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Calendar

SEPTEMBER

Fiscal year begins September 1.

College calendars due Central Office, Province Director and Chairman of Inspection by September 15.

Audits for second half of previous year due Mrs. Simonson September 15.

CRESCENT material and glossies for December issue due Mrs. Pinkerton October 10. (Greek-letter chapter letters and pledge lists regularly printed in this issue.)

Comparative scholarship rating of campus sororities for preceding year due Central Office not later than November 1.

Publicity stories due Central Office October 1.

Pre-initiation and final initiation fees due Central Office within two weeks.

By October 1 of year preceding convention, send all proposed amendments and other business for convention consideration to Grand President.

OCTOBER

Lists of chapter members and pledges (new and hold-overs) due Central Office and Province Director immediately after pledging (after college opens if chapter has second semester pledging).

Rushing report due Province Director immediately after pledging.

Order pledge manuals from Central Office immediately after pledging. Each pledge required to have her own copy.

CRESCENT subscriptions (included in final fee for new subscribers) due Central Office by November 1 if they are to begin with next issue.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

Publicity stories due Central Office November 1.

NOVEMBER

First installment of Greek-letter chapter dues and \$6.50 for bound CRESCENTS and subscriptions to *Banta's Greek Exchange* and *Fraternity Month* due Central Office December 1.

Publicity stories due Central Office December 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

DECEMBER

CRESCENT material and glossies for February issue due Mrs. Pinkerton December 15. (Alumnæ chapter letters printed regularly in this issue.)

Alumnæ chapter dues and camp tax due Central Office January 1.

Publicity stories due Central Office January 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

Nominations for Province Director due President from alumnæ chapters by January 1 of odd years.

JANUARY

CRESCENT subscriptions (included in final fee for new subscribers) due Central Office by January 15 if they are to begin with next issue.

Publicity stories due Central Office February 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

FEBRUARY

Lists of chapter members and pledges (new and hold-overs) due Central Office and Province Director by February 15.

Rushing report due Province Director immediately after pledging.

Order manuals from Central Office immediately after pledging.

Second installment of Greek-letter chapter dues due Central Office March 1.

Acknowledgment of bound CRESCENTS due Central Office February 15 of odd years.

Publicity stories due Central Office March 1.

CRESCENT material and glossies for May issue due Mrs. Pinkerton March 1. (Greek-letter chapter letters in this issue.) Glossies of active chapter delegates to convention due editor March 15.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

MARCH

First semester audit due Mrs. Simonson March 15.

Name and address of new rushing chairman (Greek-letter and alumnæ) due Central Office *not later than April 1*.

By April 1 or as soon thereafter as possible, send lists of officers for ensuing year to International Officers indicated on blanks.

CRESCENT subscriptions (included in final fee for new subscribers) due Central Office April 1 if they are to begin with next issue.

Publicity stories due Central Office April 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

APRIL

Publicity stories due Central Office May 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

MAY

Report on pledge manual due Central Office May 15.

In convention year, send list of members (Greek-letter and alumnæ) who have died since preceding convention to Central Office by May 15.

CRESCENT material and glossies, including list of Greek-letter chapter members elected to honoraries during past year due Mrs. Pinkerton by close of school year.

Publicity stories due Central Office June 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

JUNE

List of Greek-letter chapter members who have acquired honors during preceding year, due Central Office and Mrs. Pinkerton by July 1.

Greek-letter chapter history for preceding year due Central Office July 1.

List of graduates and members not returning to college due Central Office and Province Director July 1.

Pre-initiation and final fees due Central Office within two weeks.

Publicity stories due Central Office July 1.

Greek-letter chapter officers store instructions, equipment of office and supplies in safe place in chapter house before leaving for the summer.

Alumnæ chapter letters, marriages, births and personals due Mrs. Pinkerton July 15.

Publicity stories due Central Office August 1.

AUGUST

CRESCENT subscriptions (included in final fee for new subscribers) due Central Office August 15 if they are to begin with next issue.

Publicity stories due Central Office September 1.

Fiscal year closes August 31, ending period covered by annual taxes paid since preceding September 1.

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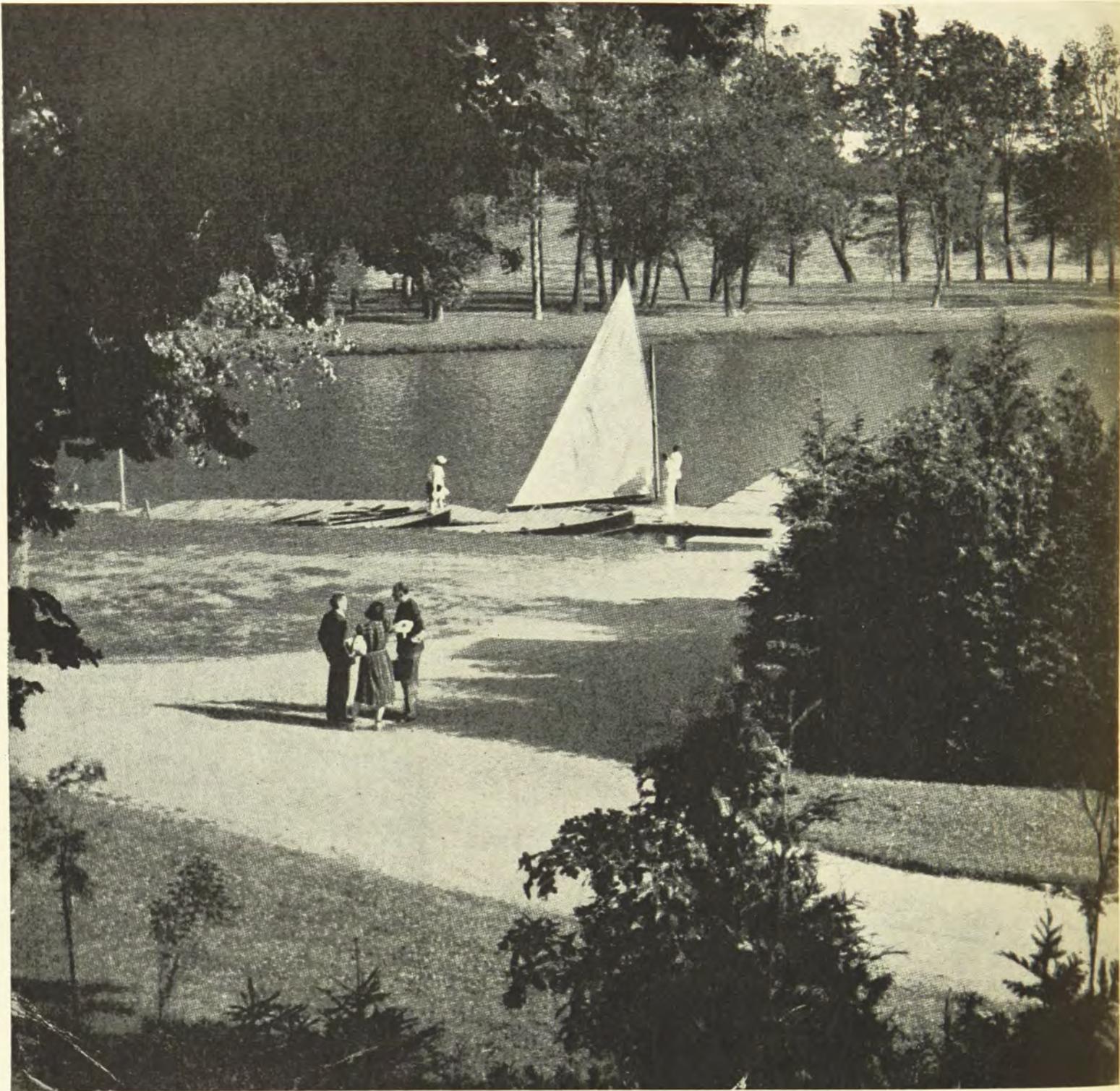
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ON THE GROUNDS of quaint Seigniory club, Province of Quebec, Canada, where Gamma Phi Beta will hold its International Convention June 25-29, 1942.

From The Magic Hill

By Margaret Meany Younger

Washington and Palo Alto Alumnae

From her home on the Stanford campus Mrs. Strong, as state president, directs the 250,000 membership of the California Parent-Teacher Association.

IN ONE WAY or another Margaret Hart Strong (Iota 1911), has always been involved in the field of education. In Barnard College she was still on the receiving end, but blended things nicely by serving as CRESCENT correspondent. Then, as if to forestall any period of transition, she married a brand new Ph.D., became the first bride of her class. Margaret, Jr., Mu '32, was the first class baby, and thereafter the Strongs embarked in earnest on the distribution end of education.

The Strongs live on Stanford campus, on the same magic hill that holds Mu chapter house and Herbert Hoover's home. For twenty years Dr. Strong has developed his "Vocational Interest Test" which discovers the type of employment or occupation which a boy or girl will enjoy and in which he will probably excel. This research has been proven by check ups over ten and fifteen year periods. Margaret, Jr.'s profession is a delight to her parents. A successful young statistician, she is now with the War Department as "Junior Personnel Technician."

Margaret Strong will complete twenty years of active service in P.T.A. when she finishes her present term as California State President in 1942. It has been a constant interest, beginning in Pittsburgh and continuing in Palo Alto with increasing responsibility.

California State P.T.A. is a large and powerful organization with a membership of nearly 250,000—1/9 of the national membership. Its administration requires a suite of offices and two full time secretaries. The State President also serves in the following capacities: member of California Council of Education, member of California Council of Defense, director of California Conservation Council, director of Association of Adult Education, director of California Safety Council, member of Advisory Committee of N.Y.A. on correspondence with secondary schools, member Advisory Committee on Crippled Children of State



Margaret Hart Strong, Iota '11

Department of Health, member editorial staff California *Journal of Elementary Education*, member of Taxation Committee of State Chamber of Commerce. Not much time for mischief!

Among the projects of special interest two seem outstanding. California State P.T.A. has a Scholarship Loan Fund of \$100,000 which has helped over 400 students with loans of from \$150-\$600, without interest and payable when the student begins to earn. A non partisan Round Table on legislative problems has been established with a monthly meeting of presidents and legislative representatives of state-wide women's clubs and the P.T.A.

"If I have a special policy," said Mrs. Strong, "It is close co-operation with the State Department of Education, with heavy emphasis on Parent Education, and co-operation in defense activities to bring about the right sort of surroundings for boys, the protection of the community and to emphasize the fact that the training period should be made a constructive part of youth's education—not an interruption. We should continue a sane program for the sake of children during a period of pressure."

And the eager loyalty of this Iota Gamma Phi! While efficiently presiding over this complex organization she spied a Crescent down in front and after the meeting closed she hustled down to find and greet two Gamma Phi district presidents of P.T.A.: Mrs. R. H. Butcher (Helen Burdick, University of Denver, '22), 12th district of Santa Paula and Mrs. A. V. Vierhus (Elizabeth Blakeslee, Illinois '20), 29th district, of Calexico. D D D

90 Miles Of Curves From Lima

By Martha May Newby Brewer

Rollins '36

and

Betty Runals Henshaw

U.C.L.A. '37

Mrs. Brewer (right) is the daughter of Ruby Warren Newby whose method of flower painting was described in the December '40 issue. With Mrs. Henshaw she is finding life fun 14,000 feet above sea level.

MOROCOCHA, PERU—14,000 feet above the blue Pacific, population circa 1,000, would hardly be considered the crossroads of the world, but here it is that Floridian Gamma Phi Martha May Newby Brewer and Californian Gamma Phi Betty Runals Henshaw, find themselves while their husbands (Louis Julian Brewer, Sigma Nu, Colorado Mines '32 and Paul Carrington Henshaw, Harvard '36) delve into the copper interests of Cerro de Pasco as shift boss and geologist, respectively. So now we are pleased to have an alumnae chapter in Peru.

Martha May and Betty are hard at work mastering the intricacies of Spanish. Fortunately, the cashier's wife, a delightful Italo-Peruvian, has generously offered her services as teacher, and the girls have now advanced to the "four verbs in the imperative—vegetable and household noun" stage, which enables them to direct the slow but steady progress of their Indian muchachas (maids).

Both the muchachas are not, as is often erroneously imagined at home, descendants of the proud and mighty Incas; rather, they are the broad-faced, black-eyed Indians whose ancestors perhaps tilled the high mountain terraces of the Inca. They speak a strange mixture of Spanish, which they learned in school, and the native Andean Quechuan. Both can read and write—laboriously. Martha May's girl, Tiofala, is a willing, though rather slow worker. She tries desperately, but is given to blaming the cat for broken dishes and bringing home one beet from the Plaza as her vegetable purchases for the week. Juana,



Good Neighbor Alumnae Chapter

Betty's girl, is about as broad as she is high, talks with a lisp, adores cooking, which she does pretty well, and always forgets to water the flowers. Both muchachas wear two long black braids, and on Sundays sport the deep, Churchill-crowned straw hat with wide black band, heavy shawl and wide, vivid skirt of the mountain Indian women.

The Peruvian alumnae live in Tuctu, which they playfully term "the residential section of Morococha." Located about a mile out of town, it is the walled-in compound which houses the "gringo" employees of Cerro de Pasco—about fifty people. Besides fifteen houses for the married couples, there are a hotel and barracks for the single men, termed "seagulls" in local jargon; a dining room for the seagulls and a clubhouse, wherein are held the dances and despedidas (farewell parties), and where, once a week, a movie is shown with lights up between each reel. Below the camp is a nine hole golf course, credited with the title of "highest in the world" (14,500 feet). There is also a small Christmas red and green clubhouse—one room and one golf trophy.

Although Hendrik Willem Van Loon recently maintained that no one could exist above 12,000 feet, the Gamma Phis and other members of the Tuctu colony exist quite well. Violent exercise is uncomfortable, but it is possible to play a leisurely nine holes of golf, dance a sprightly measure to the recorded rhythms of Eddy Duchin, Horace Heidt, Benny Goodman, etc., or sit down to a fast rubber of bridge.

All in all life in the Andes isn't so bad, and if any Gamma Phis come to Lima (and it's quite the thing to see South America now) drop Martha May and Betty a card at Morococha. It's about ninety miles of twists and curves from Lima, and they'd love to show you a llama or two. D D D



Margaret
St. George

“Her Cuffs Are Unwilted”

By Margaret St. George

Denver '37, Denver Alumnae

As Instructor in Fashion Subjects at Denver University Miss St. George guides Gamma Phis and other college women in discriminating taste in clothes.

THE subject of clothes, the art of dress, should be a compulsory part of every college curriculum. Surely the knowledge of art principles in dress, how to choose and how to wear clothes beautifully is as important to a college woman as qualitative or quantitative analysis.

The study of clothes for the college girl should have for its aim the establishment of good taste. Can good taste be developed through art appreciation courses? Or is it something that is born with one? Can rules be studied and discriminatory skill be acquired by using one's eyes, brain, and imagination in order to learn good taste? It is my philosophy that the development of good taste is a perpetual series of learning situations. I thought college girls should learn taste and discrimination in choosing their clothes when I inaugurated four years ago in the art department of the University of Denver a freshman course in clothing selection.

This course stressed the study and application of design principles of line, pattern, texture; the color harmonies and qualities of hue, value, and intensity; the diagnosis of personal needs; the assembling of accessories; and the buymanship of ready-to-wear and fabrics. The girls became so enthusiastic after this offering that they requested a course in original costume designing. Having drawn some glowing illustrations of what they wished they could have, they asked how to draft paper patterns for their designs. Then came the need for knowing more about textiles for more intelligent buying. Still another freshman course in clothing provided excellent historic background of costume not only for amateur dressmakers but also as research for those interested professionally in costume design.

I was fresh from a highly technical fashion training at the New York School of Fine and Applied Art, New York University, and with an M.A. from the University of Denver. Incidentally it was during my graduate year at D.U. that I was pledged and initiated into Theta of Gamma Phi Beta.

I soon found that the factor in such study that appealed to freshman and sophomore students was that they could dress exclusively and smartly at little cost, because they knew all about clever buying of ready-to-wear or were able to design and make their own.

There are several kinds of dressers: the crisply costumed girl, starchy, obvious, touch-me-not; the fussy one who pats herself and picks off imaginary threads; the girl whose every move is a picture and who keeps glancing downward to see that each fold is in place; the girl whose clothes, no matter how new and stylish, never quite seem to belong to her; and then there is the girl according to a Gamma Phi song whose “hats are tilted, her cuffs unwilted,” who is well adjusted to her clothes but who doesn't let them rule her. “The list is long of the men she's jilted.” She is the girl you all want to be.

You would discover, should you look over a list of the world's best dressed women, that every one dresses to idealize her face and figure, to compliment her coloring, and to dramatize her temperament. *Your* wardrobe won't be as extensive or as expensive as a world famous personality's, but it can be quite as becoming.

There has been a noticeable flocking of Gamma Phis from Theta, transfers from Alpha Phi and Tau chapters to these Denver University classes in dress. The approval of the sorority pledges and actives has been demonstrated. D D D

Named Dean at Oregon State

By Janet Seggel

Oregon State '43

BY ACTION of the Oregon Board of Higher Education last spring, Mrs. W. Homer Maris (Buena Margason, Nu '18) was elected dean of women of Oregon State College, to succeed Mrs. Kate W. Jameson, retired from active service after eighteen years as dean.

The Maris name is not new to Oregon State College. Member of a prominent Oregon family, Mrs. Maris attended the University of Oregon, marrying W. Homer Maris (University of Oregon, Phi Delta Theta), who had conducted advanced study in entomology at Oregon State for several years. While at O.S.C., Mr. Maris helped to establish the local chapter of Phi Delta Theta and left his name among campus immortals as composer of the Alma Mater.

For the next decade, Mr. and Mrs. Maris lived in Washington state and in Washington, D.C., where Mr. Maris was National Head of the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, retraining disabled soldiers in agricultural vocations. Mr. Maris' next professional work was as a professor in the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma.

Following Mr. Maris' death in an accident in 1933, Mrs. Maris enrolled as a student at College of Puget Sound to complete her undergraduate college work, receiving her A.B. in June, 1936. She was elected to Mu Sigma Delta, an honorary petitioning Phi Beta Kappa.

Mrs. Maris taught one year in the Tacoma high schools, securing leave to work toward her master's degree, which she received in June, 1939, at Oregon State College. She was here elected to Phi Kappa Phi as a graduate student. While working toward her master's, she taught family relationships, starting with an enrollment of forty-three students which increased to 215 students in two years. She was then elected to take the position of Extension Specialist in Family Relationships. For the past two years, Mrs. Maris has been an invited guest of the Hazen Foundation at conferences held at Big-4 Inn in Washington state and at Monterey, California.



Buena Margason Maris

During her few years on the Oregon State campus, Mrs. Maris has made many enthusiastic friends. Her new position as dean of women will make the privilege of knowing and loving her available to all of Oregon State's students.

Chi chapter has been proud to have Dean Maris on the campus. We have enjoyed having Mrs. Maris and her daughter, Marjorie, a senior at Corvallis High School, for dinner; and we were made happy by her gracious expression of pleasure for the pink carnations sent in congratulations for her election. D D D

CONGRATULATIONS

Announcement of Mrs. Buena Maris as dean of women to succeed Mrs. Kate W. Jameson arouses in students who do not know Mrs. Maris the questions, "Who is she?" "What has she done to get the job?" and, most prevalent, "What's she like?"

Students, reporters and parents who have enjoyed knowing and meeting Mrs. Maris find difficulty in curbing their enthusiasm. Her friendly smile, lovely voice, the sense of humor betrayed by her sparkling brown eyes—these claim their share of adjectives.

From her democratic philosophy springs the tolerance and the understanding which so thoroughly qualify Mrs. Maris to be the counselor of each Oregon Stater as well as the guiding hand in women's affairs on the campus.

Congratulations to Mrs. Maris upon her appointment but more especially, congratulations to Oregon State college upon its new official mother.

—Editorial, Oregon State *Barometer*, campus newspaper

Inca Ruins On Macchu Pitchu

By Elizabeth E. Hewit

Stanford '33 and Spokane Alumnae

Oceans beckoned Elizabeth Hewit; she spent part of 1936 in China and Japan after three years on the staff of *The Spokesman Review*; attended Columbia School of Journalism in 1938; won the Pulitzer Traveling Scholarship of \$1,500 and spent 1939-40 in South America. She is recuperating from a serious illness at the present time.



*Elizabeth
E. Hewit*

I WAS in Cuzco on my tour of South America, yet it will always seem a dream to me.

We started out on the high untreed plains and rode deep into the tropical jungle following small streams which flowed out of the plains and slowly into the heavily jungled low section of the tropical river.

We walked awhile carrying our packs until we found natives with mules, and in order to repack them we had to cross the river on a hanging bridge. Then as we rode back and forth to directly climb the mountain that dreamy feeling returned. Peering below, the river and its verdure was startling. It wound in a U around the mountain we were climbing, making us feel completely cut off from the realistic world. The top of the mountain was completely covered with pyramidal demolished structures. The mountain was called Macchu Pitchu, and the structures were Inca ruins.

The sun sank as we arrived and weariness led me to bed soon after dinner. In the morning, however, curiosity, enthusiasm, the bright sun, and a poor bed brought me out to salute the dawn.

I smelled the air so refrigerator fresh, so clear, so cold. So ethereal was the scene, I expected to catch myself butterfly-fluttering over the mauve and pink and blue mass before me—the clouds that filled the great distance between the mountain top and the river

below. I had never been above the morning clouds before.

The clouds covered us gloomily, then vanished waft by waft, to return the sunlight over the rectangular Inca ruins. Ruins so old that the word "antique" seems as new as "modern" when applied to them. Only the bases remained standing. Tremendous granite rocks, put together with no plaster, cement, paste, glue or chewing gum, merely by a perfect fit in cutting. In the middle stood the house put together most exactly, made of the most carefully hewn stones, and surrounded by the other houses for protection. The roughest homes were on the outside for the poorer people. In the front center were three curved windows cut perfectly from stone and used apparently for spying.

I sat on an enormous sundial on the top of the mountain. (Yes, the Incas had those too.) I climbed and rose to the top of the granite pieces and searched in the berry patches to taste the sweetest wild strawberries of my memory. I dropped from tier to tier over the remains to pick an armful of wild gladioli and asters.

There were orchids too; scarlet ones that turned back one long leaf from a sunlit stamen. All these seemed to bloom just over some craggy cliff, but life was not important in securing a sample. Our Romeo hung himself by one foot, plucked a blossom and presented it to me on bended knee. Romance and beauty!

Macchu Pitchu is on the map. Our trip is in the book. The orchid is dryly pressed in my diary. Yes, I was there—but the color of the orchid, the blend of the glads and asters, the sweetness of the berries, the thoughts I had, the feelings the morning air brought me, those clouds—these things will always be a dream to me. D D D

Tears, Laughter At Minnesota

Mary Evans, housemother at Kappa for 18 years, was married to Sen. Elmer Adams of Minnesota in June. Members of the chapter initiated her into honorary membership at the close of the university year.

THE din and confusion, the tears and laughter, the thought and love that went into the planning of a "Red Letter Day" initiation in the history of Kappa chapter; the delightful formal banquet, the girls gay in their devotion and happiness, striving to hide their tears at our approaching loss, singing the dearly beloved songs as they have never been sung before; closing with "Goodnight Little Sister," each and every one of us unashamedly weeping; all of these things will be marked indelibly in our memories.

Last night was glorious and sparkling, but today, and every day from now on, we will realize our loss. We are supremely proud and pleased to present our newest initiate to our sister chapters: Mary C. Evans, housemother at Kappa chapter for the past eighteen years, the guiding angel and mother, not only to every active, but to the entire alumnae organization as well, with the understanding of a saint and the wisdom of Solomon. We are trying to reconcile ourselves to her departure, as now she is really one of us, and what is our loss is a fine man's gain, for Mary Evans was married in June, to Senator Elmer Adams, a life long friend from Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

Mary Evans came to Kappa chapter eighteen years ago, to stay for a few months. The months lengthened into years; we all sincerely hoped and prayed they would continue indefinitely. Her thoughtfulness, faith and loyalty are contagious, and her calm acceptance of the goodness of all, inspirational. The actives come to her with their troubles, and the alumnae lean heavily on her sturdy shoulder; nothing is too trivial that does not get her undivided attention and counsel, when desired. Mary Evans knows all of her "girls"; she remembers anecdotes in connection with each, and her true interest is satisfying. Just recently one of the new initiates said: "Oh, Mrs. Evans, I hope you will never leave us! When the stairs get too hard for you, we are



Mary Evans Adams

all going to chip in and put an elevator in the house for you!" So to say that her announcement was anything short of a blitz krieg, is putting it mildly!

The girls were at dinner, singing blithely, entertaining some alumnae. Mary Evans seemed distraught, most unusual for her. Finally she rose and gave her speech. There wasn't a dry eye at the table and when the waiter passed the usual five pounds, the blow had been so unexpected and stunning, that their sole thought was: "How can anyone resort to levity by announcing their engagement at a time like this!" But finally the card penetrated the tear-dimmed perceptions and they read: "Mary C. Evans to Senator Elmer Adams." Then pandemonium reigned—in fact it has enveloped the entire campus, because Mary Evans is dearly beloved by all. Fraternities came to serenade her, telegrams and gifts arrived all week, and her corsages would be a young lass's delight. She rarely wore them, though, for fear they might hide her dearest possession, a shiny new pledge pin! Last night as we walked up the steps of the house for initiation, most of the occupants along "sorority row" were standing, as if at attention, to pay their respects to our new sister.

We hope she will visit us often; she will ever be in our hearts and minds. But were I not to see her for ten or fifteen years, I can visualize her greeting: "Why, Peg dear, how nice to see you, and is your arthritis better!" As I said, Mary Evans has a memory, even better than the proverbial elephant!))))

—By PEG WIEGAND BURNHAM
Northwestern, Minneapolis Alumnae

She Gathered Cloves And Spices

By Jean Iverson

University of North Dakota



Janice and native chief

UP THE east coast of Africa from Cape Town, Union of South Africa where she taught school—Durban, Zanzibar, Mombasa; Ceylon, India, up the slopes of Mt. Everest; the Vale of Cashmere; Rangoon and Burma; aboard a scrap iron ship from Hongkong to Kobe; across the Pacific on a palatial liner to the Golden Gate and San Francisco. A chapter in adventure from the life of Janice Breitwieser, Alpha Beta alumna, still in her middle twenties!

She traveled up the East Coast of Africa, stopping at Durban, Zanzibar, and Mombasa. At Zanzibar she traveled into the interior of Africa, and there bought a native chief's weapons and was photographed with him. She then went to Ceylon and landed at Colombo where she drove into the country and gathered cloves and spices. She made an extensive stay in India; at Madras she visited the school for the deaf, and was offered the principalship there. Here she traveled across country especially to see the seven pagodas. When she got there she found that six of them had fallen into the

Janice Breitwieser, University of North Dakota '22, told in the September '38 CRESCENT of her life in South Africa. Since then she has been around the world and is now teaching at a school for the deaf in Oakland, California.

sea! When she reached Calcutta she decided to see Mt. Everest; she was the only person who spoke English on this trip and had to get along by making signs; she also carried her own sleeping equipment. She stopped at Darjelli in the Himalaya mountains, and on that trip visited the "Vale of Cashmere," which she thinks is the most beautiful spot in the world. After this she returned to Calcutta, stopping at Rangoon and Burma. From there she visited forts in Malay, Penang, and Singapore. While there she stopped at the hotel which is supposed to be the most cosmopolitan hotel in the world. Next she went to Saigon in French Indo-China. What impressed her the most was the luxury of the growth of the tropical plants and shrubs. In spite of war conditions she went to Hong Kong, and fifty to sixty miles inland. There the children followed her around as a curio, but she said she found them peculiarly honest. At Hong Kong it seemed that her trip was about to end because of the Chinese-Japanese war. However she persuaded an English sea captain to take her on a scrap iron ship, the only passenger and the only woman, to Kobe, Japan, and before this trip had ended they had taught her to maneuver the boat. She spent about ten days in Japan and visited Kyoto, Tokio, Nikko, and Yokohama. At Nikko she got the Geisha girls to put on their dances for her. There she stayed at native inns, ate with chopsticks, sat on a mat, slept on boards, and took her shoes off before she went in. On the way home she took the *Empress of Japan* to Honolulu and the Hawaiian Islands. She landed in San Francisco, completing her trip around the world.

Lately she has written numerous articles for the *Volta Review*, the Journal for the deaf. She claims that the best equipped school for the deaf is in Japan.



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Happy Landings!

By Miriam Jarvis Johnson

Syracuse '36

WHY did you take up aviation? That question is asked of me so often that I feebly laugh and pass it off. It is a little mixed up with European wars and the feeling that I should like to grow up with the modern world. My father is sure that it is only because I had tried everything else and flying was the only thing left. I ignore him! It really is of very little importance now, to me or to anyone, though I still feel strongly that at this time when we need every available man for defense purposes women can play a great part in helping—in aviation.

What can women do? I shall be able to answer that more fully when I finish with a project that is now in embryonic stages; a survey showing the opinions of prominent men in the field of aviation and associated fields of business. I do not refer to just flying but to business as well. I have long felt that the possibilities for women were tremendous, quite aside from the pleasure gained.

I started out a year ago learning to fly while working at an airport—the job made the flying possible and they started together. The airport was a mecca for pilots from everywhere and I learned a great deal—perhaps more on the ground from conversation and work than I did from flying. I don't think I really began to learn to fly until after I had taken the CAA course plus some outside flying, and went on a trip for a British Relief organization—flying a larger ship through the south and middle west. The person who went with me was certainly taking his life in his hands for I realize now that a private license really means only that you know how to take the car around the block with a friend in it. You know little of driving in strange traffic and very little about unfamiliar airports and finding your way around. Only experience can teach you those. A month in St. Louis, with constant association with all the people in aviation that congregate at that large airport, and association with others in aviation were invaluable.

Unity of thought and feeling is necessary today. If in a branch of defense work even a small group spread over a large area could keep abreast of developments, helping one another and giving others a chance to follow, we

Miriam Jarvis Johnson, pilot, member of National Aeronautical Association, '99-ers, honorary member NX11 of St. Louis and reorganizer for Women Flyers of America, recently completed a three-months flying tour to 130 airports in the interests of the "thumbs up cavalcade" of the British-American Ambulance Corps. She is enthusiastic about the college woman's place in the future of aviation.

might be doing a small part to create and help further the aims of our country. Aviation is and will continue to be a big thing; in pleasure and in work. There is no reason in my mind to think that we as Gamma Phis cannot keep up with all that is being done in a modern progressive world as well as do everything possible to help further the spirit of comradeship and democracy. We haven't even touched the difficult times in store for us all and I'd like to see us linked together to help in all ways possible. Aviation is a fascinating game but it is also coming to have a new meaning to us all—the means by which people win and lose battles. It cannot be thrust into the background for it will affect us now and in the future—and again when normal times return. One more common point of relationship while we are in college or afterward can do us only good and I for one am keen to know what some of my sisters may find in aviation or what they are doing in it. If in time there is a large enough group of us we might even have a bi-annual supplement to our CRESCENT! But that is a thought for the future and I don't want to frighten our hard working editors ahead of time!

An added materialistic thought—in case any of you who would like to fly suffer from the thought that it is only for the money makers, be relieved. The Government has just now temporarily barred women from their subsidy (one of those regulations) but I do it on a penny bank (restricted for instruction), a very few pennies saved and one tenth interest in a cub airplane. Two hundred hours will have cost me not over three hundred dollars in all—everything included. Many have done it under that. Besides, for those who don't mind working, there are jobs opening up every day. Happy landings! D D D



The Groenevelds ready for flight to Texas via Florida

Each Flight An Adventure

By Elsa Erler Groeneveld

University of Texas '26



Fritz and Elsa Groeneveld

JUST a year after our marriage my husband, Fritz, bought our first airplane and prepared to learn to pilot it. We have come a long way since then—have taken all the aviation courses offered in New York University (Aerodynamics, Engines, Meteorology, and Navigation), have absorbed much aviation lore from our able and charming professor, Dr. Roland M. Spaulding, and have flown nearly a thousand hours.

Both of us took flight instruction at Bendix Field in New Jersey. Fritz got his license first; and so it fell to my lot to be navigator on our first cross-country. It has been my real job ever since.

I remember with amusement our first long trip—to Texas. The evening before we left, we had the floor covered with maps. We laid out our course, drew lines on each strip and marked off twenty-mile intervals where we should be after twenty, forty, sixty minutes of flight. We decided to fly by dead reckoning, which means to go as the crow flies, calculating position by compass and watch; it is more difficult than following landmarks, but we knew it made for better flying.

Next morning we were off. By careful execution of these well-laid plans, we managed to reach Little Rock, Arkansas, in good time. From there we were to fly in one hop to Waco, Texas—by far our longest non-stop flight—and it was not without excitement. About 100 miles northeast of Waco, we encountered squalls and turbulent air. I spotted a railroad which seemed to coincide with our course and which, according to the map, led right to the airport. It is difficult, as any flier knows, to steer by a swinging compass in rough weather, especially for anyone as inexperienced in instrument flying as we were at that time; it was easier to follow the railroad. Imagine our consternation when, however, after sufficient time had elapsed to reach our destination, we saw village after village racing past beneath us; none of them appeared on the map; Slowly the realization grew upon us that we had followed the wrong track and were lost. Our gasoline supply, not too plentiful to begin with, was dwindling and there

As president of her college chapter; as organizer of the San Antonio alumnae group; as a member of the New York alumnae, Mrs. Groeneveld has deep Gamma Phi loyalty; with her husband she spends much time in the air and “hangar flying.”

was no airport in sight. Fortunately, we had a radio receiver, which we then tuned in on the Waco range station. The sound of the beam seemed friendly; but, were we flying toward Waco or away? Suddenly Fritz remembered he had read somewhere that the radio signal grows stronger as one approaches the station; after flying the beam a time, we noticed how much clearer the sound became. Good, but how far away were we? A glance at the gas gauge was not very reassuring. We proceeded tensely. When we finally landed in Waco, there was only a 15-minute supply of fuel left!

Our experience taught us new respect for instruments and that nothing is more important than flying a straight compass course. As a result, the Fairchild we now fly to Texas twice a year—with less excitement but more comfort—holds the highest equipment rating (for instrument night flying) and we no longer wander from our course. We have flown from Roosevelt Field on Long Island to San Antonio in as little as sixteen hours flying time.

Touring by air is more fun than touring by car. Each flight is an adventure and a challenge to your skill. When you take off from an airport, you leave behind you all road signs, information bureaus, and the familiar perspective of objects. You are definitely on your own in the air—an element you become accustomed to through experience alone—and can sustain yourself at speeds only professional racers would attempt in an automobile; but the satisfaction derived through each new achievement is indescribable.

“Your Best Foot Forward”

Subtitled *Social Usage for Young Moderns*, this popular book is by Dean of Women Dorothy C. Stratton and Helen B. Schleman (member of Gamma Phi Beta at Northwestern '24), Director of Residence Halls for Women at Purdue University. This review was written for the *Trident* of Delta Delta Delta by Dr. Elizabeth Lee Vincent of the Merrill-Palmer School.

HERE is a book which is full of practical help based upon the extensive knowledge of young people acquired by the authors over the many years of their experience with college students. It is full of pithy remarks and subtle humor which make it entertaining as well as highly instructive reading. There is no old-fashioned, “sour-puss” dean of women or director of dormitory business about it. Dean Stratton and Miss Schleman are themselves far too likeable and well-balanced personalities for that. Rather, the book is full of mellow understanding of young people and their problems, of young people and their desire to have a wholesome good time, of young people and their urgent need for boy-girl companionship.

As the title implies, the book attempts to answer those questions of social usage which many members of the younger generation meet frequently during their daily life. It is dedicated “to those young people who have a major interest in ‘dating,’ care about improving their table manners, entertain and visit friends, meet a great many new people, and would like to do all these things easily.”

Questions dealt with were chosen from questionnaires submitted by the current student populations of nine coeducational colleges and universities throughout the country. Students were asked to jot down those questions in social usage which had puzzled them as college students. Over 6,200 questions were submitted. They proved to be of three general kinds and fell into ten categories, and it is these categories which make up the ten chapters: (I) You and Social Usage; (II) Introductions; (III) Techniques for the Table; (IV) Dining in Hotels and Restaurants; (V) In Public Places; (VI) Dates; (VII) Social Communication; (VIII) Extending and Receiving Courtesies; (IX) Travel; (X) Personal Appearance.

Interestingly enough, the authors have not themselves attempted to answer the questions about dates and petting since this is an area in which social practices in the relationships between young men and young women are changing relatively rapidly. In order to insure answers which represent the opinions of young people, the authors have simply summarized discussions and quoted answers to these questions which were written by college student leaders, both men and women. These came from 59 coeducational

college campuses, and were made available through the co-operation of the members of Mortar Board, national honorary society for senior women. Thus, in this most significant area of social life, the authors have not imposed adult opinion but have, instead, given to young people the opinion of their own leaders.

What young people want to know about dating may be judged in part from the following questions which are chosen more or less at random from among those discussed: “Is it acceptable for a girl to date the instructor of one of her classes, or an unmarried professor?”; “Should a fellow respect the priority of a fraternity brother in the discovering of an attractive girl?”; “Is it proper for a girl to accept dates with a boy who is ‘pinned’ (by a fraternity pin) if he is away from the girl he is ‘pinned’ to?”; “In refusing a date shall I say that I am going to be busy, or shall I give a specific reason or excuse?”; “A boy respects a girl who doesn’t ‘neck,’ but will he date her?”; “Should a girl respond to affection when she has no desire to do so?”; “How can you avoid ‘parking,’ good-night kisses, etc., without hurting the boy’s feelings?”; “What do you do when your date asks what you would like to do, when you have no idea how much money he has to spend or what he likes to do?”; “How do you tactfully suggest going to a rest room when you are on a date?”; “Does a girl object to walking rather than using a taxi going to and from a dance?”

Typical of the general attitude of the book is the following from the discussion of drinking. In answering a question as to whether one has to take a drink with the crowd in order to avoid being a “wet blanket,” the authors say: “Don’t be afraid to act according to your own convictions. In all probability, they will stand the test of time as well as the next person’s. People don’t particularly mind your refusing to join their drinking, if you don’t moralize smugly as you do it.”

And again in the same discussion: “It goes without saying that no lady or gentleman ‘gets drunk.’ At least anyone who does so usually ceases very shortly to belong to either of these categories. To achieve the heights of a true ‘gentleman and a scholar’ is hard enough without trying to do it sans part of your wits. It is almost unforgivable lack of consideration for either a boy or a girl to put his or her partner of the evening in the position of having to assume responsibility for a drunken ‘date.’ If you are the sensible one of the two people and can see where your partner is heading, try to deter the weak-willed one before it is too late. Cut the evening short with an improvised appendix if you must, but don’t let yourself in for more trouble than you have to.”

Returns For 50th Class Reunion

Dr. Luella M. Masters (Alpha '91), long a physician in China returned in June to her Alma Mater to see the "new" Syracuse campus with Mrs. M. J. French (Louise Klock, Alpha '95).



Mrs. French, left; Dr. Masters, right

BABIES—by the dozens and hundreds—have interfered with Dr. Luella M. Masters' return to a Syracuse University class reunion in the past. But this year she made it! Made it because the thought of missing a 50th class reunion was just too much to bear, and because three years ago she gave up her active medical practice, so there were no babies to interfere with her plans.

Dr. Masters calls Thorntown, Indiana, her "home."

Many of the earlier class reunions were missed because Dr. Masters was in China. She recalls her graduation in May of 1891, in the newly erected Crouse memorial building, deemed so important in campus life that the medical college from downtown joined with the liberal arts college in a single graduation ceremony. Immediately after graduation she went home to Indiana, took her medical board examinations (which she insists were pretty stiff) and left in August for medical work in China.

"Ever since I was a little girl I was determined to be a doctor," Dr. Masters confided. "I used to take care of the animals and injured birds, and do all the 'doctoring' around the place. Then when I began to go to school, I was just fascinated with China and those sing-song names, and decided to go there as a doctor. But I never told anyone about it. I was afraid maybe I'd never get to go, and I didn't want them to know. But I went. And I loved it. I loved every minute of it."

That is her opinion today, despite two years of being a "refugee" in China. At first she went to Foochow, where she remained for 13 years of hospital work and general practice. Her mother's illness brought her back

to the states for a few years, but she went back to China in 1910, staying first at Chungking, where Syracuse-in-China was conducted for many years, only at that time there was no Syracuse-in-China, Dr. Masters pointed out.

She had been there a year when the republic was organized, and all "foreigners" were ordered out of the country. "I didn't think it was necessary," the alert, modern little woman stated, "but they told us to get out. But I stayed and tried to help out in different places—I was in Shanghai for four months, Soochow for three months, Tsintsin for nine months. In 1913 I gave it up and came home."

She was the first woman in her county to own and drive a car, and until she stepped in a mole run three years ago and injured her shoulder and back, she had an active practice.))))

San Francisco's time-honored Palace Hotel was the setting for the large Gamma Phi Beta Charity Ball, given by Eta and Mu Chapters and the Bay Region Alumnae. The purpose of the ball, which came as an after-finals' celebration and last gathering for the University of California chapter, was to raise money to be contributed to the fund for the Gamma Phi mobile canteen units for Britain. Actives and inactives from both chapters joined with the alumnae and friends to dance to the music of Ozzie Nelson and his orchestra. The use of all the facilities of the hotel, together with the orchestra and the floor show, were donated by the Palace Hotel management, thus making it possible to raise several hundred dollars to be added to the Canteen Unit Fund.



(Photo by Elizabeth Paine, Graham studios, Del Monte)

Muriel Hesse Simpson

Portrait Of A Gamma Phi

THE portrait of Muriel Hesse (Colorado College, University of Washington and San Francisco alumnæ), done in pastels and crayon by Roydon Martin, Carmel artist, attracted attention of artists and other visitors when it was hung in the Lial galleries in Carmel, California this summer. Since then she has become the wife of Charles Simpson (California Phi Upsilon), radio technician, and they make their home at Pacific Grove, adjacent to Del Monte and Carmel.

Memories of the Del Monte convention were revived at her wedding which took place in St. John's chapel on the Del Monte grounds and her flowers were a lei of pink carnations.

Muriel majored in French, went abroad, and has traveled in Alaska and Mexico; dabbled in the theater in Carmel, edited a weekly column "Platterbug Patter" in *The Carmel Cymbal*; did publicity for the Bach Festival in Carmel and reviews shows at the Carmel art gallery for the *Monterey Peninsula Herald* and is active in music circles. She has been a contributor to the *CRESCENT* and served as secretary of the San Francisco alumnæ chapter. D D D

Wearer Of The White Fox Cape

MRS. DWIGHT S. BARNUM (Elizabeth Ross, Alpha '28) is shown here wearing the white fox cape, the sale of which augmented funds for Gamma Phi Beta's purchase of a mobile canteen unit for Britain, and war relief work here and Canada.

A social worker, young, petite and pretty, Betty Barnum is a member of the Syracuse alumnæ chapter.

"That this should happen to me!" she wrote to the members of the Emergency War Relief committee in Washington, D.C. "In all my life I have been lucky enough to acquire one ice cream cone, one pair of roller skates, and a ticket to a ball.

"The nearest I have ever come to a white fox cape was seeing one in the movies. There isn't one like it in the city. In all my wildest moments I never anticipated that it would be as gorgeous as it is."

Syracuse alumnæ and their friends staged a spontaneous pre-view of Betty and the cape after its arrival and it has caused no little admiration and excitement in the city. D D D



Betty Ross Barnum

We Point With Pride . . .

Two dozen Phi Beta Kappas in the college year of 1940-41; 30 Mortar Boards; many college editors and staff positions; Queens at university balls; high places in Y.W.C.A., athletic and student government groups; scholarship and merit awards—this is the record of honors won by college chapters of Gamma Phi Beta.

Zeta—University of Michigan

Class of '41: Virginia Lee Hardy, Midland, Michigan; Pi Lambda Theta, national educational sorority. Lee is also retiring chapter president, retiring president of the Women's League. Ruth Fitzpatrick, Muskegon, Michigan; Scroll (senior honorary society) and member of central committee for senior supper. *Class of '42:* Margaret Hulbert, Aurora, Illinois: senior member of Judiciary Council; Alpha Kappa Delta (honorary sociology society). Helen Rhodes, Howe's Cave, New York: Music Chairman for Panhellenic Banquet; Athena (honorary speech society); leading role in Junior Girls' Play; Wyvern (junior honorary society). Louise Keatley, Gulfport, Mississippi: Newly appointed treasurer of Women's League; Mortar Board; Athena; central committee; Junior Girls' Play. Mary Gage, Mansfield, Ohio: Newly appointed secretary of Women's League; Mortar Board; Wyvern; Orientation Adviser. Rae Gustafson, Riverside, Illinois: Women's Business Manager of *Michiganensian*. In addition: also in the cast of Junior Girls' play were Evelyn Spamer, Brooklyn, New York; and Phoebe Power, Washington, D.C. Orientation Advisers for this fall ('41) were: Martha Poe, Royal Oak, Mich.; Jean Manwaring, LaGrange, Ill.; Dorothy Brooks, Newark, N.J.; and Jane Zimmerman, Milwaukee, Wis. *Class of '43:* Patricia Stelle, Muskegon, Mich.: Officer of Women's Athletic Association; representative to American Federation of College Women; Athena. Jean Jeffrey, Milwaukee, Wis.: On the tour of the University Little Symphony in February. *Class of '44:* June Gustafson, Riverside, Ill.: Program Chairman for Frosh Project. Sally Sessions, North Muskegon, Mich.: Winner in all-campus women's tennis singles; ping pong singles. First freshman woman ever to be on the women's golf team, of which she is first qualifier. On winning skating and swimming teams; runner-up bowling, badminton, and ping pong doubles.

Delta—Boston University

Delta chapter honors: Phi Beta Kappa—Jane Green and Phyllis Blake; Delta—Elizabeth Stringer; Gamma Delta Girl (highest University honor)—Grace Ward; President of the Panhellenic Association—Julia Lowe; W.A.A. Cabinet—Margaret Quill, Claire Kelly, and Elizabeth Barrie; Secretary, International Relations

Club—Margaret Quill; Y.W.C.A. Cabinet—Elizabeth Ellard; Secretary of Y.W.C.A.—Mary Maguire; Treasurer of Gamma Delta—Priscilla James; Assistant Treasurer of the Freshman Class—Priscilla James; Assistant Secretary of the Freshman Class—Claire Kelly; Freshman Camp Committee—Priscilla James and Julia Lowe; Secretary, All-University Protestant Council—Carolyn Dutton; Treasurer of W.A.A.—Helen Lymberopolis.

Gamma—University of Wisconsin

Mortar Board: Ann Lawton, Mary Jane Wolcott, Flora Jean White (outgoing senior). Phi Kappa Phi: Helen Stowell, Constance Wolcott. Sigma Epsilon Sigma: Jane Bennett, Patricia Pederson, Jeanne Rodger. Pi Lambda Theta (honorary education fraternity): Flo White, Barbara Marshall. Spring queens and courts: Mary Lu Silverman—military ball beauty court; Betty Koehn—Soph Shuffle court. Co-Chairman for all orientation work for school year 1941-42: Ann Lawton. Zeta Phi Eta (speech sorority): rushing chairman, Bette Hofmann; social chairman, Constance Sherman.

Epsilon—Northwestern University

In Mortar Board two new members, Kay Crofts and Marijane Hurja. In Zeta Phi Eta (speech honorary) Barbara Will represents Gamma Phi; and she also had the leading rôle in "Taming of the Shrew." Betty Neis was initiated into Phi Beta, speech and music honorary; and Mardel Jerrick and Sue Thomas were initiated into the educational honorary, Pi Lambda Theta. Rosalie Gay, freshman, initiated into Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman honorary. Shirley Hallgren was elected to the court of the May Queen by the coeds of N.U. and Sherrilyn Saurer was elected secretary of the Y.W.C.A. Mardel Jerrick is president of the senior class, and was the first girl in the history of Northwestern to participate in the annual Candlelighting Ceremony. In the Women's Athletic Association Virginia Wells and Marcia Cruse have been elected to the cabinet. Shirley Johnson won the athletic cup for being the outstanding senior for athletic ability, service, and scholarship. Eleanor Chamberlin is Central A.A.U. breast stroke swimming champion. For Northwestern varsity swimming Marcia Cruse, Eleanor Chamberlin, and Virginia Wells placed third in the na-

tional meet. In the Waa Mu show, Northwestern's annual musical review, Marijane Hurja acted as co-production manager, Marcia Cruse as assistant production manager, Virginia Wells as co-ticket chairman. Sally McAndrews held up the acting end of the show by being in the cast. Sherrilyn Saurer was elected to Shi Ai, the organization for outstanding junior women.

Eta—University of California

Marjorie Barker—Delta Epsilon (art honor society, corresponding secretary). June Breschini—Panile (sophomore women's honorary service society, secretary); Rally Committee. Betty Dawes—Sophomore Women's Vigilante Committee; recipient of the Florence Ewing activity pin. Harriet Gadsden—Delta Epsilon (art honor society, vice-president). Marguerite Higgins—Mortar Board; Prytanean (women's honorary society); associate editor, *Daily Californian*; Theta Sigma Phi (women's journalistic honor society); Pi Delta Phi (national French honor society). Betsey Hoffman—Sophomore Women's Vigilante Committee. Loie Judkins—Rally committee. Mary Louise Lyman—Phi Beta Kappa; Prytanean (women's honorary society); Women's Judicial Committee; Chi Omega award for outstanding study in the field of psychology. Valma Maddox—Prytanean (women's honorary society); Women's Intramural Board, chairman. Libby Mallory—Sophomore Class vice-president; Sophomore Class queen; Women's Activity Council. Sue Marx—Prytanean (women's honorary society); junior editor, yearbook, *Blue and Gold*. Ginny Robinson—Sophomore Women's Vigilante Committee. Elizabeth Simonson—Thalian (women's honorary drama society); Little Theatre art manager. Virginia Saam—Prytanean (women's honorary society); Pi Alpha Sigma (professional women's honor society, vice-president); Torch and Shield (women's social organization); Women's Executive board; Women's Activity Council. Barbara Lee Thomas—Delta Chi Alpha (decorative art society, president).

Zeta—Goucher College

Jean Knipp—Phi Beta Kappa, member of May Court. Janet Roop—editor of Goucher's yearbook, member of May Court. Jeanne Wolf—lead in Goucher's senior play, member of May Court.

Theta—University of Denver

Dorothy Robinson—Phi Beta Kappa. Kathleen Bruckman—Mortar Board. Vera Vessey—maintained the highest scholarship in the School of Science and Engineering; Alpha Lambda Delta scholarship cup; Honorary Parakeet. Jane Hicks—Honorary Parakeet. Louise Netherton—Honorary Parakeet. Calvina Morse and Virginia Erickson—Tapped for Parakeets.

Kappa—University of Minnesota

Evelyn Peterson is a member of the All-university Council, a member of the Minnesota Foundation, and chairman of the Progressive party, a political organization. She and her committees planned the campaign that placed eight members of the Progressive party in campus offices. Polly Butcher had the coveted lead in "Les Jours Heureux." Barbara Schlessman was star high diver for the Aquatic League's presentation, *Winnie the Minnie*. Helen Titlemaier received the Marion Jones pin, which is awarded the junior with the highest average. Gamma Phis entered the intersorority baseball, golf, and tennis tournaments in competition for the intramural sorority cup. Joan Erdall, star pitcher of the baseball team, is on the Intersorority Athletic Council. She is president of the council and member of the W.A.A. board. Jo was selected, as the top ranking woman tennis player at the university, to play in an exhibition match with Charles Hare, former number-one man on the Davis Cup team. Annabel Lee was in the grand march at the Senior Ball.

Lambda—University of Washington

Mortar Board, Betty Shaw and Mary Jane Carpenter. Totem Club, an upper-classman activities honorary, Betty Jo Simpson, Mary Jane Carpenter, and Betty Shaw. The journalism honorary, annual dinner Matrix Table, invited Sue Fisher, Betty Shaw, Mary Jane Carpenter and Betty Jo Simpson. Corinne Carpenter, vice-president of the sophomore class, and Dorothy Stam, secretary of the senior class and president of the speech honorary, Zeta Phi Eta. Sally Flemming was awarded "W" Key-award for freshman activities. Carol Jahns was chosen sweetheart of Sigma Chi and was awarded the annual fraternity cup. Maryan Shiel reigned as one of the two princesses at the ski carnival at Mt. Rainier. Both Margaret Jenkins' and Betty Anderson's pictures appeared in the monthly campus magazine as two of the most beautiful campus coeds. Mary Helen Birchfield styled in the annual A.W.S. style show. At the Cadet Ball, Betz Upper was one of the four chosen to be "honorary lieutenant" at the dance.

Mu—Leland Stanford University

Patricia Smith, '41—Phi Beta Kappa; Cap and Gown; Frances Crawford, '41—Phi Beta Kappa; Nancy Griswold, '41—Phi Beta Kappa; Betty Jan Binney, '42—Cap and Gown. *Other chapter honors:* Elizabeth M. Eastman—Secretary-treasurer of the class of '42; Betty Jane Binney, '42—President of Y.W.C.A.; Charlotte Downey, '44—Member of rally committee; Peggy Boothe, '44—Member of Rally Committee; Harriet Fisher, '42—Rabble sponsor and night editor on the *Stanford Daily*.

Nu—University of Oregon

Winner of the All-Campus sing contest. Jean Burt was selected one of the four princesses to rule over Junior Weekend. She was elected to Mu Phi Epsilon, music honorary, and is vice-president of the Junior Class. Elizabeth Steed was recently elected president of the A.W.S. She is also president of Phi Theta Upsilon, junior women's honorary, and a member of Mortar Board, and of Alpha Kappa Delta, social science honorary. Phi Theta Upsilon members: Connie Averill, Eleanor Engdahl, and Abbie Jane White; and two new Kawma sophomore honorary members: Neva Haight and Betty Kincaid. Neva is also a member of the Rally Committee. Babsie Roehm, vice-president of the Y.W.C.A.; Abbie Jane White is secretary. Pat Sutton, secretary of the sophomore class.

Xi—University of Idaho

Mary Ellen Dunkle was tapped to Mortar Board and was elected to serve on the A.S.U.I. Executive Board. She served at the Gamma Phi camp at Vancouver, B.C., this summer. Jane Gooding Schubert, past president and vice-president of Panhellenic was chosen I Club Queen and presided over the annual I Club dance; Betty Armstrong was elected president of W.A.A. and treasurer of A.W.S. She was also invited to Matrix Table and is outstanding in Hell Divers, swimming honorary. Eulaine Helmers was elected president of Alpha Epsilon Delta, pre-medical scholarship honorary. Dorothy Follett was initiated into this group. Mary Lou Sherman was initiated into Curtain, local dramatics honorary, and was in the "Amazons," Curtain production. Mary Margaret Quarles and Catherine McGregor were initiated into Phi Chi Theta, business honorary. Catherine is also A.W.S. representative as is Macky Calquhoun. Xi's new Spurs for next year are Phyllis Lyon and Helen Foster. Carol Brandt was initiated into Sigma Alpha Iota, musical honorary. She and Claramae Patterson are members of the Treble Clef Club. Ruth Ellen Jackson was elected treasurer of W.A.A. Dorothy Bayne was business man-

ager of "Taps and Terps," annual presentation of the Women's Athletic Department. Initiated into W.A.A. were Marjorie Childs, Dorothy Bayne, Phyllis Lyon, and Catherine McGregor. Lovina Marsh received her "I" sweater. Jane Pier was vice-president of Mortar Board. Catherine McGregor treasurer of Spurs, was appointed copy desk editor of the school paper, and Betty Detweiler was chosen a member of the university debate team. Xi also won the 1940 trophy for entertaining the greatest number of fathers on the campus on Dads' Day.

Omicron—University of Illinois

Lois Anne Dallenbach, '41, honorable mention in *Vogue* magazine's Prix de Paris contest. Martha Adolph, '41, lead in the campus German play. Peggy Roney, '41, general chairman of Homecoming and president of Phi Upsilon Omicron. June Markert, '41, won a University Scholarship Key, was treasurer of Theta Sigma Phi, and Publicity director of Gymkana. Mary K. Grossman, '41, was a member of the cabinet and treasurer of the Y.W.C.A. Bea Andrews, '41, was senior advisor of Alpha Lambda Delta, and was elected to Beta Gamma Sigma. Eleanor Hutchinson, '42, is vice-president of the Student Alumni Association, and a member of Iota Sigma Pi. Donna Jordan, '42, is secretary of the Y.W.C.A., a member of Iota Sigma Pi, Phi Upsilon Omicron, Shorter Board, and won a University Scholarship Key. Betty Hanes, '42, is a member of Y.W.C.A. Cabinet and Woman's Glee Club. Dorothy Quirke, '42, is a member of Theatre Guild and Arepo. Helen Frese, '42, was elected to Mortar Board and is member at large of Woman's League. June Mathews, '42, was elected to Mortar Board, is women's editor of the *Illio*, and won a University Scholarship Key. Ruth Rohlfing, '42, is a member of Junior Council of Women's League. Joanne Sellefs, '42, is production chairman of the Doll Show. Marianne Ailts, '42, is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota. Helen Fehrenbacher, '42, is vice-president of the Student Alumni Association. Barbara Degen, '42, is a member of Pi Delta Phi, and Alpha Kappa Delta. Jeane Holt, '43, Board of Student Alumni Association. Mary Lou Hayward, '43, is Y.W.C.A. discussion leader. Phyllis Clayton, '43, is junior editor of the *Illio*. Ronda Mann, '43, is a member of Torch, the Board of Student Alumni Association, and publicity chairman of the Y.W.C.A. Fiora Pagliarulo, '43, is a member of the Student Alumni Board, Sophomore Cotillion Committee, and secretary-treasurer of the sophomore class. Betty Markert, '43, is a member of Torch, junior cabinet of Woman's League, Student Alumni Board, and Sophomore Cotillion Queen. Marge Bennett, '43, is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, and the



Group singing, Sigma, University of Kansas. *Left to right:* MARGARET DYATT, SUE CARSON, GRETA GIBSON, BETTY COULSON, JEAN BAILEY.



Western atmosphere initiation at University of Kansas. *Left to right:* ALICE WIEBER FITZGERALD, grand president; HELEN WILKINS, Sigma; MRS. MARGARET WEST, province director; SUE CARSON, Sigma.

PEG BRERETON, Beta Beta, is presenting HELEN HAYES with a carnation corsage in her dressing room, as MILDRED SEARS and HELEN MAE TABER (nee Lininger-Theta) get into their respective actions of story-getter and picture-taker.



LULU DURHAM, University of Iowa honor student, in feminine lead in campus production of "Margin for Error."



Honored at Recognition Dinner for activity women at University of Minnesota. *Left to right:* HELEN TITELMAIER, leader in Junior Ball, active in W.S.G.A.; BETTY LABLANT, leader in Junior Ball grand march, president junior class, on "Tam O'Shanter" council of W.S.G.A.; MARY DRAKE, first alternate in grand march, member of Phi Alpha Kappa (history honorary), and president of Kappa chapter; EVELYN PETERSON, on all-university council, in grand march where line-up was on basis of points and merit system; three of 12 were Gamma Phis.



Student Alumni Board. Patricia Sullivan, '43, is production chairman of Woman's League, and a member of the Fine Arts Council. Sara Lou Ellis, '44, is a member of the Sophomore Board of Y.W.C.A. Nancy Thuman, '44, is a member of the Sophomore Council of Woman's League. Marilyn Skiles, '44, is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, and had the lead in the Woman's League Show. Phyllis Dolan, '44, is a member of the Student Alumni Board.

Pi—University of Nebraska

In the WAA election, Maryellen Robinson was chosen vice-president; Janice Marshall was elected to the WAA Council. Ardis Freeman was initiated into Sigma Alpha Iota, national honorary musical sorority; Janice Marshall was initiated into Phi Upsilon Omicron, national honorary for home economics students. WAA scholarships were awarded to Irene Hollenbeck and Mary Ellen McKee. Betty Angle and Carol Chapman were chosen members of the sophomore Coed Councilor Board. At the Rifle Club tournament, which closed this year's season, Meda May Albrecht was awarded a bronze medal for achieving third place. Leah Jane Howell was elected a member of the ag college Y.W.C.A. Council, and is also a member of the ag college Social Council. On the Home Economics Association cabinet, Carol Chapman was chosen to serve as secretary; Leah Jane Howell, as art chairman. Lougene Everson was chosen to represent Gamma Phi Beta as a model in the Coed Follies Style Show, held March 27. Irene Hollenbeck was awarded the WAA cup for high point senior girl in WAA activities. Ruth Cordes was re-elected president of Rifle Club for the coming year. Mary Ellen McKee and Maryellen Robinson were initiated into Pi Lambda Theta, national honorary teachers sorority. Maryellen Robinson, who was elected to the Student Council in the annual spring election, led the Daisy Chain on Ivy Day. This is an honor bestowed on junior women high in activities. Janice Marshall has been elected to the Coll-Agri-Fun and Ag Exec Boards, both of which are responsible positions on the agricultural college campus.

Rho—University of Iowa

Lulu Durham, Phi Beta Kappa, active in university radio and play production, included at the Good Will Dinner, a party given for the fifty outstanding seniors. Those who attended the university "Smarty Party" were: Kathleen Kildee, Lulu Durham, Frances Glockler, Evelyn Anderson, Helen Foss, and Shirley Bieg. Marian Hansen was elected president of the Junior-Senior Council of Y.W.C.A., and is, in addition, transfer orientation leader of the University Women's Association. Other Rho members active in

U.W.A. are: Kathleen Kildee, leader of freshman orientation and chairman of the election committee; and Corinne Hayes, member of the orientation council. Corinne is also vice-president of Theta Sigma Phi, honorary journalism fraternity. Florence Rohrbacher, on Y.W.C.A. cabinet, and Frances Glockler, a member of the sophomore committee. Officers of other campus organizations are: Helen Foss, treasurer of the Art Guild; Mary Dickey, secretary of the Women's Recreational Association; and Martha Ann Jordan, recording secretary of Pi Epsilon Pi, national pep fraternity.

Sigma—University of Kansas

Betty Van Deventer, U of Kansas, '41, Phi Beta Kappa, was president of her chapter for two years; member of Mortar Board, secretary of the Y.W.C.A. cabinet, member of the Student Union Activities Committee and member of Kansas University Symphony Orchestra. Betty Coulson, U. of Kansas, '41, Phi Beta Kappa, the first woman editor in fourteen years of the *Jayhawker*, K. U. annual, Engineering Queen, 1941, vice-president of Theta Sigma Phi, one of fifteen *Jayhawker* beauty queens for two years, and scholarship chairman of the Sigma chapter. Mary Ewers, Mortar Board, member of Jay Janes, finance chairman of the Y.W.C.A., secretary of Tau Sigma, member of Phi Chi Theta, chair of the counseling system. Margaret Learned, Mortar Board, president of the Y.W.C.A., president of Quack Club, freshman councilor, and member of the Glee Club. Doris Twente, Mortar Board, president of the W.S.G.A., member of Jay Janes, former member of Y.W.C.A. cabinet and Glee Club.

Tau—Colorado State College

Edith Gunn, president of Associated Women Students, was named pacemaker; Elizabeth Young, editor of the *Collegian*, pacemaker; Judy Ford elected to Tio, senior women's honorary; Ruth Fowler and Martha Ann Collier elected to Hesperia, junior honorary; Betty Case, Louise Linn, Jo Taylor, and Rose Hillen pledged to Spur, sophomore pep organization; Betty Lee Ashby named one of Colorado State's Beauty Queens.

Phi—Washington University

Lillian Barron, vice-president of Ternion, vice-president of the Women's Athletic Association, May Fete; Elizabeth Boles, treasurer of Freshman Commission, Thyrsus; Jane Boniface, Thyrsus; Jean Bradshaw, awarded the Scarab prize for outstanding freshman work in the Architectural School; Mary Lou Burris, May Fete; Barbara Davis, May Fete, elected to position of stage manager on Thyrsus Governing Board, lead in "You Can't Take It With You;" Louise Hilmer, Na-

tional Collegiate Players, treasurer of Thyrsus Governing Board; Laurie Karch, Maid to the May Queen, Beta Gamma Sigma; Helen Megel, Thyrsus; Betty Moline, Manager of Riflery, Quad Show Governing Board, Daisy Chain of the May Fete; Virginia Morsey, president of Kappa Beta Pi, editor of *Law Quarterly*; Mickey Mulconnery, Sigma Xi; Carabelle Murtfeldt, Daisy Chain of the May Fete, lead in the Quad Show; Virginia Pease, treasurer of the Women's Athletic Association; Rosalind Pistor, Alpha Alpha Gamma; Kay Ruëster, Maid to May Queen, Ideal Secretary of the Business School, Beta Gamma Sigma, Quad Club Key for distinguished service in that organization; May Ruëster, chairman of Finance Committee of the May Fete, Daisy Chain of the May Fete; Ruth Vogler, Alpha Alpha Gamma; Mary Kay Wood, Freshman Commission; Peggy Wood, chairman of Costume Committee of the May Fete, Daisy Chain of the May Fete. In athletics Jane Ellen Thurnau and Kay Dorr won the open badminton tournament; Jane Ellen Thurnau and Lillian Barron won the inter-group badminton tournament; Lillian Barron and Dorothy Schneider won the inter-group tennis tournament; the rifle team composed of Lillian Barron, Mary Lou Burris, and Mary Kay Wood placed third in the inter-group riflery match.

Chi—Oregon State College

Betty Sue McCready was awarded a fellowship in nutrition to Cornell for next year. She also received honorable mention for the Clara Waldo award for the outstanding senior woman. Genevieve Cockerline was tapped for Mortar Board and Phi Chi Theta (honor society for secretarial science); she has just been appointed publicity editor for the *Barometer* (daily), has served as publications chairman for Women's Weekend, and has been elected secretary of Theta Sigma Phi (journalism). Marion Graham was elected vice-president of the senior class. She was also a junior prom princess. Alice West has been appointed to the editorial board of the *Barometer* and elected treasurer of Theta Sigma Phi. Ruth Brandeberry has been appointed as one of the co-editors of the Women's Page of the *Barometer*, and as associate editor of the "Spot News" column. She was tapped for Theta Sigma Phi. Janet Seggel has been appointed new exchange editor of the *Barometer* and was tapped for Theta Sigma Phi. She was appointed to the editorial board and has been assistant general chairman of Junior Weekend. Ellamae Pitzing received a Phi Kappa Phi scholarship award and was tapped by Phi Chi Theta (secretarial science). Jean Sutherland was elected sergeant-at-arms of the AWS. Betty McLucas has been



MARY JANE CARPENTER, University of Washington, Mortar Board; Matrix Table; chapter president.



MARGERY QUALHEIM, Iowa State, president Omicron Nu; Phi Upsilon Omicron; Dance Club and League of Women Voters.



FRANCIS CRAWFORD, Stanford, Phi Beta Kappa.



MARION VAN METER, Iowa State '42, Iowa State Players; Y.W.C.A.; Dance Club; Home Economics Club; Health Council; Letter "I" in W.A.A.



MILDRED TAYLOR, Penn State, Mortar Board; secretary Women Students' Government Assoc.; Junior Class secretary; Alpha Lambda Delta; Pi Lambda Theta.



JANICE WIEGMAN, Iowa State, Bomb Beauty Ball, one of five most beautiful campus women; Y.W.C.A.; Home Economics Club; League of Women Voters.

DOROTHY VAUGHAN, Iowa State, Mortar Board; president Home Economics Club; president Phi Upsilon Omicron.

BETTY ARMSTRONG, Idaho '42, president of W.A.A. and treasurer of A.W.S.; Hell Divers; Matrix Table.

ANGELINE TRISTRANI, Penn State '45, freshman attendant to May Queen; native of Puerto Rico.



selected to serve on the Etiquette Committee. Virginia Moe, Betty Brown, Nancy Day, and Therese Graf have been pledged to Mask and Dagger (dramatics). Arlene Ingersoll was tapped by Alpha Lambda Delta (sophomore women's scholarship) and was chosen to Talons (sophomore women's service honor society).

Psi—University of Oklahoma

Mary Reinhart Engels, '40, and Camilla Hunt, '40, were initiated into Phi Beta Kappa. Yvonne Allen was one of the eight beauty queens in the Sooner yearbook. Clarabeth Holt won the Intramural Rifle Tournament; Juva Anne Banks, winner of intramural tennis; and Mary Louise Hagenjos and Betty Gregory, winners of intramural shuffleboard. Carolyn Herndon and Alice Jean Whitt, Orchesis; Janet Werner, Theta Sigma Phi, and Anabelle Escoe, Sigma Alpha Iota, and Martha Roach, "Galen."

Omega—Iowa State College

Phi Upsilon Omicron, National Home Economics Honorary: Betty Haltenhoff, Dorothy Vaughan, and Margery Qualheim. Dorothy Vaughan has been elected president and Betty Haltenhoff has been elected secretary of the organization. Betty has also been appointed freshman "Y" advisor of the Freshman "Y" Club in the Y.W.C.A. Margery Qualheim, elected Omicron Nu, scholastic honorary and made president of the organization. Dorothy Vaughan, Mortar Board and president of the Home Economics Club. Mary Jane Drake and Mary Beth Paddock, president and secretary, respectively, of Freshman Home Economics Club. Evogene Wallace, Chi Delta Phi (creative writers honorary), and is secretary of it. Marian Van Meter won her "I" letter for participation in W.A.A. activities. Henrietta Feyder, Kay Blackburn, and Marian Van Meter were elected active members of Iowa State Players. Betty Jones was elected into Phi Kappa Phi, the highest scholastic honorary in the school. Dorothy Lee Conquest is also serving as associate editor on *The Homemaker*, a home economics publication. Margery Qualheim is vice-president of the League of Women Voters and Jeanne Wasem is treasurer. Sheila Crowley has been serving as index editor of the *Bomb*, our yearbook. Patricia Craven is publicity chairman of Pep Club, and women's society editor of the *Daily Student*. Mary Ellen Wendel served as general chairman of the Student Style Show with eleven sisters supporting her as models. Kay Colman was elected president of Health Council with Phyllis Brown secretary. Kay Blackburn, president of the Textiles and Clothing Club. Clara Dollar, president of Bit and Spur. Two *Bomb Beauties* (yearbook), Dorothy Norgaard and Janice Wiegman, among ten chosen.

Alpha Alpha—University of Toronto

In the Women's Undergraduate Association elections, two Gamma Phis, Gertrude Greer and Barbara Lawler, were elected to houseparty committee. Marjorie Norsworth was elected third-year secretary, and Eleanor Kerr is social service director.

Alpha Beta—University of North Dakota

Homecoming queen, Lovey Kjorvestad. Engineers Queen, Sybilla Rosch. Best Actress, Jeanne Gerrish. Nu Delta Pi, Elaine Johnson, Barbara West, Mary Gail Williams, Betty and Solveig Petterson. Zeta Phi Eta, Delores Ekren, secretary. A.D.T., Lovey Kjorvestad. Sigma Alpha Iota, Jennie Marie Davis, chaplain; and Betty Paulsrude. Homecoming decorations, first prize on house decoration. Secretary of Newman Club, Ruth McDonald. Ideal date girl, Lovey Kjorvestad. Women's League Board, Jennie Marie Davis and Elaine Johnson. Madrigal Key, Jo Austjoford. Sophomore Carney accompanist, Jean Iverson. Sweetheart of Sigma Chi, Lovey Kjorvestad. Junior Y.W.C.A. Cabinet, Janet Mulloy, Billie and Jean Gerrish. Senior Y.W.C.A. Cabinet, Ruth McDonald, Lovey Kjorvestad, and Jean Iverson. Licensed pilots, Marion Lynch, LeNore Ulvedahl, Helen Gust, and Lorraine Kjorvestad. Dakota Playmakers, Lovey Kjorvestad, Jean Gerrish, Janet Mulloy, Delores Ekren, and Ruth McDonald. Radio Playmakers, Lovey Kjorvestad, Elaine Johnson, and Rebecca Pond.

Alpha Delta—University of Missouri

Jane Dalton and Jean Middlebrook are on the Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. Mary Lou Langdon, Sheila Singleton, Lane Carlson, and Betty Ann Luker are members of Theta Sigma Phi, journalism honorary. Jean Ogilbee, member Pi Lambda Theta, national educational fraternity; Jean Middlebrook, member of Sigma Phi Alpha, a national educational fraternity; Mildred Fenner and Laura Jean Williams, members of Phi Chi Theta, honorary business fraternity; Mary Virginia Young, vice-president of Delta Phi Delta, national art fraternity; Ruth Henrich, Gamma Alpha Chi, honorary advertising fraternity; Mildred Fenner, treasurer of University Women's Panhellenic Council; Sue Bell, Women's Debate Manager and also represented Missouri in a Kansas University debate; Jean Ogilbee is president of University Junior League of Women Voters. Mary Lou Goodrum placed second in the election of '41 Savitar queens. Ann Johnson had the leading role in the annual "J" show. Pat Kennedy had a solo dance part in the "J" show. Gladys Bowden played the lead in the Workshop production "The Tavern." Betty Bales, Jane Dalton, and Jean Ogilbee have been initiated into Workshop. Betty Ann Luker and Jean Ogilbee are members of W.S.G.A.

Lane Carlson received the feature story award from Sigma Delta Chi. Rosemary Meyers is Women's Debate Captain. Jean McDuff was voted best dressed woman on campus. Lane Carlson and Harriet Lishen won the University Women's badminton doubles championship. Jean Middlebrook, Jean Ogilbee, and Jane Dalton are eligible for Mortar Board. Gamma Phi—first in University badminton championship, Betty Ann Luker, member Panhellenic Council; journalism commission; Tiger Claws; Theta Sigma Phi; women's sport editor of *Missouri Student*; publicity director for Careers Council; University Honor Roll. Betty Lou Young, member of Women's Self Governing Association, and the art committee for Read Hall; University Honor List. Maxine Ronk and Betty Lynn Galbreath, University Honor Roll. Nelda Steward, pledge selected as one of the five candidates for freshman-sophomore queen. Three candidates for Savitar queen—Mary Lou Goodrum, Virginia Page, and Ruth Henrich.

Alpha Gamma—University of Nevada

Jane Goodyear, junior arts and science student, president of the Alpha Gamma chapter, one of the two women on the executive committee of the University of Nevada; an honorary member of the Sagens, a woman's pep group; vice-president of Math Club, and a member of the Associated Women's Executive Council. Winner of the Marye Williams Butler Scholarship for sophomore mathematics majors. Florence Butler and Betty Nash, members of the Panhellenic Association. Betty received the Rose Seigler Matthews Activity Scholarship. Abbie West, pledge, elected Honorary Captain of Company C of the R.O.T.C. of the University of Nevada.

Alpha Epsilon—University of Arizona

Chapter Honors: The highest grade average for the fall semester 1940 among the sororities and women's living organizations on the University of Arizona campus; first place for sororities and women's living organizations in the All-University Sing held annually on the University of Arizona campus; the election of Mabel Pracy to the office of president of the Associated Women Students at the University of Arizona for 1941-1942; the winning of first place in the annual University of Arizona homecoming parade for the best float. Individual honors: Ruth Alder—Wranglers (literary); Emma Jean Babbitt—Phi Beta Kappa; Mary Eleanor Babbitt—Alpha Epsilon (business), Pi Omega Pi (business), Attendant to the Harvest Queen; Billie Baker—Alpha Epsilon (business); Betty Berning—Spurs, 1941-1942; B. Collins—Zeta Phi Eta, University Players; Florence Cowan—W.A.A. Board, Rodeo Executive Committee; Phyllis Cubberly—Spurs, 1941-1942; Betty-



PAT SMITH, Stanford '41, Phi Beta Kappa; Cap and Gown.



PAT HELLMUTH, '42, Alpha Phi, Colorado College; president of the chapter; W.A.A. Board, the A.W.S. Board, and the Tiger staff.



JANET ROOP, Goucher '41, May Court; editor Goucher yearbook.



EMMA JEAN BABBITT, Arizona, Phi Beta Kappa.



BETTY SUE MCCREEDY, Oregon State '41, Mortar Board; Fellowship Cornell U. 1941-42; Theta Sigma Phi; Omicron Nu; Phi Kappa Phi.



JEAN KNIPP, Goucher, Phi Beta Kappa; May Court.

BARBARA MATTERN, Wisconsin, Queen of Interfraternity Ball.



NANCY GRISWOLD, Goucher '41, Phi Beta Kappa.



VIRGINIA MORSEY, president of Kappa Beta Pi, editor of the Law Quarterly; is the first time in the history of Washington University that a woman has ever held the position as editor.

lou Faustman—vice-president of Spurs 1940-1941, secretary-treasurer of F.S.T. (junior honorary) 1941-1941, Alpha Epsilon (business); Elladean Hayes—Kappa Omicron Phi, Business Manager of W.A.A., award for best student in home economics department, president of Mortar Board, Rodeo Executive Committee, A Club (athletics); Jean Hollister—Spurs 1940-1941, Wranglers; Mary Margaret Huntington—president of Phrateres, Mortar Board, Delta Sigma Rho, Pi Lambda Theta, *Who's Who* for 1940-1941; Anna-mae Jones—Alpha Epsilon (business); award for outstanding work in home economics; Janie Lilley—Wranglers; Gwen Norton—Orchesis, Spurs 1940-1941; Mabel Pracy—president of F.S.T. (junior honorary), 1940-1941, secretary of the Commerce student body 1940-1941, secretary of Social Life Committee 1940-1941, attendant to the Desert Queen 1940-1941, Alpha Epsilon (business), A Club (athletics), Desert Mermaids, president of A.W.S. 1941-1942, Mortar Board 1941-1942; Shirley Rice—Wranglers (literary); Kathleen Sage—Spurs 1941-1942; Betty Ann Sherman—Alpha Rho Tau (art); Flossie Nell Hagan Williams—Mortar Board 1940-1941, treasurer senior class, Phi Kappa Phi, Sigma Alpha Iota; Betty Wolff—Hammer and Coffin; Mildred Wood—Wranglers (literary).

Alpha Zeta—University of Texas

Jessie Louise Sneed, chapter president, Mortar Board; Louise Gartman, past president elected to Sigma Delta Pi, Spanish honorary society; Frances Rock, home economics honorary society, Omicron Nu.

Alpha Eta—Ohio Wesleyan

Wilma Freudemann, '41, president of W.A.A., Mortar Board, Phi Beta Kappa, *Who's Who*. Dorothea Heckman, president Mortar Board, senior advisor, representative woman, Alpha Alpha Kappa, *Who's Who*. Betty Culp, '41, president Y.W.C.A., Alpha Alpha Kappa, representative woman, Mortar Board, *Who's Who*. Lora Stone, '41, secretary Panhellenic, *Bijou* (yearbook) beauty. Betty Ann Irvin, Pi Delta Epsilon (national journalism honorary), senior advisor. Phellis Williams, Phi society (freshman, sophomore scholastic honorary). Virginia Watts, chairman of Century Club. Mary Ann Allison, Phi society, W.A.A. board. Irene Plesinger, Phi society, Theta Alpha Phi (national dramatics honorary), Y.W.C.A. cabinet member. Evelyn Reger, president of Panhellenic Council, Mortar Board. Ruth Augsburg, president Hartupee Hall, member W.S.G.A. Phyllis Carson, Phi society, member W.S.G.A., Y.W.C.A. cabinet. Marion Prouty, Y.W.C.A. cabinet, Century Club chairman. Nancy Stoltz (senior), Home Economics Club, treasurer, Y.W.C.A. cabinet, W.A.A. secretary. Marilyn Welker, W.A.A. board. Alice Howes, Delta Phi Delta (national art honorary).

Martha Douglas, Phi society, leading role in freshman play.

Alpha Theta—Vanderbilt University

Represented in *The Commodore*, university yearbook, under the heading "Beauties and Favorites" were Martha Thach, Elizabeth Dodd, Virginia Deacon, and Jean Breckenridge. Jane Roberts was band sponsor for the Washington and Lee football game. Mortar Board: Elise Pritchett, secretary; Nancy Gene Dale. Phi Beta Kappa: Jean Breckenridge; Elise Pritchett, graduated with highest honors of any woman on campus. Woman's Honor Council: Jane Roberts, secretary. Women's Panhellenic Council: Nancy Gene Dale; Elise Pritchett. Women's Student Government Association: Frances Loring, chairman of the freshman class. Women's Athletic Board: Nancy Gene Dale. Lotus Eaters (sophomore honorary): Mary Helen Emmons; Martine Chappin. Athenians (junior honorary): Martha Thach; Nancy Gene Dale. International Relations Club: Nancy Gene Dale; Elise Pritchett. Chi Delta Phi (literary society): Elise Pritchett, vice-president; Virginia Pritchett. Junior Athletic Association: Jessie McCrachen; Adelaide Hite; Mildred Raymond. Arts Club: Mary Hart Monneyham, secretary-treasurer; Jean Breckenridge; Alethea Barger. Student Christian Association: Jane Roberts, treasurer senior cabinet. Phi Sigma Iota (French honorary): Elise Pritchett; Frances Van Deren. Sigma Delta Pi (Spanish honorary): Jane Hart; Mary Helen Emmons; Irma Neiderhauser; Elaine Yarbrough. Gargoyle Club: Jessie McCrachen, treasurer; Elizabeth Dodd; Eleanor Hile; Mary Hart Monneyham; Mildred Raymond.

Alpha Iota—University of California at Los Angeles

Members of Key and Scroll (junior women's honorary): Anne Brown and Peggy McConville. Spurs (sophomore women's honorary): Lou Ann Buffron; Norma Evelyn Patterson. Guidon (auxiliary to Scabbard and Blade): Harriet Bacon; Helen Weyman. Alpha Phi Alpha (journalism honorary): Anne Brown. Mortar Board: Mary Jo Funk. Bruin Rifle Club Sweetheart: Patricia Minier. Vice-president of the senior class: Mary Frances Rickershauser. Secretary of the junior class: Anne Brown. Alpha Iota is the only social sorority on this campus to offer a music award, or any award of this type. The award is \$75.00 to be divided between winners in contests on instrumentation, choral arrangement, and original music.

Alpha Kappa—University of Manitoba

Mary Elinor Hopper elected Lady Stick of the faculty of Home Economics for the year 1941-1942. This is the highest honor a girl can receive on the University of

Manitoba campus. Last year, Elinor was junior representative of home economics students society on the U.M.S.U. council. Sheila Maude Smart has been appointed senior representative of the Home Student's Society on the U.M.S.U. Council for the year 1941-42.

Alpha Lambda—University of British Columbia

Marion Murphy, corresponding secretary of the Northwest Province of the Newman Club, vice-president of Panhellenic and secretary of the Women's Undergraduate Society. Joyce Orchard received her big block letters for athletic achievement and has been appointed to the directorate of the Women's Athletic Association. Lorraine Thomson is the secretary of the Agriculture Undergraduate Society and Alix McPhail is the Convenor of all Red Cross and War Work for the ensuing year. Shirley Wismer was a maid of honour to the prom queen. Margot Burgess and Barbara White graduated with second class honors.

Alpha Nu—Wittenberg College

Margaret Pabst, Theta Alpha Phi, national dramatics honorary, part in campus production "Smilin' Through." Betty Jo Turner and Sally Shreiner, Tau Kappa Alpha, national forensic honorary and presented with gold gavels for a year of varsity debate. Louise Olson, women's varsity debate squad and pledged to Tau Kappa Alpha. Sue Bulkley, secretary of the Women's Panhellenic Council.

Alpha Xi—Southern Methodist University

Betty Ballard—Sigma Delta Pi. Martha Belle Patterson—Alpha Lambda Delta; Zeta Phi Eta; Swastika (outstanding women). Ellen Partlow—Zeta Phi Eta. Marjorie Krulish—Swastika; Alpha Rho Tau. Moneta Mack—Student Council of Religious Activities. Ruth Anne Clapp—Alpha Kappa Delta. Anne Crampton—Alpha Rho Tau. Betty Jean Sneyd—Women's Self-Governing Board. Mabel Morgan—Alpha Rho Tau.

Alpha Omicron—North Dakota State College

Jane Blair was one of three girls chosen as a representative senior; elected to Phi Kappa Phi and was awarded a trip to Washington, D.C. to attend a National College Conference because she has the highest scholastic rating on campus. Betty Casgniff led Junior-Senior Prom. Rosalie Larson led the Freshman Prom; Ruth Kellsvig was chosen president of Delta Psi Kappa and on the Rifle Club, and Jean Hoeft, president of Alpha Phi Gamma, national journalistic fraternity. Jean also was recently initiated into Guidon, is on the Junior Y Cabinet, and will assist Catherine Casselman in editing the sorority news in the college paper. Au-



JUNE MATHEWS, Illinois, Mortar Board; University Scholarship Key; Woman's editor, *Illio*; secretary of Mortar Board.



BETTY COULSON, Kansas '41, first woman editor *Jayhawker*; Engineering Queen; Theta Sigma Phi; twice Jayhawker Beauty Queen.



MARY ELINOR HOPPER, University of Manitoba, elected Lady of the Stick.



BETTY VAN DEVENTER, Kansas '41, Phi Beta Kappa; Mortar Board; Y.W.C.A. Cabinet; Student Union; K.U. Symphony Orchestra.



BETTY JO PATTON, Penn State, Theta Sigma Phi; editor *Fresh Handbook*, managing editor *Co-Edition*; May Day Committee; Cwens.



MARION CRAFT, William and Mary '41, Phi Beta Kappa; French Club; chapter president.

EVELYN REGER, president of Alpha Eta, Ohio Wesleyan, president of Panhellenic; Mortar Board.



LILIAN DOUGLAS, William and Mary '41, Phi Beta Kappa; German Club; Student Assembly; International Relations Club.



JOSEPHINE McCUTCHESON, Alpha Zeta, president "Forensica" Club at Texas, is also a member of Curtain Club and Rho Eta Delta, the Readheads' Club.



drey Wells, elected into Phi Upsilon, national home economics sorority and is secretary of Bison Brevities; Ruth Gundvaldsen, Senior Y Cabinet; Mary Warner, Sophomore Commission; Pat Reimers led the Engineers Ball. The play, "Robin Hood," which was produced here, held three of our newly-initiated actives in leading roles: Jean Baillie, Nola Hilliard, and Beverly Fields; the premiére of the play "Emma," had Jeanne Cathcart in an important role. Ruth Kellsvig, Esther Gundvaldsen, and Hazel Isaak organized a trio which sang for the annual Panhellenic banquet. The honor of designing a cover for the May Festival programs this year was given to a pledge, Inez Jacobsen. Esther Gundvaldsen and Muriel Jantzen were in the Bison Brevities musical comedy, "Too Many Girls." The title song for the production was composed by Gerry Wisheart. Muriel was just pledged to Sigma Alpha Iota. Alpha Omicron chapter received the scholarship plaque for having the highest average of the social sororities.

Alpha Rho—Birmingham-Southern College

Leslie Kaylor and Barbara Callaway were elected to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Leslie Kaylor was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Barbara Callaway had the feminine lead in "Trial By Jury" and a part in "Craig's Wife," produced by the College Theatre. Six Gamma Phis were in the annual beauty revue held by the "La Revue." Four out of seven fraternities on the campus chose members of Alpha Rho to represent them in this event. These girls were Carolyn Barker, Joanna Thorpe Bernhard, Barbara Callaway, Nina Abernathy, Marbrey Payne, and Mary Frances Cook. Taking part in the May Day festivities were Nina Abernathy and Barbara Callaway, who were members of the queens court elected by the student body. Frances Koonce, Helen and Nita Hurst, Katherine Kain and Mary Frances Cook participated in the pageant.

Alpha Sigma—Randolph-Macon

Louise Somerville: senior baseball team; senior baseball team manager; member of stage crew for senior play. Rebecca Monroe: captain of senior hockey team; all star in hockey; senior baseball team; stage director of senior play. Madge Hutchinson: manager senior hockey team; senior hockey team; hockey reserve; master electrician of senior play and spring play. Virginia Campbell: business manager of Glee Club; dance group; senior basketball team; May Day skit; publicity staff of senior play. Carolyn Hillig: president of New Hall (dormitory); Blazer Club president (athletic honorary); PM (secret society); social committee; training group leader; manager of senior basketball team;

business manager of handbook. Mary Elizabeth Nix: All Star in baseball; senior baseball team; senior play cast; dance group; May Day skit; secretary of International Relations Club; feature writer of *Sun Dial* (newspaper). Carolyn Kipp: Blazer Club (athletic honorary); captain of junior hockey team; All Star in hockey; May Day Committee head; chairman of scenery for junior play. Patricia Kane: editor of yearbook; Humbug (athletic honorary); All Star in hockey; junior hockey team; German Club; chairman of properties for junior play. Lois Jones: business manager of senior class; junior usher; baseball All Star; junior baseball team; All Star in horseback riding; Humbug (athletic honorary); training group leader; property committee of junior play; business manager handbook. Audrey Campbell: dance group; junior play; junior basketball team. Barbara Woolman: All Star in archery. Marybel Shaffer: Tau Kappa Alpha; vice-president of International Relations Club; Dean's List; feature writer of *Sun Dial* (newspaper); Panhellenic representative; Student's Industrial Commission; German Club. Carol Christy: Greek play; hall councilor; Y.W.C.A. commission. Betse Jane Slater: Glee Club. Mary Helen Rice: Debate Council; International Relations Club; Y.W.C.A. commission; *Sun Dial* reporter. Beverley Chockley: Glee Club. Jean Caldwell: Dean's List; assistant business manager of *Tattler* (literary magazine); German Club. Margaret Doolittle: Glee Club; Odd Day Committee chairman. Marguerite Willard: Odd Day Committee chairman. Judith Kinne: Glee Club. Kathlyn Dobson: Glee Club. Virginia Lee Carter: German Club; International Relations Club. Peggy Anne Elliott: Glee Club. Anna Carpenter: Glee Club. Clara Lee MacCadden: Glee Club.

Alpha Upsilon—Pennsylvania State College

Nelia Hazard: Phi Beta Kappa, John White Fellowship, Pi Lambda Theta. Beverly Dibble: Louise Homer Club, Education School Council. Harriet Dayton: Lakonides (physical education honorary). Lola Saska: president, Louise Homer Club (music), Pi Lambda Theta. Hazel Strobe: Louise Homer Club. Jean Chew: president, Le Cercle Francais, senior women's Arch and president of Variety Club. Mildred Taylor: secretary of the Women's Student Government Association, secretary of the junior class, Mortar Board, Pi Lambda Theta. Betty Jo Patton: managing editor of *Co-Edition* (women's weekly), Theta Sigma Phi (journalism), May Day Committee, editor of *Handbook*, Cwens. Helen Hancher: Pi Lambda Theta, Education School Council. Jean Seanor: treasurer Christian Association, vice-president Le Cercle Francais, Penn State Players. Margaret Lams: Cwens. Betsey Mun-

roe: Cwens, Louise Homer Club, Education School Council. Sara Louise Bollinger: *Co-Edition* business staff. Rance Durkee: Alpha Lambda Delta; Ellen H. Richards (home economics). Ruth Baker: Alpha Lambda Delta. Betty Rose Broderick: freshman class secretary, treasurer of the Women's Student Government Association. Angeline Tristani: maid of honor to the May Queen.

Alpha Phi—Colorado College

Marcia Moody, '41, and Roberta Adams, '41, Phi Beta Kappa. Betty Simmons, pledge president was elected secretary of the Associated Women Students. Paula Van Valkenburg was chosen sophomore representative on the Quadrangle Association, and Eva Hodges, junior representative to the same organization. Among the eight candidates for beauty queen of Colorado College are Alpha Phis, Gabriel Nelson, senior, and Joan Galligan, freshman.

Alpha Chi—College of William and Mary

Grace Hopkins—Phi Beta Kappa, Monogram Club, Kappa Delta Pi. Marion Craft—Phi Beta Kappa. Lillian Douglas—Phi Beta Kappa. Betty Beck—Intramural Council. Helen Black—Gamma Sigma (national cheerleader's fraternity), first woman to be elected, Student Assembly, Sweetheart of Sigma Pi, Chi Delta Phi (literature fraternity). Mary Ruth Black—Kappa Delta Pi (education fraternity). Betty Bull—Monogram Club, Sigma Pi Sigma (physics fraternity), girls' varsity basketball team. Margaret Duval—Kappa Delta Pi. Margaret Eaton—Sigma Pi Sigma (physics), secretary-treasurer, Lambda Phi Sigma (music fraternity). Marjorie Henderson—Debate Council. Phyllis Hile—president, Panhellenic Council. Evelyn Kemper—Kappa Delta Pi. Ellen Lindsay—*Who's Who in American Colleges*. Virginia Longino—Monogram Club. Frances Paul—Kappa Delta Pi, *Who's Who in American Colleges*, Mortar Board. Jacqueline Phillips—Kappa Delta Pi, president of Brown dormitory. Jane Schwab—International Relations Club. Peggy Allen—vice-president of Monogram Club and girls' varsity basketball team. Margaret Richards, a member of the girls' varsity swimming team, was the individual star of a triple meet held in Washington, D.C., between William and Mary, Temple University, and Washington club team. Frances Paul, Grace Hipkins, Mary Ruth Black, and Mary Edna Trumbo represented Gamma Phi Beta at the annual "Smarty Party" given by Mortar Board for the ten girls from each class with the highest scholastic averages.

Alpha Psi—Lake Forest College

Ellen (Kim) Kinningham, '41, president of W.A.A. (Women's Athletic Association), member of Garrick Club (dramatic so-



BETTY WORTHINGTON, British Columbia '42, Honour Student in Bacteriology; chapter president.



BETTY COSGRIFF, president of Alpha Omicron chapter, who led the Junior-Senior Prom at North Dakota State College.



BETTY SHAW, Washington, Mortar Board; chairman of Associated Women Students guest artist series; delegate to national convention of Associated Women Students held in Texas.



JANE GOODYEAR, Nevada '42, winner Marye Williams Butler Scholarship for Mathematics Majors; honorary Sagens; vice-president Math Club; member Associated Women's Executive Council; one of two women on executive committee of the University of Nevada.



MARY LOUISE SILVERMAN, Wisconsin, one of six Court of Honor for Queen of Military Ball at Wisconsin.



THEO KERL, candidate for beauty queen on the University of Idaho campus.



ANN WIBEL, Colorado College, who was given the honor of wearing Mrs. Loring C. Lennox's ring.



SHIRLEY WISMER, British Columbia '42, chosen to wear pin of late Mrs. F. M. Clement; award based on outstanding ability.

MARY ELLEN DUNKLE, Idaho '42, Mortar Board; member of Cardinal Key; executive board of Women's Athletic Association; copy desk editor of the college paper; editor of the class and organizations section of the yearbook. Also serves as treasurer of Xi chapter.

LULU DURHAM, University of Iowa, Phi Beta Kappa; one of fifty outstanding seniors, guest at Good Will dinner; active in radio and play productions.

JEAN WOLF, Goucher '41, May Court; lead in senior play.

HELEN FRESE, Illinois '42, Mortar Board; member-at-large Women's League; Women's League Show.



ciety), French Club, and Panhellenic Council; Student Trip Committee and the Dads' Day committee. Bette Ekstrom, Pi Alpha Chi (honorary music fraternity), Garrick Club, W.A.A., and Panhellenic Council, secretary of Women's Self-Government, and on the Homecoming committee. She also had a part in the play "Counsellor-at-Law." Jean Shinner is a member of Garrick Club, W.A.A., served on the College Day Committee, designed the scenery for "The Poor of New York," and worked on the staff of *The Forester*, the college yearbook. Marjorie (Hammer) Hammersmith is a member of the W.A.A. Board and on the staff of *The Forester*. Dorothy (Dodo) Westbay, music major, president of Orchesis (modern dance society), president of the chorus, a member of the octet, and writer of the libretto of an opera presented by the music department, a member of Garrick Club, has appeared in the plays "Counsellor-at-Law," "Kind Lady," "The Poor of New York," belongs to Sigma Tau Delta (honorary English fraternity), and is listed in *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Also Kappa Alpha, senior honorary sorority. Doris Ollman and Janis Michelson won first place in the Illinois state debate contest. Doris is a member of Garrick Club, had a role in "Counsellor-at-Law," and was elected to Kappa Alpha. Janis, in her sophomore year, is in Garrick Club, Alpha Lambda Delta, Sigma Tau Delta, French Club, and has taken part in the plays "Counsellor-at-Law" and "The Poor of New York."

Geraldine (Gerry) Marquardt, member of Garrick Club, roles in "Counsellor-at-Law," "Kind Lady," "The Poor of New York," and directed the Freshman Play; is a member of French Club, Panhellenic Council, and the Scholarship Day Committee.

Marjorie Rump chosen by the student body as Swing Queen to rule over festivities during music week. She also sings in the college octet.

Louise Stilling is to be the editor of next

year's *Forester*, is a newly-elected member of Kappa Alpha, a member of the Student Council, and headed inter-sorority basketball this year.

Marjorie Davis is a member of French Club and served on the Junior Prom Committee.

Pat Dewey was last year's Junior Prom Queen.

Harriet (Hatty) Hunt, a freshman, is a member of the *Stentor* staff (the campus newspaper), and a contributor to *Tusitala*, college literary publication.

Helen Louise (Lou) Clark, freshman, is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta and the *Stentor* staff, and a contributor to *Tusitala*.

Gertrude (Dude) Blanchard is a member of Pi Alpha Chi.

Bonnie McAlister is a Student Council representative and a member of W.A.A.

Jean Moss and Franny Stiles belong to the French Club.

Evelyn (Evie) Wragby is junior Panhellenic delegate.

Ellen Watson is in sports and is a member of W.A.A.

Shirley Busby was a candidate for Freshman Queen.

Beta Alpha—University of Southern California

Pat Geddes, '42, Phi Beta Kappa in her junior year; maintained better than a two-point-five average throughout the three years she has been at S.C. Ilda Garber, elected '42 vice-president of Y.W.C.A., member of Spooks and Spokes, junior honorary society; vice-president of Pi Delta Phi, French honorary society; treasurer of Amazons, girls honorary society; president of Athena, literary society; and Mortar Board. Carolyn Baker, member of Epsilon Phi, honorary English society; Pi Delta Phi; Gamma Beta Alpha, radio honorary society; and recently selected to become a member of Pi Delta Theta, national education society. Maridora Thompson was a flower girl in the Easter Promenade which was held on Wilshire Boulevard. Ignota Miller, chap-

ter president, editor of the woman's page in our *Daily Trojan*; a member of Amazons; vice-president of Theta Sigma Phi; and elected to Mortar Board. Marilyn Merritt is secretary of the College of Architecture and Fine Arts. Mary Lee Rebber, elected to Mu Phi Epsilon, music society. Key Rebber pledged to Delta Phi Delta, national art honorary society. Bobby Weiner pledged to Amazons, girls honorary society. There is a limited membership to this organization—we now have three members from Gamma Phi Beta.

Alpha Omega—University of Western Ontario

Betty Walker was elected sub-prefect, the first Gamma Phi on our campus to attain this honor. Betty is also president of Women's Council. Beth MacKenzie is president of the Women's Athletic Association and is a member of the Students' Administrative Assembly. Edith Yelland is clerk of the Student Court and secretary of the Commerce Club. Jacqueline Gregory is secretary of the Women's Council and a member of the Athletic Association. Winifred Durnford is a member of the Women's Athletic Association and vice-president of Arts '43. Frances Winbers is a member of the Women's Council and vice-president of the History Society. Agnes Shothers is vice-president of the French Club. Marion Atkinson is a member of the Student Disciplinary Committee. Beth Forkes is drum major of the University Band.

Beta Beta—University of Maryland

Charlotte White, president of International Relations Club; secretary of the Episcopal Club; office in the Grange; lead in the varsity show; the first president of the debate club to be re-elected; Mortar Board. Erma Hughes, treasurer of the Footlight Club. Margaret Loar, May Queen's Court. Ruth Buchanan, lead in All University Night. Margaret Ann Sherman, Betty Anderston, Blanche Morgan, Alpha Lambda Delta. Marjorie Reside, secretary of the Methodist Club.

Hope Chamberlin Garnjobst (Oregon State '38) who has been women's editor of Western Newspaper Union in Chicago has joined the public relations department of Swift & Co., Chicago. She was the first woman to be awarded a scholarship to the Medill school of Journalism at Northwestern university, being chosen one of six to receive the award. After taking her M.S. at Northwestern she returned to Portland where she served as reporter and photographer for The Oregonian. Her husband Henry Garnjobst is a graduate of Northwestern in journalism.

Mrs. F. H. Clausen (Eleanor Bliss, Wisconsin '98) of Horicon, Wis., was chairman of the General Federation of Women's clubs department of American Citizenship and reported at the Atlantic City convention in the spring.

Ruby Warren Newby's new technique with flowers as a living color medium for painting has been recorded for film showing in black and white by Universal Newsreel and Garrison Films, Inc., an educational film distributor is doing reels in color movies for school purposes.

Miss Doris Raaflaub, Alpha '41, was presented with the silver cup awarded by Alpha Epsilon Epsilon, honorary home economics society, to the senior who has done most for the college during her four years of work at Syracuse. Miss Janice Ealy, president of the society, made the award to Miss Raaflaub, who last year was named the "orchid" girl for outstanding achievement in the college.

Each senior leaving Alpha Delta chapter presented the chapter with a good book as the start for a house library.



LOVEY KJØRVSTAD, University of North Dakota '43, Homecoming Queen; A.D.T.; Ideal Date Girl; Sweetheart of Sigma Chi; Senior Y.W.C.A. Cabinet; Dakota Players; Radio Playmakers; in Freshman Who's Who; picture on cover of Yearbook; chairman Chinese Relief Fund; Zeta Phi Eta; Penates; co-capt. L.S.A. team.



FLOSSIE NELL HAGAN WILLIAMS, Arizona '41, Mortar Board; Senior Class treasurer; Phi Kappa Phi (scholarship honorary); Sigma Alpha Iota (music honorary).



DOROTHY NORGAARD, Iowa State, Bomb Beauty presented at Bomb Ball and at Veishea; member Y.W.C.A. and Home Economics Club.



MARY ELEANOR BABBITT, Arizona '42, Attendant to Harvest Queen; Alpha Epsilon (business honorary); Pi Omega Pi (business honorary); president of chapter.



MABEL PRACY, Arizona '42, Mortar Board; president Associated Women Students; secretary Commerce Student Body; secretary Social Life Committee; past social chairman A.W.S.; attendant to Desert Queen; member of A club (athletics); member of Business Honorary.



MARY MARGARET HUNTINGTON, Arizona '41, Mortar Board; president Phrateres; Delta Sigma Rho; Pi Lambda Theta; Who's Who 1940-41.

MARCIA MOODY, Colorado College '41, Phi Beta Kappa; secretary of the Associated Women Students, treasurer of Women's Athletic Association, and active in Koshare, college dramatic group; Skelton Scholastic Award.

ALJEAN THOMAS, Northwestern and Arizona, attendant to Navy Ball Queen at Northwestern; assistant rush chairman at Northwestern.

ROBERTA ADAMS, Colorado College '41, Phi Beta Kappa; vice-president of Koshare, college dramatic club, president of her dormitory, and of Quadrangle Association; Skelton Award for scholarship.





Founders' Day committee for Sacramento Valley chapters' breakfast, 1940, Florence Hollister, Helen Peets, Jean Jacobs.

EVERY Gamma Phi will once again gather with her sorority sisters for an occasion she will long remember, in celebration of the founding of Gamma Phi Beta in November.

The ritual chairman has worked out two very lovely and impressive Founders' Day services, one a very simple one which can be used by small informal groups and the other more elaborate to be used for the large, formal gatherings. Copies of these services will be sent to each organized group; however, if you are not living where there is a formally recognized group, please write to our vice-president (address in the back of this issue) and she will gladly forward one at once.

The various province secretaries are acting as the

Founders' Day Celebrations

heads of the Founders' Day celebration committees in each province, with state chairmen under them. If you are a stray Gamma Phi who would like some information regarding the closest celebration which you might join, write to her and she will tell you the right person to reach.

This Gamma Phi Beta tradition has grown so since its inception by Beatrice Locke Hogan that there is hardly a member who does not know about and look forward to this event each year.

SO get in line with your nearest group, have a glorious time once again renewing old acquaintances, and bringing back old memories, then look forward to the next issue of the *CRESCENT* for a report of how the celebrations were carried on all over the country.

FLORENCE MATHIESEN

International Vice-President and Alumnae Secretary in Charge of Founders' Day

Report On Emergency War Relief Work

THE campaign grossed \$2,805.00. Its distribution provided \$110.00 raised by the Montreal Alumnae chapter and donated to the Queen's Canadian Fund of Canada. \$1,260 was donated to the American National Red Cross for British War Relief, and finally \$750.00 was donated to the American Red Cross for United States American War Relief Work.

The fund supplied for British War Relief will pay for and equip an ultra modern Mobile Canteen Unit. This unit will carry a plaque properly inscribed, a tribute to Gamma Phi Beta War Relief and a picture of it will be forwarded as soon as possible. All reports indicate these units are dispersing cheer and succor to troops and suffering civilians with increasing effectiveness.

The most thrilling experience of this campaign has been the fine spirit of generous co-operation exhibited by the chapters and alumnae groups. Only through a

campaign of this scope can a member of our sorority, not connected with National Headquarters, realize the truly international character of Gamma Phi Beta.

We feel that this has been a most gratifying venture when one realizes that it was all done within six weeks and on short notice.

In accepting the fund from Gamma Phi Beta, L. M. Mitchell, assistant to the vice-chairman of the American Red Cross, wrote to Mrs. A. Burks Summers, chairman of the Emergency committee, as follows, in part: "Will you please convey to your organization the sincere appreciation of the American National Red Cross for your very generous gift and for your support of our efforts in the present emergency."

The committee, in addition to Mrs. Summers, included Edna Buhner as treasurer and Doris Irwin as secretary. D D D

The President's Page

By Alice Wieber Fitzgerald

International Grand President

BY THE time this issue of the CRESCENT reaches you most of our active chapters will have passed through the fall rushing season. There will be the inevitable taking of stock, the annual reviewing of the whole procedure. No one interested in the sorority system feels that the prevailing method of choosing members is ideal; critics of sororities delight in branding the practice as barbaric and unintelligent. The heartbreak of the unchosen girl is spotlighted until one feels that the emotional strain on any girl going through rushing would unsettle the veriest stoic. I question this, I firmly believe that the average college girl takes the whole process of adjustment to university or college life pretty well in her stride. There are disappointments, to be sure, but not such devastating ones as we are led to believe; that sort of thing went out of fashion with the Alice "who wept with delight when you gave her a smile, and trembled with fear at a frown." No one denies that there are flaws in the system and conscious effort is being made to eradicate them. One of the things that will serve to improve the present plan is a thoughtful consideration of the kinds of girls we would like to have within our circle. We want congeniality above all things, we want girls with some similarity of background and we want girls who can adjust themselves to the demands of group living. It has been said that life in a sorority or fraternity house is one of the finest training schools for life in a democracy. The truth of this is apparent when we consider the opportunities for sharing work, play, responsibilities, and privileges that occur there every day.

Too often a group loses sight of the importance of congeniality in a desire to outdo rival groups. This spirit of competition which is so lamentable is apt to make us forget that it is much more fun to live happily

alongside our neighbors than it is to feel that we must push ahead of them. Competition connotes a spirit that has no place in the Panhellenic world. Life, full well-rounded living, means contemplation along with activity, it means a consideration of others, a richness of spirit, it means having time to realize that for all its seriousness the whole business of living would be pretty dull without some good humor and a good bit of song. We cannot hope to have these essentials to good living if we turn the whole thing into a wild race where the only goal lies in vanquishing others.

The coming year will have new problems for everyone. Universities and colleges will notice a decrease in enrollment and many students will need to pay closer attention to budgeting finances. There will be other problems too, which will naturally come out of the unsettled condition of the country. These will have to be met squarely and thoughtfully by all of us. Any time of emergency is apt to bring with it a new set of values, fundamental needs and fundamental virtues assume their rightful importance. For many young men and women the college education which was accepted as a matter of course in quieter times will become real privilege not granted to all who seek it. You who are members of our active chapters are among the fortunate ones and so I urge you to make the most of this new year. Live it fully, happily, sanely. Hold fast to your ideals with a determination to assume all those responsibilities that come hand in hand with your privileges. The future is in your hands and our faith in you is boundless.))))



Mrs.
Fitzgerald



Give magazines for Christmas. Give Gamma Phi your business.
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Chairman Of '42 Convention

MRS. WALTER H. SCOTT (Marion Beecher, Alpha '10), member of the Syracuse, New York, alumnae chapter, has been named by Grand Council to serve as chairman of Gamma Phi Beta's International Convention to be held June 25-29, 1942, at the Seigniory Club, Province of Quebec, Canada.

Mrs. Scott received her Ph.B. from the University of Syracuse and returned for her Master's degree in 1911. Well prepared for teaching, French and Latin filled the next two years of her life at Bonn Avon, San Antonio, Texas. Then she resigned to marry Walter Harvey Scott (Yale '07, Delta Kappa Epsilon).

Concentration on a little nursery school of her own followed and its graduates do her credit. Philip Bucher Scott (Cornell '38, Delta Phi) is serving as a lieutenant in the Signal Corps in Tampa, Florida; Isabel graduated from Connecticut College for Women in 1940 and is now doing graduate work, spending the past winter at the Merrill-Palmer School in Detroit. Hawley (Cornell '42, Delta Phi) and Shirley (Skidmore '44) complete the family circle.

With all this Mrs. Scott has always found time to be a loyal and active alumna of Gamma Phi; she was Syracuse delegate to the conventions of 1909, 1911, 1924 and 1936 and has been for some time a member of Alpha's Corporation Board. As the pressure of home duties lightened, she has taken interest in various civic affairs; is chairman of the Maternal Health Center, and a member of the board of the Syracuse Boys'



Mrs. Walter
H. Scott

Club and also has been active in Y.W.C.A. work.

Alpha and Syracuse alumnae are gratified that one of us has been chosen by our International Officers to do work so important to the success of the 1942 convention. As chairman, members may rest assured that Mrs. Scott will put her great ability into it and may look forward to a finished product in conventions.

Many a "covered dish" has passed through Mrs. Scott's hospitable doorway when Syracuse alumnae have gathered for one of their famous suppers and you may expect as warm a welcome when good Gamma Phis get together at the beautiful Seigniory Club in June of 1942.

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By RUTH LAYCOCK REED, *Alpha '08*

Set aside the last week in June, 1942 for Gamma Phi Beta and make your vacation plans for next summer to include an interlude at convention in the picturesque old Quebec area.

On a dock on the Salmon River at the Seigniory Club in the Province of Quebec.



Riding in the grounds of the Log Chateau, at the Seigniory Club.



Convention!

... June, 1942

Delegates from college and alumna chapters, with hundreds of other Gamma Phi Betas and national officers will gather at The Seigniory Club in the Province of Quebec late in June, 1942 for the biennial international convention of the sorority. Build your plans now for an unusual vacation in Canada next summer.

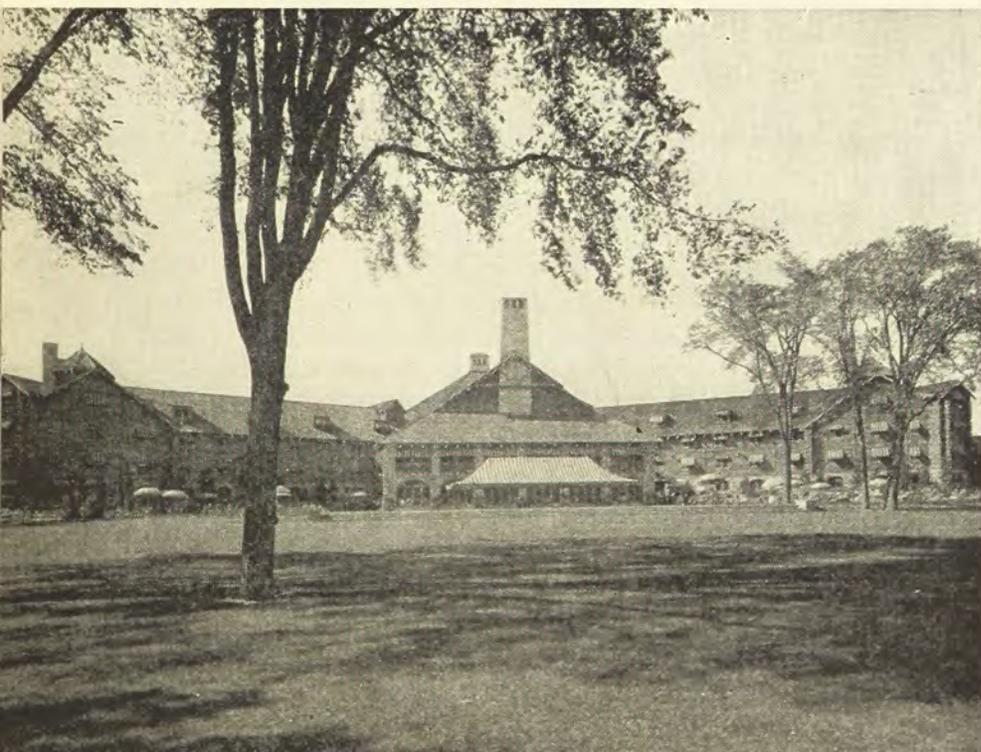
THE Seigniory Club embraces a hundred odd square miles of heavily wooded Laurentian Mountain countryside, dotted with lakes, patterned with fishable streams, and accessible by means of a single bisecting private roadway and innumerable forest trails. From its front on the beautiful Ottawa river at the little French Canadian village of Montebello, eighty miles west of Montreal and forty-five east of Canada's capital city of Ottawa, the estate or Seigneurie, as they call it, is gently rolling in character; and in its northeast corner is a huge lake of typically northern character with over forty miles of shore line, many bays and islands, and a host of tributary streams and smaller lakes that form camping, hunting and fishing paradise. There



are no mountains that are very high, no lakes that are great as great lakes go in the Canadian north, no rivers that are very wide or very swift. There is nothing spectacular to explain the enthusiasm of visitors, just a beautiful, carefully preserved area of forest.

It is not because of its size, or the oddity of its construction or the completeness and efficiency of its equipment that visitors rank the Log Chateau of the Seigniory Club as one of the seven wonders of the Canadian world; it is because of the gentle charm that they sense about the place. The homespun type of furnishings, the trees that group close about the wings, the spacious green lawns that extend down towards the edge of the broad Ottawa river, the great galleries and public rooms that break the building so that it never seems crowded no matter how many guests are registered, all are contributing factors. There is a circular grill and cocktail lounge, beneath the central rotunda with its extraordinary six-sided fireplace and chimney, a tavern, billiard room and card rooms; there is a ball room with a small but well equipped stage, a huge three-story main dining room with a stone flagged terrace under a stone arcade popular for dining in the open in summer; there are complete kitchens and valet and print shops in the depths of the place.

The old Manor House is in a beautiful state of preservation. A fine park-like estate surrounds it, and on the river side fine lawns and flower beds provide charming foregrounds to views from the windows up and down the Ottawa river, once the main fur trade route to the north and west. The name of the Seigneurie, a link with feudal times or their counterpart in French Canada, was derived from the Little Nation Indians of the Algonkian tribe once native to this section, and of whom occasional souvenirs are discovered.))))



The star shaped Log Chateau, residence of the Seigniory Club in the Province of Quebec.

You, Too, Can Assist The Special Endowment Group

YOUR special endowment committee appointed to have charge of increasing our international endowment fund is most anxious that every member of our sorority have some part in this worthy plan no matter how small her part. The response from many chapters to the letter sent last spring to all alumnæ chapters has been most encouraging. Other chapters are considering ways and means of adding to the fund. At present, there are three ways open to all by which our fund can be augmented—by subscribing to magazines through our international magazine chairman; by sending orders to the Chicago Alumnæ chapter for the attractive engagement calendar; and by paying life membership dues.

The calendars cost thirty-five cents each when ordered in numbers, but for single orders add ten cents for postage and mailing. It has been estimated that if actives and alumnæ would co-operate by purchasing one calendar each, the endowment fund would benefit almost \$600. The cover design by an Epsilon alumna is attractive. Mail your calendar orders to Mrs. Murray M. Mendell, 855 S. Cleveland Road, Hinsdale, Illinois.

In addition to these three ways there are many other methods by which groups may make money for our



Nina Gresham, chairman, Special Endowment Committee.

fund. Many of our members, however, are not in organized groups and are not in active touch with Gamma Phi, but the committee is anxious that they have an opportunity to contribute to our fund and thus feel that they have had an active part in reaching our goal.

Any check, no matter how small, sent to Central office or to the chairman of the committee will materially assist in this project which so rightfully belongs to each one of us. May we all rally to this cause of increasing our endowment fund and by so doing increase our individual loyalty and strengthen our international unity. D D D

NINA GRESHAM, *Chairman*

The Endowment Fund

Is Increased by—

- Payment of \$5 Life Memberships
- Money pledges from chapters
- Money gifts from individuals
- Magazine subscription projects
- Birthday pennies on Founders' Day
- \$3 from each initiation fee
- Sale of Γ Φ B calendars

Is Used for—

- \$1,000 Lindsey Barbee Fellowship
- Loans to students
- General sorority betterment
- Central Office maintenance
- Maintenance of co-organizers

Subscriptions to the CRESCENT, annual or life, are not included in Life Memberships but are paid separately and go into the CRESCENT fund for the maintenance of the magazine. Both funds are administered by the CRESCENT-Endowment Board in Chicago.

Lindsey Barbee Fellow

THE Lindsey Barbee Fellowship for 1941-42 has been awarded by A.A.U.W. to Florence Hollis. Miss Hollis was graduated from Wellesley College in 1928 and followed this by study at the Pennsylvania School of Social Service. She then attended the Smith College School of Social Work from which she received an M.S.S. degree in 1931. She holds the position of Assistant Professor of Casework at the School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, and is at present on leave of absence in order to study at Bryn Mawr College in the Department of Social Economy. Miss Hollis has had a number of articles published and a book, "Social Case Work in Practice: Six Case Studies," was published by the Family Welfare Association.

Miss Hollis plans to continue her study at Bryn Mawr College. Her research project will be—"A study of some social and psychological factors associated with difficulties in marital adjustment." In choosing her subject she says that while a variety of practical work has been done with individuals and couples in problems of adjustment in marriage under the auspices of educational institutions, churches, private case work agencies, etc., there is, however, relatively little known about the causes of husband-wife conflict and still less about effective treatment measures. While family case work agencies have dealt with marriage problems, yet little study has been made in the agencies of either causation or treatment. It is because there is valuable unexplored material available in family welfare agencies and because further enlightenment is needed in

the problem that she feels this is a fruitful field for study.

In a letter to the Endowment Board Miss Hollis writes:

"You can easily imagine what a pleasure it was to learn of my good fortune in receiving the fellowship awarded by Gamma Phi Beta sorority. . . . Many of your readers may think of social work chiefly in terms of larger public agencies carrying a heavy administrative load and be unaware of the smaller group of workers in more specialized agencies who are trying to learn more about the individual factors as well as the broad economic forces causing social distress. . . . Few of us have been able to go as far as we would like in careful evaluation of the human situations that come day by day before our eyes. It is because your fellowship will make such study possible that I particularly value it." D D D



Florence Hollis

Distinguished In Art

KATHLEEN O'DONNELL, Alpha Phi '41, transferred from Colorado College to the University of Colorado where she was one of five seniors elected to Delta Phi Delta, national art honorary. She is active in the Junior Artist's Guild, the University Players' Club, the University Women's Club, and is one of the three girls wearing the crescent pin on the university campus who belong to Panhellenic. Kathleen presented her senior exhibit in the gallery of the Museum Building in June for her Bachelor of Fine Arts degree. D D D

—JANE WHITAKER, Alpha Phi '42



Kathleen O'Donnell

Editorials . . .

Women Flyers

JACQUELINE COCHRAN dramatized the possible part that women may play in American military aviation recently when she piloted a bomber from Canada to England. Convinced that women should have a greater responsibility in aviation than is being granted them by the government, Miss Cochran advocated an organization of air transport auxiliary for the ferrying of planes.

The Women Flyers of America have supplied the government agencies with information which shows that there are 2,258 certified women pilots in the United States and 141 of them hold commercial pilot licenses, with 200 or more flying hours. There are an additional 504 women in training under the W.F.A. and 210 of this number hold private pilot's licenses. Many women have been given training in parachute rigging, mending, folding and packing the 'chutes and have certificates which entitle them to a rigger's license. The W.F.A. believes that there is a large field for women in this highly specialized work.

Gamma Phi Beta numbers more and more air-minded women within her ranks. Those of us who are earth-bound will watch their progress with delight, with thrills, with admiration. D D D

Bulletin Board

Grand Council, in June, re-appointed Mrs. Roy Pinkerton (Airdrie Kincaid, Lambda '15) as editor-in-chief of the CRESCENT.

At the same time Grand Council named Mrs. Martin L. Bradford (Alice Thomsen, Alpha '38) of Boston as an Associate Editor, a position she has held for the past year.

The staff loses the services of Mrs. O. F. Stafford (Leila Straub, Nu '09), who has been an Associate Editor since 1938 and who is unable to continue because of home responsibilities. Mrs. Stafford has brought to the pages of the CRESCENT cultural beauty, a deep understanding and love of Gamma Phi Beta, and to the editor a companionship (in spite of the many air mail miles) and a good judgment and taste that have been invaluable. D D D

Our Traditional Date

November 11 may mean Armistice Day to most Americans; it may mean birthdays, anniversaries, to others. But to the thousands of Gamma Phi Beta members across the North American continent it means a revival of friendships, a sentimental pilgrimage, a renewal of loyalty and a pledge to the future in memory of the Four Founders who on November 11, 1874, placed the foundation for our order.

And so, as the calls go forth for Founders' Day gatherings, alumnæ, old and young, and the young members in Greek letter chapters on dozens of university campuses will mark the date of the nearest gathering and join with others in sincere celebration. D D D

For Better Back-Logs

A painless way of doing a very good deed by chapters and by individuals is the purchase of the Gamma Phi Beta calendars being sold by the Chicago Alumnæ Chapter for the benefit of the Endowment Fund. The calendars are attractive; they are large and well spaced to provide for memoranda day by day.

Contribute to the Endowment Fund, too, by sending in the subscriptions and renewals for your magazines to either the national magazine chairman or through your alumnæ group. Every penny earned by either of these two means swells our international funds and gives Gamma Phi Beta a sturdier back-log. D D D

Word was received, as the September issue went to press, of the resignation of Mrs. James Binns (Ruamie Hill) as Chairman of Provinces and the appointment to that office by Grand Council of Mrs. R. Gilman Smith of Barrington, Ill. Mrs. Binns has served as province director and as Chairman of Provinces; has given freely of her time and Gamma Phi Beta has progressed and benefited through her ability, ideals and enthusiasm. Mrs. Smith (Beatrice Utman) is welcomed back into the national officers' group where she has served as a province director and as an associate editor of the CRESCENT. Gamma Phis are familiar with her charm, her talent and her books. D D D

The ever-growing number of alumnæ chapters, which points to greater strength behind our active chapter roll, has been increased in recent months by charters granted to Moscow, Id., installed April 30; Cincinnati, O., installed May 26; Houston, Tex., installed April 1; Akron, O., installed March 3; Columbia, Mo.

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Camps Come to a Successful Close

THE 1941 camping season has come to a successful close at the Buffalo, Denver, and Vancouver Camps. In addition to the many underprivileged little girls who had the opportunity of attending these camps, a number of others had similar advantages through 19 campships granted to 15 active and alumnae chapters in Canada and the United States. One chapter sent five children, as well as making a cash donation and gift to our camps.

Many chapters helped by sending gifts of money and articles which had been requested by the local camp committees. One made play suits; ten others sent 203 cut-out dresses. Nine chapters had showers to which the members contributed bandanas, bathing caps, combs, tooth brushes, etc., which were needed by the camps. In addition to these donations, 27 chapters contributed gifts of money ranging from \$3.00 to \$25.00, the total being \$275.00.

The chairmen of the local camp boards for 1941 camp season were: Buffalo, Mrs. E. W. Winkler; Denver, Miss Verna Lackner; Vancouver, Miss Jean Meredith.

At the Buffalo camp the duties of the head councilor were divided between the five councilors with Mrs. Winkler assuming the final responsibility. The

councilors included Fanelle Hankamer, University of Texas, Evelyn Phillips, University of Minnesota; Betty Jane Prochnow, and Charline Saggan of the University of Iowa, and Dorothy Schneider, University of Washington. In addition the personnel included a nurse and a cook.

The Buffalo camp ran for a month with 26 children the first two week period, and 32 the last period. Some of these children were from Italian and Polish homes where English was not spoken. The camp being located on Lake Ontario, 40 miles from Buffalo, there was swimming twice a day. The children voted that they would rather swim than eat! After camp closed the councilors were entertained at a dinner before they left for home, at which each received a bracelet with the words "Buffalo Camp, 1941" engraved on it.

The Denver Camp located on Crystal Lake at Pine Colorado, in the mountains 50 miles from Denver operated for six weeks. This year Marcetta Rhoades, of the University of Denver, who was a councilor there last year, served as head councilor. The councilors for the first two of the three two week periods were Ann Duffy and Frances Sullivan of the University of Wisconsin, Marian Hanson, University of Iowa, Priscilla

Otis, University of Illinois, Janet Leist and Barbara Crane, University of Denver, and Janet Werner, University of Oklahoma. This camp also had a nurse and a cook.

Handicraft, hikes and organized games were the order of the day. At the end of each period there was a banquet with favors for the children, who wore their new dresses which they had made.

The Vancouver Camp was open for a month. Dorothy Sherratt, head councilor, had also been a councilor last year. The councilors were: Jane Gorrill, Pat Hardy, and Betty Billou, University of California, Helen Davis, University of Missouri, Dorothy McCaffery, University of Washington, Mary Ellen Dunkle, University of Idaho, Carrol Belton, Audrey Jones, and Anna Ruth Finlayson, University of British Columbia. This camp also had a nurse and a cook as members of the staff.

The children at the Vancouver camp enjoyed learning new songs, swimming and building sand castles on the beach. They wore their new dresses home, as is the custom at all the camps. The mothers, when they met the youngsters upon their return, were so grateful for the chance their children had to get away from the city that they could scarcely find words to express themselves.

It is the custom each year for the Vancouver Alum-

næ chapter to have a tea for all the councilors at the home of one of the members between the two camp periods.

Though it may seem early to begin planning for the 1942 camping season, it is only by so doing that we can be assured that it will be even better than 1941. Each active and alumnæ member is privileged to contribute to our three camps and campships by payment of the annual one dollar camp tax. Each active and alumnæ chapter can begin now to plan what contribution the members wish to make to the camps next year; whether with gifts of money or articles selected from the lists which will be prepared soon by the local camp councilors. Those chapters which desire campships should send in their requests early in the spring of 1942, so that they will be received in time for consideration. Above all, we hope that many members, both active and alumnæ, who are interested in serving as councilors at any one of our camps will send in their applications early.

We are most appreciative of the assistance given to our camps this year by those who served on the local camp committees, and as councilors, as well as to those members of the chapters which sent gifts.

MARGARET DECKER

International Camp Chairman

CHAPTER APPLICATION FOR CAMPSHIP

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Davenport, Iowa

Name of Chapter

Name of Local Camp Chairman

Address: Street City State

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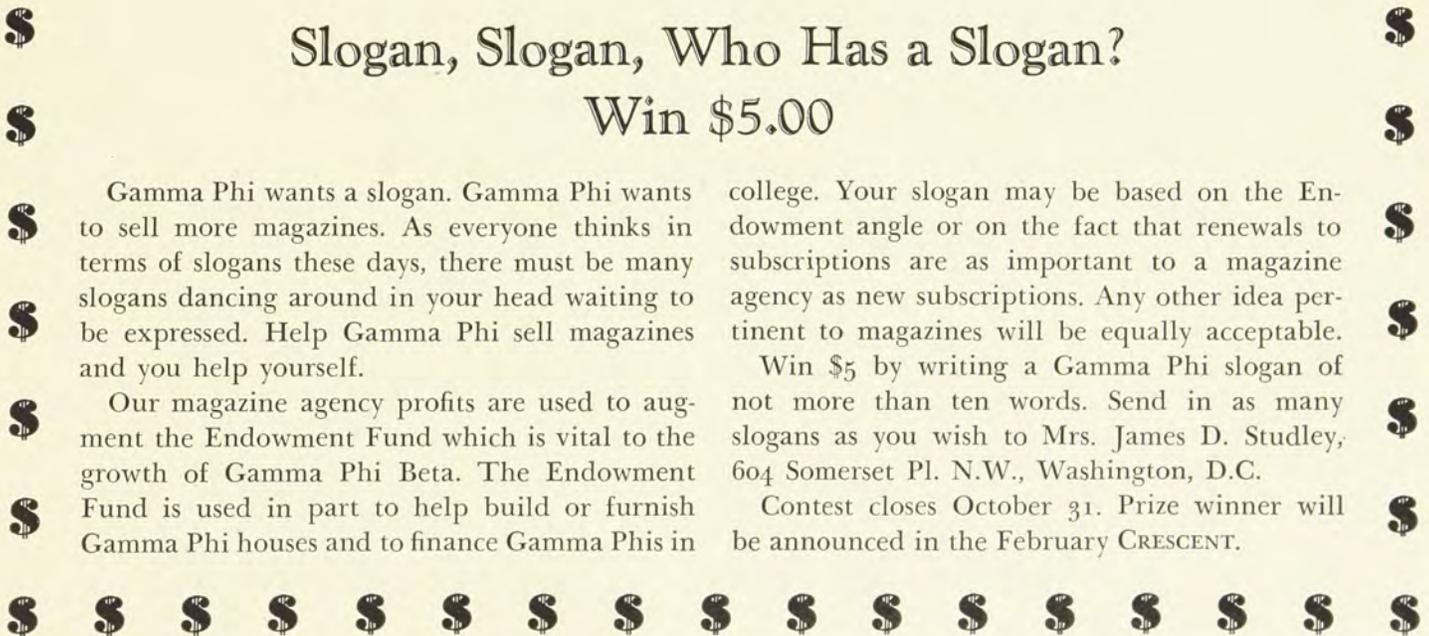
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Contest closes October 31. Prize winner will be announced in the February CRESCENT.



Why Province Conferences?

By Ruamie Hill Binns

Retiring Chairman of Provinces

PERHAPS the most important yardstick by which we judge the success and value of Province Conferences is an intangible one. There is no scientific measurement for enthusiasm, unity, friendship, tolerance, for helpfulness, for inspiration—that feeling of belonging. Yet these are a few of the many reasons why Province Conferences are invaluable. Listen carefully to a delegate who has just returned from one, and you catch the meaning, the significance, the importance of the intangible benefits that result from the district meetings.

Grand Council is helped immeasurably in keeping your sorority policies as you would have them by watching the trend of thought, studying the recommendations which come from the discussions, round tables, and reports on the Province Conference programs.

District conventions supply in a smaller degree the benefits received at an International Convention. There are many advantages to be gained by attendance at the smaller meeting. Chapters in particular localities that have similar problems enjoy and benefit from an exchange of ideas. By attacking common difficulties and by working together, a unification of that area becomes evident.

The hostess chapters reap rich rewards for the time

and effort spent in entertaining, planning, and successfully executing the many details on the program made by the committee in charge and the province director. Their campus is now familiar to visitors from great distances; their student body is aware of Gamma Phi Beta as never before; their attractive and achieving sisters from other chapters make "quality rather than quantity" a reality—not just a rush talk; their widely representative visitors impress the actives and pledges, renew enthusiasm in the alumnæ, strengthen the meaning of "International," weaken the localized viewpoint.

The value of meeting deans and other administrators and faculty members, of hearing outstanding speakers, and knowing interesting alumnæ and actives in the sorority is in itself justification for province conferences.

A Panhellenic function is fast becoming traditional on Gamma Phi Province Conference programs. The courtesy of extending an invitation to all other groups represented in the college or university helps to create the relationship we are striving to foster on every campus. The carry-over between conferences of including and sharing with other sororities is felt in every field of sorority and campus life.

Province conferences and the many effective by-products directly traceable to them are making Gamma Phi Beta stronger, more aware of its own record of achievement and service—more conscious of its scope. D D D

Province Directors—Province Reports

The Spirit Behind Province I

Two feelings, closely allied, were the moving forces behind the Province I Conference in Boston. One, engendered by the presence of Canadian delegates, was internationalism; the other, inevitable because Conference headquarters was the Boston University Panhellenic House, was intersorority co-operation.

In today's war-torn world, when it is hard not to withdraw into one's own comfortable and secluded shell—when other values are apt to take their cue from this innate isolationism and make us selfish and self-centered—we need the stimulation such a meeting can provide. We found it at Boston University in March.

In an ivy-covered building on Boston's famous Commonwealth Avenue, Delta chapter of Gamma Phi Beta has its chapter room. There are no houses for Boston University sororities—they have one beautifully decorated room which is completely their own. All other facilities of the house—dormitories, eating and lounging quarters—they share with the Kappas, who have the room next door, or the Pi Phis, who are across the hall, or any of the other university sorority groups.

It seems an amazing experiment. It is a highly successful one, and every conference delegate and visitor felt the spirit that exists there.

Internationally it was a pleasure to meet the fine

girls from Province I's Canadian chapters who overcame the hurdler of passports, visas, and limited money allowances to attend the conference. Their quiet descriptions of war work being done in their chapters, their gratefulness for what America and Gamma Phi Beta are doing to help, their eagerness to hold the 1942 International Convention in Canada made an impression on everyone.

There were many other delightful impressions to be gained at Province I's Conference: the graciousness and thoughtfulness of Delta chapter and the Boston alumnæ group, the stimulating and interesting round-table discussions, the sessions between meetings, the charm of Mrs. Mathiesen, who represented Grand Council, and of Mrs. Callow, retiring province director, Boston's fine spring weather, and a total feeling of a very entrancing week-end.

A Résumé, Province I

An enthusiastic, highly representative group of Gamma Phis met in March at the Boston University Panhellenic house for the Province I Conference; included delegates from Alpha, Delta, Alpha Alpha, Alpha Upsilon, and Alpha Tau active chapters and from Boston, Syracuse, Montreal, Toronto, New York, Westchester County, and Northeastern New Jersey alumnæ groups, plus a score or more of visitors from the surrounding territory.

The program opened with a Panhellenic tea, at which Dean Lucy Franklin spoke on "The Contribution of the Sorority Woman." After a buffet supper, movies taken at the last Province I Conference were shown, as well as pictures of a Delta house party. Mrs. Russell Callow, director of Province I, spoke briefly in greeting and introduced Mrs. Homer Mathiesen of Washington, international vice-president, who represented Grand Council at the conference. Much of the evening's discussion centered around the 1942 International Convention, at which Province I will be hostess. The cordial invitations of the Canadian chapters showed the group to be in favor of the Province of Quebec as a convention site.

Following a luncheon at the Hotel Lenox, the conference reassembled for a discussion of the Gamma Phi Constitution, led by Mrs. Mathiesen, and its application to voting, inactivity, pledging and repledging, social privileges, chapter by-laws, international finances, and Gamma Phi Beta standards.

The affair closed with a formal banquet at the Boston University Women's Building to close a highly informative and interesting conference.

Mrs. George L. Leffler—Director, Province I



Mrs. George L. Leffler (Vada Morris, Alpha Delta) attended the University of Illinois, where she pledged Gamma Phi Beta and had the privilege of knowing our Frances E. Haven. A transfer of schools in mid-year took her to Missouri University where she was repledged Gamma Phi and initiated. After graduation in 1925, she taught in the Kansas City schools, was active in the First Baptist Church, and the Kansas City alumnæ chapter. She

attended the universities of Colorado and Wisconsin in summer sessions.

In 1932, Vada married Dr. George L. Leffler, Professor of Finance, a graduate of Kansas and Wisconsin Universities, an Alpha Kappa Psi who was teaching and doing research at the University of Wisconsin; they went to the University of Toledo for five years, and Vada became an active member of a Gamma Phi alumnæ chapter, took work at the Toledo Museum of Art and was active in social and civic affairs of the University.

Then George was elected to a position of professor at the Pennsylvania State College and they moved to State College, Pa., where she found an active Gamma Phi chapter, and two of her Missouri University sorority sisters, Margaret Stein Seamans and Ruth Baker Boucher living in State College. Since that time her home has been the scene of numerous rush parties and teas for Alpha Upsilon and Vada has won many friends with her winsome smile and her generous and co-operative spirit in the chapter. For the past semester she has been the alumnæ advisor.

Aside from her interest in Gamma Phi Beta at Penn State, Vada has, in their short residence, become an active member of the Woman's Club, held several committee and study group offices, and served the local welfare organizations and the Red Cross.

MARGARET STEIN SEAMANS

Mrs. Harry W. Seamans, Secretary



Margaret Stein Seamans, Alpha Delta, is close to Alpha Upsilon, having aided in bringing the chapter onto the Pennsylvania State College campus in 1932; seeing it through its installation and acting as alumnæ advisor for several years.

After graduating from the University of Missouri, she studied in New York and became a Y.W.C.A. secretary in Kansas and Missouri. In 1927, she was married to Harry William Seamans.

For thirteen years, they have been at State College, Pa., where Mr. Seamans is General Secretary of the Penn State Christian Association.

Margaret's capacity for friendship and ability to inspire the

co-operation of others, along with her concern for civic affairs and the development of youth, has meant that she has held numerous positions of leadership.

For two years she served as the college Y.W.C.A. secretary. She was the first president of the Newcomers' Club, an organization of faculty women and faculty wives; vice-president of the A.A.U.W.; president of the State College Panhellenic Association; and for two years served as president of the Woman's Club, a federated club of over two hundred members. These positions represent a few of the group and community responsibilities she has carried.

VADA MORRIS LEFFLER

Mrs. H. P. Culver—Director, Province II



Mrs. H. P. Culver (Edith Dodd, Wisconsin '16) graduated from the University of Wisconsin where she had transferred from Smith College in her junior year. She was married to H. P. Culver in the summer after her graduation and spent her early married years at army aviation posts where her husband was a flying officer. For the past twelve years they have made their home in Detroit where Mr.

Culver is in the engineering business and during that time Mrs. Culver has been affiliated with the Detroit alumnae chapter, served the group as president and was a delegate to the installation of the Gamma Phi chapter at the University of Western Ontario.

The Culvers' eldest son Paul Dodd Culver was born in Princeton, N.J., when Mr. Culver was instructor in the first aviation ground school and is now an aviation cadet himself, stationed at Pensacola Naval Training Station. Their daughter Edith is a student at Michigan State College and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Their third child, John, is a freshman in high school in Detroit.

Mary Earnshaw—Secretary, Province II



Mary Earnshaw graduated from the University of Michigan and returned to her native city, Detroit, to teach and take an active part in the work of the alumnae chapter there, which she has served as rush chairman and as publicity head. Her greatest interest is music and she has studied voice. Last year she taught singing in the fourth to seventh grades, as well as art, reading, literature and gram-

mar. Her hobby is visiting chapters of her sorority and this she has done from Florida to the Northwest, from Eastern Canada to California.

Alumnae Impressions of Province II

A thoroughly enjoyable conference was that of Province II, held in Delaware, Ohio, in March. From the moment we were met at the door of the Allen Hotel by friendly members of Alpha Eta and Delaware alumnae as hostess chapters, until we were waved farewell, we were made to feel that Alpha Eta and Delaware were delighted to entertain us.

After the Saturday night banquet at Bun's, the chapter open-house, we met the housemother and admired Alpha Eta's interesting home, so charmingly redecorated in the modern mode under direction of a Delaware alumna. The one o'clock dinner at Bun's restaurant—which seemed to be the popular meeting place in Delaware circles—officially closed the conference except for an informal meeting with the province director early that afternoon.

Looking back over the business of the week-end, we recall several highlights. Mrs. Homer A. Mathiesen, international vice-president, brought greetings and a message from Grand Council. Her presence added much to the success of the conference. Plans outlined by Mrs. Mathiesen for purchase by Gamma Phi Beta of a Mobile Canteen Unit as a service project were received enthusiastically. Mrs. Fox gave a report of the situation in Province II.

The conference expressed appreciation to Mrs. C. C. Dibble for her "fine work in Ohio for Gamma Phi Beta."

Spring flowers and candles decorated the T-shaped table for the closing banquet, at the head of which sat the toastmistress, Mrs. Beverly Kelley, Mrs. Fox, and the other speakers—Margaret Hulbert, whose topic was "Foundation"; Dorothea Heckman (general chairman of conference arrangements, and a good one!), who spoke on "Structure"; Mrs. H. Paul Culver, "Architect"; and Mrs. Homer A. Mathiesen, "Community Representative."

Alpha Eta's "The House of Charm" caused banquet chatter and favorable comment—a clever booklet printed in brown ink on buff paper, standing at each place down the long table. This was the product of an Alpha Eta freshman!

Representatives of all sororities on the campus were invited as guests at the Saturday luncheon at which Mrs. Mary Helen Fretts, dean of women, Ohio Wesleyan University, gave an address on "The Contributions of the Sorority to the University."

All six Greek letter chapters were represented at the conference—Beta, Epsilon, Alpha Eta, Alpha Nu, Alpha Psi, Alpha Omega, and alumnae chapters of Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Springfield, Dayton, Cin-

cinnati, Akron, and Delaware. The conference was a culmination of three years of service of Mrs. Fox as Province Director, and the conference expressed its appreciation of her work in behalf of all her chapters and the sorority during her term of office. Mrs. Homer Mathiesen announced that Mrs. Paul Culver of Detroit succeeds to the office July 1.

To me personally, the conference was one more evidence of the strength that is Gamma Phi Beta; of the fine spirit that makes affiliation with our sorority a life-time bond. This was my first conference in any other province than Province VI. Perhaps it was my very newness to Province II and position as almost an outsider, that prompted the request to me to write my impressions and a résumé of the conference. It is important that the problems discussed were similar to those which had concerned chapters in the West, and that the atmosphere of friendliness was typical of the Gamma Phi Beta I had known as an active and as an alumna. It was further proof that continued activity with Gamma Phi Beta, as actives and alumnae, pays dividends. The conference itself was voted a success by delegates and guests, and our thanks go out to those who made it possible.

BEATRICE LOCKE HOGAN

Gamma Phi Forever, Province II

The doorbell rang again at the Alpha Eta chapter house; province convention was to open officially the next day and delegates and guests were arriving rapidly. This time we found at the door a small and attractive elderly lady who introduced herself and inquired if this was where the province convention was to be held. She was Mrs. Agnes Meyers from Williamsport, Ohio, and of the class of 1892, one of our honored guests of the week-end. When she was at Ohio Wesleyan, Gamma Phi Beta was unknown to this campus for there were no national sororities at the time. But Mrs. Meyers and seven or eight others integrated themselves into an organization which was called Delta Psi. Delta Psi grew larger and more influential until it was given a Gamma Phi Beta charter. Mrs. Meyers had graduated before the change came about, but in 1924 she and several other charter members of Delta Psi returned and were initiated into Gamma Phi Beta. And Mrs. Myers is a true Gamma Phi with unbounding spirit and enthusiasm for her fraternity. A number of years have passed since she was a young girl and a member of Delta Psi, but she is still in contact with her sisters and knows all that they are doing; no one could break that bond of sisterhood to which

she holds so firmly. Mrs. Meyers was an inspiration to our convention.

This convention also brought us in close contact with many other Gamma Phis—active members, international and province officers, and alumnae. I believe that our conference did much to increase the feeling that being an alumna is just another important step in Gamma Phi Beta and is a definite and integral part of our fraternity. Once a Gamma Phi, forever a Gamma Phi!

I'm sure that each one of us attending the affair was truly affected by the greatness of our fraternity and was inspired to further the ideals and aims of Gamma Phi Beta.

EVELYN REGER, *Alpha Eta Active*

Mrs. Royce West—Director, Province III



Mrs. Royce West of Omaha was appointed in January as Director of Province III of Gamma Phi Beta and re-appointed in June. Mrs. West attended the University of Nebraska, where she was a member and officer of Pi chapter of Gamma Phi Beta, winning the scholarship cup of her pledge class.

A kindergarten-primary major at the university, she taught for four years, then became interested in foreign languages and studied in summer at

the University of Nebraska and at Columbia University.

Mrs. Rex B. Stratton—Secretary, Province III



Mrs. Rex B. Stratton (Florence Barlow, Nebraska '34) majored in economics and is now with the United States Forest Service in Omaha. The year following her graduation she was married to Rex B. Stratton. Her hobbies are target practice and horseback riding and the decoration of a new early Colonial home into which she and her husband have just moved.

In 1930 Mrs. West went abroad with her husband, Dr. Royce West (Nebraska '27), assistant to the president and head of the department of foreign languages of the University of Omaha, continuing her studies at several universities during the next two years. Upon her return, she taught Latin and German at Central High School.

She is a member of the Board of Directors of the Omaha City Y.W.C.A., after serving for several years as advisor of high school and University of Omaha Y.W.C.A. groups.

Mrs. West resigned the presidency of the Omaha Gamma Phi Beta alumnae chapter because of the travelling duties of the province director. She is the Omaha member of the house board for Pi chapter.

She has a collection of hand puppets, which includes a little white dog purchased in Berlin and a black imp from the Black Forest. One, tucked into her suit case on her recent tour of the chapters in her province provided unique entertainment for the girls and left them practising hand motions necessary to make the puppets perform.

Dude Ranching in Province III

For three days in April the Gamma Phi Beta house at the University of Kansas became a dude ranch at which the delegates to the Province III Conference were entertained. About seventy delegates came from Nebraska, Missouri, and Illinois, which made a total of one hundred and forty of us, counting Sigma actives and Lawrence alumnae.

At the supper Friday night, the decorations and favors were suggestive of the ranch theme. The active girls of Sigma and guests gave a lively ranch-hand entertainment of songs, dances, and fun. As a feature of the evening, Miss Helen Rhoda Hoopes, professor of English and a charter member of Sigma chapter, read an original playlet poem portraying events of the time that Sigma was founded at the University of Kansas.

On Saturday the business of the conference got under way with the theme, "You and I and Gamma Phi." During the rushing round table the alumnae rushing recommendation plan was discussed most favorably.

We were all thrilled when Alice W. Fitzgerald, international president, told of all National is doing for the Red Cross both here in the United States and in Canada, and is planning more in the way of British relief.

We Lawrence Gamma Phis invited representatives from each of the other Greek letter sororities on our Kansas University campus to our formal dinner party on Saturday night. Our guests are still talking about what an inspiration our Grand International President, Alice Fitzgerald, was when she talked on "Loyalty."

Our new Chancellor, Dean Malott, gave us all something to think about when he spoke at the dinner on "What Sororities Mean to the College Campus."

We are proud that his wife, Eleanor Malott, is a Gamma Phi. She was initiated into Eta, Berkeley, California. Both Mr. and Mrs. Malott are friendly and helpful to all the sororities at the university.

This was my first province conference. I hope it will not be my last.

LUCILE ELLSWORTH, *Sigma '21*

Mrs. H. M. Schuppert—Secretary, Province IV



Mrs. H. M. Schuppert (Erma Frick, University of Iowa, '31), is past president of the Iowa City alumnae chapter and is the mother of a 19-month old son. She is a charming person and everything she handles flows smoothly and successfully.

Mrs. Robert Gibson—Director, Province IV



Lucy Tait Gibson was born in Norfolk, Va., attended the private school, Phillips and West, Sweet Briar College at Sweet Briar, Va., and Peabody Conservatory of Music at Baltimore, Md. She made her debut in Norfolk and Philadelphia.

While in Baltimore, Lucy Tait met a young biochemist from Yale who was physiologist at the University of Manila, Philippine Islands and after

a romantic courtship, she was married to Robert B. Gibson, at Spring Garden, Va., the old home of her mother. The next three years, the Gibsons spent in Manila and China. Then Mr. Gibson was appointed to the staff of the University of Iowa Hospitals and since then they have made their home in Iowa City.

Mrs. Gibson attended the University of Iowa where she was very active in Rho chapter of Gamma Phi Beta. She found time from her many duties to take a thorough course in business administration to prepare herself for the management of the College Dress Shop, and to help her in her work as acting presi-

dent of the committee on the purchase and financing of the chapter house and property.

To those of us who are privileged to know her, Lucy's name stands for all that is spontaneously warm and friendly. Lucy is interested in everything that is culturally good and socially amusing. Her door is always open in welcome to neighbors and friends, church and club acquaintances, and visiting celebrities.

Lucy can entertain a former university president's family in her home overnight and be out bright and early the next morning in her smock to paint the front porch pillars. She can take a breakfast, luncheon and tea in her stride and, without pausing for breath, rush home to teach a class of beginners in bridge. Lucy can dance all Saturday evening and take her place with the singers in the processional at Trinity Episcopal Church the next morning. She can run a dress shop, bake cakes for her friends' teas, serve her own parties—all without "losing face" in a little university town, because Lucy is Lucy, a loyal friend who gets loyalty in return from her friends.

Lucy has a real flair for clothes, and "wows the stag line," as the youngsters say—or was that last year?—in her formals. She has a true southern accent that time doesn't seem to alter. She plays a wicked game of bridge, even taught once for Sidney Lenz on the *Ile de France*, but is still a gentlewoman to bridge dubs. She has a house full of fine old furniture, silver and silhouettes.

Lucy loves people and giving parties for her friends. She loves to "fix up" old houses and paint furniture. She loves to cook and is even now in the throes of writing a cook-book which should be ready for the publishers sometime this year. Lucy loves to talk on any subject and with anyone, hours on end, without descending to personalities. She loves to ride horseback but true to her Southern rearing she has never ridden cross-saddle!

All in all, Lucy Tait Gibson is one of the best balanced and well-rounded personalities that we know, and a fine testimonial for Gamma Phi Beta!

MRS. CHARLES B. RICHTER

Benefits Derived, Province IV

The most penetrating influence and effect of Province IV's Conference was the realization of the extent and the value of the International sisterhood of Gamma Phi. As Peggy Murray and myself were the only Canadians present, I believe we were perhaps more conscious of this than our sister chapters, but the keynote of the whole conference was that of the warmest friendliness. Kappa chapter, both actives and alumnae, were wonderful hostesses, and I would like to take this opportunity of again thanking them for making our visit so very enjoyable in every way.

The discussions were intensely interesting and the feeling we all had of "belonging" and of working toward the same end made each sister feel that she, too, was an important link in the chain.

We were very pleased to have Mrs. Fitzgerald with us. Formerly she was simply an august name in the *Pledge Manual* to me, but now I feel privileged to have met her and to have heard her speak. To hear her tell of her life in Gamma Phi makes one realize the worth and possibilities that wait for all of us.

We are all sorry that Mrs. Sand is not continuing as our Province Director. We welcome Mrs. Gibson,

our new Province Director, and are looking forward to her first visit.

Mrs. Harvey Stenson, social co-ordinator of the University of Minnesota, spoke on "The Sorority Girl—Active" and stressed the importance of good sorority leadership to freshmen. We were rushed from beautiful luncheons to bowling tournaments, fashion shows, and banquets, which all led to the wonderful climax of the dance on Saturday night.

But it was not alone from speeches or social activities that Mrs. Fitzgerald's challenge concerning the worth of a conference was answered for us. The enthusiasm, the vitality, and the spirit of our hostess chapter and of all the Gamma Phis we met have inspired in us a knowledge that Gamma Phi is truly firmly founded and a knowledge that the hearts of our American sisters are with us in this great struggle, which is the centre of all our lives in Canada today. How inspiring it was to be able to come back and tell our own chapter of the new Committee of Grand Council—that of British Relief Work. Our heartfelt thanks to you all.

BARBARA SELLERS, *Alpha Kappa '42*

Alumnæ Report, Province IV

The Province IV conference opened with a well-attended, stimulating business session, and ended with a colorful banquet and dance, given by the Kappa chapter at the Nicollet Hotel, Minneapolis.

The conference centered its work in the new Coffman Memorial Union. At the opening session, presided over by Helen Sand, Province IV director, we were welcomed by Ruby Baston, president of the Minneapolis Alumnae, and Frances Solem, chairman of arrangements for the conference.

In her message from National Alice W. Fitzgerald, grand president, explained changes in national laws, stressed dignified publicity, and suggested methods of War Relief that Gamma Phi could take part in. We were most fortunate in having Mrs. Fitzgerald with us.

At the Friday luncheon in the Union, Harvey Stenson of the University gave excellent suggestions on activities. That evening the alumnae were guests of the St. Paul group for a buffet supper. The actives had a dinner and program at the house. Saturday luncheon was held at the Women's Club in Minneapolis. At the closing business meeting it was announced that Mrs. Robert Gibson, Iowa, was to be the new director for Province IV. The formal banquet was at the Union. The grand finale was a formal dance to which all were invited.

MARY LOU BEHRENBRINKER

Mrs. B. Koontz—Director, Province V



The Texas poll tax receipts acknowledge that Mrs. B. Koontz is twenty-one plus, female, white, Texas born and a housewife.

Doris Lea came from a ranch in Fort Stockton, Tex.; graduated from the University of Texas in 1928; was a member of Omicron Nu (honorary home economics). After marrying B. Koontz, a forester, in 1930 and living wherever his work took him in Texas, Indiana,

and Florida, she returned to Texas in 1936 to live at College Station where she was able to visit Alpha Zeta frequently. Now she is moving to Avinger, Tex. still following the husband in his profession.

Her interests, aside from the housewifely ones, are numerous. Old houses and history consume much of her leisure time but gardening and old glass take priority over all others.

Ossie Shivers—Secretary, Province V



Ossie Shivers graduated in 1936 from the University of Texas with a Journalism degree. She is a journalist by degree and a bookkeeper by profession. Since her graduation she has kept books for her father. During her senior year she was literary chairman. Among her interests are gift shop work and short story writing.

Advantages Gained, Province V

Every Gamma Phi Beta should be able to attend a Gamma Phi conference. I have always felt my sorority very dear and close to me, but not until I attended the conference of Province V, at Austin, Texas, did I realize fully how much more than ever before it meant to me.

I also became aware that we are only one cog in the great wheel of Gamma Phi Beta, and in order to have a perfect performance we must all strive to cooperate with each member of our chapter, and all other Gamma Phis in other chapters.

The benefits derived by all of us who attended, I

believe, were those from the round table discussions. It was helpful to hear the problems of other chapters which are perhaps similar to ours, and the way of solving these problems.

The importance of Panhellenic relationships on the campus was stressed. This made me realize the necessity of recognizing our group as only one among others. In this case the co-operation of one sorority with another is just as important as the relationship of the girls in the sorority.

Loyalty was aroused within me to a greater extent than before. Loyalty to school, of course, should be foremost, but after this loyalty comes the sorority, which is a very different bond; you are bound to it by dear and longlasting friendships. There are many chapters all over the United States, either active or alumnae, waiting to greet you.

One of the most thrilling moments was that in which I met Alice W. Fitzgerald, our grand president. She was an inspiration just by her presence, but when she spoke she unfolded before every girl an ideal Gamma Phi—a shining example of womanliness and a higher mental and social culture. If every girl in Gamma Phi Beta could talk to Mrs. Fitzgerald, the ideals of this sorority would be realized.

Our retiring province director, Mrs. Puella Hodges, also injected us with her loyalty which she has proven to us by her work and interest in the welfare of the individual girls as well as each chapter.

JANE HICKS, *President of Theta*

Alumnae Views, Province V

The conference for Province V was held in Austin, Texas, with Alpha Zeta hostess to Psi, Alpha Phi, Alpha Xi, Tau, Theta, and fourteen alumnae groups. Hostess assistance came from the alumnae chapters of Austin, San Antonio, and Houston.

The business meetings for the day were held at the Texas Union Building. Those attending were Mrs. R. E. Fitzgerald, international president; Mrs. D. E. Hodges, retiring province director; actives and alumnae from Colorado, Oklahoma, and Texas, making a total of sixty seven. Louise Gartman was chairman and Jessie Louise Sneed, secretary. Mrs. Fitzgerald explained organization changes, the endowment, and social service of Gamma Phi Beta.

The group lunched at the Spanish village. A Mexican lunch consisting mainly of tamales, tacas, tortillas, and dulce was served; was enjoyed by some, and was interesting to all.

In the afternoon Dr. Homer Prince Rainey, president of Texas University, spoke on the proper rela-

tionship between college and Greek letter organizations. At four o'clock in the University Methodist Church the Alpha Zeta alumnae and actives held an initiation ceremony.

The formal banquet took place in the Tea House with Virginia Montague, an Alpha Zeta alumna from Dallas, as toastmistress. Mrs. R. E. Fitzgerald talked with intelligence, wit, and charm of loyalty to Gamma Phi Beta. Mrs. D. E. Hodges made the efficiency award, a tie, to Psi and Alpha Zeta.

The final business meeting and closing exercises took place at the Texas Federated Woman's Club Building. Luncheon followed in the Georgian Tea Room of the same building. Aroxie Hagopian, Alpha Mu, sang, closing the conference. A tour of Austin and the University Campus followed.

DORIS LEE KOONTZ

Mrs. William A. Giffin—Secretary, Province VI



Mrs. William A. Giffin (Marian Graham, Xi), the granddaughter of early pioneers of Twin Falls, Idaho.

In 1932 she entered the University of Idaho at Moscow where she was pledged and initiated into Gamma Phi Beta during her freshman year. When a junior she became a member of Phi Chi Theta, a national business women's honorary. This same year she was elected treasurer of Xi chapter. In 1936 she was graduated from Idaho with a degree in business administration.

For a year following her graduation Meg was secretary to the Dean of the College of Engineering. After this she went to Boise, Idaho's capital city, as secretary to one of the officials of the Idaho Power Company. About three years later she became the bride of William Giffin.

She has always been very interested in sports of all kinds—particularly tennis and horseback riding. For two years at college she was on the tennis team. She has always enjoyed the outdoors and usually manages to spend her vacations in the mountains.

Mrs. David Dickover—Director, Province VI

Mrs. Dickover (Florence Baird, Denver University) is fair and small—5 ft. 2½ in. The extra ½ inch has for some unknown reason always been there, to make her not tall and not really small.

Scholarship student at Denver University, School of Commerce, her only school office was secretary of the freshman class.

She was a member of Parakeets, pep organization; of Phi Gamma Nu, national social sorority for commerce students, rush captain, pledge trainer, and vice president; chosen one of ten for Beauty section of Yearbook in sophomore year; member of sorority quartette, sang alto and made arrangements; sang for installation of

Alpha Phi chapter at Colorado College.

While attending school she had classes in mornings and worked afternoons for a C.P.A. who taught Accounting at the School of Commerce, and now works in United States Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service, at Boise, Idaho.

She served Boise alumnae association as treasurer, and when they organized as a chapter became vice-president, then president.

In 1938 she married David Dickover, Sigma Nu, University of Colorado, architect and designer. Her greatest interests are her sorority and her husband's houses, and she enjoys sports, bridge and pinochle.



The Values, Province VI

Province conference has many hidden values which are complementary to the business of the gathering. Less tangible though these values may be, they are nonetheless important. They consist of a personal gain for each attending Gamma Phi, as well as for the sorority as a whole.

Friendship, one of the greatest merits of sorority life, is vastly increased. The girls come into closer contact both with alumnae and with neighboring active chapters. Each of us who attended conference this spring found new friends—friends, perhaps, who do not know the same people or do the same things we do. Friends, therefore, who will help to broaden our outlook on life.

Co-operation, too, is emphasized. Co-operation within chapters was well illustrated at Portland by a most successful song contest. Though the cup was won by Lambda, every chapter gave an excellent performance. It was plain that choral arrangements as difficult as those presented would have been impossible without the full co-operation of every one who took part. Also, co-operation between chapters was fully realized at conference. Individual problems and differences were quickly subordinated to matters of common interest. The various chapters came to realize that co-operation is the best means of gaining a common end.

But the chief and most important benefit of con-

ference is the all-inclusive factor of unity. In this one word unity are found all the factors that make for strength. It embraces both friendship and co-operation. And nowhere is the sense of unity more fully realized than at province conference. In the social gatherings as well as the business meetings we felt the paramount influence of unity.

We realized that only by strengthening the bonds between the girls within our own chapter and between the chapters themselves could the sorority do its best work. This point was beautifully expressed by Mrs. Fitzgerald at Portland. In an impressive talk she spoke to us of "Loyalty." She showed us that loyalty to Gamma Phi is what we owe the sorority in return for its many privileges. And through loyalty is achieved unity.

Thus we came to realize the full meaning of sorority life. The narrow view of one's own chapter as a unit in itself is cast aside. The bonds of the sorority are strengthened. As Canadians we feel that this is of immeasurable value. The realization that we can look to girls in the United States as our friends and co-workers gives us a feeling of strength. It is in this that we realize the true meaning of "International Sorority." To know that sorority bonds transcend national differences is a victory not only for the sorority but also for democracy.

BETTY WORTHINGTON, AND
AUDREY JONES, *Alpha Lambda*

Intangibles, Province VI

I have helped my husband prepare a paper on English church architecture to be given before a lecture group, and that was easy compared to trying to write down what intangible thing impressed me most about our recent Province Conference at Portland, Oregon, of chapters in Province VI.

We had a Panhellenic tea at the Town Club after our afternoon sessions ended, presenting Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Dehn, and the province directors to the sorority women of Portland. Alpha Chi Omega, Delta Delta Delta, Pi Beta Phi, and Delta Zeta sent representatives.

We numbered 135 at the banquet that evening. The song contest between Lambda, Chi, and Nu chapters which followed the dinner, ended in the award of a silver cup to the Lambda girls after close competition.

Mrs. Burke brought the conference to its close so successfully that we hardly realized it was all over and time to go home. The Spokane alumnae and Xi chapters extended their hospitality to us for 1943.

The girls from Canada were so charming, the girls from our own country so gracious and hospitable, it makes stronger than ever the conviction that it is fun to be a Gamma Phi!

FLORENCE DICKOVER
Theta and Boise Alumnae

Sketches of Mrs. Stanley Dickover, of Berkeley, California, Province Director for VII, and her secretary, Mrs. Gordon C. Lee, will appear in a later issue of *The Crescent*.

Impressions, Province VII

The steady climb of the train through the silent snowbanks of the Sierra; into the chill, frosty air to meet the warming welcome and alert, amazing early-morning cheerfulness of the Alpha Gamma girls.

The dissipation of any feeling of strangeness at the familiar opening of the first meeting and the swift thought "Of course, that's part of being a Gamma Phi. Why, you could go into any Gamma Phi meeting and feel at home," and the resultant strengthened realization of the greatness of the sorority. The business of getting acquainted with all these people, really more like old friends, since all had so much in common. Long and lively discussions on rushing, scholarship, activities, and the babble continuing even after the meetings had broken up—"What songs do you sing in your chapter?" and "We always have a Chinese dinner during rush week."

At last an opportunity to look around at the beautiful scenic setting of snowy mountain crags peacefully contrasting the busy confused streets of the big little city of Reno. The thrill of seeing Mark Twain's Virginia City with its old-time Crystal Bar and of seeing a real gold brick—poured at Silver City.

More meetings and discussions, valuable and inspiration-packed, climaxed by an impressive formal banquet with interesting and informative speeches of just the right length. The rush to catch the late train and the regret at leaving and amazement that so much had been seen and done and so many friends made in the short space of just two days.

A few last thoughts before dropping off to sleep—appreciation for the quick friendliness and perfect-hostess attitude of the Alpha Gamma girls and their alumnae, new realization of the strength of the "sisterly bond" and the practical way it works, gratitude to Gamma Phi standards for producing such fine alumnae to inspire and guide the undergraduate, firm resolution to try all the new ideas learned in the past two

days, and a last drowsy wish that every Gamma Phi could have the experience of attending a conference such as this one.

MARY FRANCES RICKERSHAUSER
President, Alpha Iota

Alumnæ Viewpoint, Province VII

Attending my first Province Conference at Reno, Nevada, was of double interest because I was there in a dual capacity. I had not been replaced as alumnæ adviser to Alpha Iota chapter and was the newly elected, though not inducted, president of the Los Angeles alumnæ chapter.

Province Seven, with only six active chapters and twelve alumnæ chapters, covers territory, from Nevada in the north to Arizona in the south—then across the water to Honolulu, Hawaii.

Saturday afternoon, with all business behind us, we were taken on a sight-seeing tour. The motion picture industry has only recently made Virginia City and Silver City come very much alive again, and we enjoyed seeing them first hand. While there we saw a gold brick poured at the mine owned by the husband of a Gamma Phi.

Nevada, so rich in historical lore, was an ideal setting for our conference. Alpha Gamma, with their roomy attractive new home, made us very welcome and comfortable. We owe them a sincere expression of our appreciation.

The Reno alumnæ are to be congratulated upon what they have accomplished for the active chapter and we all realize their co-operation was in no small measure accountable for the success of our conference.

To meet and know such international officers as Rachel Colby, Penelope Simonson, and Airdrie Pinkerton brings a greater realization of Gamma Phi Beta's intrinsic value and its worth to us as long as we may live.

MARION P. GARVIN
President, Los Angeles Alumnæ

Common Interests, Province VIII

The conference held by Province VIII in Baltimore, in March brought together a group of Gamma Phis, alumnæ and undergraduates, interested alike in advancing the welfare of the sorority and in developing each individual to her highest capacity.

The business sessions were devoted to discussions of the technique of recommendations for membership, of

rushing methods, of expansion, of methods for increasing the endowment fund, of ways for improving scholarships, of co-operation between alumnæ and undergraduate chapters, of increased membership in alumnæ chapters, and last but by no means least, of the necessity for loyalty. Loyalty to the institution in which the chapter is chartered, loyalty to the members of the group, loyalty to one's own standards and loyalty to the sorority, and the rightful use of privileged membership were emphasized.

The conference approved the plan suggested at the 1940 Convention, and used by Zeta, of having a small committee of local alumnæ and undergraduates act as a clearing house for rushing recommendations, and chapters were urged to inaugurate it, where practical.

The conference approved the plan in use by Birmingham alumnæ of having groups of alumnæ as hostesses at monthly meetings, and urged both alumnæ and undergraduates to work and play together—in the regular meetings and at such celebrations as Founders' Day.

The conference went on record as endorsing, and promised co-operation for, the international service project—the purchase of a mobile canteen unit for use in the war zone.

The social features of the conference, formal and informal, afforded an opportunity for all to become acquainted; for Baltimore and Zeta members to introduce their guests to their Goucher friends, for the undergraduates and "young" alumnæ to enjoy dancing with Johns Hopkins and Baltimore dates, and for the "older" alumnæ to get a hurried view of Baltimore City.

The inclusion on the program of two speakers, Miss Eleanor Dilworth, a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, and Miss Justina Hill, a graduate of Smith College, and the author of *Germs and the Man*, demonstrated the spirit for which Gamma Phi Beta stands—friendliness and co-operation among the members, the college world, and the community.

The conference was an example of the ability of Gamma Phis from chapters with different problems and varying situations to consider the sorority as a whole and to work together for unity and solidarity.

MARY T. McCURLEY, *Goucher College*

Pictures and sketches of Gertrude Henderson Schellenberg, Director of Province VIII, and her secretary, Bess Madden Eby appeared in the February 1941 issue of *The Crescent*.

What Alumnae Chapters Are Doing

Ames

Marriages

Edith Dillon, Omega '41, to Jerry Frazier, Ames, Iowa, March 22, 1941.

Gay Starrack, Omega '39, to Joe Weresch of Chicago, Ill. May 3, 1941.

Marian Chandler, Omega '37, to William McCord of Ames, Iowa.

Helen Gaines, Omega '37, to Thomas N. Scott (Alpha Gamma Rho), Atlanta, Georgia.

Births

To Dr. and Mrs. Bovey (Elaine Cutler) Omega '39, a daughter, Barbara Jane, March 26, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hirt (Gertrude Call, Omega), a son, Robert, Jr., April 1941.

Austin

Marriages

Louella Moffett to Bernard Vine.

Ernestine McLemore to Eldon Bowers.

Dorothy Brindley to Carl Dickens.

Nita Ligon to Frederick Whitton Morse.

Births

Lieutenant and Mrs. John Canbell Wilkins (Irma Black '39) announce the arrival of a daughter, Gale Repper.

Berkeley—Eta

The Berkeley Alumnae Association had a very busy and active year—Eta Alumnae opened this spring with an enthusiastic dessert meeting at the home of Ora Muir Thelen with her daughter Ora Thelen as co-hostess. Evelyn Ratcliffe showed a model of her new home which she and her husband designed.

Later in the month, while Ruth Ord was president, a bridge party was held at the chapter house for the Berkeley Alumnae Fund.

The following month a meeting was held at Margaret Hatfield's with Margaret Dickover and Annette Wellington hosting. Interesting reports of the Province Conference held at Reno were presented by Penelope Simonsen, Elizabeth Currier and Ruth Ord (official delegate). There was an election of officers followed by piano numbers by Helen Saylor Sizer and a talk by Ruth Bacon Vickery on the Y.W.C.A. Council of which she is president.

Our April meeting took the form of attendance at a tea at the chapter house to honor Mrs. Fitzgerald, International President of Gamma Phi Beta, on her first official visit. The Executive Boards of Berkeley, San Francisco and Palo Alto also gathered to honor her at a luncheon

while the San Francisco Alumnae gave a buffet supper for her at the home of Margaret Roadhouse in San Francisco.

The annual spring luncheon of Panhellenic was held at the Hotel Claremont, followed by a meeting where a number of changes in rushing rules at U.C. were voted. This included the establishment of a Panhellenic office to handle invitations, rushing lists, etc. and to manage difficulties occurring during rushing. Penelope Simonsen, Eta, is active Panhellenic rushing chairman while Annette Wellington and Ruth Dunnington are Eta Panhellenic delegates.

Two lovely teas were given in April at the chapter house, one a very successful spring rushing tea and the other, a beautiful Mothers' and Daughters' tea.

Florence Ward opened her lovely home and gardens on the Tunnel Road in May for the annual tea to the seniors. Preceding the tea, at the regular meeting, Mrs. C. H. Lunsford, Alpha Chi Omega, Chairman of Alumnae Advisors at Berkeley, gave a talk on the purpose of Panhellenic, the new rushing rules and the function of the office recently established on the campus.

We have not been too engrossed in our own affairs to devote time to San Francisco British War Relief work. In behalf of the fund, two lovely lace wedding veils, one a Carrick Macross, the other a Tambour lace veil were sold in conjunction with Mills College, San Francisco and East Bay Alumnae of the University of California. Eta chapter had charge on the campus of exhibiting the veils and selling tickets.

We also raised money to adopt a two year old British War Orphan for the period of a year.

The Palace Hotel in San Francisco was the setting of a delightful dance organized by Eta, Berkeley chapter, Mu, Stanford chapter, and by the Berkeley, San Francisco and Palo Alto Alumnae Associations for the purpose of raising funds for the Gamma Phi Beta International War Emergency Fund. The sum of five hundred and fifty dollars was realized from the dance. The success of the ball was due in great measure to the untiring efforts of Doreen Little Thomas, Eta, general chairman.

The last activity held in June was a most entertaining reading by Ethelwynn Sydenham, Eta, of the play "Washington Slept Here."

We are now looking forward to another successful year under the capable leadership of our new president, Libby Allardt Brown.

HELEN SAYLOR SIZER

Marriages

Ora Thelen, Eta '35, to Lt. John Gil-lingham, April 12, 1941.

Anita Leibing, Eta '41, to Hugh McFee, February 14, 1941.

Valma Maddox, Eta '41, to Lucien Garrett, June 7, 1941.

Leslie Lockwood, Eta '41, to Robert Reynolds, June 21, 1941.

Loie Judkins, Eta '43, to Rev. Henry M. Shires, June 29, 1941.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Leonard (Betty Colton, Eta '39), a son in April.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Cline (Barbara Pentecost, Eta), a son on June 29, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elston (Helen Warner, Eta '35), a daughter in Pasadena.

Birmingham

The Birmingham Alumnae chapter is assisting enthusiastically the actives of Alpha Rho at Birmingham-Southern College in rushing. A tea, attended by 100 high school graduates, was given at the home of Rosemary Carrol Mackin in June. Several informal meetings have been held for the purpose of setting up a file system on rushees. The active chapter president, Mary Fuller, and the rush chairman attend these meetings and assist in securing data for the file.

Camping has had a place in our program and we have clothed and sent four little girls from the lower-income families to Camp Ski-Hi.

For the local chapter of the British War Relief we knitted sweaters and scarfs and sewed other garments and contributed money to headquarters for our part in purchasing a mobile canteen unit for the British.

We held a meeting at the home of Dorothy Matthews and after the short business session the meeting took the form of a picnic with the June graduates, who were honored guests, presented with favors.

Frances Howell Frederick is our new alumnae president and we are looking forward to a year of achievement under her guidance. MIRIAM BAGLET PERKINS

Marriages

Carolyn Barker, Alpha Rho '43, to Bob Strain, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Birmingham-Southern, on April 12. At home, Dallas Apts., Bessemer, Ala.

Joanna Thorpe, Alpha Rho '41, to Lieut. Charles Bernhard, University of Alabama, '41. At home, Ft. Bragg, N.C.

Boston

January and February this year brought Boston its usual quota of ice, snowstorms and cold weather, which affected the attendance somewhat during those two months, but did not dampen the ardor of those who braved the elements and ploughed through the drifts. On Saturday afternoon, January 25, at 131 Commonwealth Avenue, there was an intriguing quiz program—a current affairs contest prepared for us, and offered by *Time* magazine. Afterward prizes were awarded and tea was served. The February meeting was also at the House, when a penny sale was held and tea served.

March was the big month in our spring program, for the week-end of the 21st and 22nd Boston and Delta were hostesses to Province I for the conference which was held at the sorority house. In addition to the many interesting and constructive business sessions, two of the highlights were the Panhellenic Tea on Friday afternoon at the house, and the Formal Banquet on Saturday evening at the Boston University Women's Building. On March 29 the Annual Meeting was held at the house, where reports for the year were given, officers elected for the ensuing year, and a conference report by our delegate, Eleanor Simmons.

On April 26 the Spring Luncheon was held at the sorority house, where a delicious luncheon was served by Carlotta Brant Stevens and Celia Marshall Jordan. There was a large attendance and everyone had such a good time renewing old friendships and getting up-to-date on all Gamma Phi news. The program which followed included readings by Florence Barbour, whom we always enjoy so much.

In May Flora Smith Maygar invited us to her home in Wellesley Hills to a Chinese supper. Mrs. Maygar has been living for several years in Shanghai, where her husband is representative for a large American oil concern, but due to war conditions, she was obliged to evacuate her home and return with her three children to the United States. After the supper, she told us of her 20 years spent in various parts of China, while we listened fascinated.

In June Eda Tarbox Boyce and her daughter Dorothy, entertained the alumnae at a picnic supper at the Log Cabin in the Bird Sanctuary in Andover.

ISABELLE S. HARPER

Marriages

On April 19, 1941, at Winthrop, Mass., Dorothy Schober, Delta '33, to Mr. Joseph Benotti of Weston. Mr. and Mrs. Benotti are living in Watertown.

Deaths

On January 3, 1941, Mrs. George W. Waterman (Claribel Moulton, Delta '91), of Newburyport.

On February 25, 1941, Mrs. George A.

Sweetser (Nina M. Rogers, Delta '94), mother of Isabelle Sweetser Harper, Delta '25, of Wellesley Hills.

Suddenly on June 6, 1941, Mrs. Frank G. Wren (Mary Ingraham, Delta '96), widow of Dean Wren of Tufts College.

Champaign-Urbana

The Champaign-Urbana alumnae chapter held its April meeting at the University Women's Club. Mrs. Gaines Greene, Omicron's chaperon, was a guest. Officers were elected with Marie Hostetter the new president.

At the May meeting at the home of Eleanor Cook the chapter contributed to the fund to buy an Army Canteen. The program concerned Gamma Phi in Literature and Margaret Fishback's poems were read.

A summer activity of the town and alumnae members was a party for local rushees, Saturday, July 12. Twenty-five guests attended a theatre and luncheon party. Betty Haynes and Jean Sager were in charge and several out of town members of Omicron returned for it.

Eleanor Cook attended summer school in Boulder, Colo.

Chapter officers for this year are: President, Marie M. Hostetter; vice-president, Mrs. Frances Rayner; recording secretary, Ruth Sutherland; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frances McColl; treasurer, Betty Woller; CRESCENT correspondent, Jennis Barry; chairman of Endowment Fund, Eleanor Cook; chairman of program committee, Mrs. Kathleen Manley.

Mrs. Greene remained at the chapter house until in July when she took a lake trip with her granddaughter.

Mrs. Staehle is now living in her attractive new home erected very near that of her daughter on the beautiful estate Woodridge just out of Bethlehem, Pa.

While in Racine, Wis., in July, Nina Gresham called on Alida Moss Skinner who reported that her daughter, Frances, has just one more semester in high school. Alida also has two attractive sons.

JENNIS BARRY

Marriages

Joanne Sellers, Omicron '42, to Carl Zanzow, Alpha Chi Rho, May 29.

Jean Bartle, Omicron '39, to Charles Hemphill, Alpha Kappa Lambda, June 7.

Muriel Blum, Omicron '41, to George Paris, Beta Theta Pi, June 14.

Gwendolyn Muntz, Omicron '41, to Alfred Kirkland, Sigma Nu, June 14.

Mary Katherine Grossman, Omicron '41, to Burton Sellers, Theta Chi, June 15.

Josephine Miller, Omicron '39, to Kenneth Means, Phi Gamma Delta, June 19.

Margaret Vaniman, Omicron '40, to Frederick Bauer, Delta Upsilon, June 21.

Frances Quirke, Omicron '40, to Lieut. Walter R. Washburn, July 4.

Betty Hutchison, '39, to Charles Hughes on April 5, 1941, in St. Paul Congregational Church, Chicago.

Evelyn Allard, '39, to Fletcher Ellis, Sigma Chi, on Saturday, March 22, 1941. Mr. Ellis is the brother of Sarah Lou, new initiate at Omicron.

Wilma (Billie) Bartle, '41, and Robert Berg, on April 12, 1941, in Pinkneyville, Ill. Bob is a Delta Chi from Illinois and works in Chicago. Billie graduated from Illinois in June.

Marge Miller to Ed Wanderer, Beta Theta Pi '40, in Oak Park on Saturday, June 28. They will make their home in New Kensington, Pa.

Gwen Muntz, '41, and Al Kirkland, Law 1, on June 14, in Elgin.

Chicago

Seniors of Epsilon and Alpha Psi were welcomed into the alumnae rank at the Annual Alumnae Luncheon, June 11, at Scott Hall on the Evanston Campus. Representatives of the alumnae groups explained what they had done during the year in realizing the aims and carrying out the projects of the sorority and a spokesman for the seniors explained what each senior had accomplished for her chapter. Of unusual interest to everyone was the presentation to Shirley Hallgren of the beautiful diamond pin of Elizabeth Barbour by the Epsilon House Association. It was purchased and presented with the idea that it be known as "The President's Pin," to be worn each year by the president of Epsilon chapter.

Partially completed dresses for the Denver Camp were displayed at the luncheon. About 50 were sent to Denver and of these some were sent on by them to Vancouver.

Another project, which we hope may become an annual one, is our awarding of campships to needy girls. One campship allotted by the International Camp Chairman to the Chicago alumnae was matched by a second from the Chicago alumnae, a third from the Epsilon House Association, and a fourth equally shared by Epsilon and Alpha Psi. Four girls were selected from Wells High School in a very poor section of Chicago on the basis of their prize winning essays on "Why I Want to Go to a Camp." Each girl was completely outfitted with clothing and equipment gathered and purchased by actives and alumnae. A camera with films was loaned to them, and they were asked to take pictures and keep diaries so they might write reports.

Not the least important of our summer projects is rushing. Rather than have individual group rushing parties, the Chicago Alumnae are this summer having one party for all rushees at the Sheridan Shore Yacht Club in Wilmette on August 19. Rushing in a city the size of Chicago pre-

sents almost insurmountable difficulties, but we are endeavoring earnestly to carry out the new international rushing rules.

You are all undoubtedly familiar by now with the calendar project presented at the Province Conferences last spring for the purpose of making an annual contribution to the Endowment Fund in which both actives and alumnae share. It consists of an engagement calendar with an appropriate cover designed by Barbara Luse, Epsilon, who does the designing for the Needlework and Textile Guild of the Art Institute of Chicago. Each calendar is to sell for thirty-five (35) cents, of which twenty (20) cents is to be given to the Endowment Fund. Group orders are desired though individual orders will receive attention for an additional charge of ten (10) cents for mailing. Money must accompany orders. October 1 is the deadline for orders, therefore each person who has received a sample cover is urged to send it on to someone else who may not have heard about it. Our goal is two thousand calendars. Do send your orders in as soon as possible.

BEE SLOAN SIMMONS, *Omicron*

Marriage

Jacquelyn Nelson, Alpha Psi, to Faye Henry Bass.

Births

A son, Harry, III, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gousha (Eleanor Pojohnen, Epsilon '40).

A son to Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Raney (Jane Clark, Alpha Psi '37).

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crane (Ruth Bartz, Alpha Psi).

Dallas

Since the Dallas Alumnae group last reported on activities, many events have kept us busy.

At the night meeting in March, held at the home of Virginia Singleton, new officers were elected. Miriam Lamar Mott is president, Lucille Crimmins, first vice-president; Martha Terrill Terrill, second vice-president; Laura Hinchman Johnson, recording secretary; Jensie Goodner Jones, corresponding secretary; and Elizabeth Burford, treasurer. Our new president appointed Grace Simpson Ellison, alumnae advisor; Virginia Singleton, publicity director; Rebecca McCrary Bullock, Panhellenic delegate; and Frances Cheatham Burnecke, magazine chairman.

The regular luncheon and business meeting in April was held at the home of Marty Grogan Tennison. Plans for building lodges at S.M.U. were discussed. All original plans have been changed and sororities are to build from \$4,500 to \$7,000 lodges on land donated by the university.

We were honored and thrilled to have

a short visit with our International Grand President, Mrs. Fitzgerald, who stopped in Dallas on her way to Austin to attend the Province Convention held April 19 and 20. Martha Patterson and Jensie Jones were sent as active and alumnae delegates, while Lucille Crimmins, Dorothy Sinz, Virginia Montague, Mary Ruth Sneed, Ellen Partlow and Ruth Ann Clapp motored down for instruction, inspiration and "fun." The Austin group should be complimented on its wonderful hospitality.

We decided at our May meeting, at the home of Frances Jones Mitchell to place the 25 cents, usually donated to our hostesses for our lunch, in our treasury.

The traditional Senior breakfast was held this year at Melrose Hotel. Lucille Crimmins arranged an interesting program with Pearl Wallace Chappell, toastmistress, who introduced each speaker in rhyme. Mrs. Chappell has just published a book of poems of which we are very proud.

Mortar Board caps filled with daisies centered the long tables and small diplomas, exact replicas of those given at S.M.U. were used as place cards. Silver hearts on which "Gamma Phi Beta" was engraved were presented to the seniors.

Again this year we cut out dresses for small girls in one of our camps. The pattern for these dresses was designed by Elizabeth Noyes Ellis.

Our main objective now is to be of assistance to Alpha Xi chapter in rushing this summer and fall. Weekly meetings of alumnae and actives are being held and plans for Rush Week seem to be rounding out nicely.

We are looking forward to another year of work and pleasure.

JENSIE GOODNER JONES

Marriages

Eulalia Thomas, Alpha Xi, to Harper J. White, February 15, 1941. At home, 503 Atlanta, Apt. 7, San Antonio, Tex.

Mary Jo Crampton, Alpha Xi ex-'38, to W. D. Montgomery, March 28, 1941. At home, Camp Wolters, Mineral Wells, Tex.

Mary Ann Cofer, Alpha Xi ex-'36, to Edward P. Sneed, May 10, 1941. At home, 1214 N. Tyler, Dallas, Tex.

Ann Fisher, Alpha Xi '37, to Marvin K. Gardner, May 16, 1941. At home, 3608 Asbury, Dallas, Tex.

Phoebe Ann Farwell, Alpha Xi ex-'39, to Bascom O. Lang, June 7, 1941. At home in Dallas.

Dorothy Jackson, Alpha Xi ex-'33, to C. B. Myers, June 21, 1941. At home, 3119 University Blvd., Dallas, Tex.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Tennison (Marty Grogan, Alpha Xi '34), a daughter, December 30, 1940.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Newcomb

(Berna Louise Brightwell, Alpha Xi '30), a son, January 31, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Oslin Nation (Merle Rawlinson, Alpha Xi ex-'37), a son, April 22, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Storm, Jr. (Marion Scott, Omicron '29), a daughter, May 17, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McPhail (Agnes Fowler, Alpha Xi), a daughter, January 30, 1941.

Dayton

Dayton Alumnae are proud to announce that they have been formally installed as an active chapter, the installation having taken place on February 10. The group has been active this year in participating in the local Goodwill drive and in working for Bundles for Britain, in which one of the members, Sarah Burggeman, is interested. Money has been donated to both causes, and at one of the meetings, members sewed for Bundles for Britain. Twenty-six dresses were cut out to be sent to the Gamma Phi camp for underprivileged children. The Dayton chapter awarded scholarships to Ohio Wesleyan and Wittenberg to the two girls who showed the most improvement since they entered college. The chapter was successful in raising funds at its annual card party, held at the home of Maribel Adkins Miller. Early this summer the members entertained actives home from college and rushees at a luncheon in the Chinese Room of the Miami Hotel. The annual summer picnic was held at the home of Martha Vinson Bernhard.

CHARLOTTE LOEFFLER

Denver

The Denver Alumnae have enjoyed some interesting programs this past year thanks to our program chairman, Harriet Lee. Our February meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Edward L. Shannon and was marked by a very interesting talk on "Flower Arrangement" by Mr. Jack Clow. He illustrated his talk with floral displays.

The March meeting was held at the home of Jeanette Dunleavy at which time the officers for the coming year were elected. They are as follows: President, Mary Dreyer; vice-president, Elma Painter; recording secretary, Katherine Bumpus; corresponding secretary, Jean Shepard; treasurer, Katherine Glending; alumna representative, Betsy Smedley; and CRESCENT correspondent, Doris Wylie.

Our new chapter house was completed in March. A formal buffet dinner for the alumnae gave us our first glimpse of it. A second story has been added with a

complete suite for the house mother, as well as, chapter room, card room, and store room upstairs. The rooms are so much larger than we had visualized they would be in comparison with the old house which was on the same location. There is a lovely new powder room, a beautiful enlarged sitting room with fireplace and a music room at one side, and the dining room, which the Mothers' Club furnished. The kitchen is also enlarged, and is carried out in Chinese red and white. The full basement, which we have always had, boasts a new furnace with a complete air conditioning system. We have talked of a new house for so long that now since it is a fact we can hardly realize it.

The April meeting was held at the chapter house at which time the program consisted of a talk by Mr. A. P. Pohndorf, Jr., on "Gems and Gem Minerals."

At the May meeting which also was held at the new chapter house, Vera Vessey of Colorado Springs was presented with the scholarship cup for having the highest scholarship in the chapter. The alumnae asked their Gamma Phi "daughters" to the meeting.

After a dinner at which the Alumnae Council served as hostesses, the June meeting was called to order in the new chapter room by our president, Mary Dryer. The committees having charge of the financing, building, and furnishing of the house gave their reports, and were all wholehearted in their thanks for the co-operation they had received both in the sorority and from friends outside of it. All on the committees were presented with gardenia corsages for their untiring work on the house.

We are looking forward to the summer rushing season with high hopes, especially since our new house sets a keen inspiration for bigger achievements.

The camp board is also busy getting its equipment ready for the Denver Camp of Gamma Phi Beta which will be opened shortly for the summer for the needy children of Denver, and of which we are all so proud.

DORIS WYLIE

Marriages

Elizabeth Mullane to Frank Messenger, Phi Tau, on April 26, 1941.

Dorothy Robinson to Floyd Kermit Roberts, Alpha Kappa Psi, on March 22, 1941.

Jane Paradise, Theta, to Bruce Fulton Grimes, Jr., May 31, 1941. At home Westwood Village, Calif.

Helen Catlett, Theta, to Rowland Bramley Gass, Kappa Sigma.

Ella Mulvilhill to Floyd Jarvis. At home Helper, Utah.

Betty Rasmussen to Richard Frisk, Jr., March 29, 1941.

Isabelle Cantrell to Robert Bass.

Betty Jane Hoskins to Clayton Musick, June 14, 1941.

Vesta Seeley to John Baird Reynolds of Rushville, Ill., June 11, 1941, at home Flushing, N.Y.

Betty Brayans to Samuel Steinmetz, November, 1940.

Marion Bowyer to Dr. William Eller, January 2, 1941, at home New York City.

Valeria Elzy to Robert Bruce Rowe, June 28, 1941.

On May 31, 1941, at Tau chapter house, Ruth Fowler, '43, Tau, was married to William Greene (C.S.C., Sigma Alpha Epsilon). Mr. and Mrs. Greene are at home at 525 Peterson St., Fort Collins, Colo.

On June 28, 1941, at Camp Forest, Tenn., Alice Pott, '41, Tau, to Lieutenant William Busch. Lieutenant and Mrs. Busch are at home in Tennessee.

On June 7, 1941, at Denver, Colo., Neva Jean Bloom, '42, Tau, to Elliott Harlow, Denver University.

On June 14, 1941, at Fort Collins, Colo., Margaret Young, Tau, '42, to Mr. Frank Ragan (C.S.C.). Mr. and Mrs. Ragan are at home in Fort Collins.

Births

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Downs (Alice Rhoads, Alpha Phi), a daughter, Barbara, on January 22, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Schnurr (Mary Lewis, Alpha Phi), a son, Jack, January, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williamson (Dorothy Christenson, Alpha Phi), a daughter, Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wyatt (Mary Lou Kelly, Theta), a son, David Barry, March 5, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Shaner (Imogene Ross), a daughter, Pamela.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Markley (Winnifred Lute), an adopted daughter, Marion, June, 1940. A son, John, March, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Harding (Caroline Thomas), a daughter, Ann, April 18, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Johnston (Mary Grace Reid), a son, Craig Reid, December 30, 1940.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith (Elsie Gould), a son, Joseph, June, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Krannig (Natalie Lute), a son, George, April, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wayne Gilbert (Shirley Hannigan), a daughter, June, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jackson (Ruth Nathan), a daughter, Karen, May, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Austin (Priscilla Bane), a son, Philip, April, 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fritz (Gail Applegate), a son, William, Jr., September, 1940.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Turner (Peggy Thompson), a daughter. At home Grand Coulee Dam, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Breen (Charlotte Hays), a daughter, Carolyn, June 28, 1941. At home Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft (Mary

Eleanor Park), a daughter, Barbara Ann. At home Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Joyce (Louise Naylor), a son.

Detroit

Even though regular meetings have been discontinued for the summer months, many of our alumnae are actively engaged in compiling lists of prospective rushees for the fall rushing programs. In June, the Detroit Panhellenic Association sponsored teas. Barbara Bassett, Beta '40, was the general chairman, and she did an excellent job. A representative from each sorority, plus members of the committee, acted as hostesses in the private homes where the teas were held. The idea was to make prospective college women "sorority conscious."

On April 29, Mrs. Anslow, president of the Detroit Alumnae, held a board meeting and supper in her home in Grosse Pointe. At that time, one of the projects decided upon was to send two youngsters to a camp for a period of two weeks.

The last alumnae meeting was held at the Boat Club where luncheon was served after which a woman who has traveled extensively talked to the group on "China." She donned an attractive costume for the occasion, and we found her to be most interesting.

We Detroit alumnae are pleased to welcome Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Caldwell, Jr. (Carolyn Beltramini, Beta '38), back into our group. Mr. Caldwell is employed by the government, and travels a great deal.

BARBARA BACKUS, Beta '40

Marriages

Maxine Nelson, '40, to Douglas Weatherby in Muskegon, April 12. At home in Muskegon, Mich.

Barbara Newton, '41, to Everett Vallin, Lambda Chi Alpha '39, at Michigan, in Ann Arbor, February 10. At home in Berkeley, Calif.

Mary Henderson, to Richard Sinn, Michigan, '39, at Ann Arbor, January 4. At home in Ann Arbor.

January 8, 1941, at Detroit, Harriet Gridley, Beta '30, to Mr. Harold H. Fisk. Mr. and Mrs. Fisk are living at 381 Covington Dr., Detroit.

May 3, 1941, in Cleveland, Ohio, Sally Lou Weidlein, Beta '41, to Mr. William Parsons (University of Michigan, Phi Kappa Sigma). Mr. and Mrs. Parsons are at home at 16552 Kentucky, Detroit.

May 24, 1941, in Detroit, Florence Harper, Beta '36, to Mr. William Egbert Neidig (Kenyon College, Delta Kappa Epsilon). Mr. and Mrs. Neidig are at home at 999 Whitmore Rd., Detroit.

June 21, 1941, Harriet Dean, Beta '39, to Mr. John Edgar Swisher, Jr. (Michigan

State College, Hesperian). Mr. and Mrs. Swisher are living on Dexter Rd., in Ann Arbor.

June 21, 1941, Adelaide Crowell, Beta '36, to Marshall Convers. Mr. and Mrs. Convers are at home in Lansing.

June 28, 1941, Margaret A. Spencer, Beta '36, to Armand Emile St. Amour. Mr. and Mrs. St. Amour are at home at 14594 Winthrop Rd., Detroit.

July 24, 1941, Helen Owsten, Beta '39, to Mr. Leo Ward Corkin (University of Michigan, Trigon). Mr. and Mrs. Corkin are living in St. John's, Mich.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Keller, II (Winifred Gridley, Beta '24), on February 20, 1941, a son, David William.

Death

Mother of Mrs. J. W. Dykstra, Jr. (Helene Terry, Beta '30), on January 19, 1941.

Fargo-Moorhead, Minnesota

The Fargo-Moorhead Alumnae chapter has had a most successful year. We have followed the same pattern as other years with our monthly dinner meetings. At our March meeting, held in the beautiful new home of Antoinette Birch Van Veghel, the following new officers were installed: President, Harriet DePuy Finnegan; vice-president, Katherine Eddy Powers; Secretary, Mardie DePuy; treasurer, Catherine Cummins; corresponding Secretary, Bettie Verne; rushing chairman, Antoinette Birch Van Veghel.

At the April meeting the seniors of Alpha Omicron were honored guests. While at our May picnic we honored two of our most active alumnae who are moving from Fargo—Helen Solem Sand and Abbie Porter Miller. Helen as our Province Director and Abbie as our rushing chairman have both contributed much to the chapter and will be missed from our ranks.

We are all looking forward to our summer meeting that is to be held on July 23 at Edgewater Beach Hotel, Detroit Lakes, Minn. That is the occasion when we meet the alumnae from various chapters who are vacationing from all parts of the country.

Helen Jensen is taking advanced work this summer at the University of Minnesota. Elizabeth Fitzgerald Langfeldt has moved to Minot, N.D. Minda Rudser Berg has moved to Hillsboro, N.D. Elaine Barr Christianson whose husband has been practicing medicine at Sharon, N.D., has moved to Cambridge, Mass., where Dr. Christianson is taking advanced work at Harvard.

FRANCES A. LAMB

Marriages

Mary See to Siguard Johnson. At home in Buffalo, N.Y.

Elizabeth Critchfield to William Herm. At home in Fargo, N.D.

Elizabeth Baillie to Warner Letten. At home in Grand Forks, N.D.

Jeanne Verne to Robert Blahnik (Army address not known).

Corrinne Anderson to John Pollock. At home Fargo, N.D.

Margaret Fleming to Emery Rexroad. At home, Bethany, W.Va.

Audre Houghlum to Donald Rusness. At home in Moorhead, Minn.

Amy Glaser to C. C. Martzke. At home in South Milwaukee, Wis.

Mary Elsie Bibow to Donald Pennertz.

Births

Margaret Calhoun Hurdelbrink, daughter.

Frances Forbes Mathieu, boy.

Mildred Briggs Anderson, girl.

Marjorie Archer Haggart, boy.

Rosemary Allen Lamont, girl.

Long Beach

Guess we better come up from under a wave long enough to get our news to you. Here's hoping this is under the deadline if everyone enjoys these alumnae letters as much as we do.

Isn't it a thrill hearing of people you haven't seen since college days?

At this very minute I'm rushing to a beach and garden party at Mildred Miller's and am to meet four actives from my own Nu chapter—Marilyn Blanchard, Mary Wright, Betty Kinkaid, and Barbara Trimm.

We had a very satisfactory rush breakfast at our attractive Pacific Coast Beach Club in May, when we entertained 15 rushees.

We're planning our annual Mother and Daughter tea for the chapter at the University of Southern California in September.

Our August meeting was a pot luck luncheon, in Kathryn Kendall's garden. Visiting Gamma Phis are good about notifying us of their presence in town, and we had four out of town guests including Frances Howe Hamilton, Mu and Kappa '17, whose husband is Dean of the Graduate School at University of Nebraska, Yvonne Allen from the University of Oklahoma, Margaret Kretschmer from the University of Iowa, and Katherine Pitcairn from the University of Idaho.

New members welcomed were Betty Waring Landis, Alpha Iota '39; Louise Soule, Alpha Iota '39; and Francis Fenn Tau '32.

Katherine Beaton Todd, Alpha Iota '34, and two boys are home again after two

years in Shanghai and the Philippines.

Mary Hellyer McCarthy is taking work at Junior College.

Ruth Needham Green is remodeling her home and teaching archery two days a week at Girl Scout Camp.

Emmaline Bickett Limebocker, our new president, and her husband vacationed for six weeks touring the northwest.

Geraldine Mills Kimmel has moved to Pasadena.

Eva Davis Brown, our past president, has been ill.

Virginia Lane Schumacher has had a hospital siege.

Hildred Hall Armitage and family are vacationing at Lake Arrowhead.

HILDRED HALL ARMITAGE,
Chi and Nu

Marriage

Genevieve McKee, Tau '22, to Richard Spencley, May 15, 1941.

Adoption

Micheal Collins adopted by Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cameron (Patricia Collins, Eta '39) June 2, 1941.

Los Angeles

April was our big month in the Los Angeles Alumnae chapter this year, for besides our regular meeting which was held in the Beta Alpha chapter house on the fifteenth, we held our Orchid Ball on the nineteenth, and had a very enjoyable tea party for our Grand President, Alice Fitzgerald, at the lovely home of Ema Webster. It was a treat for our members to meet our charming president and we had a big turn-out at the tea.

The Orchid Ball climaxes our social year. Ninety-four couples enjoyed dining and dancing in the Palm Room of the Beverly Hills Hotel. Present were actives with their escorts from both U.S.C. and U.C.L.A. as well as members of the alumnae. It is especially nice to combine our activities with the students in such fashion for the Orchid Ball. We had everything from a floor show to a dancing contest with champagne as the prize, and everybody voted the party a big success.

The May meeting was held in the evening at the Alpha Iota chapter house. Many of the working girls who can't come to day meetings turned out for this event and expressed a desire for more such evening affairs; so we are planning more of them for the future. Then we ended our year with the June meeting at the home of Doris Wright at Palisades del Rey. Luncheon was served in her lovely patio and followed by a final business meeting which completed our activities until we meet again in September.

VIRGINIA WAKEMAN

Marriages

Ethelin Bell, Alpha Iota '41, daughter of Ethelin Coffman Bell, to Paul Jarvis, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Lambda, University of Washington, May 14, 1941.

Beth Linthicum, Alpha Iota '39, to S. Niles Gates, November 23, 1940, in Beverly Hills, Calif. Mr. Gates is a Phi Psi from U.C.L.A. and is now connected with the McGregor Transcription Company. The couple are living in the east.

Helen White, Alpha Iota '40, to Jack Findlater, on December 12, 1940, in Beverly Hills, Calif. Mr. Findlater is an attorney and a graduate of the S.C. Law School. The couple are now residing at 227 S. Elm, Beverly Hills.

Margaret Whitmore, Alpha Iota '39, to Jacob Hurst, on February 15, 1941, in Visalia, Calif. After being graduated from college, Mr. Hurst attended the naval air training school at Pensacola, and upon the completion of his course there spent some further time at Pensacola as an instructor. He is now employed as a co-pilot with the United Airlines. The Hursts are living on Burton Way in Beverly Hills.

Louise Guldstrand, Alpha Iota '40, to Jack Glen Thume, on March 8, 1941, in Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Thume is a Kappa Sigma and was graduated from U.C.L.A. with the class of '36. The Thumes are making their home in Los Angeles.

Mary Helen Files, Alpha Iota '35, to Spencer Drummond Pollard, on June 29, 1941, in Los Angeles. Mr. Pollard was graduated from the University of California at Berkeley and is now employed on the teaching staff there. The couple are living at 1323 Arch St., Berkeley.

Edwine Montague, Mu '35, to Louis Lohr Martz, on June 30, 1941, in Los Angeles. Edwine received her Ph.D. at Yale in '39, where she met Mr. Martz, who also received his Ph.D. from Yale, where he is now engaged as an instructor in English Literature. The couple will make their home in New Haven.

Bettye Quandt to Robert Young.

Charlotte Hildebrand to Claude Davies.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Drum (Dorothy Tenant, Alpha Iota '30), a daughter, Ann Tenant, on December 24, 1940.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Burns (Ellen Reed, Alpha Iota '36), a daughter, Kerin Adair, on April 18, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hall (Jean Farmer, Mu '38), a son, Douglas, on May 26, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marion McWilliams (Kathleen McLaren, Alpha Iota '33), a daughter, Diane Barbara, on June 30, 1941.

London

Springtime, always the time of activity, saw London Alumnae busy with plans for

a new business venture—a rummage sale set for February 28 under the convenership of Dorothy Tait. So successful was this attempt at money making that Beverly McCullough and Helen Benson elected to manage a second sale on April 30. The collective proceeds were used to buy two double-decker beds, so desperately needed by the already bursting chapter house.

Our "good deed" done, the chapter headed by our newly installed president, Olive Totten, set about making arrangements for receiving this year's graduates of the active chapter at a tea held at the house following the graduation exercises, June 5. Marian McLeod and Beverly McCullough convened the affair using our own lovely Carnation motif. The graduates were thrilled with the recognition pins which we planned as our congratulations to them.

None of our social activities have interfered with our regular Red Cross, Sewing, and Canteen Services. All Gamma Phi fingers are busy these days and Helen Dobson, convener, proudly proclaims that four quilts have been completed. Erma Reynolds keeps all volunteers well supplied with wool, instructions, and fortitude.

Autumn will be upon us soon and we will be welcoming the newly graduated alumnae into our circle.

BETTY TRUSCOTT

Marriages

Margaret Beck, Alpha Omega '39, to William Thamos Farrell, University of Western Ontario '38, on Saturday, June 14, 1941, in Toronto, Ontario. They are at home in Drummondville, P.Q.

Betty Freeborn, Alpha Omega '35, to Flying Officer Kitchener Ward in Halifax.

Jean Philips, Alpha Omega '38, to Mr. Leslie Walker of Toronto, University of Saskatchewan and the University of Michigan, in London on July 5, 1941. They will take up residence in Toronto, Ont.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Walker (Helen Miller, Alpha Omega '34), a daughter, Mary Anne.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Ross of Port Dalhousie (Mary Miller, Alpha Omega '33), a daughter.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William McMeil Bennett (Jean McKercher, Alpha Omega '38), a son, on February 25, 1941.

Madison

Madison Alumnae "unlax" during the summer months, and that's why we anticipate each rushing season with such renewed vigor and enthusiasm. We're now in the midst of rushing plans and are doing our bit to assist Gamma's two

competent rushing chairmen, Betty Moore and Jeanette Miller. The opening rushing tea is our responsibility, according to tradition, and we pride ourselves on doing it. Every year hundreds of rushees carry with them the memories of a very gracious and charming social event.

Most of our news at this time of the year consists of the many weddings, engagements, and births which have Gamma members in leading rôles.

Here they are! LOUISE MARSTON

Marriages

Marion Ehrlinger, Gamma '39, and John M. Swanson, Tau Beta Pi, Sigma Xi, and Theta Tau, on July 19 in Janesville, Wis. At home at 1517 W. 14th St., Wilmington, Del. Mr. Swanson is a chemist in the Nylon division of the duPont Company.

Marion Card, Gamma '33, to E. Robert Yarnley, June 30, in Laramie, Wyo.

Audrey Smith, '40, and Paul Evan Miller, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, University of Wisconsin, June 21 in Sheboygan.

Mary Suzanne Farnum, '40, to Kemper Diehl, Alpha Delta Phi, University of Wisconsin, May 3 in Madison. At home in Milwaukee.

Katherine Pfeifer, '40, to Roy William Black, University of Wisconsin, June 28 in Milwaukee. At home in Baltimore, Md. Bonnie Kate Owens and Betty Jane Cochran, both of Gamma, were bridesmaids.

Eleanor Anderson, '30 and John Visser, Marquette University law school, May 24 in Milwaukee. At home in Milwaukee.

Mary Jane Wolcott, '42, to Jay Kenneth Hevener, Phi Delta Theta, in Kenosha, June 21. At home in Madison.

Constance Louise Wolcott, '41, to John Paul Walker, Phi Kappa Tau, June 21 in Kenosha. At home in Madison.

Stella Cady Williams, '39, to Edward Harriman Reyer, Peoria, Ill., on June 14 in Oshkosh, Wis. At home at 128 Keller Ave., Bartonville, Ill.

Phyllis Spotswood Robertson, Gamma, and Charles Rush Yerrick, Jr., on June 14 in Cincinnati, Ohio. At home in Cincinnati, where bride has been vocational guidance director of the public schools.

Janet Feser, Gamma, and Thomas James McGlynn, Jr., Delta Upsilon University of Wisconsin, on June 21 in De Pere, Wis. At home in Milwaukee.

Mary Frances O'Malley, Gamma, and Byron Bernard Burch, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Iowa State College, July 10 in Madison.

Kathleen Browning, Gamma '36, to Horace Ray Bush on December 26, 1940, in Hopkinsville, Ky. At home in Cadiz, Ky.

LaVon Beck, Gamma '38, to Dr. George R. Thuerer, Psi Upsilon, on August 16 in Lancaster, Wis. At home at Camp Shelby, Miss.

Patricia Moore to Franklin Stapf Shawn. At home at Grand Central Mining station, Glendale, Calif.

Lucile Campbell to Norman Hoff. At home at 1509 Dilmont Ct., Urbana, Ill.

Winifred Bodwin to W. S. Hoagland. At home at 638 Beacon St., Boston, Mass.

Madeline Orcutt, Gamma, to Robert Lyburn Arthur, January 18, in Akron, Ohio. At home in Akron.

Alice Richardson Woodson, Gamma '40, to Robert Single Hage, Dartmouth College and Northwestern University, February 22, Wausau, Wis. At home in Wausau. Margot Woodson, Mary Jane Dunwiddie, and Margaret Painter, all of Gamma, were members of the bridal party.

Harriet Elizabeth Willison, Gamma, to Lt. George Howard Wells, on February 24 at Ft. Bragg, N.C., where they will reside.

Ruth Wiggers, Gamma '35, to Frederick Edward Fuhrman on February 22, St. Louis, Mo. At home in St. Louis.

Mary Belle Lawton, Gamma, '36, to Robert Lyons, Sigma Chi, on April 26 in Chicago. At home in Chicago, 2322 N. Commonwealth Ave.

Elizabeth Ann O'Malley, '38, married to Wallace Chickering on December 28. They are now living in Tulsa, Okla.

Births

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Rodney H. Marter, Fall Brook, Calif. (Jane Briggs of Gamma.)

A son on July 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Kinnamon, Madison. (Marion Lucas of Gamma.) The baby is a grandson of Jane Davis Lucas of Gamma chapter.

A daughter, Julia Flynn, to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ahern Fond du Lac, Wis., on January 27. (Kathleen McIntosh of Gamma.)

A son, Geoffrey Scott, to Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Harris (Margaret Weaver of Gamma), on May 12 in Lafayette, Ind.

A daughter, Patricia Jane, to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Conway, Jr., Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., on January 27. (Katherine Gallagher of Pi.)

A daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Dr. and Mrs. Stoughton Faville White, Kansas City, Mo., on February 4. (Margaret Kilbourn of Gamma.)

A son, James Michael, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Emmett Ford on November 11. (Marian Small of Gamma.)

A son, John Delwin, to Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Dusenbury on September 1, 1940. (Winifred Loesch of Gamma.)

Adoption

Prof. and Mrs. James Homer Herriott of Madison (Margot McClellan) announce the adoption of a daughter, Margot Bernadine. The Herriotts also have an adopted son, Andra James.

Miami

At our May meeting, a cabana and buffet supper party at one of the Beach

hotels, we elected Virginia Vliet Dalton, Rho, president; Dorothy Stearns Mayer, Epsilon, vice-president; Helen Albertus Bild, Omega, treasurer; and Margaret McClellan Gillespie, Upsilon, secretary.

The doldrums periodic feature of life in the tropics, usually catch up with our activities in the summer as so many of us go north. Margaret Gillespie is spending several months in her summer home in the mountains near Knoxville. Helen Bild is excited over her cottage that's abuilding in the mountains near Franklin, N.C. Alice Ward, Alpha Theta, will spend August near Brevard, N.C. Vernis Fraser, Alpha Omicron, goes to North Dakota for her vacation. Our young and efficient Naomi Van Horn, Theta, who is training director of Burdine's three stores, is spending her vacation with her family in Denver.

In spite of this exodus, our attractive and alert new president, Virginia Dalton, is not discouraged about rushing activities. She attended two Panhellenic rush teas in June, and is busy reaching various girls going to schools where we have chapters. She has planned a series of small rush luncheons in lieu of formal entertainment.

We are proud of Ruth Norton Natelson, Lambda, who is publicity chairman of the Miami Beach Garden Club and who is engaged in writing a book on Florida flowers which the club will publish. She was familiar with tropical flowers when she came to Miami Beach to live for she made a study of them during the years she lived in Honolulu, where she went shortly after her graduation as assistant to the professor of psychology at the University of Hawaii. While there she also made a special study of folklore and legends and was awarded a Yale fellowship. One of her many successful experiments with flowers has been the transferring of wild orchids from the Everglades to her yard.

Best wishes to all the chapters for a successful rushing season this fall.

Alice Briggs Ward

Milwaukee

As summer comes, most of us think of June as the month of brides and bridal showers, but Milwaukee Alumnæ, all spring, have been occupied with Gamma Phi camps and camp showers. We cut and assembled 32 gay dresses for the camp youngsters to sew. The Gamma Phi "cutting bee" was held at the home of Berenice Hunter Hoffman, and the left-over scraps of material were sent to the Milwaukee Protestant Home for patch-work quilt pieces. At the February and March meetings, we gave the camp committee a camp shower, each member contributing a colorful bandanna and two pairs of ankle socks. Our novel idea rated a picture in the local paper!

The Canadian chapters' activities to aid Great Britain spurred us on to sell all our tickets and sponsor an "Aid to Britain" party. Margaret Schermerhorn Newcomb was the ticket chairman, and she, Marion Twohig Young, and Lucie Spence Murphy managed our successful supper and dancing party at the Beach Club. We've been "all out" for Britain with members knitting Red Cross sweaters, making bandages, and working at the British War Relief Headquarters.

Looking to our own interests, too, we elected the following slate of officers for 1941-1942: President Anne McCawley Glennon; vice-president, Elise Bossort Bell; recording and corresponding secretary, Darlene Dearborn Berry; treasurer and representative at the Province IV conference at Minneapolis, Margaret Webster McMahon. The appointed offices include: Rushing chairman, Marion Schifflin Van Zandt; Endowment, Elizabeth Roberts Beffel; Magazine, Alfreda Gessner Morgan.

Our last activity for the season was a beach party on Lake Michigan; actives from Beta, Gamma, Epsilon, and Omega were our guests. Of this group, Dorothea Ortmayer, Beta, and Mary Lu Silverman, Gamma, were selected to aid the alumnae rushing chairman, Alice Wieber Fitzgerald reported on her extensive tour, visiting chapters through the west and south.

We regret to have Frances Stotts Parker and Jean Skogmo Gilkerson move out of town and our good wishes go with them. May we add that we are to start a new plan here in Milwaukee to welcome new members into our group whereby an active alumna will bring the newcomer to our meetings and make her feel at home at her first meeting. This is to be one of our new ideas for the fall.

Elise Bossort Bell

Marriages

Eleanor Anderson, Gamma, to John Visser of Milwaukee, May 24.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Bell (Elise Bossort, Gamma), a second son, Daniel Moore, on June 19.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Steinman (Betty Gunther, Gamma), a girl, Helen, on July 3.

Minneapolis

To start the ball rolling from where one left off is similar to grasping the gist of the story from the serial's preceding monthly installment, slow at first but ever gaining momentum.

Election of officers came the middle of February, and Helen Thorpe Manuel, Beta, was elected president of the Minneapolis Alumnæ. Last year she was our rushing chairman and we are still singing her praises. How she manages to do it all, with

some very strenuous young twins and another boy, is a mystery to us, but Helen is poised and delightfully collected.

Province IV met in the Twin Cities the first week-end of March, the occasion greatly enhanced by the presence of our Grand President, Alice Fitzgerald, and our retiring director, Helen Sand. The meetings were held at the new Union. A suggestion presented at conference by one of Kappa's faithful alumnae, Sarah Finley, we consider excellent. It was unanimously acclaimed, and is in its condensed form: the need of an alumnae committee to act on scholarship with National sanction; the committee, termed an advisory board to consist of two alumnae (Minneapolis), two alumnae (St. Paul), the scholarship chairman from the active chapter, rushing chairmen from both (when necessary during the rushing season), the two presidents, alumnae and active, as ex officio members. The necessity was stressed of a constant contact with alumnae; also that alumnae in their own locale and away be more conscientious about answering questionnaires. A lovely luncheon was held at the Women's Club and the banquet will ever be a memorable occasion, Alice Fitzgerald presiding in her inimitable way, leaving us with a feeling of extreme loyalty and well-being.

During April we were all very busy selling tickets to aid Britain. We are very proud of our \$54.00 contribution.

May was an exciting month for Kappa chapter and alumnae; we lost a very active and loyal Gamma Phi to the Cleveland Alumnae and gained a new sister. Ruth Cooley Pennington, Kappa '24, moved to Cleveland and at several rather tearful parties we tried to console ourselves with the fact that what was our loss was Cleveland's gain. Mary C. Evans, for eighteen years Kappa's housemother, and extolled in many issues of the CRESCENT, the pride of the Minnesota campus, and we the envy of all sororities, announced her engagement to Senator Elmer Adams of Fergus Falls, Minn., a life-long friend, her marriage to be the middle of June. Tears were shed copiously for days, but at long last Mary C. Evans could really be our sister and was pledged post haste. The entire campus was agog and the Minneapolis papers had articles on the front pages in large headlines, because Mary Evans is a well-known figure, not only as Kappa's housemother, but in Minneapolis as well.

On May 13 the Twin Cities had a joint picnic at Marge Sommer's estate, Lake Elmo near Stillwater, in honor of the new initiates and as a farewell to the seniors. Mary Evans, a bit tremulous, but radiant, had refused to wear any of her numerous corsages, for fear they would hide her dearest possession, her pledge pin!

Initiation was held at the house on May 26 for Mary Evans. Never have I seen

that house so filled to capacity, even during rushing. A formal banquet followed at the Interlachen Club, an atmosphere of gaiety pervading, but underneath a feeling of sadness that could not be quenched at the thought of our approaching loss. After the presentation of a fully jeweled pin, the gift of the active chapter, "Good-night Little Sister." Mascara and rouge streaked most faces; we were impervious to our appearance.

On that note, let us close. The momentum I feared might be lacking has now run berserk. Kappa tenders a wish for pleasant vacation days and a successful season to her sister chapters.

PEG WIEGAND BURNHAM, *Epsilon*

Marriages

Elaine Isaccson, '42, to Edward Hepp.
 Mary Lou Doliff, '42, to Leland McGrew.
 Judy Field, '40, to Jack Dunsworthy.
 Mary C. Evans, Kappa, to Elmer E. Adams.
 Virginia Gieske to Charles Lewis on May 4.
 Barbara Lewis to Dr. Dale Mohn on June 28.
 Eleanor Burkhardt to Tom Stedman on June 28.

Birth

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Hall (Betty Field).

Montreal, Canada

Alpha Tau Alumnae entertained the active members who graduated this year at a bridge in the University Women's Club on May 28. There were small individual favors, and each graduate received a lapel-pin—the giving of lapel-pins to the graduates is a custom which began last year. At the bridge, the winner of the Alpha Tau Plan in aid of the Gamma Phi Beta Sorority Emergency War Relief Fund, a fifty dollar War Savings Certificate, was announced. A hundred and ten dollars was cleared on the plan, which speaks well for the perseverance and enthusiasm of the girls. In Canada there are innumerable funds to contribute to, and, as someone said, "Every time I drew out my book of tickets, my 'victim' would draw out a book of tickets for another affair."

In the fall, there is to be a Bridge and Reunion, on a really grand scale, to which the public will be invited, and the proceeds will be handed over to war services.

There is a rather amusing anecdote about Rosemary Power—"Posy" to us—which your correspondent witnessed. At the beginning of June, Norma Shearer visited her home town—Westmount, Quebec—to speak on behalf of the Victory Loan Campaign. The other noted guest at the function was the Honorable C. G. Power, Dominion Minister of Air and Associate Minister of Defense. Posy ac-

companied her father to Westmount Park, where thousands of eager spectators thronged. As Posy and her father left their car, and started along the long path leading to the Pavilion, many spectators, seeing the slim, gracious young lady in the large glamorous hat, cried "Here's Norma Shearer!" A second look, however, revealed that "Norma Shearer" was actually Rosemary Power. Later, Posy met Miss Shearer, who said, "I hear you were mistaken for me!"

Some of us plan to enlist in the Women's Service Corps when organization is complete. The purpose is to release men who are carrying out ground duties in the Air Force for actual flying. Joanie Rutherford (who, a few years ago, was Joanie Bann, and has been president of both the active and alumnae chapters) is working hard these days. She, along with other young wives whose husbands are overseas in the Artillery, is setting a wonderful example to all the girls who would like to "help with the War," by devoting all her time to war services.

ISOBEL KNEELAND

Marriages

Margaret Collip, Alpha Tau '37, to Gerald McBride.
 Catherine Skinner, Alpha Tau '37, to David Spielman, McGill '40.

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. J. MacRae (Gwen Nicholson), a son.

Moscow

Although Moscow Alumnae have been organized informally for many years, it wasn't until April 30, 1941, that a chapter was installed. We were fortunate in having as the installing officer Mrs. Harold Hartman, National Panhellenic delegate. Mrs. Hartman was entertained at an informal luncheon by several of the group. Later in the afternoon a Panhellenic tea was held for her at the Kappa Alpha Theta house on the campus. Preceding the installation in the evening, we had a dinner for her at the hotel, after which everyone went to the chapter house for the important event of the day and the chapter was duly installed, fulfilling a dream we have had for several years. The active members entertained us later at a fireside, closing a very full and historic day for Moscow Alumnae.

At our April meeting everyone came equipped with scissors, and for an hour or so we worked busily cutting out dresses to send to the Vancouver Camp as our contribution for this year.

We are all looking forward to the fall and a busy year for our chapter.

BETTY HATFIELD

Marriages

Margaret King, '40, to William Gigray, Jr., Beta Theta Pi '40, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Kathryn Whalen, '38, to Dr. Ira Woodward, Jr., Beta Theta Pi, at Payette, Idaho.

Frances Zachow, '38, to Robert Towne, Sigma Nu, at Missoula, Mont.

Jean Dunkle, '38, to Robert Granville, Sigma Nu '40, at Washington, D.C.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Beller (Mary McKeown, Lambda), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Milford A. Peterson (Ruth Ramstedt, Xi), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Davidson (Dorothy Scott, Xi), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Buchanan (Laura Lou Maxwell, Alpha Delta), Pullman, a son.

Nashville

Alpha Theta Alumnae moved into the 1941-42 season with an enthusiastic group of officers. Martha Lane was elected to serve a second term as president. Mary Catherine Cunningham was chosen vice-president; Mary Regan, corresponding secretary; Margaret Regan, recording secretary; Melinda Jones, reelected treasurer.

First spring social undertaking was the beautiful tea honoring brides and brides-elect of the chapter. The affair took place April 30, at the chapter house under the discriminating guidance of chairman Mary Catherine Cunningham.

May was the month for the annual hike which the chapter gives for the Girl Scout troop which Alpha Theta sponsors at the Tennessee Industrial School. Elizabeth Carr was in charge.

This year alumnae were again welcomed at the banquet with which the actives honor their senior members. Taking place in the Commodore Room at the Andrew Jackson Hotel, the affair featured presentation of the senior plaque to Jane Roberts, the Freshman ring to Ruth Ferris, and the scholarship award for Freshmen to Betty Freeman. New award which the alumnae applauded was the one recognizing outstanding improvement in all phases of sorority and college life. The award went to Elizabeth De Moss, '42.

The alumnae entertained the seniors at a luncheon at the Andrew Jackson Hotel on June 16. Decorations featured miniature diplomas as placecards, upturned graduation caps filled with pink carnations as centerpieces.

Brainchild of Anita Bartlum Wilson, Lib Carr, and Willa Hamner Bates, is the married alumnae group which meets twice a month on Tuesday afternoon. The group, which started with but five members, has quadrupled its number in less than two months and has an active enlargement campaign which is attracting alumnae un-

able to attend regular night meetings. These afternoon alumnae raised \$25 the first three weeks of their existence and are now using the money to decorate a model room at the sorority house. Katherine Pickering Ottarson is chairman of the group and is titled second vice-president in the alumnae chapter.

Attention of all Nashville alumnae is focussed on fall rushing. We know that good pledges mean good future alumnae. And so, while our thoughts are turned in that direction, may we wish for all our sister chapters, "Good Rushing."

PAN WHITEMORE

Marriages

Dorothy Louise Hutchison, '39, to Owen L. Hale, Jr. (Sigma Chi, Vanderbilt University), Kenner Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

Rose Fischer Speath, '39, to Dr. Allen Mather, Box 58, Worcester, Connecticut.

Jane Shepherd, '39, to Marshall Warder (Sigma Chi, Vanderbilt University).

May Ambrose Noel, '39, to Troy Conway, Sherbourne Drive, Nashville.

Joyce Lerman, '36, to Lt. Thomas W. Jones (University of Alabama), Camp Davis, Wilmington, South Carolina.

Elizabeth Earle Carr, '39, to Dr. Robert Miller Foote (Theta Chi, University of North Dakota; Alpha Kappa Kappa, Vanderbilt Medical School).

Elise Hadley Pritchett, '41, to Thomas Benjamin Alexander (Phi Kappa Sigma, Vanderbilt University).

Dorothy Virginia Hutchison, '38, to Robert Stephens Tatum, F-3 Arlington Court, Nashville, Tennessee.

Births

A son to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cole, Jr. (Coralyn Leavell).

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holt (Mary Louise Nooe).

A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Manley (Carrie Mae Evans).

Norman

Our Norman Alumnae group is small this year. We have 16 members on our roll, but some of the girls are away teaching and are not able to attend our meetings. Of the 16, 15 are life members. We have a regular attendance of 10.

Gladys LaFon has taken over her husband's classes teaching Math at the University of Oklahoma, while he is doing graduate work at the University of Chicago. Gladys is well qualified to do her work for she holds her A.B. and M.A. degrees from Penn State.

Blanche Ratliff is not only taking care of her two children, but is carrying 15 hours at the university, working out her Public School Art degree. She is eligible for the junior women's scholarship fraternity.

Della Brunsteter continues to give her valuable support as member of the Corporation Board and as scholarship adviser in spite of the fact she is carrying her regular teaching load in addition to her research work on the Cherokee language.

Lydia Schmidt is our Rush Captain.

We miss the cheerful presence of Frances Lindloff who left last fall with her husband who is Co-Rector at the University of California. Frances served on the executive board of alumnae as well as took a very active part in all our meetings. Our loss is Berkeley's gain, and we are sure Eta will find her a great inspiration.

We all enjoyed Alice Fitzgerald's visit to Norman. She met with the Alumnae at the home of Lois Walter. We considered it quite a privilege to have her with us.

Lois Walter reported that a new Steinway baby grand piano had been purchased for the chapter house. Also an oil painting by Oscar Jacobson. It is called the "Indian Pool" and reflects the charm of the Oklahoma landscape.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Blanche Ratliff; vice-president, Della Brunsteter; secretary-treasurer, Gladys LaFon; corresponding secretary, Lois Walter; CRESCENT correspondent, Jo Nell Watters; publicity chairman, Lucille Springer; rush captain, Lydia Schmidt.

It is with deep regret that we are losing our Province Director, Mrs. D. E. Hodges (Puilla Hill). Puilla was a member of Psi chapter. We watched her develop through her pledgeship here and grow into such a responsible member. She has been a loyal and untiring worker and has contributed so much to Gamma Phi Beta. It was my privilege to sit in chapter meeting on her last visit to the chapter and to hear her talk to the active girls. We are all sorry she can not continue in office longer, but we are indeed proud of the work she has done.

LOIS WALTER

Marriages

Lucille Wilks, Psi '41, to Joseph Alley, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, University of Oklahoma, on February 22, in Tulsa, Okla. They will live in San Angelo, Tex., at 615 N. Jefferson Street.

Luanda Abraham, Psi '41, to Robert J. Montgomery, University of Oklahoma, on April 12, in Bristow, Okla. The couple will reside in Tulsa.

Florence Leenhuts, Psi '40, to Chad Vallance, Acacia, University of Oklahoma, on December 14 in Cleveland, Okla. They will live in Norman, Okla., while Mr. Vallance works for his degree in education.

Bette Wahl to Bob Beams, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, on April 10 in Norman, Okla. Now residing in Tulsa, Okla.

Viola Hamilton to Bill Richards, Phi Kappa Sigma, June 13, at Kansas City, Mo. Now living in Schenectady, N.Y.

Pittsburgh

The Pittsburgh Alumnæ chapter had a summer meeting in July at the home of Mrs. David Boyd in Mt. Lebanon. We met for dessert and bridge, and welcomed a newcomer, Mrs. John A. Holbrook (Vinnie Olson), Alpha Omicron '38. Two others, Mrs. A. W. Gillespie (Patricia Oram), Alpha Omicron '40, and Mrs. Tracey Osborne (Mary Lou Moore), Rho '31, have also moved here recently and will join our ranks in the fall.

We have had monthly luncheon meetings this year, usually at the Congress of Clubs and Club Women of Western Pennsylvania Inc. with which we are affiliated. At the March meeting we added two more to our group: Miss Billie Hesse, Omega, and Mrs. Robert L. Chegwidzen (Gwen Griffith), Omega '39. Mrs. Ralph C. Hutchinson, of Washington, Pa., whose husband is the president of Washington and Jefferson College, also joined us that day and added greatly to the interest of the meeting.

Our president, Mrs. Frank L. Hull, has given new impetus to our group, and with the new recruits we hope to have a successful 1941-42 season.

MARGARET BODINE SKINKLE, *Epsilon*

Philadelphia

In March Mrs. Homer Mathiesen, vice-president and alumnæ secretary of grand council was entertained at a dinner. The dinner, arranged by Mrs. Mary Bennet, Pi '19, wife of Col. Floyd Bennet, was held at the Officers Club of Philadelphia Navy Yard. Twelve alumnæ attended.

The April meeting of the Philadelphia alumnæ chapter was held at the beautiful new Colonial home of the chapter's president, Kay Krueger, Omicron '27, in Wynnewood. Among other things, each room boasts of one or two exquisitely colored hooked rugs, which were made by Kay.

Jean Fireng, Alpha Upsilon '30, is to be complimented for her success as chairman of the benefit bridge luncheon held on May 3 at the Woman's Club Inn, Philadelphia. Two Girl Scouts from Manayunk will be sent to camp from the proceeds.

Eighteen were present at the annual birthday picnic in June. Three active members attended: Betty Anne Irvin, Alpha Eta '42, Paula Von Balkenberg, Alpha Phi '44, and Dorothy Rose, ex-'42. The picnic was held at the home of Dorothy Nice, Alpha Chi '35, in Downingtown. The house itself, is well over a century old. Within that house there is Dorothy's four poster hand-carved bed, which was built by her great-great-great grandfather for his bride. That same bed, incidentally, went through the Battle of Germantown in the Civil War.

The Lovshins, Leonard L. and Mary Knox Wilson, Gamma '39, are moving to

Rochester, Minnesota, where Mr. Loveshin has accepted a fellowship in Internal Medicine at the Mayo Clinic. Until now, Mary was a laboratory technician in the chemistry department of the Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia.

Mr. William E. Scott and Clare Mona Darby, Alpha Upsilon '35, are the parents of a baby girl, named Nancy, born November 1940.

Norma McGinnis (Mrs. A. P. G., Jr.), Alpha '38, will soon have a blue ribbon for her English setter, "Hedgerow Playbill." The dog has just completed two "obedience degrees" and will qualify for a "utility degree."

Frances Nissley, Alpha Upsilon '36, is assistant buyer of the millinery department of Gimbels Store, Philadelphia, Pa.

The wedding on June 28 of Mary Anne McChesney, Alpha '38, and C. Richard Shaw, Phi Gamma from Syracuse '39, took place at St. Asaphs' Memorial Church, Bala-Cynwyd, Pa. Mr. Shaw is affiliated with Campbells' Soup in Camden, N.J.

Mrs. Russell Callow, Lambda, and family, left in June on a motor trip to Seattle, Wash., via the new Canadian Highway.

Lee Wilson, Alpha Phi '40, is now working in one of the exclusive dress shops in the city of Philadelphia.

Grey Ladies for the Hospital Recreational Branch of the Red Cross include Virginia Hildreth, Alpha Eta '32, and Mary Louise Hoff, Alpha Mu '41.

Dorothy Nice, Alpha Chi '35, is now secretary of the Nice Yarn Corporation of Downingtown.

Eleanor Briner, Alpha Upsilon '40, has just been appointed clerical assistant to Dr. Twitmyer, psychologist at Girard College, Philadelphia.

Dorothy Rose, Alpha Upsilon, ex-'42, is a laboratory technician for Abbots Dairies in Philadelphia.

Ruth Wagner, Alpha '26, left in July for another of her trips to Bermuda.

Born to William E. Chalfant and Miriam F., Alpha Upsilon '37, a red-headed son, Peter William, on November 21, 1940.

MIRIAM F. CHALFANT

Marriages

Lillian Merkle, Alpha Upsilon '37, to Howard Baldwin, Tau Kappa Epsilon '37.

Vivien Doty, '39, to Frank C. Hench.

Florence Mae Worthley, Alpha Upsilon ex-'43, to John Shirey, Tau Kappa Epsilon '42.

Reno

The past few months have been busy ones for Reno Alumnæ. Besides our regular monthly meetings at the chapter house, we seem to have had a special project for every month.

In February we gave a successful bridge

tea. After the usual afternoon of bridge, the active girls, dressed in colorful peasant dresses, passed "Smorgåsbörd-trays" heaped with sandwiches, cakes and unusual pastries all made from family-heirloom recipes. We tried to give the usual Washington's Birthday theme an international background. From the many compliments we received, it seems we were successful.

In March Reno Alumnæ were co-hostesses with the active chapter in entertaining the Province Conference. To the usual conference routine of meetings, luncheons, and banquet was added a choice bit of unique hospitality. Cars were furnished for the twenty-mile drive to historic Virginia City and a few miles more to the equally historic but not so well-known Silver City. Here our guests watched a gold brick being poured and made an inspection trip through the Donovan Mill. Then we had tea with Mrs. William Donovan (Gladys Wittenburg, Alpha Gamma), in the old Donovan home built when Virginia City was booming. Gladys was assisted by the alumnæ group from Carson City. On the trip home short stops were made at interesting shrines on the Comstock lode and the trip down the awe-inspiring Geiger Grade was made just as a winter sun was setting on the snow-covered western mountains.

About this time too, we sold two merchandise orders on local stores. It was a big help financially.

In April we had another delightful bridge party at the chapter house, a bridge luncheon. The Gamma Phi Beta colors were carried out in the decorations. Centerpieces of brown and yellow primroses were on each table.

In April the daughter of an Alpha Gamma was recipient of two signal honors. Bonnie Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Scott of Elko, Nev. (Mildred Griswold, Alpha Gamma), was sent to represent the State of Nevada at the Continental Congress of Daughters of the American Revolution held at Washington, D.C. Bonnie is also to be the Grand Worthy Advisor of Rainbow for the State of Nevada for the coming year.

In May word was received that Mrs. Julian Thruston (Maryemma Taylor, Alpha Gamma), of Pioche, Nev., was elected Warden of the Nevada Rebecca Assembly.

At the close of college the actives and alumnæ honored their mothers and seniors at a traditional breakfast at the chapter house on Baccalaureate Sunday which was also Mothers' Day. The seniors were presented with gifts and the mothers received pink carnation corsages. The tables were decorated with tiny Mortar Board caps and figures of co-eds in caps and gowns all made by the actives. The placecards were tiny diplomas made of parchment and tied with brown ribbon.

In June we held a final tea for our mothers and their guests. The chapter

house was decorated with iris in all shades. This was one of the loveliest afternoons we ever had in the house.

PHYLLIS STEINHEIMER

Marriages

Jane Bell, Alpha Gamma, to Jonas Ross Moore.

Marjorie Rather, Alpha Gamma, to Robert Nelligan.

Martha Ann Holcomb, Alpha Gamma, to Robert Griffin.

Mary Ann Severn to James Hill.

Jean Harris, Alpha Gamma, to Lieut. Donald Kinkel.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barnes (Frankie Burke), a daughter, Brenda Alice, May 3, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Humphrey (Lucy King), a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCloud (Dorothy Gordon), a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Urrutia (Mary Corecca) of Reno, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Warren (Vera Zadow) of Reno, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reconzone (Esther Ronzone) a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Max Crowell (Margot Evans), a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dievel (Stella Vuccovich), a boy.

Spokane

Geographically speaking we are probably familiar to the rest of Gamma Phi, by this time, because we have the Coulee Dam at our door step . . . and also one of the four largest Army airports right under our feet. Spokane is simply overflowing with important-looking army officers at this point . . . all of which lends a great deal of eclat to our little city.

At meetings, knitting needles click frantically and several pairs of sox and many sweaters have taken shape during the past year. We managed to assist in the Red Cross drive and are firmly entrenched in Panhellenic's many philanthropic works.

When Emmy Hartman was here we had a tea for her and a dinner party at the Spokane City Club in her honor . . . everyone loved Emmy and we are looking forward to her next trip.

We have a little project that we are particularly proud of . . . mainly our work for the Washington Children's home. The matron keeps us advised when any child has a birthday and we send a huge birthday cake . . . with candles and all the trimmings . . . at Christmas we fill the requests of each child's letter to Santa Claus.

During the Christmas holidays, we have a breakfast for the actives and at the end of each season, we have a supper party

for them. In this way, we manage to keep fairly well in touch with the young things from Idaho and Washington Universities.

Bea MacLeod (Mrs. R. L.) is president of Spokane Panhellenic this year. We are proud to have a Gamma Phi in such an important position. Ruth Coffey Morris and Helen Stutz Gee are "army" widows . . . both husbands are in the service now. Helen Gee, our president, went to Portland to Province Conference and reported having had a wonderful time.

With summer before us . . . and no activity under way . . . it is rather difficult to project our thoughts ahead to winter, and its usual events. We always have a rummage sale to fill the coffer . . . and usually manage to do so fairly well. Spokane's Alumnae chapter consists of so many people that have known each other for many years, that we make more or less of a gala event of our monthly meetings, as that is the one time we all get together for fun.

Spokane Alumnae chapter sends greetings to all Gamma Phis near and far.

BATHALINE CONGILL LEWIS

San Francisco

San Francisco Alumnae have joined with Berkeley and Palo Alto for several affairs. The first was a luncheon meeting of the executive Boards with Alice Fitzgerald. In May, the actives of the University of California and Stanford joined the three groups for a successful dinner dance at the Palace Hotel as a benefit for the mobile canteen units. In June, at the lovely country home of Violet Keiths at Los Altos, Palo Alto joined us in being hostesses for a picnic honoring the seniors of Eta and Mu. This year our chapter has given a campship to the University of California Diabetic camp and has provided all the equipment for the recreation for the camp season. Mrs. John Alden has been chairman and has collected all the instruments for a toy symphony.

PAULINE MACKENZIE

Marriage

Doris McConnell, Nu, to Joseph Daniel Murphy, May 29.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Blakely (Maryalice Loomis, Alpha Gamma) a daughter, Janet Anna, March 18.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Van Horn (Pearl Pangborn, Xi), a daughter, Eugenia Marie, April 11.

To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ehrhardt (Mildred Long, Eta) a son Robert Long, June 25.

Sacramento

The Sacramento Valley Alumnae Chapter at its first spring meeting, elected Jane Umphred Davis, Eta, president of the

group to succeed Doris Kane, Alpha Gamma. Other new officers are: Jean Tedford Jacobs, Xi, vice-president; Dorothy More Kuhrt, Kappa, recording secretary; Mildred McGregor McKeown, Chi, corresponding secretary; Evelyn Berg Murphy, Chi, treasurer.

We held a benefit for Britain in the form of a bridge tea in May, which was under the direction of Evelyn Murphy. Evelyn was assisted by Jean Jacobs, Alice Monahan, Nu, Salome Riley Ott, Alpha Gamma, Doris Kane and Helen Haugsten Peets, Nu.

Doris Kane and Jane Davis were the delegates from this chapter to the Province VII convention held in Reno.

Our group has recently been given a campship and has selected a young girl who is a member of the Girl Scouts. Dorothy Kuhrt, welfare committee chairman, is in charge of this undertaking.

We are happy to welcome to Sacramento four new alumnae: Mrs. Les D. Harger, 2016 W. Street (Betty Jeanne Foulke, Nu), who has come here as a bride from Riverside, Calif.; Mrs. James Bainbridge (Jean Voorhies, Eta), who moved here the first of the year from Stockton; Mrs. J. P. Hill (Marianne Severe, Alpha Gamma), who is from Reno; and Mrs. Harold Silk, Pi, who has just recently joined our active group.

Farewells have been made to three of our members: Florence Hartman Hollister, Nu; Fern Rymers Moore, Chi; Toni Lucas Eames, Nu.

Personals

Elizabeth Smith Fletter, Eta, Charity League member, acted as cigarette girl at the league's annual Spring Fashion Show and tea on March 1.

We are happy to have Mary McDermott Hayes, Chi, with us again after her slow recovery from a serious motor accident last fall.

Agnes Wilson, Lambda, and Doris Kane were on the committee for the tea given in February by the Sacramento Branch of the American Association of University Women.

Dorothy Kuhrt was recently elected president of the local chapter of the California League of Women Voters.

HELEN HAUGSTEN PEETS, Nu

Sioux City

We of the Sioux City alumnae group continue in our interest and enthusiasm, meeting regularly the first Tuesday evening of every month. Last year we met in one another's homes. This year we decided to vary the plan, and, in addition to meeting in homes, have attended the theater in a group, and have had dinner together down town. During our evenings together we have made dresses for the girls attending the Denver camp, done knitting and

sewing for both the Red Cross and Bundles for Britain.

Our 1941 officers are: Kathleen Boas Mallony, Gamma, president; Dorothy Haley Snyder, Omega, vice-president and rushing chairman; Marion Larson, Omega, secretary; Marion Ellen Huff, Rho, treasurer; Katherine Squier, Epsilon, publicity chairman; Pauline Meyer Jones, Gamma, CRESCENT correspondent.

Dorothy Haley Snyder was elected a delegate to the spring province convention in Minneapolis.

Julie Wendell, attending Iowa State College at Ames, is Loretta Cairy Wendell's second daughter to become a member of Omega chapter. Mrs. Wendell is a member of Gamma chapter.

Marie Cairy McDaniel, Gamma, of Chicago, was a guest at the January meeting at the home of Kathleen Mallory.

PAULINE MEYER JONES, *Gamma*

Births

A son, Stewart Allen, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Huff of Sioux City (Marion Allen, Omega), July 3, 1940.

A son, Robert Hirt, Jr., to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hirt, in Burns, Ore. (Gertrude Call, Omega) in March, 1941.

Syracuse

With the thermometer at 90, it is a little difficult to concentrate and review the Gamma Phi events of the winter. Our December meeting was held at the house and, instead of exchanging gifts among ourselves, we had a very interesting speaker from the Christmas Bureau, which was organized to see that all the needy families in the city are cared for without duplication, and at this time we took up a collection for a basket for one particular family. In January we had a social afternoon meeting at Marian Scott's, and invited the mothers of the active girls for tea. Virginia Sears opened her home in February for a supper meeting, to which we invited the freshmen and had an enjoyable evening playing games and getting acquainted. The formal initiation banquet was held at the chapter house in March, with Ruth Reed as a delightful toastmistress, and it was a thrill, as always, to welcome our newest members. Late in the month, we had a business meeting at Betty Barnum's, at which Nathalie Kyser Paltz was elected president for another year, and "Bunnie" Hastings Witmeyer gave her report of the Province I Conference in Boston, to which she was alumnae delegate. During the Easter vacation we had a dance at the house, and though we didn't make any money, we had lots of fun. We entertained the seniors at a picnic supper in May, at the lovely home of Mrs. Maxwell Brace and Betty Folsom acted as auctioneer for a successful white elephant sale. The reunion supper

at the house at Commencement time in June was enjoyable and also inspiring, making us realize how Gamma Phi continues to hold the interest and love of those who have been out of college for fifty and even sixty years. Our honor guests of the evening were Miss Mary Whitford, '81, Mrs. Seth Baker, '81, Mrs. H. C. Coddington, '81, Mrs. Elmer Buckman, '86, Mrs. Henry Fearon, '86, Mrs. S. T. Ford, '88, Dr. Minnie Mason Beebe, '90, Mrs. Nellie Morgan, '90, Dr. Louella Masters, '91, Miss Jeanette Atwell, '91, and Mrs. L. O. Wadleigh, '91.

It created excitement, when Betty Barnum spread the news around that she was the owner of the white fox cape. We were all thrilled for her and pleased to have it come to Syracuse so we could actually see it. Soon after it came, she invited a lot of us over to show it off. It really is a gorgeous thing and she is a lucky person to own such a beautiful wrap. We shall be anxious to hear of the final results of the sale.

At the final meeting of the year of the Syracuse University Alumnae Club, Annette Hastings Witmeyer was elected president for the coming year.

Marion Beecher Scott was recently elected president of the Maternal Health Center of Syracuse.

When the Syracuse University Alumnae Club sponsored a concert by Richard Bonelli and the Syracuse University Alumni Glee Club this spring for the benefit of the Women's Building Fund, Margaret Snow Brewster was chairman and several other Gamma Phis served on the committee.

We are interested in the drive, which will open in September, to raise money for our badly needed Women's Building on the campus, with our own Mrs. William P. Graham, wife of the chancellor, acting as general chairman of the nationwide drive, and Mrs. Huntington B. Crouse one of the honorary chairmen. Some of us are working as team captains and on the different teams and hope it will be a success.

We were sorry to lose Jane Snyder Hubbard, who moved with her husband to Elmira this spring. Jane was our magazine chairman and always a willing worker.

It was nice to see Marion Decker, who was here recently from San Diego, Calif., where she is now living.

"Jim" Hayes is now dividing her time between the care of an apartment building, which she has built in Miami, Fla., and her girls' camp in the Adirondacks.

It's good to have Janet Hawkins Berry back in town for a while. She and her small son are staying with her parents, while her husband serves his year in the army.

Barbara Kelly Ensign and her husband, who have been living in Mt. Vernon, are moving to Syracuse in the fall.

Some of us do manage to get quite a ways away from home once in a while. Eugenie Eusten has returned from a cruise to Panama, and Margaret Munro Stratton and her husband had a trip to California this spring.

ANNETTE HASTINGS WITMEYER

Marriages

Virginia Sears, '38, to Dr. Paul Frederick MacLeod.

Frances Lowman, ex-'42, to Donald Mahler.

Barbara Blanchard, '36, to Harry Morton.

Betty Snyder, '39, to William Komanecky, Utica, N.Y.

Eleanor Kinsman, '37, to Lieutenant William F. Zimmerman. They are living in Louisville, Ky.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Dyer (Marion Blumer, '27), a son.

Mr. and Mrs. James MacIvaih (Virginia Tucker, '30), a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reinhardt (Katherine Gerwig, '36), a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Wood (Esther Wynkoop, '32), a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes (Mary Porter, '36), a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Seabrook (Jane Burlingame, '34), a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Anglin (Helen Kelley, '28), a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ames (Mildred Ames, '35), a son.

Lieut. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson (Eleanor Vincent, '34), a son.

Topeka

Topeka alumnae are active this summer and will be this fall, in interests of Gamma Phi Beta.

Grace Vaniman Russell (Mrs. Robert E.), Sigma, elected in March, board member of Junior League.

Edith Senner Dickinson (Mrs. Jacob), president of Topeka Alumnae Association; Edna Earle Kellam (Mrs. E. B.), vice-president; Maxine Laughlin Swinehart, (Mrs. Keith), secretary; Frances Karlan, treasurer; Alta M. Lux, CRESCENT and Alumnae correspondent. Jacintha Thomas Brown (Mrs. Roy), Alpha Delta, Panhellenic delegate. Clarice Sloan Belden (Mrs. Stearns) and Evelyn Fulton Brighton (Mrs. Hubert), members of the Advisory Board, Sigma Alumnae Association.

Edith Senner Dickinson, serves as president of Topeka Woman's Panhellenic Association.

Mrs. Deane Malott, Eta, wife of the chancellor of the University of Kansas, entertained at tea, February 28, at her home in Lawrence, for alumnae of Topeka; Kansas City, Mo.; Lawrence; and Sigma actives.

Frances Karlan was Topeka alumnae

delegate, for Province III Conference, April 3-5, held at Sigma chapter, Lawrence, Kan. Winifred McQueen, Topeka pledge was active in the meeting and Helen Jane Belcher, Alpha Delta, Topeka alumna in the pageant.

Edna Earle Kellam (Mrs. E. B.), Mu, who is an expert with her camera showed her colored motion pictures taken on a recent southern trip which included Natchez Pilgrimage, Fla.; Charleston, N.C.; Williamsburg, Va.; and Washington, D.C.

Sigma Gamma Phi Breakfast for alumnae and reunion, was enjoyed by Alta M. Lux and Katherine Huston Pulford, Sigma.

Our July meeting was given to help rush for the Sigma chapter actives, this fall. Topeka alumnae roster is active in interests of Gamma Phi Beta.

ALTA M. LUX, *Sigma*

Marriage

Caroline Crosby, Alpha Mu, to Paul Eugene Rabe, May 7, in Topeka, Kan. Their home will be in Harper, Kan.

Tri-City—Davenport, Moline, Rock Island

Since one of our members, Margaret Decker, Rho, was appointed International Camp Chairman, Tri City Alumnae chapter has shown unusual interest in our camps. A contribution of money was donated to the camp fund and later the Buffalo camp was supplied with combs. Three Tri City girls served as counselors at the camps. They are Priscilla Otis of Moline, an active at Omicron, University of Illinois, who served at the Buffalo camp, and Marian Hansen, Rho active and Betty Jane Prochnow, Rho alumnae, both Davenport girls who spent periods at the Denver camp. The girls gave vivid and interesting accounts of their work at the camps at our last regular monthly meeting.

We are again raising funds for the Endowment Fund by selling two round trip tickets on the streamliner Rocket to Chicago. Edna Carlson Gord, Omega, is chairman.

Inspired by the war work our sisters in the Canadian chapters are doing, we collected voluntary contributions of silver at our winter meetings and the total was sent to the Canadian Red Cross through our Central Office.

Helen McElhinney Jasper, Omicron, who had served so ably as treasurer and Endowment Fund Chairman moved to Louisville, Ky., where her husband Kenneth Jasper has a new position. Gladys Albertus McKahin replaces her as treasurer.

Three newcomers to our ranks are Mrs. Fred LeBarre, Rollins, Kankakee, Ill.; Vida Reynolds, Pi, Kansas City, Mo.; and

Onnalie Dawson Evans, Epsilon, Indianapolis, Ind.

IRENE STYAN NOLEN, *Omicron*

Marriages

Lucile Wingert, Rho to Harold Farnum, S.U.I. on September 21, 1940.

Lorraine McDowel, Rho, to Leo E. Hubner, Coe College, on April 26, 1941.

Betty Jane Kelly, Rho, to Robert Maynard Ruud, John Marshall Law School, Chicago, May 30.

Marcia Smith Rho, to Jacques Pontlitz, Sigma Chi, S.U.I. on June 8, 1941.

Lola Folsom, Rho, to Arthur R. Howe, Jr., Sigma Chi, S.U.I., June 15, 1941.

Peggy Johnson, Omega, to Norman G. Wade, Augustana College.

Births

To Bird Bechtel Coleman, Rho, a daughter, born in March.

To Irene Blackman Brubacker, Rho, a daughter, Christopher Ann, born April 2.

To Gertrude Sayles Ambrose, Rho, a son, Allen Arthur, born May 20.

To Virginia Brayer Howel, Omega, a son, Stephen, born May 30.

Adoption

By Mary Rost Oehler, Rho, a daughter Susanne, 19 months old.

Washington, D.C.

Consistent with defense activities which become more apparent every day in the nation's capital, Gamma Phi's Emergency War Relief Committee was made up exclusively of members of the local alumnae chapter. Chairman was Helen S. Sum-

mers, assisted by Edna M. Buhner, treasurer, and Doris Erwin, secretary.

With the vigorous co-operation of the remaining chapters throughout the country and Canada, this committee raised approximately \$2,000 which is almost sufficient to buy two mobile canteen units to be used in the aid of civilian defense in Great Britain.

Although the members of the committee strenuously deny any machinations, the announcement that it was a Gamma Phi who wears the white fox cape was at least reassuring. That's keeping it in the family!

May 4 was the date of a breakfast given by the chapter in honor of the Beta Beta seniors of nearby Maryland University at the Kenwood Country Club. About 30 attended. Mr. Frederick M. Feiker, Dean of the Engineering School at George Washington University scintillated with a lively talk on, of all subjects, women. It perhaps is not necessary to record that no subject could have been better chosen. Mr. Feiker is father of Janet Feiker of Zeta chapter at Goucher and our alumnae chapter.

Elma Dulaney of Nebraska's Pi rejoined the group here after having spent the winter on the west coast.

Readers of the *Saturday Evening Post* will probably recall the article on "Curley" Byrd, president of the University of Maryland, in the June 28 issue. Pictured standing to his left in a receiving line was Zeta's Frances Ide, now one of the bulwarks of the Washington chapter.

In anticipation of the coming fall matriculation, plans are being made to assist the Beta Beta actives in their rushing program.

HELEN THOMPSON KAY

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Ruth McCrary, Rho, to Thomas A. Rice, March 6 at Walter Reed Chapel, Washington, D.C.

Barbara Ann Richmond, Beta Beta '41, to Franklin Kellogg Peacock, '41, Alpha Tau Omega, on May 30, 1941.

Betty Wood, Alpha Chi '40, to Daniel Bradley, Pi Kappa Alpha, Westport, Conn.

Nita Ligon, Alpha Chi '38, to Frederick W. Morse, Richmond, Va.

Wichita

Wichita Alumnae elected new officers in March: Lucille Miller Anderson, Kappa, president; Bert White Chandler, Sigma, vice-president and Panhellenic representative; Betty Gum Prettyman, Alpha Delta, secretary, and Mabel Neal Fortier, Psi, treasurer.

During Easter vacation an informal rush tea was held at the home of Rachel Seifkin Spradling, Sigma, for the seniors of our high schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hartmetz (Virginia Pate, Sigma) are the parents of a son Walter Judson, born April 14.

We are happy to welcome Mary Lou Becker Cory, Sigma, who moved here from Topeka, Kan., and to announce the arrival of her twins Marilyn and Robert Michael, born April 14.

Mary Elizabeth Smith Hayes, Alpha Delta, is a newcomer to our group. Her husband is with the Bell Telephone Company.

Louise Little Ryan, Mu, is recovering from an appendectomy.

Bert Chandler's husband has been called to Fort Riley and Bert has resigned as vice-president and moved to Junction City to be near him. Norma Pyle Bullene, Sigma, has taken over her duties.

The alumnae came through with flying colors in their effort to raise money for Gamma Phi Beta's British Canteen unit.

Sympathy is extended to Betty Campbell, Sigma, in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Robert Campbell, on June 9.

The George Spradlings are touring the Northwest and California.

Lucille Anderson, our president, and her family have returned from a trip to Memphis, Tenn., and Cleveland, Ohio.

Mildred Rule Olsen, Sigma, has returned from a vacation in California.

The annual "rush trip," composed of Sigma actives was entertained in Wichita, in July at the home of Ellen Webb McLean, with a rush picnic.

ELLEN WEBB MCLEAN, *Sigma*

Additional Statistics

Marriages

Marian Bradstreet, Pi, to William Arrowsmith, February 5, at Grand Island. At

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home in California.

Virginia Appel, Pi, to James Nelson. At home in Fort Worth, Tex.

Ester Canfield, Chi '42, to Robert McCauley, Sigma Alpha Epsilon '40.

Leona Nelson, Alpha Lambda '35, to James M. Ferris, February 14.

Jean McDonald, Lambda '37, to William Wallis, March 12.

Jean Seton, Alpha Lambda '38, to James Holdon.

Jacquelyn Nelson, Alpha Psi, to Faye Henry Bass.

Helen M. Davis, Alpha Delta '40, to Mr. Norman Kloker, University of Missouri, Alpha Gamma Rho, March 15, at Columbia, Mo. At home at Vandalia, Ill.

Geraldine Lillie, Alpha Delta '40, to Lieut. Roy Brachetti, West Point, '39.

Lillian Stapel, Alpha Delta '39, to Ensign Frank Blakemore, Annapolis.

Jane Anne Williams, Alpha Delta '39, to Elmo Hunter of Kansas City.

Marian Edward, Alpha Delta '41, to Lieut. Barry Quirk, Missouri '39, of St. Louis in April.

Mary Ellen Shroyer, Alpha Upsilon '41, to Kenneth Cross, Ohio State, ex-'41, Phi Kappa Psi, June 16. At home in Pittsburgh.

Betty Jeanne Foulke, Nu, to Lester Harger, Sigma Chi.

Mary Frances Henderson, Nu, to Chas. Phipps, Phi Delta Theta.

Eleanor Swift, Nu, to Roger Putnam.

Jean Harris, Alpha Gamma, to Lieut. Donald E. Kinkel.

Mary Jo Crampton, Alpha Xi, to Dr. William D. Montgomery, March 28.

Eileen Casgniff, Alpha Omicron, to Ray Carr in April. At home in Philadelphia.

Corrine D. Anderson, Alpha Omicron, to John C. Pollack, Jr. in May.

Juliet Olson, Alpha Nu, to Dr. John LeFevre, Phi Kappa Psi, of Wittenberg and Jefferson Medical School. Dr. and Mrs. LeFevre will reside in Springfield.

Rosemary Kraemer, Beta Alpha, to Frank Waters in February.

Joy Marsau, Beta Alpha, to Don Mayo, Maine, Theta Delta Chi, in June.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Mercer (Dorothy Allan Mercer, Alpha Lambda), a son, Kendall Gregg, October 24, 1940.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Logan (Cecil Lidstrom, Lambda), on April 15, 1941, a son, Frank Henry Logan.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Raney (Jane Clark, Alpha Psi '37), a son; and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crane (Ruth Bartz).

To Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Collins (Martha Tschanen, Alpha Nu), a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, born April 12, at Springfield.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes (Frances Burke, Alpha Gamma), a daughter, Brenda Alicia, born May 3.

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Vivian Boorman, Stanford '41, in plane crash at Palm Springs, Calif., in April.
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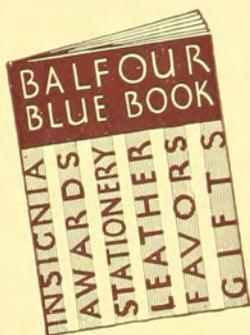
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