching in New York City, was the maid of honor at the wedding of Annie Laurie Keys, which took place at Grace Episcopal Church in New York City on New Year's Day, 1927.

Ruth Stivers, after her graduation from Cadek's Conservatory of Music, is now teaching piano in Chattanooga.

Mrs. Douglas Fryer (Lorine Pruette), is finishing up work on her new novel, "A Saint in Ivory", which is to be published this spring. Mrs. Fryer spent the Christmas holidays in Chattanooga as the guest of her mother.

Mary Sussdorf, who was in charge of Y. W. C. A. in Greensboro, N. C. has moved to Chattanooga, Tenn., to do similar work.

TEXAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

MARRIAGE

Almeida McGregor and Dr. John Harris, Texas, on Dec. 29, 1926, at Waco, Texas.

Alma Baker and Otto Newton Rea on June 27, 1926.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Bradley (Genevra Harris), a son, Robert Lee, on Oct. 24, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thad Scott (Sadie Ruth Aldridge), a daughter, Margaret Campbell, on Nov 11, 1926.

To Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Talbot Smith (Aubrey Wilkerson), a daughter, Clare Wilkerson, Oct. 26, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bremond, Jr., (Ruth McAlvey), a son, Walter Bremond, Jr., III, on June 6, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Hittson, (Mary Louise Allen), a daughter, Virginia Elizabeth, on July 14, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Minor James (Mamie Cochran), a daughter, Martha Dunnington James, Oct. 12, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winton (Flora Edmond), a daughter, Susan Vanderpool, on Oct 1, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brents Witty (Kathryne Baker), a son Milton Brents, Jr., on Dec. 11, 1926.

PERSONALS

Tharon Thompson of Houston, Texas, has just returned from a year abroad. She went over on the Thomas Jefferson pilgrimage and afterwards traveled in Southern Europe. At the completion of her travels she entered the Sorbonne where she followed some courses in history.

Kathleen Little who has been in New York for several years has returned to Austin and has accepted the position of assistant registrar in the University of Texas.

Frances Little, who has also been in New York, has returned to Austin and is secretary to the Dean of the Graduate School in the University of Texas.

Mrs. Tom Oliver (Katherine Hill), of Jackson Heights, L. I., visited in Austin for six weeks recently with her father and sisters.

Katherine Drake, who won one of the two scholarships in French given at Wellesley, is now studying at the University at Lyons, France.

TEXAS BETA—SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

MARRIAGE

Dorothy Colman Davis and Hugh McLellan Bryan, *New Mexico*, *Σ X*, *Princeton* and Rhodes Scholar at *Oxford*, on July 14, 1926. At home, 1211 West Roma, Albuquerque, N. Mex.

VERMONT ALPHA—MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

BIRTH

To Rev. and Mrs. Erskine M. Jeffords (Margaret Shay), a son, Erskine M. Jr., on Oct. 16, 1926

VERMONT BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT

DEATH

Mrs. Kate Russell White died in November 1926, at Atlantic Highlands, N. J.

VIRGINIA ALPHA—RANDOLPH MACON WOMAN'S COLLEGE

MARRIAGE

Marie Hopson and Lawrence Edward Scott, *Virginia*, Σ A E, on Nov. 25, 1926. At home, Clifwood Court, Little Rock, Ark.

Alma Baker and Otto Newton Rea on June 27, 1926.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brents Witty (Kathryne Baker), a son, Milton Brents, Jr., on Dec. 11, 1926.

PERSONAL

May Scroggin spent the holidays in Little Rock, Ark, as the guest of her mother. She was honored at the alumnae club buffet supper on Dec. 30, 1926.

VIRGINIA BETA—HOLLINS COLLEGE

PERSONAL

Ann Milton is secretary of the Young Peoples' Work for the Diocese of East Carolina of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA—WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

ENGAGEMENT

Eunice Hudson and Rev. I. Wesley Clark, *Tennessee* Σ X.

MARRIAGE

Angela Fisher and Fred A. Danner, *West Virginia University* and *New York University*, June 26, 1926, at Riverdale-on-the-Hudson. At home at 2 Adrian Ave., New York City. Mr. Danner is representative for Marshall Field and Company.

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller (Maude McNeil), a daughter, Patricia McNeil, Dec. 15, 1926.

PERSONALS

Eunice Hudson sailed from New York City in September for Brazil, South America, to take up her work as a missionary. For the past six years she had taught French and English in the high school at Millville, N. J., her home. Her address is Caixa 125, Corumba, Matto Grasso, Brazil, South America.

Blanche Broadwater is seriously ill at her home in Belington, W. Va.

Claire Fisher is teaching mathematics in New York University.

WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

MARRIAGES

Dorothy Fishburn and Lewis Ackerman, *California*, $\Sigma \Psi$, on Oct. 16, 1926.

Ruth Klempe and Dr. Gilbert S. Bovard, *University of Southern California*, $\Sigma A E$ and $A \Omega A$, on August 11, 1926 at Mason City, Iowa. At home, 54 North Canon Ave., Sierra Madre, Calif.

PERSONALS

Stella Kayser has returned from Europe, where she has been making a survey of foreign methods of presenting the study of piano to children. In the late summer Miss Kayser met Vivian Smith in Warsaw, Poland, where both were entertained for a week at the home of the Prince and Princess Lubomviska, whose daughters, Natalia and Christine, are friends of Miss Smith.

Dorothy Ware has been studying with the Denishawn Dancers for less than two years. She was chosen to be one of the company now touring the United States.

WISCONSIN BETA—BELOIT COLLEGE

BIRTH

To Mr. and Mrs. Theron D. Van Wart (Eulalia Drew) of 5406 Connecticut Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C., a daughter, Mary Jean, on March 20, 1926.

WYOMING ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

MARRIAGES

Constance Maynard and Captain Beverly Coiner, on Dec. 23, 1926, at Laramie, Wyoming.

Margaret O'Neil and Ralph Conwell, on Dec. 27, 1926, at Kemmerer, Wyo. At home, Laramie, Wyo.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis (Dorothy Worthington), a son, Robert Worthington, on September 12, 1926.

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Bowman (Margaret Potter), a son, Thomas Edward, on Oct. 3, 1926.

PERSONAL

Marion Roberts is spending the winter in New York City.

ALUMNAE CLUB COMING EVENTS

Ann Arbor, Mich.—February 19: Luncheon and bridge party for juniors and sophomores with Mrs. Carl Hubor, Hill St. March: Luncheon with Detroit alumnae and pledges on day of initiation. Hostess, Mrs. George Lewis. Discussion group—Subject, Pi Phi in the public eye. April: Founders' Day celebraton with active chapter. May 7: Business meeting and luncheon with Mrs. Leroy Waterman, Vinewood Ave. Discussion group—subject, Convention. June 4: Party for seniors at the home of Mrs. H. E. Riggs, Barton Hills.

Baltimore, Md.— February 18 and 19: Rummage Sale. March ter, Alumnae Lodge. March 15: Surprise and bridge. April 23: Founders' Day banquet, place to be announced later. May: date to be announced later, reunion at Sunset Knoll, the home of Helen Doll Tottle. June: date and place to be announced later, Pi Beta Phi house party with active chapter.

Berkeley, Calif. — February 18 and 19: Rummage Sale. March 17: Party for seniors in active chapter. April: Founders' Day Luncheon.

Burlington, Iowa.— Meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month at 5:30 o'clock; dinner promptly at six, followed by business meeting, program and social hour. Two members act as hostesses each month. February 17: Settlement School meeting, Mrs. W. F. Gilman and Gail DeWolf March 17: Mrs. H. O. Todd and Mrs. Clay Waite. April 28: Founders' Day with Mrs. Louis Blaul; program to be announced later.

Boston, Mass.— February 12: Constitution meeting at 2:30 o'clock, fraternity rooms, 31 Massachusetts Ave., Boston. March 12: Settlement School meeting, St. Mark's Methodist Church, Brookline. April 23: Founders' Day Banquet, place to be announced. May 14: Annual business meeting at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Adalietta Shaw Eaton, 522 Audubon Road, Boston. June 11: Children's Party, place to be announced. July 9: Summer Outing at 2:30 o'clock, hostess, Mrs. Anna R. Nickerson, 208 Rock Island Road, Quincy.

Buffalo, N. Y.— Meetings are held after luncheons on the last Saturday of each month with two members acting as hostesses. February: Gladys Jackson and Gladys Manning. March: Helen Ross and Viva Whitney. April: Founders' Day Party. May: Ella Donnocker and Bessie Meinweiser. June: Edith Brown.

Cleveland, Ohio.— The meetings are luncheons, held the first Saturday of each month at 1:00 P. M. at the home of some member. February: Mrs. G. L. Bitting, 2956 East Overlook Road. March 5: Settlement School—Mrs. R. S. Begg, 2878 Brighton Road. April 2: Mrs. D. B. Pockock, 17208 Edgewater Drive. April 28: Founders' Day. June 4: Mrs. J. E. Kewley, 1950 Noble Road.

Denver, Colo.— February 19: Hostess, Mrs. A. B. Trott, 2200 Albion St. Chairman, Mrs. H. C. McNaught. March 28: Hostess, Mrs. O. L. Foster, 1557 Steele St. Chairman, Mrs. Sue Walsh. April: Founders' Day. May 21: Meeting at Pi Phi bungalow, 2153 So. Columbine. Chairman, Emilie Englebach. June: Hostess, Mrs. L. K. Robinson, Mt. Vernon. Chairman, Katherine Robinson.

Duluth, Minn.— February 5: Luncheon. Nell Parker and Leonor Abbett, hostesses. Examination questions. March 5: Bridge tea. Laverna Houghton and Gladys Chatman, hostesses. April 2: Luncheon. Clara Reed and Marion Turnquist, hostesses. April 30: Founders' Day Luncheon. June 4: Picnic. Ruth Russell, Peggy Dunn, Betty Daubenberger, Helen Thompson, Ruth Sloane, hostesses.

Franklin, Ind.— February 18: Alumnae meeting. Hostesses, Hazel Hougham, Margaret Collins and Gladys Dungan. March 15: Active and alumnae spread. Committee in charge, Ethelwyn Miller, Fay Eccles and Grace Kenny. April 15: Alumnae meeting. Election of officers. Hostesses, Reeda Holstein, Dorothy Schultz and Eugenia McMillan. May 28: Alumnae meeting. Children's party. Hostesses, Helen Kelly Stainbrook, Mary Kinnear, Norris Dunn, Claudia Mullendore and Dorothy Jones McQuinn. May 14: Active chapter party.

Mother's Day party. June: Commencement Week program. Dinner for visiting alumnae.

Kansas City, Mo.—February 5: 1 p. m., cooky-shine. Study of Constitution, History and Examinations under Leona Baumgartner. Hostess, Mrs. Henry Lewis. March 5: 1 p. m., Hostess, Mrs. Clyde Porter, 825 West 56th St. April 2: 1 p. m., Election of Officers, University Women's Club, 3740 Warwick. April 30: 6:30 p. m., Founders' Day Banquet. June 4: Pi Beta Phi Family Picnic.

Los Angeles, Calif.—February 26: Luncheon, 12:30. Hostess, Louise Cody. Program, Margaret Fidler Martin. Luncheon, Dorothy Murdock. March 26: Luncheon at 12:30. Hostess, Anna McDonald D'Aule. Program, Helen Northmore Jones. Luncheon, Lella Thomas O'Flaherty. April 28: Founders' Day Banquet. Chairman, Evelyn Ross. May 28: Children's party at 2:30. Chairman, Ethel Weaver Snow. June 25: Picnic and Jinx at 12:30. Hostess, Dorothy Halde-
man. Program, Ruth Jones Wright. Luncheon, Polly Bailey Burrell.

Miami Valley, Ohio.—Meetings the first Friday of the month at the homes of members. Alternate meetings, cooky-shines.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Meetings followed by supper with eight members acting as hostesses held on the second Tuesday of each month.

Morgantown, W. Va.—February: Initiation and Banquet. March 7: Luncheon at the Ortolan. Examination. April 28: Founders' Day celebration. Election of Officers. May: Picnic. June: Joint luncheon with Clarksburg Club.

New York, N. Y.—Meetings, except the Founders' Day Luncheon, are held on the first Saturday of each month at the Allerton House, corner of 57th Street and Lexington Avenue, at 2:30 p. m. One-half hour business meeting, followed by various entertaining programs and tea. February 5: Settlement School meeting. Iowa chapters as Hostesses. Mrs. Kate Miller, Chairman. March 5: Far Western Chapters as Hostesses. Mrs. Donald Rymer, Chairman. April 2: New York Delta as Hostesses. Miss Madeline Carroll, Chairman. April 30: Founders' Day Luncheon. Detailed announcement later.

North Carolina Alumnae.—Meetings are held four times a year, in October, January, April, on a possible date nearest Founders' Day, and June.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Founders' Day Banquet on April 28. Will all Pi Phis who are strangers in Oklahoma City call Mrs. Guy Reid at 4-1606 for information about meetings.

Pasadena, Calif.—Meetings on the first Saturday of the month. For further information call Terrace 8013.

Philadelphia, Penn.—February 12: Luncheon at College Club, 13th and Spruce Streets. Business meeting. "The Big Work at Little Pigeon," Dr. Arthur H. Estabrook, Special Investigator of Conditions in Mountain Schools of South. Hostesses, Pennsylvania B alumnae. March: Place and day to be announced. Election of Officers. Pennsylvania A Initiation. April 30: Founders' Day Banquet. Strath Haven Inn, Swarthmore, Penn.

San Francisco, Calif.—February: Tea at Stanford University. Mrs. J. T. Wood, Jr., chairman. April: Founders' Day Luncheon.

West Suburban Club, Ill.—February: Panhellenic Guest Day. March: Study of Constitution. April: Election of Officers. May: Founders' Day Banquet. June: Picnic.

MEET ME
AT
BREEZY POINT LODGE
IN JUNE

NEW ALUMNAE CLUBS

The Grand Rapids Alumnae Club was organized on Sept. 16, 1926. Nine Pi Phis were entertained at the home R. W. Kinsey. At that time the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Harry Rosenthal (Helen Gaul Wash. A); Vice-President, Mrs. J. B. Whinery (Mary MacNaughton, Mich. B); Treasurer, Mabel Hilding (Ill. Δ); and Secretary, Madeline Brown (Mich. B).

Our membership at present numbers twelve. We are very happy to band together as the first alumnae club of Grand Rapids. One of our members, Mrs. Kinsey, has been active in other clubs and we are greatly indebted to her for many good suggestions.

Our meetings have taken the form of delightfully friendly teas at the homes of the members.

Other fraternities are now starting alumnae clubs here this winter. We are hoping that the opportunity may present itself when we may all work together to strengthen these new organizations.

We all look forward to our Pi Phi meetings, the second Wednesday of each month. Although we are a small club we intend to do our best for the Settlement School and for $\Pi B \Phi$ nationally.

THE POUFRE VALLEY ALUMNAE CLUB

The Poudre Valley Alumnae Club of Pi Beta Phi was formed in September, 1925, as an informal club, which met once a month. At the meeting held October 21, 1926, however, it was decided to apply for a national charter, so we are now a part of the national organization.

We claim as our most illustrious member, Agnes Wright Spring, ARROW Editor, and give her credit for bringing us together. We also boast of an I. C., for Rebecca Tyler Petty is an

I. C. The charter members are: Eleanor Steinburg Anderson (Mrs. Delos, Nebraska B), Lois Silcott Auld (Mrs. Matthew, Iowa B), Constance Chatterton, (Wyoming A), Willa Clammer (Iowa B), all of Fort Collins, Colorado; Frances Hall Comly (Mrs. R. H., Illinois E, Wisconsin A), Loveland, Colorado, Maude E. Stanfield Harter (Mrs. Charles, Illinois H), Loveland, Colorado, Lucile Hartman, (Iowa B), Ora T. Hartman (Mrs. H. H., Iowa B), Mary S. Humphreys (Mrs. Walter, California F), Ruth Eppler Keagy (Mrs. Reiner A, Kansas B), Helen Haynes McCreary, (Mrs. H. B., Iowa Z), Maude Delmege Packard (Mrs. Louis, Iowa Z, Nebraska B and Colorado A), Rebecca Tyler Petty (Mrs. H. G. Iowa E), Ruth P. Richmond (Mrs. R. C. Colorado B), Helen McWhinnie Ricker (Mrs. Donald C., Wyoming A), Marjorie Keith Robinson (Mrs. George, Colorado B), and Agnes Wright Spring (Mrs. A. T., Wyoming A), all of Fort Collins, Colo. Other members are: Eva Fenton Challgren (Mrs. C. A., Colorado B), Greeley, Colo., and Mildred White Ryan (Mrs. E. J., Colorado B), Windsor, Colo.

Our officers are: Ruth P. Richmond, president; Eleanor Steinburg Anderson, vice president; Mary C. Humphreys, treasurer, and Lucile Hartman, secretary.

We held a special meeting December 2, which was devoted to making dolls and scrap books for the Settlement School. On December 16 we held our Christmas party in the form of a cooky-shine, and each one brought a toy for the tree. After we had opened our presents we packed them in the Settlement School box with the dolls and scrap books.

SHREVEPORT ALUMNAE CLUB

The Shreveport Alumnae Club was organized in October, 1924, with the following members present at the meeting: Mrs. G. M. Williamson (Carrie Hopkins, La. A); Mrs. G. W. Haywood (Hazel Nall, Ark. A); Mrs. J. O. Nelson (Florence*Lyford, Nebr. B); Mrs. C. O. Day (Myrtle Beeler, Nebr. B); Mrs. H. H. Bain (Mary Easterling, Ohio B); Mrs. Jack Oliphant (Cecile Evans, Texas A); Mrs. C. M. Dorchester (Adele Glas-

gow, Texas A); Mrs. William Coleman (Geraldine Harper, Texas B); Mrs. M. W. Grimm (Eloise Sandlin, Okla. A).

Because our membership was so small we decided to remain merely a social club for awhile. Our meetings were held once a month in the homes of the members and were most enjoyable because they brought us together in a revival of the old Pi Phi spirit. As the months went by we added new girls to the list and lost one of our first members, Geraldine Coleman, who moved to Missouri. We had several parties at the various homes to welcome pledges and to meet visiting Pi Phis. We also observed our Founders' Day with luncheons. In the past two years we have added to our club the following members: Mrs. William Gross (Mary Starr, Ill. E); Mrs. Frank Cook (Amelia Foster, Mo. A); Mrs. Frank Ellis (Mary Alice Evans, Texas B); Mrs. J. E. Hooks (Elizabeth Smiley, Mo. A); Mrs. Paul Bell (Mary Bryan, Texas A); Sydney Barrow (Texas A).

In the fall of 1926 we decided that we had enough members to organize as a real club. Now we have our charter.

Our last meeting was a most interesting one. Mary Bain entertained us at a lovely luncheon at the Yousee Hotel. As our special guest we had Harmo Taylor of Tyler, Texas, who told us all about the Settlement School in the most delightful way. We then resolved to do all we could for this most interesting School, and, I believe, that will be first among our New Year's resolutions.

ELOISE SANDLER GRIMM

IN MEMORIAM

BLATZ, MRS. GUSTAVE, (REGA BODDEN). The news of the sudden death of Rega Bodden Blatz last March brought grief to many Pi Phis throughout Wisconsin, who had known her when she was a member of Wis. A, at the University of Wisconsin.

Rega was born Dec. 1, 1888, in Milwaukee. After graduating from the East Side High School of Milwaukee she entered the university in 1905. Her unusual beauty, natural charm and delightful sense of humor made her one of the most beloved girls in the chapter and one of the most popular on the campus. In her freshman year she was elected to the Mystic Circle, an inter-sorority organization, and in her sophomore year was chosen vice-president of her class.

She was married July 14, 1909 to Gustave Blatz. They lived in Milwaukee where their home was always the center of genuine hospitality and the happy gathering place for Wisconsin Alumnae.

As a member of the $\Pi B \Phi$ alumnae association Rega took an active part and served as its president for one year.

She leaves, beside her husband, four sons, Gustave, Edward, Robert and Albert, who will always have for their inspiration the memory of a mother, courageous, loyal, gracious and radiant.

HACKER, MRS. EDWARD T., (VICTORIA WEEKS), of Portland, Maine, passed away on September 16, 1926.

Victoria Hacker, daughter of the Reverend Thomas S. Weeks, of Bangor, Maine, attended the University of Maine, at Orono, where she became a member of $\Pi B \Phi$. A brilliant student, she completed the full collegiate course in three years, playing at the same time an important part in all student activities. She was a member of the Girl's Glee Club during her entire course, and served as its reader during her last year, a member of the Cercle Francaise, and was always prominent in class and fraternity organizations.

After her graduation she taught Spanish and French in the

high schools of Natick, Milton, Winchester and Winthrop, Massachusetts, until the spring of 1923, when she was married to Edward S. Hacker, also of the University of Maine, a member of Phi Eta Kappa fraternity, and the vice president of the Ballard Oil and Equipment Company of Maine. Upon their removal to the city of Portland, Victoria quickly became a leader in the younger social and college circles, was the first president of the University of Maine Women, and it was due largely to her own personal enthusiastic and untiring efforts that the Portland Alumnae chapter of $\Pi B \Phi$ was organized in 1925.

Her death, caused by pneumonia, followed two days after the birth of her first child. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Ernest C. Priest, of Portland; a brother, Thomas N. Weeks, of Waterville, Maine; her husband, Edward T. Hacker, and the infant son, Edward Thomas.

Victoria Hacker was a woman whose great depth of character was equalled by a rare charm of manner, one warmly interested in all movements of the day, political and educational as well as social, and possessed a rare talent for making, and holding friends. Scores upon scores of exquisite floral offerings and literally hundreds of letters and telegrams of condolence, were eloquent testimony to the high esteem, and the tender regard, in which Victoria and her husband were held.

MY FRIEND, VICTORIA HACKER

In the fall of 1925, I began working upon a new novel, the scenes of which were laid on an island in Casco Bay at the portals of Portland. Realizing that personal contact with local character and atmosphere were essential to the story, I engaged a small apartment in Portland and took up residence for the winter. It was no more than a week later, I am sure, that I was called to the telephone, and a warmly vibrant young voice inquired,

"Are you the Ethel Hueston who is a Pi Phi?"

A good many years of hard work, a great deal of travel here and there, and many months' residence abroad, had put me out of touch with my friends of Pi Phi, I no longer received *The Arrow*, and had not worn the badge for several years. The question amazed me.

"I am," I answered, "but who in the world knows it?"

"I do," called Victoria Hacker, triumphantly.

She had read of my work—I don't know how many years ago,—in the ARROW. And she read in the Portland papers that an Ethel Hueston was writing a book here. And she had not forgotten.

That was one of the secrets of Victoria Hacker's great power, and her great charm. She did not forget. Pi Beta Phi has but one chapter in Maine, quite a new, young chapter, and we have but few alumnae in Portland. But through Victoria I was drawn into their group, a young group, almost children to me, and I was their patriarch,—I, of Iowa Wesleyan, 1909. Victoria was our ringleader, our organizer, our president. Her vivid personality was our nucleus, the rest of us revolved contentedly about her.

Radiant is the word that describes her. Beautiful because of her radiant aliveness, always alert, always interested, always eager.

During the winter we found in Victoria a genuine sister, and, through her, in her young husband, a devoted brother. On winter nights when ordinary cars were snugly garaged, and when even taxis declined to operate, Edward Hacker, with Victoria beside him, braved the blizzards of the north and picked us up one after another, eight, nine, up to a dozen, in his snug little five passenger car, and took us all to fraternity meeting. Always helpful, always kindly, always our brother, as he is today. But Victoria is gone.

In the months that preceded the birth of little Edward Thomas, she did not lose, but rather gained in radiance. Eagerly anticipating the future, bravely confident of the outcome, she seemed altogether fearless and full of joy. On September 14th, her husband told us of the safe arrival of the small son, and two days later sent us the sad word that Victoria was dead.

In the passing of Victoria, our little alumnae chapter has lost a talented leader, Pi Beta Phi a loyal member, and I a rare young friend.

ETHEL HUESTON, *Iowa A*

JENKS, MRS. CLAYTON L., (CLARISSA BROOKS TUFTS, Columbia A), died at the St. Joseph Sanatorium, Albuquerque, N. Mex., on October 19, after an illness of ten years. Her home was in Worcester, Mass.

Clarissa Brooks Jenks was an author, physician and home builder, known under the pen name of Clarissa Brooks. She was a contributor to the *New York Sun*, *New York Evening Telegram*, *New York Evening Post*, and the *Boston Herald*, as well as fiction magazines. Her poems have been copied widely in newspapers and books of verse, some of the most popular being, "Anchorage," "Minutiae," "Heart Paths," "Progression," "When You Were Twenty-One", "Love and Death", and "The Mother of the Madonna."

Clarissa Brooks Tufts was born Aug. 9, 1880, in Atchison, Kansas and spent her girlhood in the west. She attended Midland College, but the family moved to Washington, D. C., where her father became connected with the Department of Interior and she resumed her studies at Columbia College, now George Washington University, where she graduated in 1901 with an A.B. degree.

In 1908 she married Clayton L. Jenks, an assistant examiner in the U. S. Patent Office and they lived in Cleveland Park where their two children were born: Elizabeth Tufts and Jeremy Clayton Tufts.

Mrs. Jenks never enjoyed robust health and was compelled in 1917 to go to New Mexico on account of illness, and during her last years spent much of her time in writing verses.

She was a member of the League of American Pen Women, the Bookfellows, The American Literary Association, Pi Beta Phi, D. A. R., the College Women's Club of Washington and the Tatnuck Women's Club of Worcester, Mass.

She is survived by her mother, Elizabeth B. H. Tufts and her brother, John Tufts, of Denver, Colo.; her husband, who is corporation patent attorney for Norton Company and Riley Stoker Corporation of Worcester, Mass., and her two children, Elizabeth and Jeremy.

Everyone who knew Clarissa Brooks Jenks pays high tribute to her memory—to one who was most unselfish in her love of people.

HAWKINS, MRS. ARTHUR D., (CATHERINE NEWMAN), died in Monrovia in October, 1926. She was initiated into $\Pi B \Phi$ by Minnesota A and was a member of the class of 1920.

HOLMAN, MARCELLA ELLIS. Last June New York Δ of $\Pi B \Phi$ was deeply grieved to hear of the death of Marcella Holman in Jenkins, Penna., where she was attending Beaver College.

She died on May 26, 1926, after a short illness, having visited her chapter at Easter time. It is a rare experience to meet one of such a sunny and cheerful disposition and we sympathize sincerely with her mother who laid her to rest beside her father in Macon, Ga., in the south she loved so well.

HORN, MRS. MURRAY L. (PAULINE PATE), was born in Springfield, Mo., August 28, 1897, and died in a hospital in St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 3, 1926, following a serious operation.

Her death was a shock to her family and friends, as it came so suddenly, although she had been ill for several months. She is survived by her husband, one small daughter, her parents, and a Pi Phi sister, Louise.

Pauline was reared in Springfield, Mo. She attended Springfield High School, and in the fall of 1915, entered Drury College. She was initiated in Missouri Gamma February 12, 1916. She was a very prominent student while in college and was a member of Skiff, the senior honorary society for women. Pauline was a very enthusiastic member of $\Pi B \Phi$ and served



PAULINE PATE HORN
Missouri Γ

her chapter as president her senior year. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Drury College in 1919 and was one of the two commencement speakers.

Pauline was married the following year to Murray L. Horn of St. Louis, Mo., on Sept. 22, 1920. She made her home in

St. Louis then until the time of her death, and was affiliated with the St. Louis Alumnae Club. She was a devoted wife and mother and her host of friends will always remember her cheery disposition and her wonderful enthusiasm in everything she did, and we feel that Pi Phi has indeed lost one of her most loyal members. To her family we wish to express our deepest sympathy and love.

OLIVE, MRS. JAMES C., (DOROTHY JANE MAXWELL) died at her home 4423 Winthrop Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., on June 2, 1926. She was a member of Washington A of the class of 1921. Her husband is left to mourn her going.

WHITE, MRS. W., (KATE RUSSELL), Vermont B of the class of 1899, passed away in November, 1926, at Atlantic Highland, N. J.

SCOTT, MRS. RUFUS, (DOROTHY HOWELL), was born in Des Moines, Iowa, thirty years ago and died on Dec. 24, 1926, following an illness of only six days. Dorothy attended Frances Shrimmer School and after her graduation there entered Northwestern University, where she was initiated into Illinois E of $\Pi B \Phi$. In her senior year she was president of her class.

Dorothy was loved by all throughout her four years of college, her joyous and energetic nature endearing her to both faculty and students alike. She was a most loyal and enthusiastic member of $\Pi \Phi$ and took an active part in all college activities. She took the classical course, majoring in psychology, was a member of the Alethenai literary society, Syllabus board, Circus Sally board, Campus Players, and wrote many of the lyrics for the "Hermit and Crow" production in 1915. During 1917 she was women's editor of the *Northwestern Daily*.

At the close of her college work she served as reconstruction aid at Camp Dodge, Fort Des Moines, and in New Haven, Conn. In June 1921 she was married to Rufus Scott. Since then she has been active in club and social affairs and a member of the First Methodist Church.

Her interests were many and varied. With all her other activities she also found time for the outdoor life she loved so

well. To swim, ride horseback and play golf were her great delights. Always a good sport, her ability to see the humorous side of a situation coupled with her keen wit and humor, made her a priceless companion.

Beside her husband, her mother, father and one brother survive her. $\Pi B \Phi$ wishes to extend sincerest sympathy to this bereaved family.

MY SEVEN GIFTS TO PI BETA PHI

Texas Beta, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Tex. gives to each one of its pledges a small card with the following seven suggestions on it. The card can be tucked into the edge of the mirror or framed and placed on the dressing table so that it is a "daily reminder."

Since I expect to receive much from Pi Beta Phi:

- I. I should give—
 1. Of my time to fraternity meetings.
 2. Of my funds regularly and punctually.
 3. Of my friendship and loyalty to my fraternity sisters.
- II. I should so govern my conduct that it shall be above reproach
 1. In class rooms.
 2. In public places.
 3. In company of men.
- III. I should make my scholastic record representative of my best efforts.
 1. By regular and conscientious study.
 2. By unquestionable honesty in all school work.
- IV. I should be cheerful and faithful in the performance of all fraternity duties and tasks assigned to me.
- V. I should make my mental attitude
 1. Uncritical concerning my fraternity sisters.
 2. Broad and tolerant concerning opinions other than my own.
- VI. I should consider the affairs of my fraternity both private and secret in order that I shall not by idle or promiscuous talk cheapen Pi Beta Phi.
- VII. I should lend sincere cooperation in all things undertaken by my fraternity. Recognizing that these things are reasonable, realizing that they are right and are advantageous to me and to the organization of which I am a representative, I hereby acknowledge my responsibility and obligation by my signature.

CHAPTER LETTERS

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ALPHA PROVINCE

ONTARIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

(Chartered December 11, 1908)

Pledge Day—December 15, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 4, 1926)

- Helen Appelbe, '29, 457 Palmerston Blvd., Toronto.
 Margaret Barton, '29, 38 Strathearn Blvd., Toronto.
 Josephine Booth, '29, 82 Warren Rd., Toronto.
 Catherine Cringan, '28, 1262 Broadview Ave., Toronto.
 Jean Dow, '29, 188 St. John's Rd., Toronto.
 Patricia Godfrey, '29, 72 Lowther Ave., Toronto.
 Vera Lewis, '29, 78 Grosvenor St., Toronto.
 Jean McIntosh, '29, 11 McMaster Ave., Toronto.
 Dorothy McMichael, '29, 144 Dinnick Cres., Toronto.
 Ruth Mitchell, '29, 34 Alberta Ave., Toronto.
 Sybil Turner, '29, 9 Admiral Rd., Toronto.
 Marion Wibby, '29, 2 Lynwood Ave., Toronto.

Ontario A opened the year with a very successful rushing season, resulting in the pledging of eleven girls—seven freshmen, Alexandrina Donald, Helena Hermance, Margaret Husband, Kathleen Innes, Margaret Langley, Grace Martin, Marjorie Medland; three sophomores, Margaret Fraser, Winifred Goring, Eileen Pervis; one junior, Isobel Godfrey.

On October 30, Ontario A Pi Phis gave a dance in the Crystall ballroom of the King Edward hotel. The dance proved to be a very popular event. Tickets were sold easily and the results were gratifying. Part of the proceeds will be given to the $\Pi \Phi$ Settlement School, and part will be given to the university Settlement School.

The Panhellenic cup, donated by the Pi Phis as an incentive to better scholarship on the campus, was presented to K A Θ .

Ontario A enjoyed a visit from the Alpha Province President, Vida H. Peene. Much inspiration and encouragement was gained from her helpful talks. Increased efforts are being made to better the scholarship and to encourage campus activities, in the fraternity.

Pi Phis have been very active on the campus this term. Jean Dow was elected chairman of the activities. Amy Davidge is a representative on *Torontoensis*. Evelyn Willmot played on the champion baseball team and will turn out for swimming and hockey. Eileen Boake is vice president of the Spanish and Italian club. Patricia Godfrey is on the varsity staff and on the executive of the Players' Guild. Mildred Wilkins is curator of basketball.

Among Ontario Alpha's social activities for the fall term were a mothers' tea and a chapter birthday party. The first was held in the apartment on November 26. It was the first function of its kind during the term for both pledges and initiates, and both the mothers and girls enjoyed meeting and mingling in the pleasant rooms. The second took the form of a supper, held on December 7, under the auspices of the alumnae at the home of Harriet Pearce. After the cooky-shine several of the charter members spoke a few words of encouragement to the actives and welcome to the pledges. The party closed with songs and a "Ring Ching Ching."

MILDRED WILKINS

MAINE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

(Chartered May 25, 1920)

Maine A chapter of $\Pi B \Phi$ has just completed a very successful rushing season and now has the following list of pledges: Ruth Dow, Louise Pendell, Sarah Pike, Jennie Hutchinson, Freda Weaver, Lyndell Smith, Lorna Thigpen, Cleo de Gagne, Bertha Carter and Geneva McGary.

During the Christmas vacation, the Portland alumnae association had a progressive party, and many of the active girls were there. They all enjoyed it most tremendously.

The local chapter of $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ entertained the Pi Phis at a birthday dinner in honor of Hosea Buck, one of their alumni and a $\Pi \Phi$ father.

Alpha Province President, Vida Peene, was here a short time ago, and gave much splendid advice and help. She told especially about convention plans and we all are looking forward to it very much.

CAROLYN L. PEASLEY.

VERMONT ALPHA—MIDDLEBURY COLLEGE

(Chartered 1893)

Pledge Day—October 26, 1926

Pledge day came on October 25, and Vermont A pledged the following girls: Christine Allison, Barbara Crouch, Elizabeth Parker, Fran-

celia Rose, Agnes Wentworth, Kathryn Trask and Eloise White. Soon after pledging, the chapter enjoyed a visit from Vida Peene, Alpha Province President.

Among the outstanding activities of the college year have been the achievements of the play production class and the college dramatic club. Such interesting one-act plays as Yeat's "Land of Hearts's Desire" have been presented at the fortnightly meetings of the club, and shortly before Christmas, Edna Graham directed the production of an old French mystery play, the last known presentation of which occurred in a French convent around the year 1480. On December 14 and 15, Middlebury was privileged to witness the first production of "The Lawless", a four-act play by Professor Morse, who is in charge of dramatics here, and Margaret H. Morse, his wife.

In order that the college may not lose contact with the outside world a concert-lecture course is arranged each year. This semester Burton Holmes, Roy Chapman Andrews and Frank Swinnerton lectured here, and the singers, Charles Stratton and Walter Mills, gave enjoyable concerts. Mr. John Frederick, editor of *The Midland*, of Iowa City, was the guest of the English Club and gave an informal lecture on the course of recent fiction.

The football season seems a pleasant memory now, with a victory over the University of Vermont, a vigorous rival, to Middlebury's credit. The Middlebury track team was also victorious over the representatives of U. V. M.

Vermont A enjoyed an annual fall house party at Lake Dunmore in October. The chapter rooms have recently been redecorated.

Eloise White won the first prize for women in a short story contest conducted by the *Saxonian*, a literary publication. Ruth Tupper is chairman of the Vocational Guidance committee. Jane Carrick and Madolyn Derrick are captains of junior and senior hockey teams, respectively, and Mary-Alice Drake and Eloise White are on the sophomore hockey team. Beatrice Winch is active on the athletic council as head of horseback riding. Edna Graham, as chairman of the Y. W. C. A. social committee, managed very successfully the annual Christmas bazaar.

ALICE FALES

VERMONT BETA—UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT
(Chartered 1889)

Pledge Day—Indefinite

Midyear examinations are upon us and Vermont B is devoting her time to thoughts of higher scholarship. Looking back upon the past semester, which has been busy both with college and fraternity activities, a few events of importance stand out. The social season opened

with the military ball, the first formal dance of the year, held on Armistice evening. One of the most popular informal dances during the year, the football hop, closed the football season. Gay banners and balloons gave the gymnasium a festive appearance, and the presence of the football squad added to the interest of the occasion. Just before the Christmas recess, the Y. W. C. A. held its annual bazaar, which was very successful.

Fraternity activities, as usual, have been many and varied. Vida Peene, Alpha Province President, came to Burlington the first week in November, her visit having been long anticipated. As always, her visit was an inspiration, and she left the chapter with more enthusiasm and a new realization of the national viewpoint in its fullest sense. Vermont B held an informal dance at Thanksgiving time. The chapter attendance was almost perfect; two guests from Vermont A were welcomed, as well as a delegate from each of the other women's fraternities on the Vermont campus.

During the past few months, in order to become better acquainted with the patronesses and mothers, who have done so much for Vermont B, the chapter has given several teas. In December Mrs. Pollard, a patroness, invited the junior members to her home for supper. Before vacation the alumnae gave a Christmas party for the active girls. Refreshments were served, and small gifts given accompanied by humorous verses. The alumnae club and the active members presented the chapter with a silver samovar.

Interest in affairs "on the hill" has not waned. Several Pi Phis are in the women's glee club. Marion Sargent and Della Martin have been selected to sing in the sextette. In November Lois Wright, president of the local Mortarboard chapter, was sent as a delegate to its national convention at St. Louis, Mo. At the same time Charlotte Brown, chief justice, and Della Martin, president of Student Government, attended the conference of the Women's Inter-collegiate Association for Student Government, held at Trinity College, Washington, D. C., where they met five other Pi Phis. Mary Spargo has recently been elected to Bluestocking, an honorary literary organization.

Vermont B announces the pledging of Elsie Mutch of Barre, Vt.

DELLA E. MARTIN

MASSACHUSETTS ALPHA—BOSTON UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1896)

Pledge Day—January 5, 1927

INITIATES

(Initiated October 5, 1926)

Alice Waring, '29, 12 Parker St., Malden, Mass.

Louise Shannon, '29, 37 Linden St., Salem, Mass.

Helen Wigglesworth, '29, 11 Church St., Franklin, Mass.

The results of rushing is the topic of paramount importance at this time. Massachusetts A came through with flying colors as usual, for on October 25, they pledged thirteen girls, and on January 5, two more. This is the largest number of pledges of any women's fraternity in Boston University. It was a big contest, but clean rushing was what pulled them through.

On November 16 the new pledges held a pledge tea to which pledges from all the other women's fraternities were invited.

Γ Δ, the women's organization of the college, gave its annual banquet on December 1. Hazel Bestick is its president this year and she was, of course, mistress of ceremonies. Nearly four hundred girls attended.

The chapter has had a most delightful visit from Vida Peene, Alpha Province President and Mabel Scott Brown. Mrs. Brown's visit was of a strictly social nature as she needed a rest from her troublesome catalogues.

Massachusetts A has several musical members this year, so she is well represented in both the college choir and glee club. Several of the pledges are furnishing new talent for the dramatic club.

According to custom the girls had a Christmas party on December 22. A cooky-shine was followed by the presentation of a gift to the chapter house and the exchange of gift-slams among the girls. It was a jolly affair and afforded much amusement.

The next thing on the chapter's program was an informal dance held January 7, the last social event before the mid-year examinations January 14.

EVELYN ORMSBY

NEW YORK ALPHA—SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1896)

Pledge Day—September 18, 1926

New York A had the honor of entertaining Vida Peene, Alpha Province President, during the latter part of October.

On November 29 the active chapter held a joint meeting with the alumnae at the chapter house, at which an alumna told of a trip last summer to the Settlement School and of the visit there.

The alumnae gave a benefit bridge at the chapter house on November 4 to raise money for the Settlement School, and the active chapter held a movie benefit early in December.

The chapter has instituted a new system whereby those who are low in scholarship give up some social privileges and study under the supervision of an upperclassman until the scholarship is raised. The pledges also have supervised study in addition to regular meetings. They are taking part in campus activities and some have been elected to freshman class offices.

LuEsther Turner has recently been elected to $\Phi K \Phi$ and $\Theta B \Phi$, honorary philosophical fraternity; Cornelia Piotrow has been initiated into $H \Pi T$, honorary society for senior women; and Virginia Morgan has been elected to membership in $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, national honorary journalistic fraternity.

Edra Russell represented Syracuse University at a conference of the council of Christian Associations in Milwaukee during the latter part of December. Groviene McLean has coached several plays which were produced by Boar's Head, the dramatic society of the university. Gertrude Butler is manager of archery, and Prudence Hawkins is junior captain of the rifle team and assistant manager of the sport.

Elizabeth Green, Mary Potter and Anna Lou O'Bryon have been promoted to assistant associate editors on the women's staff of *The Onondagan*, university year book. Marion Clayton has been made an assistant associate editor of *The Daily Orange*, the university newspaper.

The annual Panhellenic banquet took place December 13. The local Panhellenic is investigating second semester rushing which would be used in Syracuse University in place of preferential bidding at the end of a week of rushing, which is the plan now in use. The new policy will be decided upon next semester.

VIRGINIA MORGAN

NEW YORK GAMMA—ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

(Chartered March 20, 1914)

Pledge Day—October 4, 1926

New York Γ announces the pledging of Mildred Brower, Virginia Eddy, Marion Green, Vera Jaeger, Grace McKenney, Doris Richardson, Edith Whitney, Sarah Wilson, Alixe Barclay and Bernice Shutts. A tea was given in honor of the pledges and the new house chaperone, Mrs. M. E. Rhoades.

One of the most outstanding events of the semester was the visit of the Alpha Province President, Vida Peene. She was entertained by a bridge and serenades given by the $A T \Omega$ and $B \Phi \Pi$.

Clementine Mills is vice president of the senior class and Frances Lloyd is secretary of the sophomore class. Virginia Eddy made the women's debate team. Marion Delmage and Bernice Shutts are assistant co-ed editors of the *Hill News*. Slementine Mills is captain of the hockey team. Margaret Stewart is vice president of Mummers and president of the Literary Club of St. Lawrence which recently joined the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs. Margaret was also a representative to the convention of the federation held at Binghamton, N. Y. from November 9 to November 12.

Helena Laidlaw, Rosina Delmage, and Alixe Barclay are members of the LeCercle Jusserand which has affiliated with $B \Pi \Theta$.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Brooks were chaperones at the annual Beta ball which was held in the Brewer field house. Before her marriage Mrs. Brooks was Corrine Hellstrom.

On December 13, the chapter gave a Christmas party. The entertainment was given by the sophomore class.

St. Lawrence was fortunate in having as a recent guest David Sarnoff, vice president and general manager of the Radio Corporation of America. Mr. Sarnoff gave a very interesting and informing speech on radio to the faculty and students. The address was broadcast from WCAD, the broadcasting station at St. Lawrence University.

LOIS W. STEPHENS

NEW YORK DELTA—CORNELL UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1919)

Pledge Day—October 16, 1928

INITIATES

(Initiated December 4, 1928)

Verna E. C. Pye.

New York Δ has emerged from an exceptionally happy rushing season with twelve splendid new pledges. The new system of placing each girl in charge of some specific party resulted in many novel ideas about favors and entertainment. The preferential system bidding was used for the first time on the Cornell campus and was found most satisfactory.

The pledges have already taken an active part in campus activities beginning with the annual freshmen picnic where they were an outstanding group. Georgiana Hunt has made the freshman basketball team, and Muriel Gardner has made her letters on the freshman hockey team. Janet Dalton was elected manager of freshman archery and Anita Allen won her way into the finals of the tennis tournament. Edith Sharpe and Helen Allyn were elected into the glee club and Helen has costumed several plays for the Cornell Dramatic Club, and is hard at work on the competition leading to women's editor of the *Cornell Annuals*. Muriel Gardner, Janet Dalton and Eloise Leuder are working on properties with the Dramatic Club.

The active chapter has also been exceedingly busy. An activities chairman now supervises all campus and chapter activities with the aid of a card index system.

$\Pi \Phi$ is particularly proud of her representation on campus publications. All positions are earned only after excellent work on long competitions. Frances Delamater has been elected to the board of the *Columns*, a literary magazine. Jean Warren is on the board of the *Cornell Countryman*. Alice Kloeppfer and Margaret Gould are doing very well on the competitions for women's editor and business manager of the *Cornell Daily Sun*, respectively.

In dramatics, Frances Delamater is doing work in make-up, Elizabeth Lawson and Verna Pye are active in properties, and Portia Mary Lee, Gretchen Fischer and Margaret Kimberly have had parts in plays.

Elizabeth Reamer was one of the two women who represented Cornell at the National Student Conference in Milwaukee, December 28 to January 1. She has been elected to the Y. W. C. A. National Board as one of the two undergraduate members.

Gretchen Fischer is song leader of the class of 1927, and Margaret Gould and Alice Kloepfer were on the committee for Hades, the annual party for subduing freshmen.

Verna Pye is a member of $\Phi \Delta O$, honorary floricultural fraternity, and Elfrieda Pope was elected into the Deutscher Verein, honorary German club.

The $\Pi \Phi$ chaperon, Mrs. Stoddard, has left temporarily for a visit to Hawaii, and Miss Thomas, who is studying for her doctor's degree at the university, is acting as chaperon until the end of the year.

ELIZABETH H. REAMER.

BETA PROVINCE

PENNSYLVANIA ALPHA—SWARTHMORE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1892)

Pledge Day—October 23, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 13, 1926)

Eleanor Frost Powell, '29, 42-23 165 St., Flushing, N. Y.

Mary Walton, '29, Swarthmore, Pa.

Realizing the existence of a definite problem in maintaining student interest in Collection, Swarthmore is testing a new system as a solution. Collection corresponds to the better known term chapel. This year, the entire student body meets in the college auditorium on Tuesday and Thursday (only two cuts per semester being allowed), and those who desire may attend Quaker meeting at the Friends' Meeting House on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. By eliminating the compulsory element of Collection, this part-optional attendance plan has, so far, been very successful. Greater enthusiasm has been shown, and many prominent men and women have already spoken before the Tuesday and Thursday assemblies.

The Panhellenic situation at Swarthmore has unique difficulties, due to the small number of women, and the presence on campus of six national women's fraternities. Acting upon a suggestion given by Beta Province President, Pennsylvania A has been making a special effort in that direction, in the hope that some constructive ideas may come from $\Pi \Phi$. The present rushing season ended October 23, and the

following day nine freshmen were pledged: Alice Casey, Rebecca Castle, Ada Fuller, Merida Grey, Anna Hanan, Anna Rickards, Eva Scarlett, Marion Staley, Mary Temple; and one sophomore, Barbara Baker, a transfer from Northwestern University. Pledging was held at four o'clock in the afternoon at the home of an alumnae, and afterwards, the pledges were taken to dinner by their sponsors. The actual pledging party did not occur until the next evening.

Pennsylvania A was very glad to welcome with her new group Amy Loftin, a sophomore transfer from Tennessee A.

Pennsylvania A feels especially proud in having two national $\Pi \Phi$ guests during the past semester. Besides the regular fall visit of Marie Windsor Stebbins, Beta Province President, Emilie Margaret White, Grand Vice President, spent two days at Swarthmore. It is unnecessary to say that the chapter has many pleasant memories of both of these visits. Informal gatherings were held, with candle-light singing, a social feature which Pennsylvania A is trying to encourage.

A nearby country club was transformed into a very realistic barn as a setting for the $\Pi \Phi$ fall dance. Corn stalks, pumpkins, and huge black cats created the proper atmosphere for little country girls and farmer boys. A light supper was served.

Pre-vacation events reached a climax in the Christmas party at the home of Elizabeth Lewis Shelmerdine. It is one of the local traditions of Pennsylvania A to have its bird, the parrot, speak at the annual Christmas party. The parrot speaks in a series of verses with a verse about every member of the chapter. It is also on this occasion that the pledges give their stunt.

Immediately following Thanksgiving vacation, a food sale was held, the receipts of which were thirty-six dollars. This amount forms the first part of the one hundred dollars raised each year for Settlement School. A second sale is to take place after the Christmas holidays.

Mary Walton is now a member of the All-Philadelphia hockey team.

The number of men's fraternity lodges on the campus is increasing. $\Phi \Delta \Phi$ recently laid the foundation for its new building.

DOROTHY W. BROWN

PENNSYLVANIA BETA—BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1896)

Pledge Day—October 15, 1926

Since the writing of the last letter Pennsylvania B has been fortunate in having as visitors both the Beta Province President, Marie Windsor Stebbins and the new Grand Vice President, Emilie Margaret White. Bucknell has been honored, too, in having as guests the debat-

ing team from Oxford, England. The question for debate was "Prohibition."

The rushing season at Bucknell closed October 3, at which time all of Pennsylvania Beta's seventeen bids were accepted. On October 15, the following girls were pledged to $\Pi B \Phi$: Catherine Browne, Virginia Downs, Catherine Hill, Elizabeth Huxley, Marian Izzard, Esther Keim, Evelyn Johnson, Dorothy Levegood, Clara Miles, Betty Mills, Dorothy Patchen, Marian Raber, Margaret Schuyler, Virginia Scully, Sibyl Williams, Eleanor Winslow and Frances Stringer.

The annual college girls' reception to the faculty was held in December this year. Veta Davis was chairman of the reception committee and Betty Haslam of the refreshment committee. Doris Siner was elected to Frill and Frown, girls' dramatic club. Marjorie Bell is secretary of C. E. A., sophomore honorary fraternity, to which Helen Steinhilper, Elizabeth Evans, Rhoda Herr and Barbara Reifsnnyder were elected this year. Constance Zeigler and Barbara Reifsnnyder were initiated into $\Pi M E$, mathematical fraternity. Virginia Downs, a pledge, Betty Sale, and Helen Steinhilper are representing Bucknell Women's College in debating.

BARBARA A. REIFSNYDER

PENNSYLVANIA GAMMA—DICKINSON COLLEGE

(Chartered 1903)

Pledge Day—November 3, 1926

On November 3, Pennsylvania Γ pledged eight fine girls, and entertained them that evening with a cooky-shine. On December 4 a dance was given in their honor, and they were initiated early in the second semester. These girls are already engaged in college activities, three being on the varsity basketball team.

Marie Windsor Stebbins was the guest of the chapter from November 5 to 7, which was Homecoming at Dickinson. As there were so many all-college functions, there was not time for fraternity parties except for dinner Friday evening. Mrs. Stebbins became a loyal Dickinsonian and on Saturday suffered with the college in the defeat by its ancient rival Gettysburg.

The annual Doll Show under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. was held on December 11. The dolls were sent to the prisoners' children in New York City. Other Christmas activities included sending gifts to children in the Tennessee mountains, helping to brighten Christmas for the old ladies in the Lydia Baird Home in Carlisle, a cantata given by the glee club, and the annual Christmas fraternity party. Isabel Ward sent the chapter a brass door knocker as a Christmas gift.

Dickinson-in-China went over more successfully than ever, more than fifteen hundred dollars being raised the first day, under the cap-

able leadership of Rachel Forcey. As plans are being made for Mr. Brewer's furlough more money was needed than usual.

On November 24 $\Pi \Phi$ held her annual fall tea at the home of Mrs. Frank Masland, a patroness. The tea this year was in honor of the new patronesses. It also afforded an opportunity for faculty wives, patronesses, $\Pi \Phi$ mothers, and town alumnae to meet the new pledges.

The chapter cordially invites all alumnae to the annual formal dance which will be held on April 2.

F. FAIRLIE HABBART

PENNSYLVANIA DELTA—UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH
(Chartered 1918)

Pledge Day—March 7, 1927

GRADUATES

Sarah Hannan, B. A., 6544 Darlington Rd., Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sylvia Hannan, B. A., 6544 Darlington Rd., Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Pennsylvania Deltas have returned to the university with renewed energy for the coming year. During the Christmas recess a very successful party and buffet supper was given at the chapter rooms for the mothers of the actives and pledges.

A benefit bridge was given by the active chapter on December 11 at the chapter rooms. A second one was given by the Mothers' Club on Saturday, January 15, the proceeds to be used to buy furniture.

$\Pi B \Phi$ is well represented in campus activities. Jeanne King and Helen Cashdollar are on Mortarboard recognition list. Alice Fehr was chairman of the Student Loan Fund bridge at the University Club, December 4, while Elizabeth Thomson, Jeanne King and Gertrude Swift served on the committee. Helen Cashdollar went to Milwaukee during the holidays as a delegate to the Y. W. C. A. Conference. Gertrude Swift has been appointed business manager for the School of Education on the 1928 *Owl* staff. Bertha Schmid is one of the soloists for the glee club, and Margaret Koch took part in the Y. W. C. A. Christmas pageant.

Pennsylvania Δ has pledged three girls, Isabel Matthews, Sarah West and Margaret Koch and are looking forward to others as a result of the second semester rushing season which opens February 18 and continues until February 26.

The fraternities on the campus have been asked to contribute suggestions for the Cathedral of Learning. It is the wish of Chancellor Bowman that the building be a great inspiration to the student. He hopes to have an organ recital every day. There will be one floor devoted entirely to organizations and each group will have a separate room in which to hold its meetings. The plans are not entirely

definite as yet, but all students of the university are looking forward to the completion of the Cathedral of Learning.

MARGARET E. HOTHAM.

OHIO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OHIO

(Chartered 1889)

Pledge Day—October 4, 1926

On December 10, 11, and 12 Ohio A had the privilege of entertaining Marie Windsor Stebbins, Beta Province President. A rise of chapter enthusiasm marked Mrs. Stebbins' visit. A tea and formal dinner were given by the active chapter in her honor and she was entertained at luncheon by the alumnae advisory board.

December was an especially busy month for the pledges. On December 9 they took part in an inter-fraternity skit show, "The Prep Follies," presenting a clever shadow pantomime. Only six of Ohio's fifteen women's fraternities gained a place on the Prep Follies program, skits being chosen at an earlier try-out for cleverness and originality. As their part in the redecoration of the $\Pi \Phi$ room, the pledges repainted the furniture. In addition, they entertained the active chapter with a tea dance at the Varsity Inn. A plan is on foot among the pledges to entertain all of Ohio's freshman girls at a tea some time in the near future.

Ohio A will take part this year in the annual skit show given by Ohio's women's organizations. Six organizations will take part: two departmental clubs, two honorary organizations and two Greek organizations. $\Pi \Phi$ will present "A Musical Fantasy", a song and dance act in black and white. The skit is original and will be staged entirely by Pi Phis.

The activities committee reports that every activity on the campus lists at least one $\Pi \Phi$ on its membership roll and that every pledge and every active is interested in one or more major activities.

A K Γ , the only local women's fraternity at Ohio University, has been granted a ΦM charter and will be installed soon.

PAULINE SWANSON.

OHIO BETA—OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1894)

Pledge Day—October 8, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated November 4, 1926)

Mary Jane Amrine, '29, 134 Lafayette St., London, Ohio.

Helen Barber, '28, 651 E. 120th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Mabel Brightman, '29, 531 Linwood Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

Lulu Browne, '29, 36 Cook Ave., Columbus, Ohio.
 Mary Louise Burgert, '29, 14319 Coit Rd., Cleveland, Ohio.
 Marcella Dickinson, '29, 660 S. Washington St., Van Wert, Ohio.
 Mary Elizabeth Whaley, '29, 49 Marlborough Rd., Rochester,
 N. Y.

GRADUATES

Louise Asmus, B.A., 61 S. Champion Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

The rushing season this year was most successful for Ohio B. The new pledges are: Betty Asmus, Violet Bogen, Ruth Burgert, Virginia Cartwright, Alice Deeg, Alice Margaret Denton, Mary Evans, Betty Frick, Helen Harbottle, Alice Jeanne Myers, Evelyn Paddock, Julia Roseberry, Helen Brown Russell, Virginia Scott, Margaret Stribling, Katherine Wollam, and Helen Yeley. The pledges gave a tea in November for the pledges of the other fraternities.

After rushing season was over, Ohio B held a formal reception in honor of the new housemother, Mrs. Lelia Mylander. Members of the faculty, other housemothers, and parents of the girls in the chapter were invited.

Betty Frick was elected to Women's Student Council. Betty Asmus is president of the freshman girls, and also a member of the glee club as are Alice Margaret Denton and Ethel Wheeler.

Ruth Riley is a member of the Big Sister Cabinet of which Elizabeth Calkins is president. She was also a committee head for the annual Y. M.-Y. W. mixer and was elected to membership in $\Phi \Gamma \Theta$, honorary home economics fraternity. Helen Barber and Lulu Browne were on the committee for the sophomore football dance.

Betty Lee McCord is vice president of the junior class as well as president of Chimes, the two highest honors for a junior woman on this campus. She is a member of Strollers dramatic society, and also is on the *Makio* staff.

On December 11, the alumnae club, mother's club, and active chapter gave an all-day bazaar at the Neil House to raise money for the house. The bridge party in the afternoon was the largest one ever given in Columbus and the dance in the evening was very popular.

Homecoming Queen election has caused much fun this year. Politics has so controlled these elections recently that the students in the Agriculture College made a strong effort to break up the power of the Law College. They nominated for their candidate, Maudine Ormsby, the prize cow of the university stables, and after a long struggle she was named queen.

Marian Constance Dotson was married to Seth Carl Shank December 8, in Toledo, Ohio.

Louise Asmus, who is graduating this quarter, has announced her engagement to Allen F. Maybee of Columbia University.

ELIZABETH CALKINS.

OHIO DELTA—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

(Chartered October 3, 1925)

Pledge Day—November 15, 1926

Christmas cheer dominated Ohio Wesleyan campus for nearly a week previous to the annual vacation. Christmas parties were held in the dormitory dining rooms. A large Christmas tree was lighted on the campus and appropriate services were made very impressive by the enthusiasm of the student body. There is some talk of making this service an annual affair.

Ohio Δ held a Christmas party for actives and alumnae at the Ginny-Lou tea room. Inexpensive gifts were interchanged.

The chapter was happy to entertain Marie Windsor Stebbins, Beta Province President, December 6, 7, and 8. She came with new ideas and a will to carry them out. A cooky-shine was held December 7.

Ohio Wesleyan won the Buckeye Association football championship for 1926.

Dorothy Briggs is teaching domestic science here. Virginia Dove, '25, and Amy Lou Welch are very prosperous in their new line of work. They own and operate the Ginny-Lou tea room, a new and very much needed addition to Delaware.

Christine and Ruth Raymer are now attending Western Reserve College. Ohio Δ is anxiously awaiting the return of Christine Dailey to O. W. U. next semester. She is now attending the University of Southern California.

Helen Northway, a junior, who studied advanced French abroad last summer has been honored by the presidency of the French Club. Alta Jane Dove has been elected to two important offices on the campus, financial secretary of W. A. A., and judicial secretary of W. S. G. A. Mildred Crawford has been chosen as one of three women to represent Ohio Wesleyan in debate at Washington, Bucknell and West Virginia. Margaret Nicholson was recently elected to the English Writer's Club. Josephine Beebe is the art editor for *Le Bijou* for this year and also was elected to the national art fraternity, $\Delta \Phi \Delta$. Margaret Nicholson and Olive Flanigan have been recently admitted into the Choral Club. Helen Northway is a member of the Singer's Club which furnishes the music for chapel services as well as various concerts.

Ohio Δ gave an informal dance at the Delaware Club, Saturday, January 8.

MARY A. WALBATH.

WEST VIRGINIA ALPHA—WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1918)

Pledge Day—October 13, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated November 22, 1926)

Marie Sturgiss, '29, Morgantown, W. Va.

After three weeks of informal and formal rushing, with its many lovely parties, West Virginia A pledged fourteen splendid girls on October 13; Pauline Barcus, Genevieve Brown, Marguerite Dilworth, Helen Ernst, Lucille Hall, Bertha Haller, Elma Hicks, Virginia Hill, Mary Lindsey, Katherine Sawyer, Mary Shirkey, Willa Bird Tyree, Melba Waters, Margaret Wells. Already they have begun their campus activities; Mary Shirkey was elected as freshman representative on Women's Student Government; Virginia Hill made the junior hockey squad and the girl's rifle team. Marguerite Dilworth made the freshman hockey squad; Helen Ernst is the assistant director of physical education; Elma Hicks is exchange editor on the *Athenaeum* staff, a tri-weekly newspaper; and Lucille Hall is president of one of the freshman Y. W. C. A. interest groups.

On December 12, 13 and 14 West Virginia A had the pleasure of a very inspiring visit from Marie Windsor Stebbins, Beta Province President. Mrs. Stebbins was entertained with a formal tea at the chapter house and a bridge luncheon at the home of an alumnae. The Morgantown alumnae club gave a dinner in her honor at the Morgan Hotel.

The chapter was happy to have Alice Stevenson, Ohio A and a graduate of Ohio University, spend the Thanksgiving holidays here.

The winter formal was held at the chapter house, December 4, with decorations in keeping with the Christmas season.

West Virginia University was fortunate this year, and also proud to have John Wood, of Huntington, W. Va., receive a Rhodes Scholarship to Oxford.

During the Christmas holidays, at their convention, $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ voted to install a chapter at this university.

On this campus $\Pi B \Phi$ is well represented in activities. Betty Leonard and Claire McGinnis were elected sponsors in R. O. T. C. Juanita Hall is vice president of the Methodist Student Council; Jeanette Brown was pledged to R. J., a secret society, and is also a member of the cadet hop committee; Ruth Deffenbaugh is organizations editor on the *Monticola* staff, the year book; Betty Leonard was a representative to the National Student Conference at Milwaukee, Wis. Marian McQueen is the assistant coach of a university play "Enchanted April"; Mildred Waters took the part of Lila Wilson in "The Whole Town's Talking" by Anita Loos, given by the University Dramatic Club, November 24. Thelma Lilly and Jean Haller are helping with a series of teas given for the benefit of the freshman girls; Jean Haller is chairman of the social service committee on the Y. W. C. A. cabinet.

JEAN HALLER.

GAMMA PROVINCE

MARYLAND ALPHA—GOUCHER COLLEGE

(Chartered 1897)

Pledge Day—October 21, 1926

The fall months of college this year have been very full ones for Maryland A. The most outstanding event for the chapter has been a visit, in November, from the Gamma Province Presidence Marian Gilmer. Although she was in Baltimore only two days, the pleasure and inspiration afforded by her stay, will remain with the chapter many months. Miss Gilmer had recently returned from a visit to the Settlement School, and she gave Maryland A a most interesting description of the life and work there. The coming convention was also discussed and all those who possibly can, were urged to attend it.

The Junior play was a decided success, as was the tea-dance, given in the afternoon before the play, for the entire college. Work has now begun on senior dramatics, in which Jeanette Baer and Dorothy Welsh will play the leading parts.

On December 1 the pledges of Maryland A were at home, in the fraternity rooms, to the pledges of every other fraternity at Goucher; and the following Sunday the entire chapter entertained at tea, for the Pi Phi alumnae of Baltimore.

The two weeks immediately preceding the holidays were filled with quizzes, Christmas vespers, the Agora Christmas play, and carol services. On December 13, instead of the customary Monday night meeting and dinner in the fraternity rooms, Maryland A enjoyed a Christmas party, at which Santa Claus was a guest, and the pledges gave a special entertainment.

NARCISSA PENICK.

COLUMBIA ALPHA—GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1889)

Pledge Day—February 21, 1927

INITIATES

(Initiated October 9, 1926)

- Mabel Best, '29, 2827 28th St., Washington, D. C.
 Murial Davis, '29, 731 Otis Place, Washington, D. C.
 Louise DuBose, '29, 2903 Q St., Washington, D. C.
 Philippa Gerry, '29, 2944 Macomb St., Washington, D. C.
 Marcelle LeMenager, '28, Cathedral Mansions, Washington,
 D. C.
 Virginia Ludlow, '29, 1822 H St., Washington, D. C.
 Mary Katherine Lutz, '29, 1812 Monroe St., Washington, D. C.
 Elizabeth McKelvy, '29, 3946 Legation St., Washington, D. C.
 Helen Taylor, '29, 3722 13th St., Washington, D. C.

The annual George Washington university county fair, for the benefit of the Y. W. C. A. was held November 12 in the gymnasium. Each women's fraternity on the campus had a booth from which refreshments or novelties were sold. The $\Pi \Phi$ booth was in the form of a Japanese pagoda from which sandwiches were sold. Dancing was enjoyed during the latter part of the evening.

At the university vodvil show given November 23 and 24, the $\Pi \Phi$ act was chosen as one of the three best acts presented.

Dr. Lowell Ragatz of the history department was awarded the Justin Winsor prize by the American Historical Association at a meeting in New York in December. The prize is the highest in the field of competitive writing offered by the association.

Initiation was held at a $\Pi \Phi$ house party at the Littlepage country home in October, with many of the alumnae present. On October 20, Marjorie Bowman, Ellen Buell and Phoebe Moorhead were pledged.

The rushing period this year at George Washington University is from October 15 until February 18, with the month of January excepted because of mid-year examinations. Soon after rushing began, a representative from each women's fraternity on the campus spoke to the freshmen at a special meeting concerning fraternities, in order to give the new girls a better understanding of fraternity aims and requirements.

Columbia A opened its rushing season with an informal dance, followed by luncheons, two bridge parties, a slumber party, a Christmas party and a baby party. A formal dance will be given in February, and the final party, a luncheon, on February 18.

Marian Gilmer, Gamma Province President, visited the chapter the week before Thanksgiving. A dinner, luncheon, and a tea with a number of university officers and representatives of the women's fraternities present, were given in her honor.

New rules have been made this semester to insure high scholarship. Active chapter girls not making an average of eighty-four for the semester will not be allowed to wear their badges or recognition pins for a period of two months. Pledges who have not met fraternity scholarship requirements may not be repledged until such requirements have been met, and then only by the unanimous vote of the chapter.

In university activities $\Pi \Phi$ is well represented. Annabelle Lloyd is president of the senior class in Teachers College, and is secretary of the dramatic council. Dorothy Latimer is vice president of the senior class in Columbian College. Mildred Thomas is corresponding secretary of the Episcopal Club. Helen Taylor is assistant photographic editor of the university year book, and Marcelle LeMenager is news editor of the weekly publication. Katherine Shoemaker is captain of rifle and Ruth Newburn is manager of debate. Mary K. Lutz and Louise DuBose received varsity letters for hockey.

Two five dollar gold pieces are being raffled off by the chapter girls and pledges for money for the Settlement School.

A Δ Θ has recently installed a new chapter at George Washington University.

BERTHA WILSON

VIRGINIA ALPHA—RANDOLPH-MACON WOMAN'S COLLEGE

(Chartered 1913)

Pledge Day—Indefinite

Rushing closed October 17, leaving Virginia A extremely happy over the following pledges: Helen MacKay, Frances Vogler, Elizabeth Murphy, Mary Miller, Martha Leake, Eliza Hyatt, Virginia Lazenby, Mary Jackson, Louise Long, Louise Smart, and Margaret Hodges.

The chapter made about thirty-five dollars for the Settlement School Fund by selling Christmas cards.

The junior class presented "A Dream" a Russian play, on November 21. Elizabeth Dunaway was one of the cast, and Martha Townsend, Allene MacKay, Audrey Bolinger, and Flax McAllister took part in the dances.

The annual sophomore play was given December 11. Lyla Brown and Lois Leeper took two of the leading parts; Beverly Osborne and Nancy Keith Synder were in the features.

The Debating Council brought the Oxford Debaters to Randolph-Macon on December 17. The "Free Trade Question" was the subject for debate. Randolph-Macon debated the negative side and won.

The chapter gave a shower for the house before leaving for the holidays. The shower was followed by a Π Φ supper—which ended with vows to make the coming year an unusually good one.

ELIZABETH DUNAWAY

VIRGINIA BETA—HOLLINS COLLEGE

(Chartered June 1, 1917)

Pledge Day—September 27, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated December 15, 1926)

Margaret Bowles.

Harriet Bates.

Elsie Griffin.

Anne McNulty.

Mary Louise Mayo.

One of the pleasant aspects of second year bidding became apparent as Virginia B swung in to the new term with her delegation of sophomores quite literally her "friends tried and true." The pledges

have been from the first definitely a part of the active chapter; there seems to have been no period of restraint or strangeness, and in every way their interest, cooperation and the consciousness of their new affiliations have been an inspiration and encouragement to the chapter.

Until Thanksgiving, Hollins' major interest is hockey, the fall sport. Virginia B was well represented on the teams this year, from Frank Long as captain of the seniors to the whole back-line defense on the sophomore team! The inter-class games were November 9 and 11 and Captain Frank led her team to victory. The biggest game, between the Odds (the classes of 1927-1929), and Evens (the classes 1928-1930), was on the day before Thanksgiving this year instead of on the holiday itself, for the administration has felt for some time that the day is overcrowded, and tends to become a burden instead of a pleasure, with its strenuous program. The battle was an exciting one; the score a thrilling but unsatisfactory tie, 2-2.

Hockey training is officially broken only once, on the play-day of the college. On what is deemed "an ideal October day" the whole college community, young and old, faculty and students, hike to the top of Tinker Mountain for an elaborate picnic and class stunts. This year the day fell on October 23, a perfect day. The seniors with Frank Long as their president were hostesses; they served the luncheon, kept track of the wanderers and engineered the stunts.

On November 18, Helen Bruce, vice president of the Hollins Dramatic Association left for the Intercollegiate Dramatic Association's Conference at Elmira College, Elmira, N. Y. While she was gone, the fall productions, this year three one-act plays, were given. Hollins has the unusual advantage of having as a coach and instructor in modern drama, Miss Lillith Lidseen, the manager of Wellesley's Semi-Centennial Pageant, which was given in her senior year, 1925. The Dramatic Association at Hollins is making every effort to benefit from her advice, and the three plays were decidedly superior, from a production standpoint, to any given at Hollins for some time. Elizabeth Owens and Elizabeth Hatcher were in a delicate fantasy called "Pierrot of the Minute." The Christmas pageant turned aside from tradition and was held in the Little Theatre, so that the best of lighting and costuming effects might be obtained. The college was decidedly appreciative and the dramatic board feels more than repaid. Virginia B has five members on the dramatic board, and Frank Long has recently completed a three-act play, acclaimed one of the finest pieces of creative work ever accomplished here.

Thanksgiving Day was, as always, a charming "home day" with an address in the morning by Dr. Lacy, of the Union Theological Seminary and the hockey banquet at night, with its riot of color and song, and the awarding of athletic honors. This year many families came to join in the festivities.

Throughout the year Hollins has enjoyed many concerts, notably

among them the Russian Cossack Choir, Rudolph Reuter, pianist, and Jean MacDonald, soprano. On January 10, Madge Kennedy and Sydney Blackmere, with the original New York cast, appeared in "Love in a Mist" under the auspices of the Triangle Chapter of the Hollins alumnae.

For intimate news of Virginia B herself, it seemed as though initiation would never come, but finally the grades of the examinations were returned and initiation was held December 15. This year the girls are trying to pull the scholarship even higher and have instituted a study hall for all those who seek quiet, and for the benefit of those who are a little under average in any of their work.

On November 11 Marian Gilmer, Gamma Province President, arrived for an all-too-brief visit. As always she brought new encouragement, new incentive, fresh inspiration. Her talks on convention were especially popular and a goodly number hope to travel westward for it.

MARJORIE FORT

VIRGINIA GAMMA—COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY

(Chartered June 25, 1925)

Pledge Day—October 31, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated September 25, 1926)

Julia Duncan, 1145 North First St., St. Petersburg, Fla.

Christine Henderson, '28, Williamsburg, Va.

May Laudenslager, '29, 725 North Eighth St., Allentown, Pa.

Lucille Parker, '29, 1209 Roanoke St., S. W., Roanoke, Va.

Irene Schoner '29, 705 Clifton Ave., Newark, N. J.

J. Elizabeth Smith, '28, 238 West Washington St., Suffolk, Va.

Virginia Gamma celebrated the first anniversary of her installation by holding initiation and a cooky-shine on Saturday, September 25,

With the opening of a new college year, came new thoughts of rushing. Every effort on the part of each Virginia Gamma was put forth to win for $\Pi B \Phi$ those girls who are truly worthy of $\Pi \Phi$. As a result eight bids were sent out and eight bids were accepted on October 31. The new promises were: Suzanne Wheeler, DeWitt, Iowa; Virginia Smith, Capron, Va.; Julia Leach, Richmond, Va.; Helen Smith, South Hill, Va.; Lucy Pilcher, Petersburg, Va.; Harriet Smith, Ashland Va.; Frances Griffin, Norfolk, Va.; Anne Garrett, Danville, Va. Two girls were bid after the close of rushing season. They were: Thelma Kite, Culpepper, Va.; and Virginia Paul, Springlake, N. J.

The real $\Pi \Phi$ enthusiasm is shown by the actions of the pledges. On Thursday after bid day, the promises entertained the promises of the other fraternities on the campus at a tea. This was an excellent way for the new girls to become acquainted. During rushing season, the chapter gave a very effective manless dance for the rushees. It

proved to be very good to afford amusement where no money can be spent. All Pi Phis came as men.

Local Panhellenic requires a promise to make an 80 average to be pledged and a general average of 83 with no failures for initiation at the end of the semester. Pledging was held on November 18 for Suzanne Wheeler, DeWitt, Iowa; Virginia Smith, Capron, Va.; Thelma Kite, Culpepper, Va.; Lucy Pilcher, Petersburg, Va.; Harriet Smith, Ashland, Va.; Frances Griffin, Norfolk, Va., and on November 23, Julia Leach of Richmond, Va. was pledged. Virginia Γ thus has the largest number of girls pledged on the campus in comparison with other fraternities.

The chapter is especially fortunate to have as a member Merrill Miller, a cousin of the first of Virginia Γ affiliate, Grace Miller. Merrill's enthusiasm and willingness to help have aided the chapter a great deal.

Virginia Γ has had several visits from officers and national advisors. Grace Harris, Columbia A made a visit of several days during rushing. Her suggestions were very valuable to the girls. Adelaide Rothert and Mary Williams, alumnae advisors were here recently and Marian Gilmer, Gamma Province President was with the chapter November 21 and 22.

Social life for the past three months included a number of teas and parties. $X \Omega$, as well as the local $A B X$ entertained $\Pi B \Phi$ at tea. Mrs. Bozarth, one of the patronesses, gave a party for the girls at the beginning of the year. Having the house has enabled the girls to entertain visitors much better.

The rushing banquet was held on Monday, October 25, at the Tea Room. The pirate scheme was carried out through toasts, favors, and place cards. Between courses stunts were given, one of which was a pirate play, originally written by Columbia A. A number of the chapter alumnae attended the banquet.

William and Mary College is growing each day. Work has been started on the new Science Hall and both the girls' and boys' new dormitories.

The dedication of the $\Phi B K$ Memorial Hall on November 27 was one of the most outstanding events in Williamsburg this semester. An elaborate program was arranged and many distinguished visitors were present. Mae D. Muir was among the initiates at the dedication.

The Y. W. C. A. presented a Christmas pageant on December 18 in which May Laudenslager, Grace Miller, Lois Sykes and Marguerite Young took part.

J. ELIZABETH SMITH

NORTH CAROLINA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA
(Chartered 1923)

Pledge Day—October 14, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated November 10, 1926)

Miriam Allen Baggett, Lillington, N. C.

North Carolina A is in the midst of registration and preparation for the new quarter.

When the Carolina Playmakers went on their regular two-weeks tour for the fall quarter with Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer," Margaret Ellis, North Carolina A, and two pledges, Lenore McFadden and Mary Margaret Wray, played important roles.

North Carolina A gave a dance for the benefit of the Settlement School on December 11.

Initiation is planned for January 15 and the North Carolina alumnae club plans to hold its regular meeting the same day, so that a large number of alumnae will be present at initiation.

The names of Ellen Melick and Rosalie Thrall appear on the Honor Roll for the fall quarter. Four pledges also made the Honor Roll: Margaret Bland, Katherine Johnson, Virginia Lay, and Mary Margaret Wray.

ROSALIE THRALL

FLORIDA ALPHA—JOHN B. STETSON UNIVERSITY
(Chartered 1913)

Pledge Day—December 20, 1926

Panhellenic Council instituted a new system of deferred rushing at Stetson this year. During the first three months of the school year there was no rushing by fraternity members. On December 10 the strenuous ten-day open rushing season began. Florida A entertained the rushees at a formal progressive dinner party, and an informal pirate party in the chapter room. Only those girls who had made the Panhellenic scholastic average could be bid on Pledge Day. Florida A pledged ten attractive girls: Virginia Bean, Mary Jane Brown, Baasha Callahan, Aileen Eustice, Ruth Foard, Catherine Martin, Margaret Morrison, Clara Louise Robertson, Virginia Root and Laura Whelan. The chapter feels that they were exceptionally successful in pledging these girls.

It was Florida Alpha's great pleasure to have with them the Gamma Province President, Marian Gilmer, for a short visit the last of November. Miss Gilmer brought a message of unusual inspiration to the chapter.

On December 3 the chapter gave their annual Christmas bazaar in the parlors of Chaudoin Hall. It was a very attractive and success-

ful event. The proceeds will be divided between the Settlement School and the house fund.

After much planning and anticipating $\Pi B \Phi$ now has a lovely new suite of wicker furniture in her chapter room. Pledges of money by the active members and a benefit movie early in the fall made this purchase possible. With the addition of several new lamps the room will be very suitably decorated.

The Chamber of Commerce of De Land, assisted by the university glee clubs, has arranged for a notable artists series to be given in the university auditorium this winter. Mary Lewis, Ruth St. Dennis and Reinald Werrenrath are among the famous artists who will appear.

The College of Dramatic Art has given several most successful plays in De Land. Myrtle Franklin played the leading role in the "Beau of Bath" and "Happiness". Barbara Hines painted all the scenery used in "Wappin' Wharf". She has been pledged to $\Theta A \Phi$, honorary dramatic fraternity. Myrtle Franklin is a pledge to ΦB , musical fraternity.

Florida Alpha's pledges are taking a leading part in the university activities. Clara Louise Robertson, Virginia Bean and Margaret Morrison are members of the glee club, and pledges to ΦB , musical fraternity. Baasha Callahan played an important part in "Dulcy". Laura Whelan is chairman of the Freshman Commission of Y. W. C. A.

After several successful appearances in De Land the university orchestra is planning a tour to several of the important cities of the state. Their program was one of the features of the Baptist state convention at Lake City. Aline Link and Virginia Crooker, actives, and Miriam Munn Faulkner and Mary Markey, alumnae of Florida A, are members of the orchestra.

In the contest recently held at Stetson, Martha Pratt was elected the most popular girl, Myrtle Franklin, the most beautiful girl, and Evelyn Hodges the most collegiate girl in the university.

The chapter is pleased to have Lois Faber, New York Δ affiliate this winter.

Florida A is arranging a series of bridge parties and dances to be given during the season for the benefit of the house fund. Several of the active girls are making plans to attend the convention at Breezy Point Lodge.

CHARLOTTE FARRINGTON.

FLORIDA BETA—FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
(Chartered 1921)

Pledge Day—September 27, 1926

Florida State College for Women opened January 4, after a Christmas vacation of two weeks. Florida B wishes to congratulate Florida A on her very successful pledge day December 20.

Π Φ is indeed fortunate this year in having Dorothy Blackmar, Kansas A, instructor in modern languages, Gladys Franklin, Arkansas A, and Myra Burr, Florida B, instructors in physical education, as members of the faculty at Florida State.

Florentine Holmes has been tapped for Student Government Commission and has also been appointed chairman of May day breakfast. Mary Bullard and Doris Latimer, pledges, made social clubs of prominence on the campus.

Florida B entertained at a tea in honor of the Oxford-Florida debaters who held their debate at Florida State.

As the end of the year drew near bringing with it a great number of activities it became possible for many of the girls to participate. The Evens were winners in the Even-Odd basketball game this fall with a score of 33 as against that of 25. Nell Gardner, Florentine Holmes, Sara Gunn, Adah Hebb and Betty Larzelere took part in the Odd demonstration.

Doris Latimer was a maid in the Ceremony of Fealty which expresses the bond existing between the junior and freshman classes. Dorothy Grumbles played the part of Knight in this ceremony.

Florida B was at home to her friends during Marian Gilmer's visit in honor of Miss Gilmer and Mrs. May Griffith. While at Florida State Miss Gilmer offered very helpful, constructive criticisms and assisted in plans for the remainder of the school year. Development along scholastic lines and a broader national viewpoint were stressed.

Dorothy Grumbles was one of six delegates sent from Florida State to the National Student Conference at Milwaukee, Wis., which met during the Christmas holidays.

On December 16, the chapter held its annual Christmas party, each member having as a guest another fraternity or a non-fraternity girl. On this occasion the pledges sang their original songs.

Florida B is looking forward to a visit from Emilie Margaret White, grand vice president, in February.

HELEN KENNEDY

DELTA PROVINCE

MICHIGAN ALPHA—HILLSDALE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1887)

Pledge Day—October 25, 1926

After a short but strenuous rushing season, Michigan A pledged eleven girls, among them three Π Φ sisters and one daughter. They are Delcie Knapp, Natalie Godfrey, Troas May, Helen Tyler, Ruth Wheatley, Alice Thomas, Marian Wood, Theo. Kemper, Barbara Brown, Berenice Bishop and Berenice Lorber.

Many improvements are being made on Hillsdale's campus. The new women's dormitory is nearly finished and it is expected that the field house will be completed in time to play the home basket ball games there. Both K K Γ and X Ω have plans for new houses, which will be started soon.

Two cups were awarded at the annual foot-ball banquet, to the men's and women's organization which showed the most loyalty and support to the team during the foot-ball season. Π B Φ was awarded the women's cup.

A drive to raise funds for the "Y" organizations has recently been put on here. The goal was set at \$1200 but over \$1500 was actually raised. Eliza Cowan was one of the leaders of this movement and five other Pi Phis helped on the committees. Eliza also attended the Student Conference held at Milwaukee during Christmas vacation. At the National Student Conference held in Ann Arbor, Martha Meighan as secretary of the Student Council was the only woman delegate from this college.

At the annual banquet of the Honor Society, two Pi Phis were initiated.

Among the recent social activities was a shower for Joyce Godfrey at the house. All the alumnae and patronesses were present. Joyce was married on December 18 to Arthur Chafer, A T Ω. Mrs. A. D. Stock, Jr., has accepted an invitation to become a patroness of Michigan A.

Initiation was held on February 19. The chapter party was a fancy dress affair this year given January 15.

JESSE TYLER.

MICHIGAN BETA—UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
(Chartered 1888)

Pledge Day—October 3, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated December 6, 1926)

Jessica Nixon, '27, 219 Monterey Ave., Highland Park, Mich.

Fern Schott, '29, 108 South Wilson Blvd., Mt. Clemens, Mich.

After a very successful rushing season Michigan B received the following pledges: Eloise Avery, Margaret Cramton, Dorothy Dart, Elizabeth De Vol, Katherine Frohne, Maybelle Gulick, Virginia Losee, Esther Pryor, Rachael Robbins, Flora Sutcliffe, Natalie Vincenti and Lois Woodruff.

The Sunday morning convocations, under the auspices of the university, at which famous men from all over the country speak, have proved very successful. One of these speakers, Albert Parker Fitch, from Carleton College was the guest at the Π Φ house for Sunday din-

ner, after which he led a very lively discussion on the topic of co-education.

The first social event of the semester was a Hallowe'en party given by the pledges for the actives with fortune telling in a dark, spooky room as the chief feature. Then on Sunday, November 21, an alumnae-active discussion group met and several people spoke on the I B Φ Settlement School. The Ann Arbor alumnae association gave a party for the sophomore class on November 28.

The faculty reception held on December 8 was well attended and enjoyed by everyone.

So far the greatest undertaking of the chapter has been the running of the tea room at the Women's League Bazaar, when a total of \$237 was netted. The Sophomore Circus was given in connection with the bazaar and Nataline Vincenti was on the central committee.

Frances O'Brien, Edwina Hogadone and Helen Warner were in Masque's play, "Sister Beatrice" which was given December 14 and 15.

The Pi Phis did well in hockey and were runners-up in the intramural tournament. Helen Searight, Eleanor Verdier, Gertrude Glick and Jessica Nixon were on the senior class hockey team. Virginia Losee won first place in the all-campus swimming meet.

Pi Phis hold the following offices on the campus: Florence Wertel, vice president of the junior class; Betty Bruce Van Antwerp, vice president of the sophomore class; Rachael Robbins, secretary of the freshman class; and Marian Welles, vice president of $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ and chairman of costumes for the junior girl's play.

Marian Welles was the official delegate from the university to the National Student Federation of America which met in Ann Arbor December 2-4. And to the National Student Conference of three thousand students at Milwaukee, Wis., from December 28 to January 1, Marian Welles and Alice Callender were delegates from this university.

ALICE CALLENDER.

INDIANA ALPHA—FRANKLIN COLLEGE

(Chartered 1888)

Pledge Day—September 25, 1926

Indiana A returned to college January 5, after a two weeks' vacation, with renewed enthusiasm. A visit from Lois Wilkinson Christian, Province President, to the chapter's thirty-ninth birthday party on January 18, and after examinations, a visit from the Grand President, gave the new year a special meaning and impetus.

In the debate tryouts held before the holidays, Mary Meloy, Jr., was the only girl selected for the varsity debating team. Three pledges, Henrietta Miller, Ruth Ritz, and Margaret Good were initiated into W. A. A. Ruth Burton is in charge of a committee for making arrange-

ments for the W. A. A. Circus, an all-college carnival, on February 18. Alicemae McPherson, Gertrude Deer and Barbara Douglas had parts in the production of "The Scarecrow" sponsored by $\Theta A \Phi$.

One of the most interesting social events of the year was the tea in honor of Miss Petersen, dean of women, and Mrs. Hannaman, house mother. A Hallowe'en party given October 30, at an old deserted school-house in the country was most successful and the Christmas dinner given by the girls in the house was also a happy occasion. The tea dance on December 18 at the Kiwanis Club rooms in honor of all the girls in the college was very successful. The chapter house was never so gay, however, as at the annual kid party when the box for the Settlement School was packed.

In carrying out the program for "Bigger Franklin" which was started by Dr. C. E. Goodell during his nine years as president of the institution, Dr. P. L. Powell has been most successful and work has already been started on a \$200,000 science building which is to be located in the new addition east of the campus. Dr. Powell is dean of men, but is acting as president until the final appointment for that office is made.

Franklin College lost one of its most ardent supporters and illustrious alumni in the death of Dr. Columbus H. Hall, who died suddenly October 25. He was for thirty-seven years professor of Greek at Franklin College, being retired in 1912 on retirement provisions with the Carnegie Foundation. Five daughters and one granddaughter of Professor Hall are members of $\Pi B \Phi$.

MARIAN J. COY.

INDIANA BETA—INDIANA UNIVERSITY (Chartered 1893)

Indiana B stood third in scholarship last semester among the organizations. The chapter hopes to obtain the cup this semester. Elizabeth Squires was elected to $\Phi B K$ this fall. This is a high honor, but to be elected to it in the fall is a still greater honor, for the average must be higher.

The freshmen have made the chapter especially proud of them this year. Several of the girls made the glee club, and it is most interesting to note how these girls have gone ahead and formed a concert group. They give programs on Sunday afternoons at the new Memorial Hall, besides entertaining the alumnae club. Melissa Jane Cornelius deserves much of the credit for encouraging and directing their efforts. Melissa travels with Professor Geiger of the music school to illustrate his lectures with vocal numbers. She studied abroad several years ago.

The Garrick Club Vaudeville is scheduled for January 6 and 7.

Nancy Hurd has a comedy part in it, and Hazel Schele and Luile Means are also in this production. The Garrick Club play, "The First Year" was given before the holidays, and Hazel Schele took a leading part. Katherine Becker was chairman of the Garrick Club dance.

A number of the more athletically inclined girls are out for honors in swimming and basketball, the end of the season to bring final selection for the teams. Last fall when soccer and hockey teams were selected, Ellen Helton and Ruth Hannan were chosen.

Ellen Helton is also one of the sophomore managers on the board of the *Arbutus*, university year book.

The $\Phi \Omega \Pi$ women's fraternity is building a new home between the $\Pi \Phi$ house and the $K K \Gamma$ house. It is Italian style of brick and stucco combination with colored tile roofing.

The holiday vacation was filled with campaigning for the university's demand from the January legislature of \$1,500,000. Every student was listed in the work, so everyone is heartily interested in the outcome. This money is needed for a new building campaign, a readjustment of salaries for professors, and a more extensive equipment in all departments.

The chapter entertained the deans of the school at the annual Christmas dinner, and the freshmen gave a party for the upperclassmen.

ADELYN ARMITAGE.

INDIANA GAMMA—BUTLER UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1877)

Pledge Day—Undecided

INITIATES

(Initiated October 15, 1926)

- Janice Barnard, '29, 4328 Park Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Janet Carr, '29, 520 N. Audubon Rd., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Dorothy Carroll, '27, 2420 N. Meridian St., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Mary Clerkin, '29, Greensburg, Ind.
 Wilma Dunkle, '29, 3602 Carrollton Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Kathryn Hedrick, '29, 615 E. 53rd St., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Elizabeth Moschenross, '29, 46 S. Hawthorne Lane, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Ruth Omelvena, '29, 56th and Kessler Blvd., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Dorothy Pier, '29, 3305 Ruckle St., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Emma Louise Reeves, '29, Mooresville, Ind.
 Monzelle Skelton, '29, 3767 Central Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Margaret Thompson, '29, 3357 Kenwood St., Indianapolis, Ind.
 Dortha Weaver, '29, 308 Layman Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Indiana Γ has had an exceedingly successful fall semester. The girls

have extended their best efforts to maintain high standards on the campus and to make $\Pi B \Phi$ ideals felt in campus life.

Annual Homecoming Day was October 16, when a great number of alumnae returned for the football game. A luncheon was held at the chapter house for the $\Pi \Phi$ alumnae. Second place was awarded the $\Pi \Phi$ house in the best decorated house contest.

At the Dad's Day luncheon, October 30, the chapter was presented with a beautiful tapestried couch by the fathers of the girls.

The actives entertained the pledges with an informal dance November 20 at the Lincoln hotel. On the following day the annual Thanksgiving open house was held in the chapter house formally presenting the pledges to the faculty and students of the university.

On December 17 a tea was given in honor of Mrs. Richardson, the chapter's ally. This year each woman's fraternity has been given a faculty supervisor or ally to advise them and to bring them into closer contact with the faculty.

The Indianapolis Alumnae Club met with the active chapter at the chapter house December 18. The pledges entertained with a vaudeville stunt.

At the monthly Mothers' Club meeting before Christmas vacation, the mothers gave the house nine beautiful silk pillows as their Christmas gift.

The annual Christmas formal was held December 20 at the Marott hotel.

The Melting Pot Bazaar and dance, sponsored by the university women, was held before Christmas vacation. Over \$500 was made which goes to help build the women's building at new Butler.

Indiana Γ is very proud of the activity list of the girls. Dorothy Pier was elected vice president of the sophomore class, and also president of Scarf Club, a freshman honorary organization sponsored by sophomore girls. Evelyn Forsythe was elected secretary of the junior class, and is also art editor of the year book. Helena Sieloff was elected secretary of the senior class. Jeannette Sheehe was appointed associate editor of the year book. Jeanne Bouslog is president of Biology Club. Elizabeth Moschenross is president of Pen and Pencil, a writers' honorary organization, and is also vice president of Rido, a dramatic club. Kathryn Hedrick had a part in "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh", a play given by the National Collegiate Players. Mary Clerkin was taken into Pen and Pencil, Emma Louise Reeves into $\Phi \Delta \Phi$, and Ruth Muhlitz into Scarf Club. Dorothy Carroll is associate editor of the *Collegian*, the university's daily paper. Kathryn Reagan is on the junior prom committee, Jeanne Bouslog is on the senior ball committee, and Billie Mae Kreider is on the senior garb committee.

IRMA CROWE.

INDIANA DELTA—PURDUE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1920)

Pledge Day—September 15, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated November 17, 1926)

Alice Cheadle, 501 North Columbia St., Frankfort, Ind.
 Ruth Edgerton, 231 Chauncey Ave., West Lafayette, Ind.
 Pauline Herrigan, Linden, Ind.
 Sara Martha Powell, 3234 Park Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Indiana Δ welcomed four new Pi Phis into the fold on November 17. The initiation ceremony was followed by a banquet at the chapter house.

On November 29, Purdue had the honor of having Mortarboard installed on the campus. Indiana Δ entertained the grand president, Mrs. Fred Hammond, Mo. B, who came to install the chapter. Mary Zimmer, Rhea Walker, and Ruth Robertson were initiated at this time. The installation program included a formal tea honoring Mrs. Hammond and a formal banquet. Mary Zimmer is president of the chapter and Rhea Walker is historian. Dean Carolyn Shomaker was made an honorary member.

Indiana Δ has been doing her utmost to help her pledges get acquainted with other students. With this in view, Sunday afternoon open house has been held regularly and several fraternities are invited each week. This practice seems to create a splendid feeling of fellowship.

With final examinations approaching, social events are rather at an ebb. $\Sigma \Delta X$, journalistic fraternity, gave a very realistic pirate dance, the proceeds of which are used to send the freshman football squad on one out-of-town trip.

The $\Pi \Phi$ mothers' club and the Indiana Δ alumnae club sponsored a rummage sale that netted over \$95.00. The use of a vacant store-room was permitted and many donations from friends of the chapter were received. The money is to be turned over to buying furniture for the house.

Another interesting project of the chapter has been its participation in a drive for the Home Hospital in Lafayette. Indiana Δ subscribed \$1200 for a room which is to bear a bronze plate with the chapter's name on it. Indiana Δ is the first group on the campus to take an interest in this movement.

Pi Phis have been very active in sports this fall. Pauline Herrigan and Bobbie Cheadle are on the freshman soccer team; Bobbie is also manager of it. Catherine Driscoll is on the sophomore and varsity soccer teams. Esther Hungate, Helen Bahlman, Rhea Walker, Ruth Guinn, and Edith Fleischer are on the senior basket ball team. Delma Casady and Esther Hungate are on the senior fencing team. Avis Moss, Eliz-

abeth Moore, Josephine Diggins, and Esther Hungate are on the varsity rifle team. When Purdue entertained the Dads, Virginia Cummings was leading lady in a play given for their entertainment.

MARY H. ZIMMER.

KENTUCKY ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE

(Chartered October 9, 1925)

Pledge Day—October 2, 1926

The plans for the new arrangement of the University of Louisville campus have been completed and the new administration building is well under way. The plans promise to compare favorably with the most beautiful universities, and everyone, although sorry to see the old buildings go, will be proud to claim the new ones.

Kentucky A announces the pledging of Mary Reuter Gates.

A new dramatic society has been formed to petition I M F. Kentucky A claims six of the twenty members, and three offices, namely: Virginia Watts, president; Margaret Chambers, corresponding secretary; and Helen Anderson, treasurer.

Lael Tucker was elected president of X Δ Φ, women's literary fraternity and Margaret Chambers secretary of the X Σ Δ literary society. Gladys Friend was elected treasurer of the senior class, Helen Anderson secretary of the junior class, and Frances Lee Day, vice president of the sophomore class.

"The Devil's Disciple" by Shaw was given in the University of Louisville Playhouse recently. Mary Reuter Gates had the leading role, and Helen Anderson an important part. Four Kentucky Alphas were on "props"—Madge Hauger, Helen Nold, Josephine Warner, and Mary Agnes Shay. Mildred Allen was wardrobe mistress with Elizabeth Trawick as her assistant; and Betty Wooden was one of the ushers. Katherine Twyman was given an important role in the next play, "I'll Leave it to You."

Virginia Watts was elected by the student body as Maid-of-Honor to the Queen of Homecoming day.

Kentucky A entertained the football team with a tea dance on November 14. On the afternoon of December 4, the annual faculty tea was given at the I Φ House. The alumnae club entertained the active chapter with a cooky-shine. In the midst of the fun, they presented a set of silver as their Christmas present to the house. The annual active Christmas party was a luncheon at Frances Lee Day's home during the holidays.

MARGARET CHAMBERS.

TENNESSEE ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF CHATTANOOGA
(Chartered 1923)

Pledge Day—October 2, 1926

In retrospect, it is seen that Tennessee A has been active in the various phases of college life during the past semester.

Π B Φ is represented by two student body officers, Josephine Blocker, secretary and Courtney Jones, pianist.

Miriam Elberfeld is associate editor and Dorothy Latimer assembling editor on the *Annual* board staff. Josephine Blocker and Marjorie McLeod are on the literary staff, and Nan Elberfeld on the athletic staff.

On the college paper, *The Echo*, Mary Frances McGhee is exchange editor and Mildred Johnson alumni editor. Miriam Elberfeld and Mary Young are on the contributing staff.

Rebecca Shackelford, Courtney Jones, Nan, Edith and Miriam Elberfeld are on the varsity basketball team.

The music department is going to produce the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "Patience," on January 29. Dorothy Wilbur is the accompanist and Nan Elberfeld is ticket chairman. Elizabeth Fox, Emily Hall, Josephine Blocker, Courtney and Marian Jones, Katherine Wilkey, Alya Dean Smith, and Mary Young are in the chorus. Margaret Battle, Ella Frances Hargrove, Dorothy Wilbur, and Alya Dean Smith are in the ballet.

In spite of the many extra-curricular activities Π Φ upheld their scholarship record, and ranked first in the mid-term averages.

On December 4 the pledges entertained the active chapter. The wedding of Miss Ima Pledge to Π B Φ was admirably performed by the pledges. The clever ceremony was written by Marian Jones. The wedding party was concluded with the conventional supper and a dance at the Π Φ house.

Tennessee A had a pleasant visit with Joy Hall, Iowa A, who stopped in Chattanooga on her way to Florida.

The university had a most successful football season. The people became so enthusiastic in support of the team as to raise money for a new stadium.

Everyone talks Convention these days, and some hopeful ones have even started to save their money. If wishes were horses you would see Tennessee A come galloping to Minnesota next June.

MARY YOUNG.

EPSILON PROVINCE

MINNESOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
(Chartered 1890)

Pledge Day—October 2, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 19, 1926)

Phyllis Ells, '29, 2085 Lincoln Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Lucille Friedl, '29, Gibbon, Minn.

Louise Jones, '29, 1414 W. 26th St., Minneapolis, Minn.

(Initiated December 18, 1926)

Marajane Warren, '29, 3016 Knox Ave., S. Minneapolis, Minn.

Minnesota A was most successful in rushing last fall and pledged a few days after the last chapter letter was sent in, twenty-one girls who have since then proved their worth.

Elizabeth Jane Cargill and Roxanne Thomas, both freshmen, were elected to Minnesota Masquers, and Catherine Benton, Margaret Fiske, and Helen Leitz made the freshman commission. Mildred Syverson was elected president of Bib and Tucker, freshman girls' organization. $\Pi\Phi$ is represented in Pinafore, sophomore girls' organization, by Virginia Niess, president, and Marion Pierson, treasurer. Virginia is also secretary of the academic sophomores, and Marion was elected president of the newly-formed Geneva Club.

There were the usual number of drives on the campus last quarter, including a subscription drive for the *Gopher*, the junior annual, and the Homecoming button sale. $\Pi\Phi$, represented by Phyllis Ells and her committee of Lucille Friedl, Louise Jones, Marajane Warren, Dorothy Hummel, Faith Patterson, and Gladys Paulson won first place in each drive. Della Merchant brings added distinction to $\Pi\Phi$ in her position of women's editor on the *Gopher*. Elizabeth Leach was taken into the Aquatic League, of which two other Pi Phis are members.

Virginia Niess and Harriet Ellis took two leading parts in the one large Masquer production of the quarter, "Adam and Eva."

Charlotte Winget, member of the all university council and chairman of the steering committee and traditions committee, had charge of a Thanksgiving dinner for the out-of-town girls.

Minnesota A was pleased to have Josephine Hartzell of Oregon B with her for a short while.

The Mother's Club is always much appreciated, but it was even more so after a surprise shower when the mothers gave numerous small gifts to the chapter house, via a fishing pond. Doughnuts and cider were served for refreshments.

The chapter was especially fortunate in the visits of Margaretta Fenn, Province President, who always leaves a new spirit in the chap-

ter after her visits; and Amy B. Onken, though it was but for a scant hour. Minnesota A is looking forward to, and making plans for having Convention in Epsilon Province.

ELIZABETH LEACH.

WISCONSIN ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN
(Chartered 1894)

Pledge Day—September 26, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 7, 1926)

Elizabeth Albrecht, 676 Irving Park Blvd., Chicago, Ill.
Ruth Allen, 9431 Longwood Drive, Chicago, Ill.
Ruth McCombs, 600 Center Ave., Lake Bluff, Ill.
Charlotte Williams, 1018 Cass St., LaCrosse, Wis.

The annual Y. W. C. A. bazaar was held in Lathrop Hall early in December. Laura Barrett was chairman of the decoration committee and decided upon an Indian motif. The hall typified an Indian trading post, O-Kum-in-and-Buy, with furs, blankets, wigwams, squaws telling fortunes, and Indian chiefs to give an effective atmosphere. One of the most picturesque booths was under the direction of Charlotte Hollaeger with a marvelous collection of pottery, baskets, trays, beads, dolls, rattles and knicknacks which had been made by Indians in Arkansas.

To meet the football team and to fittingly close the 1926 season, President and Mrs. Glenn Frank entertained at a formal dinner dance just before the Christmas holidays. The more than seventy guests included Coach George Little and his wife, the members of the team and their guests, among whom were, Elizabeth Milne, Helen Metcalf, Dorothy Atkinson, Betty Saxton, Cathryn Chesley, Betty James, and Jessica Murphy. Corsages of straw were given to the girls as favors from Mrs. Frank.

President Frank presented an engraved penknife to Captain Doyle Harmon in appreciation of his splendid leadership.

The $\Pi B \Phi$ house with several girls in each window was photographed as a background for the Men's Glee Club picture which is to appear in the 1927 *Badger*, the idea being to represent the club serenading. The glee club is to make a tour of the leading European cities next summer.

This fall has seen the development of a keen spirit of rivalry in intra-mural events. Panhellenic has been sponsoring athletic tournaments with the cooperation of W. A. A. Wisconsin A won a silver cup in the volley ball tournament and played in the basketball contest. Points were awarded for first, second, and third places, and a large cup is to be presented at the close of the season to the leading group.

Bowling, horse-back riding, and other sports will come in for their full quota of importance.

Wisconsin A is very proud of Cathryn Chesley who was elected vice president of the sophomore class of Betty Saxton who has the position of division chief on this year's *Badger* staff, and of Betty James who is on the *Badger* circulation staff. Ruth McCombs and Edith Hitchner have been elected members of the Women's Glee Club. Katherine Morrissey is in Wisconsin Players, and Jane Gaston made $\Phi K \Phi$. The chapter was very happy this fall to affiliate Winifred Smith of Colorado B.

ROSALIE MURPHY

WISCONSIN BETA—BELOIT COLLEGE

(Chartered 1919)

Pledge Day—September 28, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated December 9, 1926)

Janet T. Brown, Riverside, Ill.

Agnes Jostad, West Salem, Wis.

Wisconsin B initiated these two pledges at the chapter house just before the Christmas vacation. The initiation ceremony was followed by an informal dinner at the house.

In October, Margaretta Fenn, Epsilon Province President, visited Wisconsin B. She made many helpful suggestions in regard to chapter matters and talked about Convention. The chapter is very enthusiastic over it and many are planning to attend.

Throughout the year, with the splendid help of the pledges, the chapter has made quite a considerable amount of money for the piano fund. Candy has been sold at the theatres and at the dormitories at various times. The Pi Phi also sponsored a movie and in January a rummage sale was held which helped to increase the fund. Then as a Christmas gift, the Beloit alumni gave the chapter some money.

Two new groups have recently been organized at Beloit; a musical sorority, $\Pi A N$, and a romance language fraternity, $\Phi \Sigma I$. There are $\Pi \Phi$ members in each organization.

Wisconsin B has felt the loss keenly of the three seniors who left at the end of the first semester. Catherine Haskell, formerly president, is taking up a nurse's training course at Bellevue Hospital in New York in view of specializing in social service work. Mary Lindemann is attending a business school in Madison, Wis., and Florence DeBruin is planning to continue studying music in Chicago.

ALICE SMITH.

NORTH DAKOTA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

(Chartered October 7, 1921)

Pledge Day—September 27, 1926

INITIATES

Margaret Mosher, La Grange, Ill.

Afton Manion, Great Falls, Mont.

Mary Cayou, Bismark, N. D.

Elizabeth Adamson, Devils Lake, N. D.

North Dakota A announces the pledging of Esther Nelson, Oakes, N. D., and Sylvia Tusted, Rolette, N. D.

The chapter had a very enjoyable visit from the Province President, Margaretta Fenn, and should profit much from her valuable and inspiring suggestions.

Both actives and pledges have taken a prominent part in campus activities this semester. Margaret Radcliffe was one of the four seniors elected to Φ B K in the fall election. Esther Johns was pledged to Δ Φ Δ , honorary art fraternity. Rose Kelly was initiated into Π Δ Θ , honorary education fraternity for women. Cosette Nelson was re-elected secretary of the French Club. Fahe Nelson was taken in as a reserve member in the North Dakota Playmakers. Fahe also is a member of the elementary girls glee club quartet, and Helen Scott is a member of the senior girls sextet. Ruby Shaw, an active Playmaker, had an important role in the DeMolay play, "Under Cover." Helen Scott is assistant class editor of the *Dakotah*, the year book of the university. Doris Ray is the assistant collection manager of the *Dakota Daily Student*.

COSETTE NELSON.

ILLINOIS DELTA—KNOX COLLEGE

(Chartered 1884)

Pledge Day—September 25, 1926

Girls' athletics have been given a very prominent place in Knox College life this semester. Girls' intramurals are being played off in all sports. The Π Φ hockey team won the championship, winning every game. Pi Phis who made their respective class hockey teams are: Irma Bullington (captain of the sophomore team), Elizabeth Sinclair, Irma Craig, Mary Lipsey, Leontine Neiger, Margaret Guilford, Jane Owen, Louise Harris, and Janet Kingsley.

Respective class horseshoe teams were made by Irma Craig, Mary Lipsey, and Betty Foggy. Jeannette Bent, Elizabeth Sinclair, and Leontine Neiger were initiated into W. A. A. at a banquet that night. Mary Lipsey was one of four girls presented with a "K" sweater for winning 1,000 points in athletics.

This year Elizabeth Sinclair, Π Φ , received the honor of acting as chairman of the W. S. G. A. prom committee. The prom, opening the formal season at Knox, was a real success.

Illinois Δ is very proud of her pledge, Lorraine Smith, one of the Knox freshmen to make a straight A grade last semester

Katherine Thomas was added to Sophomore Commission this year. Elizabeth Sinclair is on the Gale Board and is vice president of Y. W. C. A.

The two Pi Phis taken into Players' Club this year are Jean Barry and Katherine Thomas. Betty Bennett had a leading part in "On the Hiring Line" and was the only girl pledged to $\Theta A \Phi$, honorary national dramatic fraternity. The Knox chapter of $\Theta A \Phi$ had only three members before their own recent pledging.

$\Pi \Phi$ claims two of the five Knox women chosen as R. O. T. C. sponsors, Edith Brown and Margaret Whitney.

Doris Hazlett is vice president of the sophomore class and Irma Craig is president of the junior class by virtue of which she will lead the Junior prom.

The annual Whiting Hall Christmas dinner was unusually successful this year. It is sponsored by House Council and this time after the dinner a clever play was presented in which Mary Lipsey, Betty Bennett, and Jeanne Godolphin took part.

Illinois Δ was very happy to entertain Margaretta Fenn, Epsilon Province President, on her regular chapter visit. Cooky-shines were given by the alumnae and the active chapter. Miss Fenn's visit was very inspirational, and as one result, the girls have a self-imposed prohibition of certain social privileges one week before final examinations.

LEONTINE NEIGER

ILLINOIS EPSILON—NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
(Chartered 1894)

INITIATES

Dorothy Cooley, '29, 3331 Decatur St., Omaha, Neb.

Jane Melone, '27, 419 6th Ave., S. W. Rochester, Minn.

Helen Seibold, '29, 522 Forest Ave., Wilmette, Ill.

The fall semester has brought to a climax the political question on the campus of Northwestern University, and the results of the last class election were surprising as well as most amusing. In the political "line up" the larger women's organizations rallied to the support of two very prominent local fraternities leaving the "big six", consisting of ΣX , $\Phi \Delta \Theta$, $\Delta T \Delta$, ΔT , $\Phi K \Psi$, and $B \Theta \Pi$, to lead the opposing faction. The final result was a terrific "landslide" in favor of the local organizations, and the men of the nationals as an expression of their power decided to boycott those coeds who had not supported them. This bravado lasted but a day or so and, after discovering that the women, too, were sufficient unto themselves, the men gave up their plan of

punishment. They did, however, resolve not to go the Junior Prom and this resolution was actually kept when, on the eve of the big school affair, these outlaw fraternities gave an unofficial "Political Prom" at a Chicago Club. This is just one more regrettable proof of the harm which college politics can do to school spirit and democracy.

In the eyes of Illinois E the most important event of this season was the very successful bazaar sponsored by the $\Pi B \Phi$ Mothers' Club and the alumnae chapter at the Evanston Woman's Club. It was a crowded Saturday with an afternoon card party, a turkey dinner, a subscription dance in the evening and of course the bazaar continuing all day. About \$2500 were raised for linen, silver, and china to be used in the new fraternity house the construction of which has advanced to the second floor.

The Pi Phis who have been elected to the board of the *Syllabus*, the year book edited by the junior class, are Ruth Finn, Agnes Cornell, Marjorie Nicholson, and Ruth Chatfield. Agnes Cornell has also been selected for the responsible position of "rushing" chairman, and Ruth Finn served as a member of the Junior Prom committee.

The freshman class has shown enthusiasm for both studies and campus activities. Naomi McDowell is president of Greenlantern, the freshman department of W. S. G. A., and was also elected manager of soccer. Eleanor Thrall was captain of soccer and manager of swimming, and Lea Lamborn had managership of freshman volley ball. The sophomore, junior and senior captains of archery are Edith Jenkins, Ruth Chatfield, and Dorothy Walker, and there are Pi Phis on almost all varsity teams.

The sophomore hard times party was under the direction of Betty Harwood. Ruth Mary Quinn is women's editor for the *Daily Northwestern*, the highest office held by a woman.

SUZANNE RUTH CHATFIELD.

ILLINOIS ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

(Chartered October 29, 1895)

Pledge Day—September 25, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated November 11, 1926)

Letitia Ward, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Genevieve Durham, Galatia, Ill.

Martha Robb, 2558 E. 77th St., Chicago, Ill.

Illinois Z was delighted to entertain both Amy B. Onken and Margaretta Fenn this fall.

Homecoming was as successful this year as last. Ruth Martin and Mary Kile won first prize, a silver loving cup, for a stunt in the

stunt show, and the house was awarded second prize, also a loving cup for decorations.

The Women's welfare committee produced "Listen Lester" this year for its annual operetta. It was quite a clever skit and even though the songs and jokes were old, everyone enjoyed it because of the pep the actors showed. Louise Bresee was chairman of the production committee.

Ruth Martin was elected to $\Sigma \Delta \Phi$, an honorary public speaking society. Cecile Gilroy and Mildred Wells were chosen Shi-Ai, and Therese Lemercier was elected to Illiola, an honorary literary society. In the last letter a mistake was made stating that Louise Bresee was elected to $\Phi B K$. It should have been Dorothy Burrows.

It has been the custom to have the freshmen study either in a seminar or at the Library every night under the supervision of an upperclassman. Illinois Z has fitted up the chapter room with good, bright lights and several tables, and the freshmen study there now. They like it much better and feel that better work can be done.

Junior prom was a better success this year due to the fact that a recording orchestra played and the music could be heard all over the dance floor. The room was decorated to represent an old English castle and was very effective.

THERESE LEMERCIER

ILLINOIS ETA—JAMES MILLIKIN UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1912)

Pledge Day—February 5, 1927

INITIATES

(Initiated November 13, 1926)

Eleanor Brockhouse, '29, Concord, Ill.

Esther Engelder, '29, St. Louis, Mo.

Jane Girton, '29, Evanston, Ill.

Laurine Hucke, '29, Mascoutah, Ill.

Magdaline Mitchell, '29, Monticello, Ill.

Helen Sidles, '27, Chapin, Ill.

Once again Illinois H leads the campus in scholarship. This makes thirteen out of fifteen years that she has been first. Now her attention turns toward pledging, which comes in February.

Interest in activities has continued. Helen Moffett was appointed chairman of Y. W. C. A. entertainment committee for the year. Twelve Pi Phis are in the glee club, with Laurine Hucke serving as secretary and Eleanor Brockhouse as treasurer.

Vesta Harper had a part in the Homecoming play.

Christmas Vespers have always been an important tradition at Millikin and the services were unusually beautiful this year. Helen Moffett, as the Madonna, had the leading part.

Illinois H enjoyed a visit from Margaretta Fenn on December 2 and 3, and the chapter feels greatly benefited by her delightful visit.

VESTA HARPER.

ZETA PROVINCE

IOWA ALPHA—IOWA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1868)

Pledge Day—November 30, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 19, 1926)

Velma Geiger, '29, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Alma Keemer, '29, Moravia, Iowa.

Ruth Power, '29, Bloomfield, Iowa.

Frances Spry, '29, Clarinda, Iowa.

On Tuesday, January 11, the P. E. O. Sisterhood of 40,000 members broke ground on the campus of Iowa Wesleyan University for their perfect tribute to the "Original Seven" founders, who, sixty-three years ago in the "Memory Room" of Old Main, held the first meeting of that organization which was destined to spread its bonds from coast to coast. Officers of the Supreme Chapter and the one remaining founder were present to take part in the turning of the first shovelful of dirt for the new memorial library.

The week following pledging the administration of the college announced the winners of the scholarship cups, awarded to the men's fraternity having the highest scholastic ranking for the preceding year by Jerry Krenmeyer, Θ K N, and to the women's fraternity having the highest average for the same length of time by Mrs. C. S. Rogers (Lillian Kendig), Π B Φ . Σ Φ E and A Ξ Δ won the honors with highest rankings. Iowa A has resolved that the cup next year shall be in the possession of Mrs. Rogers' own fraternity and shall become a permanent possession of the chapter by being retained for three successive years.

On October 19, Velma Geiger, Alma Keemer, Ruth Power, and Frances Spry were guests of the active chapter at an initiation dinner at the home of Martha Crane.

Π B Φ entertained her rushees at a Petit Patee dinner party on the evening of November 20. A long banquet table was set in a Parisian cafe whose ceiling was covered with small blocks of black and white and whose white walls were covered with black silhouettes of French figures. Black and white figures of ballet girls were used as place cards, black and white striped miniature hat boxes formed nut

cups, and India paper leaflets with silhouetted medallion heads contained a French menu. The guests were entertained with a French program of musical skits, songs, and a musical comedy. Pledging took place on November 30, and was followed by a cooky-shine in honor of the new pledges. The chapter was presented with two five-pound boxes of candy when Frances Spry announced her engagement to Ralph Peterson of Clarinda, Iowa, and Alma Keemer announced her engagement to Jack Thomas, $\Sigma \Phi E$, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

$\Pi \Phi$ completed a most successful pledging season, being the only women's fraternity on the campus which lost no bids. The following girls were pledged: Margaret Coddington, Waverly, Iowa; Alice Ethell, Bloomfield, Iowa; Marjorie Gibson, Flora, Illinois; Helen Faye Gilbert, Milton, Iowa; Mary Hoskins, Milton, Iowa; Helen Kitch, Hillsboro, Iowa; Doris Richardson, Mystic, Iowa; Edna Rummels, Muscatine, Iowa; Josephine Steckel, Bloomfield, Iowa; Louise Weibley, Burlington, Iowa; Frances White, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; Ethel Williams, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

As the semester progresses $\Pi \Phi$ are assuming more and more responsibilities. Among the members of a new honorary pep organization, The Howling Hoppers, there are five $\Pi \Phi$ s; Betty Keyhoe, Joy Hall, Martha Crane, Josephine Steckel, and Margaret Coddington. In a campus play "Clarence" sponsored by the head of the department of speech, Helen Phelps, Joy Hall and Helen Kitch have parts. Betty Rogers is an assistant in the biology department, a position awarded on a basis of scholarship and ability. Ruth Holland Oldt was recently initiated into $\Sigma T \Delta$, honorary English fraternity, and Frances Spry is secretary of the Education Club.

$\Pi \Phi$ received recognition on the campus when Adella Mills was chosen to represent Iowa Wesleyan women at the National Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. conference at Milwaukee. Martha Crane was special editor-in-chief of the W. A. A. edition of the *Wesleyan News* in January.

The new pledges, too, are doing their bit. Josephine Steckel represents the freshman class in the Student Council, Helen Kitch is a member of the glee club, Ethel Williams plays in the band, orchestra, and girls' brass sextette, Marjorie Gibson also plays in the orchestra, and Louise Weibley is president of the Art Club. Virginia Bishop plays in the sextette and was recently chosen accompanist for the boys' glee club on their spring tour.

The pledges of the fraternity entertained the active chapter and their guests at a Christmas cooky-shine. A tree and a Santa Claus made a true holiday party of the evening. Professor and Mrs. Geiger made the chapter a present of the traditional box of candy, Professor Geiger having been recently initiated into $\Sigma \Phi E$.

MARTHA CRANE.

IOWA BETA—SIMPSON COLLEGE

(Chartered 1874)

Pledge Day—September 25

The Zeta Province President, Gail DeWolf paid her annual visit to Iowa B on October 29. She was entertained at a luncheon given by the alumnae. On Hallowe'en, Miss DeWolf attended a cooky-shine at the chapter house. This year the girls were given a much better opportunity to know their Province President, and they feel that she is doing everything to bring the girls of Zeta Province closer together.

The chapter entertained at a dinner and theater party in Des Moines on November 28 at which forty guests were present. December 5 the parents of the town members enjoyed a Sunday afternoon tea.

Simpson's annual homecoming celebration occurred November 5. Classes were dismissed for the day. During the morning, dedication exercises were held for the newly erected memorial of the college's first edifice, Bluebird. Loving cups were awarded for the most attractive float in the parade, and for the most cleverly decorated fraternity house. Iowa B held a cooky-shine for the visiting alumnae. Excitement prevailed when a long treasure hunt ended in the discovery of a huge box of chocolates which contained the announcement of Mildred Campbell's engagement to Rollin White. At the tables, tiny individual corsages concealed another engagement surprise: that of Carol Stoddard to Dewey Halden, K Θ Ψ.

Three girls, Helen Hansell, Frances Marie Huntsinger, and Elizabeth Howser were pledged to M Φ E, women's musical fraternity. Φ M Γ, women's dramatic fraternity held pledging recently in which three Pi Phis, Marian Morgan, Elizabeth Carpenter, and Evelyn Silvernail were participants.

On November 24, the college faculty gave a Mother Goose party for the students at the Hopper gymnasium. The chief entertainment was a frolic in which the faculty members, dressed in nursery rhyme costumes, took part.

The annual alumnae bazaar held before the Christmas holidays, was a huge success, and realized an ample sum for the Settlement School fund.

On December 19, the actives and pledges arose at 5 o'clock and went caroling. They sang Christmas songs at the homes of shut-ins, and of residents who are charter members of Iowa B. On December 20, the girls held their annual Christmas cooky-shine and party which is a tradition of Iowa B. A lighted, gift-laden tree added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The Simpson Madrigal Club of which Helen Hansell is a member, has a Π Φ accompanist, Frances Williams.

In athletics Π Φ is represented by Helen Dudley, Doris Atack, and Edna Dean who are on volley ball teams. Intra-mural contests are to

be held in the spring, and each fraternity is hard at work on its team organization.

ELIZABETH HOWSER.

IOWA GAMMA—IOWA STATE COLLEGE

(Chartered 1887)

Pledge Day—September 28, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 6, 1926)

Helen E. Walsh, '28, 1176 19th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Dorothy Gambell, '29, Pella, Iowa.

Louise Lichty, '28, 720 Oak Park Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.

Louise Brewer, '28, 1701 Arlington Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.

At Iowa State's Homecoming on November 13, $\Pi B \Phi$ won first place in house decorations for the fourth time. Besides a beautiful silver loving cup, the chapter received a huge cake donated to the winner by one of the local bakeries. After the homecoming football game, the chapter held open house for alumnae and friends of the fraternity.

Iowa Γ won second place in the contest for the sale of the college annual, *The Bomb*. The chapter was awarded a silver loving cup. At an intramural swimming meet in the fall, $\Pi \Phi$ won first place. The girls who participated were: Virginia Alexander, Florence Butcher, Joyce Archer, Vida Secor, and Helen Kallenberg. Intramural competition in women's sports is just now being developed on the campus, and is proving quite successful. Last spring there was intramural competition in baseball, tennis, and horseshoe pitching. $\Pi \Phi$ placed first in the baseball contest, and participated in the others. Intramural basketball will probably be organized again this winter.

Carrie Chapman Catt, an Iowa Γ of the class of 1880, gave the Investment Company of Iowa Γ \$6,000, with which the mortgage on the chapter house has been paid. The Investment Company is to pay six percent interest on the money to Mrs. Catt as long as she lives.

Iowa Γ entertained at a carnival dance at the chapter house on November 6. The outstanding social event of the fall quarter was the annual Junior Trot which took place on November 27, at the gymnasium.

Iowa State College ended the football season very successfully with a victory over the Southern Branch of the University of California at Los Angeles on November 27.

Work has been started on the new million dollar Memorial Union which Iowa State College is to have. An old building which stood on the site has been torn down, and the ground will be broken for the new structure in the spring.

MARGARET PROCTOR

IOWA ZETA—UNIVERSITY OF IOWA
(Chartered 1882)

Pledge Day September 17, 1926

Iowa's Homecoming, always one of the biggest of university events, was on November 6. By means of a strenuous sales campaign which lasted five days Iowa Z was able to sell her quota of Homecoming badges and win the commission offered by university officials. The money will be used toward buying new furniture for the living room. $\Pi \Phi$ was awarded the silver cup offered by a local men's club for the most attractively decorated house during the Homecoming week-end.

Esther Fuller was unanimously elected secretary-treasurer of Student Council. Esther has also been pledged to the $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$, honorary journalistic society.

Martha Mickey has received a part in the university play, "The Youngest" which will be presented at the university theatre next month. Polly Kidd, Helen Omer, and Dorothy Gruwell were made members of Apprentice Players, the junior dramatic club.

In the Iowa literary magazine for October appeared a story "The Harmless Kid" by Virginia Capell.

Janet Thompson passed all requirements and became a member of Seals, the women's swimming society.

A rushing party was held at the chapter house December 9 at which five out of town rushees were present. The presenting of each guest with an appropriate toy was a unique feature of the evening.

Iowa's campus has undergone many improvements the last semester chief among which is the construction of the second unit of the Iowa Memorial Union.

$\Pi B \Phi$ announces the pledging of Janet Thompson.

HELEN IRWIN

MISSOURI ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI
(Chartered 1899)

Pledge Day—September 1926

The 1926 Homecoming was the largest in the history of the University of Missouri. The Memorial Tower, which is considered the most beautiful piece of Gothic architecture in the west, was dedicated with an impressive ceremony on the morning of November 20. Thirty thousand friends and alumni of the university attended the Thanksgiving game that afternoon, and saw the Missouri Tigers dedicate the new Memorial Stadium with an overwhelming victory for Missouri University. Several Pi Phis served on the Homecoming committees.

Missouri A adds to her list of representatives in campus activities, Betty Young as secretary-treasurer of the freshman class; Harriett Gultar as president of freshmen women; Martha Feeny, Lucy Shelby,

Marjorie Hall, Emma Monier and Beverly Trescot who had parts in the annual journalism show.

Margaret Hubbard, a $\Pi \Phi$ pledge here last year was elected president of the Student Council of the Floating University this winter.

Missouri A is fortunate in having as chaperon this year Mrs. Curtis Hill from Kansas City, who is the mother of Elizabeth Hill Gordon, Missouri A. The chapter entertained for Mrs. Hill with a tea in November.

The active chapter was entertained by the pledges at a Carnival on December 1. By the fortune teller's art each girl obtained a satisfying glimpse of her future.

The night before Christmas vacation Missouri A enjoyed the annual dinner party, when each girl received from the Christmas tree a characteristic gift with an appropriate verse which was read aloud.

Missouri A had a very enjoyable visit from the Province President, Gail De Wolfe, January 7-10.

CATHERINE BERRY

MISSOURI BETA—WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1907)

Pledge Day—September 22, 1926

College again, after the rush of the holiday season, and with it the task of renewing interest and preparing for the onslaught of the all-too-soon final examinations.

A review of the semester points to the fact that Missouri B has had a singularly successful term.

In the field of athletics where there is great $\Pi \Phi$ interest, Dorothy Dehlendorf, Henrietta McCutchan and Elsa Englesmann were members of the junior hockey team which won the interclass championship. Jane Baur and Wilda Van Gieson were the two freshmen on the winning soccer team. One of the six selected members of Pleiades honorary hockey society, was Dorothy Dehlendorf. Four Π Phis were elected to membership in Peppers, women's pep society.

Under general college activities may be included the appointment of Elsa Englesmann and Dorothy Lippman to junior prom committees, the latter being named chairman of decorations.

Selection of the cast and ensemble for the annual Washington University musical comedy, to be known as "Rosita" has been made. Sarah Selby has been given the lead and Carol Crowe is to be the ingenue. Two other Π Phis are members of the ballet and five more are included in the chorus. As is usual, the music and book have been written by students in the university. The production is to be staged in Saint Louis the first week in March.

Wilma Schwindler took a leading part in the Little Theatre production of "Arms and the Man" on December 14 and 15.

Jane Baur was elected to the presidency of one of the two divisions of freshmen girls. These groups were organized to encourage interest in university activities.

Elsa Englesmann was elected to Ternion, the junior honorary society preceding Mortarboard of the fourth year.

A rummage sale was held on December 3 to defray the expenses of Missouri Beta's annual formal dance. This year, as usual, Algonquin Club was the scene of the activity but an innovation was the serving of dinner to the chaperones, actives, pledges and their escorts. $\Pi \Phi$ was very happy to have as its guest Mrs. Archer Stites who, for the past five years, has been the house-mother for Wisconsin A. She is, at present, making her home in Saint Louis.

Gail DeWolf, Zeta Province President, made her annual visit to this chapter in November. Respecting her wishes, no social functions were planned for her entertainment.

SARAH SELBY

MISSOURI GAMMA—DRURY COLLEGE

(Chartered January 9, 1914)

Pledge Day—October 30, 1926

Drury fraternity rushing was held the seventh week of college and lasted only one day, so an intensive program was carried out. In the morning the girls did individual rushing; after lunch a party was given at the home of Hazel Robertson; in the evening a formal dinner was given at the Johnson-Sholton Tea Room. Missouri Γ pledged twenty girls: Lois Wilks, Katherine Harford, Lucile Neville, Violet Veerkamp, Dorothy Chandler, Francis Haymes, Mary Osborne, Betty Dolan, Bernice Cole, Dorothy Anderson, Elizabeth Patterson, Louise Martin, Inez Gideon, Barbara Horton, Mary Ruth Hubbell, Marthell Burman, Mary Martha Booth, Margaret Garrett, Ruth Summers, and Annabelle Kerr.

Gail DeWolf, Zeta Province President, visited Missouri Γ during the week end of December 4. Due to the shortness of Miss DeWolf's visit the chapter was unable to introduce her to the student body. A formal dance was given in the gymnasium at which she was the guest of honor. Sunday afternoon Emma Mae Baldwin entertained at a tea when all the alumnae and patronesses were given the opportunity of meeting Miss DeWolf.

The Girls' Glee Club is making preparations for its annual tour. $\Pi B \Phi$ is represented by five members.

The Dramatic Club has been reorganized with many Pi Phis taking active part.

The pledges had a gift shower for the fraternity rooms. The presentation was made at a cooky-shine given for the pledges just before the holidays.

On January 9, Missouri Γ celebrated her birthday as a chapter of $\Pi B \Phi$.

COLLEEN KENNEY

ETA PROVINCE

NEBRASKA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA
(Chartered 1895)

Pledge Day—September 18, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 14, 1926)

Blanche Farrens, '29, 1325 So. 18th, Lincoln, Nebr.

Kathy Low Smith, '28, 850 Merriam St., Denver, Colo.

Nebraska Beta's new home is finished and is beyond a doubt more imposing and wonderful than even dreams had visioned. Living now only two blocks from the campus, the members of Nebraska B have taken an added interest and part in university activities.

A description of the external appearance of the house appeared in the November number of the *Arrow* and to do justice to the inside, to the decorating, furniture and arrangements of the rooms would exceed all space limitations. Suffice it to say that kitchen, pantries, dining room, chapter room, trunk room, and washroom occupy the basement. On the first floor are two long living rooms with a fireplace at the north end of the larger, a tea room, the housemother's suite, hall, study room, cloak room, telephone room, and servants' quarters; the latter having no connection with the rest of the house except through the basement. There are ten bed rooms on the second floor, a sitting room, sleeping porch, large bathroom, telephone booth and several small closets. The third floor is exactly like the second except that a bedroom replaces the sitting room. The house has been finished and decorated and the furniture chosen with an eye to practical use as well as for beauty and appropriateness for the period exemplified.

On Saturday evening, December 11, the house was initiated socially by a formal Christmas dinner dance. Red and green decorations gave the atmosphere of the approaching holiday season. An orchestra entertained during the dinner and played a delightful program of dance numbers during the evening.

The Thursday evening preceding vacation was devoted, as is the custom in this chapter, to a Christmas party for the alumnae and their children. The pledges presented a skit and a Christmas tree, gifts, and Santa Claus made fun for the kiddies.

Proof of the added interest and part which Nebraska B is taking in campus affairs is shown by the following:

Elsa Kerkow, perhaps the most representative $\Pi \Phi$ on this campus, has had the distinction of being elected to Vestals of the Lamp. She

is also a member of the gift committee of the senior class. Edith Mae Johnson is a member of the Junior-Senior Prom committee, and Florence Swihart was elected secretary of the junior class. The pledges are not far behind the active girls; they are represented by Betty Bell and Katherine Bradley on the *Arrow* staff, Nebraska's humorous publication, and by Florence Christie who is doing work on the *Daily Nebraskan*. Six of seventeen sponsors chosen by R. O. T. C. battalion and company officers, are Pi Phis: Vivian Vickery, Edith Mae Johnson, Florence Swihart, Gwen Schroyer, Helen Donnen, and Minerva Hastings.

The chapter enjoyed a visit on January 7 and 8 from Leona Baumgartner, Eta Province President.

ADA BAUMANN

KANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

(Chartered 1873)

Pledge Day—September 16, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 24, 1926)

Bernice Brown, Lawrence, Kan.

Anne Katherine Innes, Wichita, Kan.

Mary Agnes Patterson, Kansas City, Mo.

Jean Stevenson, Turon, Kan.

The fall initiation ceremony was held on October 24, and a large number of alumnae joined with the actives in enjoying the cooky-shine which followed. Kansas A announces the pledging of Georgia Cassity of Okmulgee, Okla.

Leona Baumgartner, Eta Province President, visited Kansas A in January, and her inspirational talk of Convention made the chapter very eager for a large delegation to go to Minnesota in June.

Π B Φ continues to be well represented in campus activities this year. Virginia Power had one of the leading roles in the annual Fashion Show, a production sponsored by the W. S. G. A. Helen Hungerford was elected by the freshmen women to represent them on the executive board of the W. S. G. A. Among those chosen for membership in MacDowell Club were Marion Keck, Madalene Maher, Virginia Power, and Georgia Cassity. Esther Settle is a new member of the dramatic club, and also of Quill Club, a literary organization for upperclassmen. Nelle Marie Davis, Susan Keith, and Jean Stevenson were players on the class hockey teams.

Lawrence and Kansas University witnessed an unusual and interesting sight this fall when an Indian Pow-wow was staged at Haskell Institute, the largest government school for Indians located here. Several thousand Indians, representing most of the now existing tribes in the country came for the celebration, many of them erecting their tepees

in an Indian village, and living in true red man's style. Secretary Work, of the Department of Interior, who was one of the honor guests at the Pow-wow, spoke at an all-university convocation at K. U., and a program of Indian music was presented by some of the visiting Indians.

Kansas A was again 100% this year in her contributions to the Friendship Candle Fund, a Christmas free-will offering which goes for the maintenance of a scholarship for some foreign student at the University of Kansas. Every person who gives to this fund receives a Christmas candle, and on the last night before the Christmas holidays, the lighted candles are placed in the windows and carolers serenade the houses in which the tapers are burning. It is indeed one of the most beautiful traditions of this university.

Among the social events of Kansas A have been the dinner given in honor of the football men and their coaches, and the Christmas party which the freshmen gave for the upperclassmen on December 4.

ROSE MCCOLLOGH.

KANSAS BETA—KANSAS STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE
(Chartered 1915)

Pledge Day—September 18, 1926

Kansas B announces the pledging of Clarice Scott of Oberlin, Kan., on December 15.

Since Kansas B is making every effort to save money for a new house, no formal party will be given this year. However, the chapter was entertained by Katherine Chappell and Mary Adda Boone at an informal dance at the country club, Wednesday evening, December 15.

Several plans for raising money for a new house have been tried. A bazaar and food sale was held just before Christmas. The profits from the sale amounted to \$150. A benefit dance will be given sometime this spring.

Π B Φ did not enter a chapter stunt in the annual "Aggie Pop" this year. An individual stunt, "Just a Couple of Kids" was given by Mary Burnette and Evelyn Torrence. This stunt took first place and was awarded a beautiful silver loving cup.

Sunday evening, December 19, Π B Φ caroled at the various fraternity houses and at the homes of Dean Van Zile and President Farrell. Kansas B deems it a special honor to be allowed to carol, since serenading by women has been ruled out in the college. After the caroling breakfast was served to the girls at the home of Elizabeth Bressler, one of the alumnae.

The annual banquet for the football men was given Tuesday evening, December 14. Coach Bachman and Mrs. Bachman were also guests. Linen handkerchiefs were given as favors.

Following an old custom of Kansas B, a Christmas dinner party was given Monday evening, December 20. The holiday spirit was made manifest in the decorations and in trick presents which were distributed by Santa Claus.

Kansas B is carrying out a very definite health program this year. The meals are carefully planned by a student dietitian and milk is served free to the girls every day.

As an additional effort to retain first place in scholarship, $\Pi B \Phi$ passed strict study hall and quiet hour rules which were in effect two weeks prior to examinations. The study hall period was lengthened and afternoon and evening dates given up. Quiet hours were strictly observed and a fine was imposed for infractions of this rule.

Kansas B enjoyed the visit of the Province President, Leona Baumgartner, January 5 and 6. Miss Baumgartner's visits are always delightful and her interest and enthusiasm an inspiration to the entire chapter.

MARY BROOKS

WYOMING ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

(Chartered 1910)

Pledge Day—October 14, 1926.

Following a most successful rush week which came to a close on October 10, Wyoming announces the pledging of thirteen splendid girls: Laura Bragg, Emilie McKeon, Ada Potter, Mary Jo Stoner, Ileta Schopf, Lucille Love, Virginia Fitch, Helen Corbett, Marguerite Blair, Lillian Borton, Ruth Esse, Jean Warner and Mary Ward. Following the formal pledging on October 14, a cooky-shine was held at the chapter house to which the alumnae were invited.

On October 30, the active chapter entertained at an informal dance in honor of the new girls. The Hallowe'en motive was carried out in detail. One of the main attractions of the dance was a fortune-telling-den over which a non-fraternity girl who is specializing in character study in the university presided.

The $\Pi B \Phi$ float, carrying out the brown and yellow colors of the university, won first place among the floats in the Homecoming parade. Following the Homecoming game, an informal reception and tea was held at the chapter house for all alumnae and their friends. The chapter was exceedingly proud to meet on that day more than half of the original charter members of Wyoming A.

Several noteworthy improvements have been made on the campus within the past three months. The old gymnasium has been remodeled and has blossomed out into a full-fledged Little Theatre, the first of its kind in the Rocky Mountain region. Recently the university students

observed Wyoming Day there with a unique program featured by old time songs, costumes and instruments.

A handsome memorial fountain constructed of native stone, known as the Lowell Putnam O'Bryan Memorial, has been erected in memory of Lowell O'Bryan, a member of the class of '26, who died from injuries received while training horses for the wild west reception planned in honor of President Crane on his first arrival at the University of Wyoming.

Cap and Gown, the local senior honorary, petitioning Mortarboard, in cooperation with the Associated Women Students has furnished a girls' recreation room in Merica Hall to be named the "Nellie Tayloe Ross Room", after the first woman governor in the world.

A system of handsome ornamental campus lights has just been installed on the campus.

Amy B. Onken's visit to the chapter in early November was one of great enjoyment and also one of great value to the girls. During her short stay in Laramie a Panhellenic tea was held in her honor and many other attractive affairs were given for her by the alumnae and the other women's fraternities on the campus.

Mary Lou Leslie, K Δ province officer, spent the month of November in Laramie as guest of the local K Δ chapter.

Many social festivities have been enjoyed by $\Pi \Phi$ this fall quarter. During the Thanksgiving vacation, the chapter entertained at an informal breakfast dance. The pledges of $\Pi B \Phi$ in early December entertained the pledges of all of the other women's fraternities at a theatre party. The annual formal Christmas party was held at the chapter house on December 18. Santa Claus bestowed gifts from a bountiful tree, and following a formal dinner, the pledges gave a Christmas stunt. Before Christmas, the chapter filled a large box for the delinquent girls' home in Sheridan, Wyo.

Alice Thompson and Jean Warner played leads in "You and I", a farce presented in the Little Theatre by $\Theta A \Phi$, national dramatic fraternity. Three Wyoming Alphas, Maurine Lane, Laura Bragg, and Jean Warner were recently elected to membership in $\Sigma A I$, national honorary music fraternity. Mary Whelan, a junior in the university, won first place in the Wyoming-Colorado stockjudging meet, and finished second place in the university in the final work of the term.

Word has just been received that Wyoming A made the highest group record in scholarship for the fall quarter, that has ever been made at the University of Wyoming.

JEAN F. MABEE.

COLORADO A—UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

(Chartered 1884)

In early November Miss Onken made a visit to Colorado A. A formal tea was given in her honor at which the dean of women, Miss Antoinette Bigelow, the chapter chaperone, Mrs. Miriam Balmer, and the chapter president, Helen Taylor, received with her. The two days of her visit were a source of inspiration to both the active chapter and the pledges.

The work on the Colorado A new chapter house has been going steadily forward during the past quarter and will probably be finished by spring quarter.

Δ Δ Δ is also building a new chapter house.

During the past quarter, Colorado A received recognition in campus activities, both through her individual members and as a group. Ella Johnson was elected secretary of the senior class. Margaret Tasher won first place in the popularity contest conducted by the *Coloradoan*, the university year book. Frances Bible was one of the judges in the tryouts for the dancing choruses of the annual "Booster's Club Operetta". On Homecoming Day Colorado Alpha's float, "The First Π Β Φ", was given second place, and the decorations of the chapter house first place, for which a silver loving cup was presented by the Women's Booster Club.

Initiation was held on January 15 at the chapter house, and was followed by a banquet at the Boulderado Hotel.

Miss Antoinette Bigelow, dean of women, is to go abroad for the remainder of the college year. During her absence her place in the university will be occupied by Mrs. James F. Willard.

MARGARET MORTON

COLORADO BETA—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

(Chartered 1885)

Colorado Beta's year has been marked by the holding of three class offices. Ione Goodknight is vice president of the senior class; Maxine Goldsmith is secretary of the sophomore class; and Virginia Mallonee, a pledge, is secretary of the freshmen class. In October, Mildred Edmonds was pledged to the Philosophical Academy. She is also society editor of the *Clarion*. Ella Jane Fellows was elected to the honorary educational society, and Ione Goodknight to Kedros, honorary junior and senior women's organization.

On December 16, Π Φ entertained for the alumnae at the Bungalow. This is an annual party and it has long been the custom for the alumnae to present to the house a gift. This year they gave a beautiful bridge lamp, besides many other gifts. In the evening the girls had their

own party. Helen Madler played the part of Santa Claus, and there was a gift for every active and pledge.

Colorado B is looking forward to a visit from the Province President Leona Baumgartner.

Θ Φ A has recently granted a charter to a local fraternity on the university campus.

The active girls have adopted a new plan for assimilating pledges this year. The idea was given to them by another chapter in the province, and it seems to be working out very well. A card, divided into two parts, one pertaining to fraternity attitude, the other to cooperation with local authority, is given to each pledge. She is to grade herself on such things as general attitude, loyalty, appearance, scholarship, and then the card is graded by the chapter as a whole. This is an attempt to do away with personal criticism.

With the visit of Amy B. Onken in October came a broader meaning of Π Β Φ, its national scope, its depth of ideals. The girls felt her visit to be one of the high marks in their Π Φ experiences. They all wished that such an opportunity for inspiration might come oftener and were determined to attend Convention in June.

KATHERINE SHATTUCK.

THETA PROVINCE

OKLAHOMA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA (Chartered 1910)

Pledge Day—September 16, 1926

As the college year progresses Oklahoma A is becoming very interested in campus activities. In the French Club, the Spanish Club, the Philosophy Club, the Indian Club, the Ducks Club, and the Delphian Literary Society there are numerous Pi Phis who are active members. Oklahoma A has 100% membership in the university Y. W. C. A., including two members of the Y. W. C. A. Council. One of the delegates to the Y. W. C. A. convention in Milwaukee during the past Christmas holidays was Eleanor Ittner, of this chapter.

At the fall tryouts for membership in the Woman's Choral Club five Pi Phis were successful. Marcellette Grant is the club librarian. Marcellette Grant and Lillian Alice Callahan are members of the *Sooner* staff, the university year book, and eight of the fifty contestants for the beauty section of the *Sooner* are Pi Phis. Nell Weaver and Helen Morton are members of the Woman's Council. Helen is vice president of the organization.

At the fall elections of the various honorary organizations on the campus Mary Chapman was elected to Θ Σ Φ honorary journalistic fraternity, Kathryn Dawson was elected to K Γ E, honorary language

fraternity, and Nell Weaver, Marcellette Grant and Lillian Alice Calahan were elected to Blue Pencil, honorary writers' club.

At the late pledging held three weeks after the opening of the university Oklahoma A pledged three girls, who are Mary Chapman and Anita Rudowsky of McAlester, Okla., and Velma Soderstrum of Pawhuska, Okla.

On December 14 the pledges entertained the active members with a formal dinner followed by a pledge stunt. After the stunt Santa Claus appeared to present to the active girls a chest of silver and a donation for the sleeping porch fund, gifts of the pledges. The hostess, Mrs. Mary Kirk, presented the chapter with three handsome linen tablecloths.

In the university City Queen Contest held this fall Margaret Morgan won second place. She received a five hundred dollar fur coat, a sterling silver percolator set, and a fitted Gladstone bag. Although she entered the contest three weeks after the other contestants, she climbed rapidly to the winning ranks.

A study hall has been installed in the basement of the chapter house and the girls now have a comfortable, quiet and well lighted place to study.

A noted landscape gardener is now making plans to beautify the campus of the university. The new gymnasium now almost completed, also adds to the general appearance of the campus.

The scholarship rating for all university women has been announced and Nell Weaver holds the highest scholarship of any girl in the university—a 5.9 average out of a possible 6.

LOUISE ROSSER

OKLAHOMA BETA—OKLAHOMA AGRICULTURAL &
MECHANICAL COLLEGE

(Chartered 1919)

Pledge Day—September 11, 1926

The new chapter house of Oklahoma B was opened, informally, the first of November, to the active chapter, and a number of town and visiting alumnae. It has four stories, and is at present housing twenty-four girls very comfortably. Mr. E. A. Ross, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, held open house, for inspection by the townspeople, on Sunday, December 12. Various residents and business firms sent flowers and a large number of people called and were shown through the house.

Oklahoma A. and M. won the Missouri Valley championship in football for 1926, by tying Oklahoma University on Thanksgiving Day. As it was Homecoming for the Aggies, Oklahoma B entertained Oklahoma A and visiting alumnae at lunch on that day. Oklahoma A. and M. also claims honors as being the champion stock judges of the world, having won that title at the International Stock Show held in Chicago this past fall.

College activities are claiming the time of a number of Oklahoma Beta's members and pledges. Since fall, Virginia Walton and Elise Lundy have been admitted to membership in the women's glee club, Martha Loy to Players' Club, honorary dramatic club, Margaret Tate, Josephine Rogers, and Bess Bradley, to the literary society, and Flossie Dixon and Mildred Hess have made the rifle team. Flossie Dixon was elected honorary major, and is sponsor of Battalion 1. Winifred Livermore, Kathryn McLaughlin, and Josephine Rogers are staff members of the *Redskin*, college annual.

Enrollment for the second quarter's work began January 3, and promises to exceed last quarter's enrollment, which was approximately three thousand five hundred and sixty.

KATHRYN McLAUGHLIN.

ARKANSAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS

(Chartered 1909)

Arkansas A has completed a successful fall with a number of scholastic and social affairs.

During the early autumn $\Pi \Phi$ entertained the faculty at tea. This was no small undertaking; folk concerned with matters from agriculture to Shakespeare were invited. A number of out-of-town alumnae as well as town alumnae assisted and the afternoon passed smoothly. Shortly before Christmas $\Pi \Phi$ gave her annual formal dance in the cadet hall.

The pledges entertained for the house chaperon, Miss Galbraith, with a tea to which the initiates were cordially invited and gracefully entertained. The permanent house mother returned after Christmas and much as the girls welcomed her they were sorry to lose so good a friend as Miss Galbraith had been.

The pledges feasted the actives in December with a 2 a. m. spread. They had secretly decorated the dining room and toasted the fraternity with admirable eloquence and loyalty. After the spread, individual pledges sang, played and indulged in that delightful form of mimicry which only a college girl can create. For a Christmas gift they presented a handsome victrola.

ANN T. JOHNSON.

TEXAS ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

(Chartered February 19, 1902)

Pledge Day—September 19, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 12, 1926)

Adele Houssels, '29, Vernon Tex.

Eleanor O'Brien, '28, Beaumont, Tex.

Marjorie Stone, '27, 1309 Elizabeth Blvd., Ft. Worth, Tex.

Cora May Young, '29, 2910 Ave. Q. Galveston, Tex.

The adoption of the two-semester system is probably the most important change made at the University of Texas. This system, to succeed the present three-term system, will go into effect September, 1927. The recent destruction of the chemistry building and its valuable contents was a great loss to the campus.

Dr. R. E. L. Oliphant, a visiting English professor from Australia is giving a most interesting course in modern European drama. Janet Wood, Oregon A, is a new member of the faculty in the department of physical education.

Kathleen and Frances Little, former Texas Alphas, are returning to Austin after two years in New York. Kathleen will accept a position as assistant registrar in the university.

All reports of the scholastic average of the active members of Texas A are excellent. Eleanor O'Brien is the only active member who did not return for the second term.

Lucille Tucker, a pledge, received honorary mention for excellent work done in the Stadium campaign. Elsie Townes was chairman of the Flying Squadron in this campaign, an office successfully filled by Stella Peden in 1925.

Texas A had the traditional $\Pi \Phi$ Christmas tree in honor of the pledges December 12. Each member received a gift representing some eccentricity. After the tree everyone enjoyed a Christmas supper. The pledges presented a mantel clock as their Christmas gift to the house.

KATHERINE BROOKS

TEXAS BETA—SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

(Chartered 1916)

Pledge Day—November 4, Sophomores—December 16, Freshmen

INITIATES

(Initiated November 17, 1926)

Lilla Graham Bryan, '28, Bryan, Tex.

Catherine Marshall, '27, 4712 Sycamore St., Dallas, Tex.

Women's fraternities at S. M. U. this year took part in two rush weeks, one in September for sophomores and the other in December for freshmen. The second week of rushing was conducted after a change taken in Panhellenic ruling, and sophomore pledging was abolished for freshmen pledging.

On November 4, Texas B pledged Myrtle Astin, May Beth Biard, Greer Bowman, Mary Louise Carpenter, Christine Chitwood, Katye Wray Clem, Eugenia Corley, Carroll Cox, Mona Mai Cranfill, Sarah Cresswell, Maurine Forrester, Helen Grisham, Dorothy King, Lily Bess Kyle, Margaret Lewis, Catherine McBride, Virginia May Milmo, Pauline

Munsey, Ann Pittman, Mary Virginia Murphy, Kathryn Ramsey, Jeanette Smith, Frances Spears, Elizabeth Stephens, Evelyn Swenson, Lois Williams, and Minerva Wynn.

On December 16 eleven were pledged: Mary Cox, Catherine Cummins, Winifred Cutler, Jean Henderson, Elizabeth Jackson, Eleanor Munsey, Mary Pittard, Olivia Rhea, Irene Risser, Beth Spivy, and Martha Catron Whiteley.

In the All College Circus held annually during the Texas State Fair there were eleven Pi Phis from Texas A and Texas B. Although the Queen was from Texas A, Texas B claimed eight princesses, among them Huldah Harrison, elected by popular vote to represent S. M. U.

Lois Williams has been pledged to Z Φ II, honorary dramatic fraternity.

Lucile Womack is president of the Girls' Debating Club, and a member of the honorary fraternity, T K A.

Catherine Marshall is a past-president and member of Σ Φ , honorary journalism fraternity for women petitioning Θ Σ Φ , national journalism fraternity.

Δ Z was installed here last spring and Δ Γ this fall, thus nationalizing all women's fraternities on the campus. This should bring about better local Panhellenic conditions.

Texas B is very proud of the new Υ Φ baby, Martha Ann Francis, daughter of Theta Province President.

Π Φ , like other chapters on the S. M. U. campus, has an overflow of pledges, due to the vacillating policy of the Correlation Committee, composed of members of the faculty, supplemented by the action taken by local Panhellenic. This action has brought about small active chapters and large numbers of pledges.

To help this situation and to promote unity in the chapter, Texas B is planning to form a Mothers' Club in January. Mothers of more than twenty actives and pledges live in Dallas. They and visiting mothers will be entertained at a Sunday afternoon tea. Plans have been made for a program combining explanations of Π Φ standards, ideals, and history with music and singing.

The pledges entertained the active girls at the University Club, a Spanish type house surrounded by a turfed lawn, the whole on top of a twelve-story building in the heart of town, on December 18. Favors were antique jewelry boxes with the Π Φ seal on them. Escorts of the active girls were presented with rose buds.

S. M. U. won the Southwest Conference championship in football for 1926.

Half of the stadium on the campus has been completed, and the opposite side will be erected in the near future. The total seating capacity will be about 19,000. The science building, Hyer Hall, named for the president-emeritus, and two dormitories for women are in occupancy this year for the first time. An elaborate church, equipped

with pipe organ and chimes, is being completed this year. It is situated on the edge of the campus, and is used by the community as well as by the university students.

A. C. Zumbrunnen is filling a new office at S. M. U., that of dean of men. Mrs. S. J. Hay has remained this year as dean of women.

The Dallas Little Theatre, in order to promote interest in the drama, has inaugurated a plan whereby a limited number of the college students may attend the last dress rehearsal before the regular performance, at a nominal fee. A number of Texas B members have enjoyed this privilege during the last few months.

Π B Φ is making a special effort to sponsor class meetings and parties. At the first and only senior party held so far, five of the eight seniors went, outnumbering the other women's fraternities.

EVELYNN BABERS

LOUISIANA ALPHA—H. SOPHIE NEWCOMB COLLEGE
(Chartered 1891)

INITIATES

(Initiated November 6, 1926)

- Arthe Baldwin, '29, 20 Audubon Pl., New Orleans, La.
 Frances Blacklock, '29, 1829 Bordeaux St., New Orleans, La.
 Phoebe Bone, '29, Crowley, La.
 Cynthia Chappell, '29, 2000 Talbot Ave., Columbus Ga.
 Edith Eskrigge, '29, 1333 Webster St., New Orleans, La.
 Clara Guthrie, '27, Bastrop, La.
 Grace McKittrick, '29, Elms Court, Natchez, Miss.
 Aline Mitchener, '29, Sumner, Miss.
 Charlotte Wilson, '29, 5207 Prytania St., New Orleans, La.

Louisiana A has initiated the nine of the upper classmen pledges she took in September. After the candidates for initiation had passed their pledge examination with a high average, they were initiated on November 6, at the home of Delphine Caron. A cooky-shine followed at which all of the new initiates were called upon to give stunts. A negro dialect by Aline Mitchener was voted the best stunt of the evening.

The last week in October was filled with activity for Louisiana A. The alumnae gave a Hallowe'en party to the active chapter and pledges on October 29 at the Caffery home. The alumnae gave some excellent original stunts, and came out victors in the games of potato chasing and the other "indoor sports." Every pledge was assigned to some alumnae who took charge of her for the evening. In this way the older Pi Phis met the new ones and the pledges had the opportunity of seeing the fine spirit and loyalty of their alumnae.

On Sunday, October 31, the pledges gave the active Pi Phis an all day boat ride on board the "Cocheeco." They cruised across Lake Pontchartrain, which was wave tossed and rolling like a vertiable ocean, and anchored in a little bayou on the other side. There everyone ate lunch and the pledges gave their impressions of the actives, caricatures which were screamingly funny. On the way home, the pledges presented a huge cake decorated with the $\Pi \Phi$ arrow to the actives and sang a song to the tune of "Drink to Me Only with Thine Eyes", pledging their loyalty to the fraternity.

On Saturday, November 13, Mrs. John Stewart gave a tea to the actives and pledges of $\Pi B \Phi$ at her home. All the new initiates appeared, proudly wearing the arrow. Mrs. Stewart's tea forged another link in the close friendship that exists between actives and alumnae of Louisiana A.

Newcomb ball, volley ball and Newcomb basketball games have all been played and $\Pi \Phi$ was well represented on all teams. In volley ball, Dorthea Martin, Ida Mae Born, Grace McKittrick and Frances Dymond made the class teams. In Newcomb ball Stella Hayward, Maridel Saunders and Adele Jahnce represented the fraternity on first teams, while Gladys Hopkins, Ethel Jane Westfeldt, Jack Bartlett, Amelie Ellis, Flora Hardie and Mildred Martin acted as substitutes. In Newcomb basketball, one of the major athletic events of the year, $\Pi \Phi$ shone brightly, with two class captains, Ida Mae Born and Adele Jahnce, four first team girls, Ida Mae Born, Adele Jahnce, Grace McKittrick and Maridel Saunders, and Adele Jahnce on varsity team. Everyone is now busily training for hockey and $\Pi \Phi$ has some good prospects for hockey players.

The Christmas season was celebrated by the chapter in two parties, the first a Christmas tree party given to the orphans of the Jackson Avenue Home on December 17. There was a present for each orphan and fruit and candy galore. The children sang a Christmas carol in thanks for the party and everyone went home happy.

Sunday night, December 19, was the date of the annual fraternity Christmas party. Every active and pledge had drawn the name of some girl in the chapter, to whom she was to give an anonymous present. As these presents might be either compliments or slams and as they were all prefaced by a short poem, their opening caused much excitement. All of the gifts were very "a propos" and some of the verses extremely clever. The refreshment committee was in a very perturbed state all thru the party because the ice cream did not arrive until after the presents had been given out.

MARIDEL SAUNDERS.

IOTA PROVINCE

MONTANA ALPHA—MONTANA STATE COLLEGE

(Chartered September 30, 1921)

Pledge Day—September 30, 1926

Soon after the last letter was written, rushing closed and $\Pi \Phi$ headed the list with fifteen pledges, who are: Lois Cobleigh, Jane Fabrick, Flora Davis, Esther Bunnell, Elizabeth Smith, and Helene Maxey of Bozeman; Marion Johnson, Elizabeth Gardiner, Marjorie Ritchie, and Margaret Lemmon of Anaconda; Martha Flynn and Alice Elise Hopkins of Deer Lodge; Leone Galerneau of Billings; Esther Stockton of Strathmore, Alberta; Wilma Horsen of Three Forks. These new pledges immediately entered into the campus activities. They entertained the other fraternity pledges at an "open house" soon after pledging. Lois Cobleigh was woman chairman for "M" day, the annual freshman cleanup day and celebration.

Next in importance is the announcement that Montana A leads in scholarship for the fall quarter, this being the fifth consecutive quarter. The fraternity average was a full two points above that of the nearest rival, A Γ Δ .

New patronesses were selected soon after rushing closed and a lovely formal tea was held at the chapter house in their honor. Before the holiday vacation began, a Christmas party was given for the alumnae, actives, and pledges, who put on a stunt for the others. The patronesses gave the chapter as a Christmas present, a silver tea service. During the holidays, the town Pi Phis entertained the alumnae at an evening party.

Both active members and pledges are playing an important part in campus activities of all kinds. Frances Wylie was chairman of Girls' Vocational Congress, and was selected to represent the "Spirit of the College" in the Pageant. She was also chosen for Φ K Φ . Lenore Sullivan, Mary Patton, and Shirley Fabrick, also, held chairmanships during Vocational Congress. Ruth Rutledge has been elected to one of the standing chairmanships of A. W. S. Jo O'Conner is managing editor of the weekly paper, while three pledges have earned positions on the reportorial staff. Four actives are working as sectional editors of the *Montanan*, the year book. Judith Creel is president of the Art League, and Ruth Rutledge is a manager of the annual Y. W. C. A. Stunt Night.

The campus has been remodeled, as has Montana Hall, the first building on the Hill. Herrick Hall, the new women's building is now completed and in use. It was formally opened with a reception in January.

Θ N, a local fraternity was granted a charter by K Σ , and was installed as Δ A chapter during the fall quarter.

The engagements of Frances Wylie to Jack Travis, Σ A E, Margaret Campbell to Arthur Post, A T P, of the college faculty, and of Jo O'Connor to Stewart Avery, T B, have been announced by the chapter.

Jo O'CONNOR

IDAHO ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO
(Chartered 1923)

The week before Christmas, the members of Idaho A entertained the pledges, patronesses, alumnae and mothers with a cooky-shine. Afterwards inexpensive toys were given from the heavily laden Christmas tree. Then the members gave a couple of stunts and a short play in order to amuse the guests and keep in practice that ability which was so diligently trained in pledge days.

Two beautiful table lamps were given Π Φ by the house mother, Miss Froman, and the patronesses. The mothers' club presented a handmade filet luncheon cloth. The Ω Φ A corporation gave a large piece of tapestry which gives the new home just the proper finish.

The house opening is to be this month, having been delayed for the new grand piano. Now, however, all furniture is here and the campus is to see the lovely home of Π B Φ .

Idaho A has emphasized activities this year. Margaret Kinyon is editor of *The Blue Bucket*. Lucille Anderson, Anne Donstan and Etheldeane Perkins are on the staff of this campus magazine. Margaret Gnaedinger has been elected as sophomore editor to the *Gem of the Mountains* and Marlys Shirk is on this staff.

Marie Johnson, Lois Russell and Anne Donstan have taken a very prominent part in the all-college plays this fall. Helen Samuels, Rachel Jenks, Marie Johnson and Anne Donstan made the Pep Band Show.

Mary Vina Goldsmith and Marylou Craven are newly elected members of W. A. A. Marylou made the rifle team and Mary Vina, along with Frances Gallet, Eloise Wright and Letha Wilton, are on the *Argonaut* staff.

Vivienne Beardmore has been elected as secretary of the S. A. I. Vivienne, Lois Russell, Rachel Jenks are in glee club. Seven girls are in the Choral Society—Anne Donstan, Edna Wagoner, Josephine Standaahl, Margaret Brady, Letha Wilton, Bess Faraday and Ruby Williams.

Anne McMonigle is secretary of the A. S. U. I. and also of the Executive Board. Lucille Anderson is secretary of the junior class. Margaret Gnaedinger was appointed on the social committee of the A. W. U. I. Adamae Dorman is on the cabinet of the Associated Women's League.

Janet Hawkins is a member of the university orchestra. She and Anne Donstan have been chosen for the Philosophy Club. Alice Hard-

ing is secretary of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet, belongs to the Home Economics Club and is the big sister captain.

Erna Sholtz is on the committee for Junior Mix. She was chosen as one of the four most beautiful girls on the campus for the last "Gem."

JANET A. HAWKINS

WASHINGTON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
(Chartered January 1907)

Pledge Day—October 8, 1926

The fall quarter has been one of the most brilliant and most successful that Washington A has ever experienced. The nineteen pledges have more than lived up to their recommendations. Among them the chapter has a three piece string orchestra, many of the girls dance, read, and play the piano very well, and one was elected secretary of the freshman class.

The pledges are Alice Murray, Catherine Smith, Marian Baker, Elenor and Marian Lovering, Strella Fritts, Lillian Villa, Eada Brunvoldt, Jeanette Morrow, of Seattle; Edith Kizar, of Spokane; Bernadine Ditter, of Yakima; Margaret Emery, of Napavine; May and June Sievers of Everett; Louise Hastert, of Aberdeen; Mary Ware, of Coeur d' Alene, Idaho; Lauralinda Wood, of Vancouver, Canada; Marjorie Wallace and Frances Wright, of Long Beach, Calif. A pledge dance and a cooky-shine were given in honor of the pledges on pledge night.

Another bright spot on the $\Pi \Phi$ calendar was the informal, the first one given in the chapter house. This was a Mother Goose affair. The house was decorated with large baskets of chrysanthemums and on the walls were silhouettes of all the Mother Goose characters. The guests came dressed in costume and everyone from Red Riding Hood to Jack-be-nimble was represented.

The alumnae club of Seattle and the Mothers' Club have both given some very successful rummage sales and card parties this year. As a Christmas present the Mothers' Club gave the chapter some china and a very beautiful $\Pi B \Phi$ hammered door plate.

The alumnae club of Tacoma gave a handsome bridge lamp for the living room.

The university has been rather at a disadvantage this year without a president, but now it is taking great strides to make up. The new \$800,000 library is now in use, the new art building is completed, a mines building has been started and at last the girls are to have a new gymnasium, work on which has already begun.

ADELAIDE WOODWORTH

WASHINGTON BETA—WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE

(Chartered July 6, 1912)

Pledge Day—September 28, 1926

INITIATES

(Initiated October 9, 1926)

Martha Dyer, '28, 5254, 15th N. E., Seattle, Wash.

Frances Turnley, '29, Box 266, Rosalia, Wash.

Dorothy Sturgis, '29, Box 114, Bremerton, Wash.

ItoI Scranton, '29, 19 S. Palouse St., Walla Walla, Wash.

Students of Washington State College returned after the holidays to find a new campus post office completed and occupied. The space it formerly occupied in Bryan Hall has been used to enlarge the library rooms. Laborers are also at work finishing Wilson Hall and the mechanic arts building, and erecting a new men's gymnasium. During the summer improvements were made in the way of new bleachers to the athletic field and several new tennis courts.

In November a tea given by Panhellenic for the newly installed chapter of $\Lambda \Xi \Delta$ was given at the $\Pi \Phi$ house. The rooms were decorated with barberry and autumn leaves.

$\Pi B \Phi$ won second prize for a scene given in the annual College Revue. The scene consisted of a clever mystery act presented by Frances Emerson, Virginia Browne, Frances Turnley and Elizabeth Killian.

Π Phi took the women's leads in "Rollo's Wild Oats" presented by the Speech Department in November. They were Virginia Browne, Catherine Franzen and Margaret McCaskill. The play was doubly cast and Catherine Franzen and Margaret McCaskill took the same part in different performances.

Ruth Quarrels has been pledged to $\Pi A \Theta$, women's educational honorary fraternity, and Esther Anderson to $\Sigma K A$, women's history honorary. Frances Turnley, Helen Carr and Frances Emerson were elected sponsors for R. O. T. C. battalions and companies.

Ethel McKenna has announced her engagement to James Hart, $K \Sigma$.

JOSEPHINE CLYDE

OREGON ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF OREGON

(Chartered October 29, 1915)

Pledge Day—September 20, 1926

An unusually eventful term has been completed at the University of Oregon. Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall was inaugurated as the fifth president of the university on October 18. College presidents representing institutions from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from British Columbia to southern California were present for the inaugural.

This ceremony marked the beginning of a week of celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the university. At the time of the organization of the university on October 16, 1876, less than forty students were registered in the collegiate department. At the present time more than 7,900 students take advantage of the courses offered each year. Approximately 3,500 are registered and the remainder are enrolled in the extension department and summer sessions.

Homecoming celebrations merged with those of the semi-centennial. Several buildings were dedicated, the most notable among them being the new fine arts buildings dedicated to Prince Lucien Campbell in memory of his twenty-four years of faithful service.

Oregon's new \$175,000 basketball pavilion was finished in time for the first basketball game with the university of Idaho on January 22.

Oregon A is still rejoicing over the pledging of Margaret Clarke, Mildred Conklin, Mary Duckett, Katherine Elkins, Helen Hembree, Grace McKeown, and Beatrice Milligan during rush week, and the pledging of Bonita Tischner, Esther Chase and Lou Ann Chase later in the term.

The sophomore informal closed the social events of the term. On that occasion, $\Pi B \Phi$ received the Oregon loving cup, given to the organization first to subscribe 100% to the *Oregana* year book.

JACQUOISE KIRTLEY.

OREGON BETA—OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

(Chartered 1917)

Pledge Day—October 3, 1926

Following the Christmas holidays, January 3 found every girl of Oregon B, with the exception of one, returned with renewed enthusiasm for this quarter's work.

Jean Vilm has just returned from the Merrill Palmer School of Homemaking at Detroit, Michigan. Miss Vilm was given a scholarship there by the Home Economics Department of this college. While east along with the president of the student body, Jean also represented O. A. C. at the conference of the National Student Federation of America.

Marian and Barbara Seale are anxiously anticipating a trip abroad, sailing from New York on March 3.

Alice Kuney has been appointed home economics editor of the local magazine, *The Oregon Countryman*.

The week-end of November 20 found the $\Pi \Phi$ house busy, as well as all other houses on the campus, for many of the alumni were back to visit their alma mater at homecoming time. Oregon B enjoyed the return of twenty of her alumnae.

O. A. C. is very proud of her new \$300,000 women's building which was officially opened for use this quarter. It is indeed beautiful and much appreciated by the women students.

This past quarter the local Y. W. C. A. has sponsored a series of discussions on subjects that confront modern youth. These have been in the form of after dinner talks and have been most interesting and enlightening, affording many an opportunity to express views and hear others comment on such matters.

MIRIAM DUNCAN.

KAPPA PROVINCE

CALIFORNIA ALPHA—LELAND STANFORD, JR., UNIVERSITY
(Chartered 1893)

INITIATES

(Initiated November 6, 1926)

Elizabeth Doyle, '29, 3020 Tulare St., Fresno, Calif.

Alexia McCarthy, '29, 180 Dorantes Ave., San Francisco, Calif.

Grace Williams, '29, 117 North K. St., Madera, Calif.

In November $\Pi B \Phi$ was honored with a visit from Amy B. Onken. The girls were happy to meet her and spent several very pleasant days with her.

The scholarship averages for the last spring quarter show $\Pi \Phi$ second on the list of women's fraternities and twelfth among all the college organizations.

$\Pi \Phi$ is very proud of the fact both Elizabeth Crebs and Velma Randall were elected to Cap and Gown, women's honorary fraternity.

Velma Randall, who has been very prominent in campus dramatics, is president of Masquers, women's dramatic society; Alexia McCarthy is on the sophomore staff of the *Stanford Daily* and is also a member of the sophomore cabinet of the Y. W. C. A.

Marjorie Wilson has announced her engagement to Walter Wood,
A T Ω .

DORIS BONNER

CALIFORNIA BETA—UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

(Chartered August 27, 1900)

California B has just begun preparations for a busy rushing season which consists of a week of dinners, luncheons, teas, and other events.

As this semester has just started very little of interest has been accomplished, so far, in the house or on the campus. Margaret Hahman has been reappointed as a captain of the senior advisors. Constance

Holmes is temporarily on the *Blue & Gold* staff and is continuing to work for a permanent appointment.

Frances Cooke was elected to Torch and Shield, one of the campus honor societies.

Many interesting events happened last semester after the chapter letter was sent to press. The most outstanding of these events was the visit of Amy B. Onken, Grand President. The girls greatly enjoyed her visit and had a wonderful opportunity in meeting Miss Onken. A tea was given to introduce her to the campus. Among the guests were President and Mrs. Campbell. Miss Onken gave the girls many interesting talks, particularly one about the Settlement School.

Several engagements have been announced in the past few months: Lena Sims to Norwood Nichols, ZΨ; Virginia La Rue to Charles Willi, X Φ. Clyde Swick to Thomas Peterson, Jr., Φ Γ Δ; Ruth Snyder to John P. Morgan, Φ Γ Δ; and Phyllis Chamberlain to Albert Duffl.

HENRIETTA HAHMAN.

CALIFORNIA GAMMA—UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

(Chartered July 27, 1917)

INITIATES

(Initiated October 20, 1926)

Geraldine Farrer, '30, 2380 Highland Dr., Chevy Chase, Glendale, Calif.

Louise Gair, '30, 366 No. Van Ness Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

Frances Holmes, '28, Upland, Calif.

Eleanor Reynolds, '28, 344 So. Norton Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

Edwarda Rothe, '30, 962 So. Magnolia Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

Dorothy Ruff, '29, 1400 Spaulding Ave., Hollywood, Calif.

Dorothy Smith, '28, 1762 Ivar Ave., Hollywood, Calif.

Mary Stohr, '28, 207 Virginia Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

California Γ has had an extremely busy and interesting fall semester. The rushing season was especially successful, ending with fourteen new pledges: Harriet Hauge, Helen Lawson, Isabel Loftus, Katherine Ault, Carolyn Ayers, Evelyn Dennis, Josephine Eckhart, Betty White, Louise Gates, Juliet Dix, Dorothy Lohman, Maude Ryan, Janet Culbertson, and Gertrude Cowles.

The alumnae club, assisted by the active chapter, gave a benefit bridge party and fashion show, at the newly completed Elks' Temple. California Gammas acted as models for the lovely gowns from the exclusive "Irene Frock Shop", and the active girls served as ushers. About 1500 persons were present.

The biggest event of the year was the joint visit of Amy B. Onken, Grand President, and Grace Parker McPherson, Kappa Province Presi-

dent. California Γ gave a tea in their honor, inviting the faculty, campus organizations, and parents of Pi Phis.

On the campus, Homecoming was celebrated December 3 and 4, ending with the Notre Dame game, a Homecoming parade of all campus organizations and a dance that evening. The following week the junior class entertained with the traditional Junior Prom. Several Pi Phis were on the various committees.

Z K E has been granted a charter by Φ K Ψ , and is to be installed in February.

Ethel Huff has announced her engagement to Phillip Moore, and Kathleen Campbell, president of California Γ is to be married in June to Donald Cameron. Mr. Cameron was student-body president at U. S. C. last year.

California Gamma's Christmas formal dinner dance was given at the West Port Beach Club, and was exceptionally lovely. About sixty couples were present.

JEANNE SUMMERFIELD

ARIZONA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

(Chartered August 1, 1917)

Arizona A announces the pledging of Electa Berryman, Helen Fowler, Evelyn Jamison, Glenna Karns, Mary McReynolds, Cathryn Miller, Alice Plumer, Helen Sunderland and Helen Talbot.

The outstanding event in Arizona Alpha's calendar for the first semester was the visit of Amy B. Onken. The chapter feels greatly benefited by the President's visit and inspired to greater cooperation and accomplishments.

The pledges have shown much initiative and ability in campus activities. Helen Talbot has played in several recitals. Helen Sunderland has danced for various college and fraternity functions. The active members have held to the usual Π Φ standard on the campus being prominent in both student body and other organizations. Olgo Charles sang over the radio for the *Desert*, the annual year book. Ada Mae McCoy is W. A. A. sport leader. Margaret Bennett is secretary of the Art Club, Dorothy Coffin holds a similar office in Π Λ Φ , educational fraternity, while Frances Bowers and Anna McLachlan are on the Y. W. C. A. cabinet.

Margaret Bennett has had a story printed in the *Manuscript*, the campus literary magazine. Lucia Slavens has been elected to Wranglers, a literary club. Frances Bowers took the lead in "Suppressed Desires", presented by the Shanah players.

Arizona A held her annual Christmas cooky-shine before the girls left for the vacation, at which time the alumnae presented the chapter with some salad forks.

ZELDA CHITTICK.

NEVADA ALPHA—UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA
(Chartered 1915)

Pledge Day—January

Nevada A was privileged to receive a visit from Amy B. Onken, Grand President. While Miss Onken was here, a reception was given in her honor to which the town alumnae, the women of the campus and the women faculty were invited.

The actives of Nevada A gave a slumber party for the pledges early in the semester. Later a dance was given in their honor. The dance was known as the backward party, as prizes were given to the worst and the fastest dancers. The music of the opening dance was "Home Sweet Home."

The homecoming game was played with St. Mary's this year. The entire week-end was spent in celebrating Homecoming and Aggie days. Several Pi Phis took active part in making them successful. A tea for the alumnae and $\Delta \Theta$ was given October 22, and on October 23 there was the homecoming banquet. A large football rally was held before the game, and the "Wolves Frolic", the annual campus show. Homecoming parade and a successful Aggie barn dance followed. During the two days Pi Phis sold chances on a Buick car to help the American Legion raise funds for a much needed community house. Excitement was added to the week-end by the arrival of several hundred Shriners from San Francisco to help dedicate the transcontinental highway exposition arch.

This year the Pacific Intercollegiate Press Association held its meetings on the University of Nevada campus.

Nevada A is very proud of her pledge Kara Lucas. She made the women's debating team and had the honor of debating with the University of California team and defeating them.

There have been various social events on the hill, the annual Panhellenic dance; the sophomore hop, portraying the attic studio of an artist; the junior prom, given at the new state building, and a revival of the military ball.

In the middle of the semester Nevada A changed her chapter house. The alumnae club gave new rugs for the house and the chapter purchased a grand piano. A shower was given by the active girls and pledges to raise money to improve the appearance of the new house. $\Pi B \Phi$ gave a waffle breakfast for the campus that proved very successful.

The University of Nevada is very proud of the fact that many of the faculty are listed in *Who's Who*. Dr. Church, a member of the faculty, was present on the expedition to Greenland for the purpose of snow surveying. The university also is on the list of approved colleges and is steadily, through the efforts of President Clark, gaining a higher reputation.

KATHERINE DAVIDSON.

ILLINOIS BETA—LOMBARD COLLEGE

(Chartered 1872)

Pledge Day—October 6, 1926

Illinois B has been laying special stress on scholarship this year and at the end of the first semester the results seemed to be very satisfactory. Eighteen girls, (including both active girls and pledges), were on the honor roll, and Ethel Gottrick received straight A.

The main project for this year is the raising of a fund for the purchase of new furniture. The chapter has held various sales and a benefit dance, and letters have been written to the alumnae explaining our project to them. They have been very generous, and the fund is growing rapidly.

Another benefit dance was given in conjunction with Illinois Δ, for the benefit of the Settlement School, and it was very successful.

Illinois B has a new pledge, Elva Tucker, thus giving us sixteen splendid pledges.

Faith Townsend was selected as the Lombard Perfect Girl by the class in Anthropometry, and was presented with a silver loving cup.

Marion Poor and Dorothy Tilden are members of the debate squad, and the former was elected president of II K Δ honorary debate fraternity.

Mr. Frank Hough, a Lombard graduate, left \$50,000 to Lombard in his late will.

Cora Wood, an active member, was married to Clarence Murphy on January 11. Both are seniors at Lombard this year.

Elsbeth Logeman and Betty Newman are assistants in the physical education department this year. Betty Newman has been elected president of the judicial committee at Lombard Hall.

Beth Fredericks was selected as queen of the Homecoming carnival, and Betty Newman and Marian Poor were among her four followers.

MARIAN POOR.

(Received too late to include in regular order under Epsilon Province.)



EXCHANGES and COLLEGE NOTES

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THE PRIVILEGE OF AN EDUCATION

Practically all of the universities and colleges in the East reported an increase in registrations this year. When the University of Pennsylvania had completed on October 3, only 87% of its registration of full-time students, it had already been unable to admit about 2,200 students who sought admission. Yale University Law School is another institution that is facing the problem of too many students. In spite of an advance of \$50.00 in the tuition charges, the number of registrants was greatly increased. At present the trustees are studying the question of how best to limit the size of the school, without injuring its value to the students and to the legal profession.—*The Tomahawk of Alpha Sigma Phi.*

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GROWTH AND PROGRESSION

Nearly all of the strongest fraternities are in the process of rapid expansion,—rapid in comparison with their conservatism of a few years back. In the dash for numerical supremacy Kappa Sigma has just stolen a lap on Sigma Alpha Epsilon and spurred to a total of 101 active chapters. But that is nothing. If they continue along the policy of the last decade it will be but a few years until there will be eight or ten fraternities boasting of 100 or more chapters. And most of these are leaders in the fraternity field. It rather indicates that the so-called "exclusive" fraternity is completely out of date.—*Sigma Phi Epsilon Journal.*

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"The Fraternity an Asset to the Traveler" is the title of an article in the *Journal of Sigma Phi Epsilon* by Douglas W. Clephane. Mr. Clephane says, "One of the privileges that falls to every member of the fraternity is the possibility of finding a true friend on short notice in practically every town in the United States. Many of us regard our fraternity as merely an aid to our college career but it reaches

far beyond that. Nearly ten thousand men, in business and professional life, distributed over forty-eight states and twenty-five foreign countries stand ready to aid and entertain every wearer of the Sig Ep heart. Fifty chapter houses have their latch strings always out to the brother away from home and the boys, I find from experience, stand ready to do anything that may be necessary to make the traveler feel more at home.

Every initiate falls heir to this widespread feeling of fellowship. In a business or social way it is priceless. We have for the asking a powerful organization in every community which will aid a man in every possible way. It is up to each man to take every occasion to meet his brothers in other sections of the country and to stand ready to perform any service when one of his fellows calls upon him. The more we make of this possible interchange of ideas through travel, the more our fraternity can become a life-long asset and pleasure to us.

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The Angelos of Kappa Delta remarks: "It is an obvious but somewhat overlooked fact in the administration of sororities that eighty or ninety per cent of the membership must of necessity be alumnae; and that a few years in the college chapter are but prelude to ten times that many of alumnaehood. Which is to say that the greatest majority of Kappa Deltas, and of all Greeks, are the ex-collegians; hence, the ultimate test of our strength is the loyalty of our alumnae."—*The Sigma Kappa Triangle*.

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ALL PRAISE TO ALPHA CHI OMEGA AND HER TEN YEAR SCHOLARSHIP CAMPAIGN

To fittingly celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the sorority, a ten-year scholarship campaign among the college chapters of $\text{A X } \Omega$ is about to be organized. The chairman writes thereof: "After all is said and done, scholarship is our primary purpose when we enter a college or university. It should, therefore, receive the best of our time and effort. To be sure, activities, so-called, are broadening and the participation in them often brings individual and chapter glory, but when college days are over which will stand by us—a cup for the tennis championship or a mind well-stored with knowledge which prompts accuracy, good judgment, fitness, and fine feeling?

"Activities have their proper place in the college program—the place they rightfully hold cannot possibly be filled by a complete program of scholarship. The well-rounded student needs both, and if he is well-rounded, one need not be sacrificed for the other."—*The Angelos* of Kappa Delta.

THE WHY OF INSPECTION

Inspection is primarily a preventive measure. In another sense it is the linking up of the national with the field at large, through this personal representative of the fraternity who comes really as a friendly counselor and adviser, rather than a critical person, inspection-bent. But in speaking of prevention, consider the men who inspect the ties and rails over which the oncoming trains must go—constructive prevention, if such a phrase can be used, and applicable to our present subject. Their work is that of safe-guarding, and their inspection is welcomed. Chapters, like trains, can go off the track.—*Themis* of Zeta Tau Alpha.

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A GOOD SUGGESTION

In these days of bustle and turmoil, one sometimes is inclined to believe that hospitality is a lost art. It is not that we do not welcome our guests or that we think less than we used to do, of others, but we are always on our way somewhere, as it were, and we let our welcome consist in a handshake or a luncheon, or a sight-seeing bus. This metaphor might be extended indefinitely, but its application is apparent.

Is courtesy lacking in our Chapter Houses? Oftentimes, Alumni are prone to discourse at length on the faults found upon their infrequent visits "back home," forgetting that themselves as they were in college and the modern customs of entertaining visitors.

The art of hospitality may well be included among the liberal arts studied and practiced by our Chapters.—*The Delta* of Sigma Nu.

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Phi Beta Kappa is engaged in the greatest financial campaign ever undertaken within the Greek-letter domain with her goal the raising of \$1,000,000. The fund will be used largely in the encouragement of scholastic pursuits, much of it being by reward for effective teaching. About \$40,000.00 will go to complete a memorial building at William & Mary College which is being built at a cost of \$100,000.00—*The Journal* of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

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Intelligence and knowledge may be far removed from wisdom, but if raised to the nth degree, they become consonant with wisdom. The nearer we approach wisdom, and the more sincerely we practice its dictates, the better may we order our lives, as well as our social relations. Hence, an education, in its very struggle to approach wisdom,

must of necessity become an advantage and power to every individual, if the essential quality in that struggle be SINCERITY.

"In our day a college education too often shows a lack of sincerity, thereby frustrating its supposed objective and resulting in a mere external varnish, without enduring substance beneath. Such a so-called education is but a disadvantage, for it dissipates and perverts the very essence that the search for wisdom demands."—DR. JAMES A. BACH—*The Angelos* of Kappa Delta.

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The February issue of *The Crescent* of Gamma Phi Beta is a Panhellenic number. A prominent member of each of the women's fraternities was asked to contribute an article.

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IDEALS

ROBERT McMURDY

To live in the affections; not to dwell in pride.

To cultivate courtesy, which fosters brotherhood and is the manner of the heart.

To be gentle with those who serve, since they are not free to resent.

To avoid arrogance which corrodes the man and estranges his fellows.

To mingle freely with all classes, and thus to know mankind.

To be mastered by no habit or prejudice, no triumph or misfortune.

To promise rarely, and perform faithfully.

To choose hobbies with care, and pursue them with diligence.

To value people above thoughts, and thoughts above things.

To curb the personal wants, which expand easily but shrink with difficulty.

To foreswear luxuries, ever indulged by shunting the cost onto others.

To be just, man's supreme virtue, which requires the best of head and heart.—*The Alpha Gamma Delta Quarterly*.

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A UNIQUE OFFICE

Sigma Phi Epsilon is, we think, the only fraternity having an official architect. By appointment of the executive committee A. P. Dippold, the recently elected Grand President, has that function and in his office—an architect's office, by the way—may be found files of plans and specifications of all houses owned by chapters of Sigma Phi Epsilon with, appended to each plan, comments upon matters of de-

sign that have under experience given cause for criticism. Missouri Alpha has now gone a step farther than other chapters in employing the official architect to draft the plans and specifications for its new home about to be built. In view of his wide architectural experience and the time and study he has put in on fraternity house plans it only stands to reason that our official architect is in a better position to plan a well-arranged house than other architects.—*The Journal of Sigma Phi Epsilon*.

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A COMMENT ON SCHOLARSHIP WORTH CONSIDERING.

College women may be charming anywhere. They may be socially popular, renowned for ability in sports or drama; they may be as loyal to their friends in one place as another, but there is only one place where they may have the opportunity of meeting in intellectual competition.

Our colleges and universities offer that competition, and a college career is a success only insofar as it accomplishes the purpose for which the college stands—the desire to extend intellectual life.

Alpha Chi Omega desires for its members the best that college years can give. As our model we do not uphold the "grind", neither do we exalt the girl whose highest aim is "popularity", but we do offer our respect and congratulations to the college woman who is giving her intellectual life an opportunity to root itself deep in the subject matter that will enrich her own life from year to year and will bring her renewed pleasure in her association with persons of culture all her life long.—*The Lyre* of Alpha Chi Omega via *The Angelos* of Kappa Delta.

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AN OVER SUPPLY?

The question as to an over supply of honor or honorary fraternities has been raised. There is but one solution and that solution must be arrived at by the present existing societies of that nature. Discrimination against worthy men in small schools has been the cause of most of the agitation for new groups. Had men felt that they were receiving just consideration, many of the present number of new societies would never have come into existence.

If scholarship, forensic ability and scientific research had been recognized where ever found men would have been content. Primarily America is a place where every citizen deserves an equality of opportunity. America is a place where if a man is a man he should be recognized. One of our most prominent scientists came from a small college that has since gone out of existence. Has any honor society been in any hurry to elect him to membership? Oh, yes, after long years he

is elected as an honorary member. His Alma Mater prevents his becoming a member by merit, he must always be an "Honorary." In the days gone by, time after time men from small schools won the State Oratorical Contests, but what chance had they for recognition. The larger schools refused to give them such and they organized a society of their own. Scholars are graduating from many colleges and giving the world the greater share of its new stock of knowledge but have they a chance for recognition from a society governed by the larger schools?

Is it any wonder that many new societies are growing. If the older groups will break their shell and reorganize upon broad American standards and recognize true scholarship and ability everywhere alike, they can solve this problem. It cannot be solved until they do.—From *The Theta News* of Theta Kappa Nu.

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COLLEGE WOMEN MAKE A SURVEY

A vocational questionnaire, filled out by 1,590 high school girls of Oklahoma City, at the request of the local chapter of the American Association of University Women and the Young Women's Christian Association, indicates that the chief interests of modern girls are music and dancing, and next to them stenography and acting. Aside from music with 676 votes and dancing with 520, it is interesting to note that 66 checked policewoman, 94 animal raising, 256 home-makers, 147 beauty operators. Only 9 per cent of this large group were not daughters of American born parents. Forty-four per cent of the girls had decided on a vocation. Of these 310 had chosen occupations in the business field, largely clerical. The next largest group (173) were planning to be teachers. The rest scattered their choices. "A study of the individual girls could be made," Katherine Woodruff, Y. M. C. A. employment director, points out, "to see how many have chosen their professions with a view to economic advancement rather than personal interest.—Alpha Gamma Delta *Quarterly*."

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THE BEST

In a perusal of other Greek-letter magazines it is interesting and delightful to note the ever-recurring sentences of "the best fraternity in the world," "We are keeping—at the top" and many similar combinations that abound in the expressions of loyalty and assurance. *Often they admit that their fraternity is the best.* A boast? A challenge? No—for who would give a rap for the member who did not thoroughly believe that his or her fraternity was the best. It is, insofar as it has fulfilled its mission in the life of that individual. So, proud asser-

tions that such and such a fraternity is best or "there is no fraternity like——" are not mere boasts. They are expressions of belief and loyalty and we eventually arrive at the conclusion that, judging from the Congress fraternities, there are nineteen "best" fraternities but to the individual there is just one that completely fills the bill and suits exactly. Therefore that particular one is "best". And the readers of *Themis* all have their own particular views as to the one they call best. In fact, we know that they are very opinionated on the subject.—*Themis of Z T A.*

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We are groping our way out of the materialism that has encircled college life these two decades or so just past into a return to a practical idealism, to say the least, which may become again a seeking of Truth, if not a desire for the intangible and invisible values that make a reality of life. Dr. Van Dyke expresses it well when he says, "The object of a college education is not to enable a man to earn a living but to teach him how to enlarge and enrich his mental and moral life, to be a real person and not a mere cog in the machine of industry."

The part which fraternities play in college life is more clearly seen in such a light. The Chapter House is more, much more, than a dormitory or a dining-hall, and the fraternal ties do not assist in making a living so much as they make living a worthwhile thing. Fraternities which cultivate an earnest atmosphere of study and, even more, a zeal to achievement are building a structure for their housing more durable than the house walls, more lifeful than the personnel of membership.—*The Delta of Sigma Nu.*

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"FIFTEEN MINUTES A DAY"

Commercialism has exploited in this country the idea that men can buy culture by spending fifteen minutes a day in the perusal of a certain set of books, says *The Laurel* of Phi Kappa Tau. The object is not the broadening of mental vision, but business success. To become the center of social attraction among your acquaintances, to rise from office boy to president of the firm in six years, to impress all who meet you with your striking grasp of world problems and your masterful personality—fifteen minutes a day is all that is necessary.

The fallacy that culture for any purpose can be secured by an application of only fifteen minutes a day is so apparent that further comment is unnecessary. The unfortunate part is that such a vast proportion of men *are* going through college applying the "fifteen minutes a day" attitude to their college work. They are surrounded by unparalleled opportunities to gain a rich foundation of literary and

artistic appreciation that will be a life-long possession, yet, because such things are beneath caste in college, many a person shuns courses and persons who could aid in guiding aright the growth of this sense of appreciation of the vastness and beauty of life, be it from philosophy, literature, art, or whatnot.

And so with a veneer of social polish, a moderately good line of conversational chatter, and a contempt for intellectual work, the majority of college graduates are graduated. Now this may not be entirely the fault of the student. The profession of college teaching does not always attract the men, who, by sheer personality and ability, have the God-given power to inspire those who study with them. Far too many college instructors have a completely reverse effect on their classes.

Yet, however true this may be, it does not release the student from his own responsibility. In comparison with the opportunities afforded other generations, the modern student has manifold advantages of which it seems he will not avail himself.—*Alpha Phi Quarterly*.

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Getting out a magazine is no picnic. If we print jokes folks say we are silly; if we don't they say we have no sense of humor. If we publish original matter they say we lack variety; if we publish things from other papers they say we are too lazy to write. What in thunder is a poor editor to do, anyhow? Like as not someone will say that we swiped this from an exchange. We did—*The Palm* of Alpha Tau Omega.

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What does it mean, Fraternity?
 What does it mean, to you?
 Is it just a name, bringing local fame
 With perhaps a friend or two?

What of your life in the world of Greeks?
 What have they gained through you?
 Have you won a smile, done a thing worth while
 Or—wasted a year or two?

Ah, what *does* it mean—Fraternity?
 To the girl with a heart of gold
 'Tis to love and serve, high ideals preserve
 With a wealth of joy untold.

—*The Key* of Kappa Kappa Gamma by way of *The Triangle* of Sigma Kappa.

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