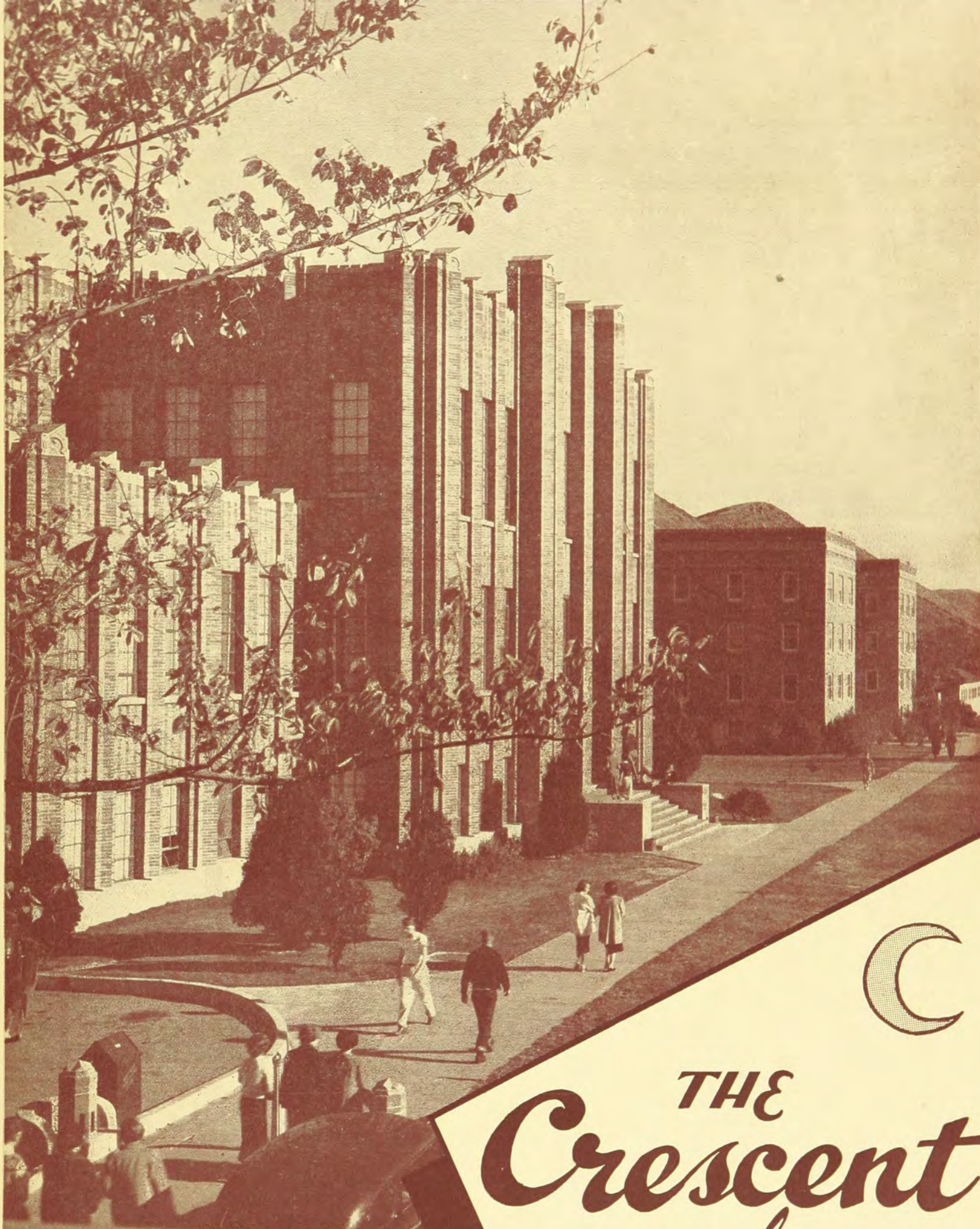
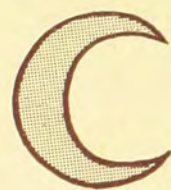


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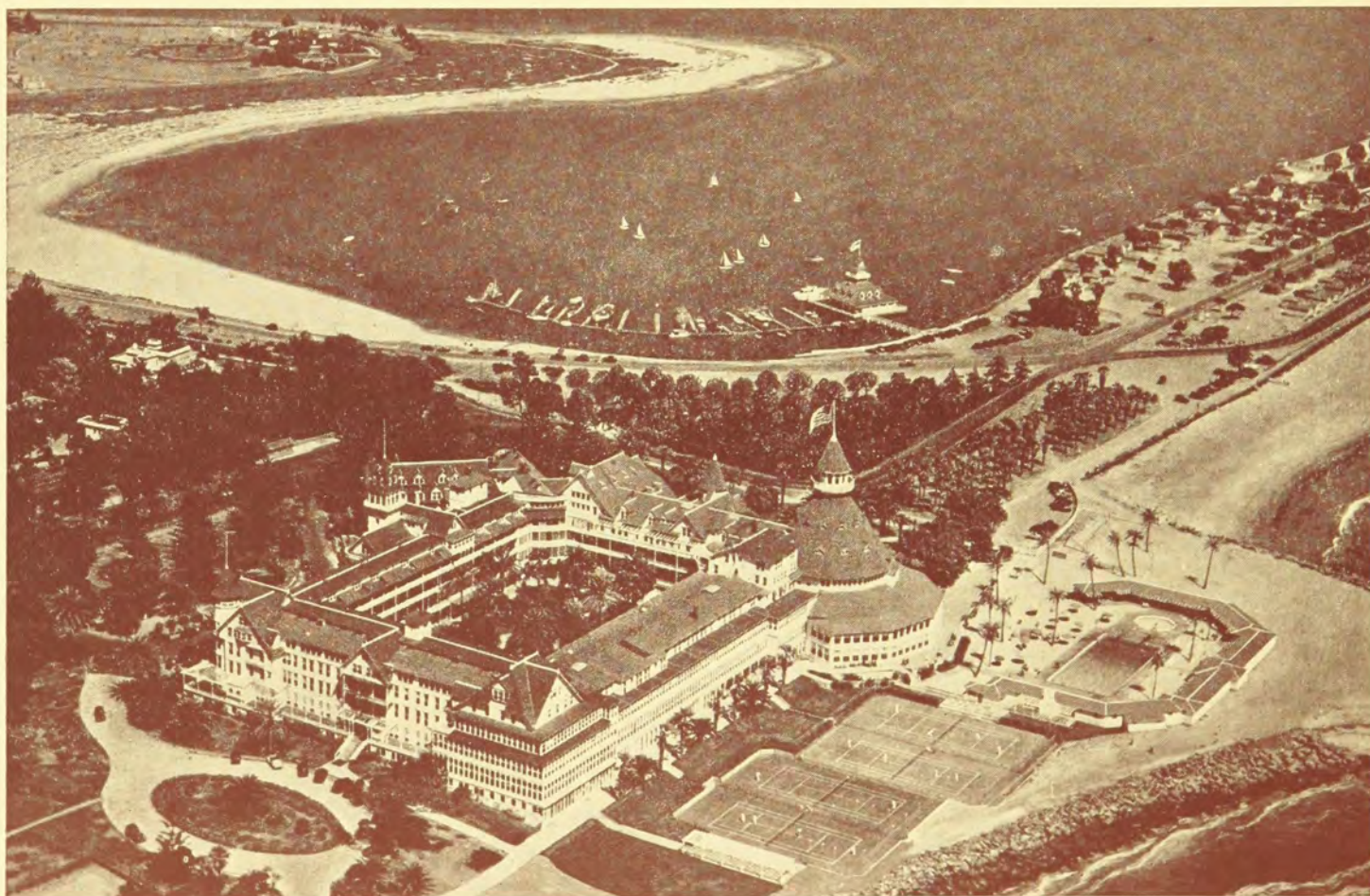
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To all of you touched with the wanderlust, to whom the call of the open road is a demand, and to those who long to spend a few lazy hours on the shores of the blue Pacific, I send Greetings and a cordial invitation to our 45th Convention at the Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado, California, June 23-29.

Those of you who have attended an International Convention will well remember the good feeling in meeting Gamma Phi Betas from every part of this country and Canada, the joy felt in seeing old friends again, and the thrill in taking an active part in formulating Gamma Phi Beta policy for the next biennium. You who have never attended such a meeting have a wonderful experience forthcoming. All of you will increase your knowledge and interest in our organization and will store up memories of friends and events never to be taken from you.

This Convention promises to be one of the finest meetings we have ever held. The location is magnificent, the climate is perfect, and the hostesses—all of Province VII—the most ingenious in planning for our pleasure. A few surprises await—and fun for all ages! Shall I see you there?

Sincerely in I K E,  
Evelyn Gooding Dippell  
Grand President





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*Student Union Building on campus of Idaho State College where Beta Iota chapter of Gamma Phi Beta was chartered in October 1949.*

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## Becky Burkes Fyock And “Bugle Call”

A veteran in the show ring, Becky Burkes Fyock (Oregon U. '48) turned her attention to Hackney ponies two years ago . . . has taken eleven blue ribbons . . . is Oregon correspondent for the magazine, “Your Pony.” Her aunt, Eve Burkhardt (Washington '21), prominent writer of many magazine stories, writes about Becky's work with show horses on page 4.



# Idaho State College Celebrates Golden Jubilee

**C**ELEBRATING its golden jubilee in 1951-52, Idaho State College or ISC, as it is known throughout the state, had its start in 1901 as the Academy of Idaho. At that time the campus consisted largely of sagebrush, with a junior-size mountain as background. The following year the academy opened with only one building, Swanson Hall.

In 1915, the academy became Idaho Technical Institute and two years of college work were added to the high school curriculum. Twelve years later the school became a junior college and was known as the Southern Branch of the University of Idaho. In 1947 the school was established as a separate, four-year, degree granting institution known as Idaho State College.

Today it has a College of Liberal Arts housed in a new \$800,000 building, a College of Pharmacy acclaimed throughout the country and a School of Trade and Industrial Education. To Swanson Hall have been added 17 other buildings, including a modern million dollar gymnasium complete with swimming pool, a handsome Student Union building with a large ballroom, a girls' dormitory and four men's dormitories, and many temporary buildings to provide housing for married students. A new library building is being planned.

ISC has attained its growth as a college under the leadership of a young president, Dr. Carl W. McIntosh, who was only 32 when he became president in November, 1947. The faculty of 140 has been drawn from leading institutions in practically every state of the Union and from 12 foreign countries. The student body is equally cosmopolitan. As is natural at a state institution, most of the students are from Idaho. But there are also 150 students from other states, Canada, Hawaii, Alaska and several foreign countries.

Although the ISC enrollment has dropped from a peak of 1700, the decrease has been gradual over a number of years and the annual loss is lower than the national average. At one time, the men students outnumbered the girls four to one, but the percentage has dropped to two and one-half per cent! Members of the four national sororities sponsor exchange parties with the various fraternities.

Although Idaho has no commercial television, ISC has its own television shows, from studios in the School of Trade and Industrial Education. Television in the ISC classrooms is still a thing of the future, but there are weekly shows in both the Student Union lounges and the snack bar. ISC is one of the few colleges in the country where all the television equipment was made by students.

ISC coeds compete for such honors as Homecoming Queen, Ski Queen and "I" Club Queen, the latter elected by the ISC athletes, the Bengals. In turn, they select the King of Hearts to reign at the annual Court of Hearts ball sponsored by the Associated Women Students and the campus "Ugly Man," a most coveted honor.

Vying in importance with the Court of Hearts Ball and the All-College Ball and numerous other



*Gamma Phi Beta Pat Yearsley almost completed her sharp turn! Winter Carnival at ISC is a high point in the year's activities, with its week-long festivities that finds nearly everybody on skis.*

dances are annual Homecoming, Mothers' Weekend, Sadie Hawkins' day, the week-long Winter Carnival and the Women's Athletic Association play-day. High school students from all parts of the state take over the campus each year for Campus Day, an all-day speech and drama conference and a journalism convention.

Because of its beautiful natural setting, ISC provides many opportunities for outdoor activities. Picnics, swimming parties in the college pool and in nearby hot springs, skiing, hunting, fishing and barbecues are featured.

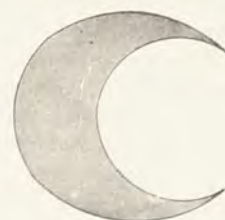
Beta Iota chapter of Gamma Phi Beta was the first national sorority to be installed at Idaho State College. Coming on campus in October of 1949, the chapter is still in the process of establishing activities and traditions. Taking part in all the campus activities, the chapter has its share of cups and plaques won at Homecoming, Song Fest, and other competitions, among them last year's scholarship award.

The four sororities and four fraternities at ISC have many exchange parties, and all of the Greek organizations combine efforts for the annual Panhellenic-Inter Fraternity dance.

Other activities have been apron, rummage, and cooked food sales, a fashion shop, and a card party. One of the well established traditions is an annual Dinner-Dance, which is the outstanding event on the social calendar. The pledge class sponsors one all-school dance every year. Beta Iota's most recent project is local philanthropic work within the community.     )) ))



*Seventeen new buildings have been added since ISC opened its doors in 1901 with one building. Here is the new \$800,000 Liberal Arts building.*





# Showing Horses Is Her Hobby

By Eve Burkhardt, U. Of Washington '21

IF BECKY BURKES FYOCK pinned her horsemanship ribbons end to end she would have quite a few nice fat bolts of bright satin, for she has won over fifty prizes at shows over the country. The silver platter, trays, bowls, and cups make a neat display, too.

Becky is my niece and she has been riding and winning ribbons and trophies since she was eight years old. She was Champion Junior Rider of Oregon in 1940.

In the past two years with her new venture, a hackney pony "Bugle Call," she has taken eleven firsts, seven seconds, five thirds, three fourths, two fifths, and seventeen hundred dollars in prize money at eight horse shows.

Now my sister, Genevieve Burkes (Lambda '23) never thought of blue ribbons and silver trophies when she drove Becky out for her first riding lesson. She only wanted her daughter to be able to look a horse in the face and to feed him a lump of sugar without shuddering. For our mother, Genevieve's and mine, although brave as ten thousand lions in some matters picked up her skirts when she saw a horse, and ran. She taught her children to do the same.

When Genevieve was living at the Gamma Phi Beta house at the University of Washington she used to see Janice Parker and Dos Hager go off happily to their Boots and Saddles Club and wished she had their nerve and courage. Since those days she herself has learned to ride although it was a struggle, but she is not afraid now to put a lump of sugar into a horse's mouth.

So in the Burkes' family through the years there were horses along with pet guinea pigs, skunks, goats, cats, dogs and rabbits. But the prize registered Shetland pony, "Sylvan King," a fine

American saddle-bred gaited mare, "Easter's Bonnet" and her colt "Satin Streamers" brought out the fact that Becky possessed a real skill with horses, which no doubt accounts for her continued interest along these lines. At the present time she is limiting her showing to the driving of Hackneys (which, by the way, are a sturdy, small brood of English pony, in early English history trained for drayage and carriage purposes, but now imported into the U.S. exclusively for exhibition).

Becky has only "Bugle Call" now, which she keeps at Ellendale Farms near Eugene, Oregon, where her husband, Bill Fyock, University of Oregon, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, is manager and trainer for Georgia Ellen Dale, owner of the Farms. Last fall on a tour of horse shows through the Northwest and California, Bill won twenty-five blue ribbons and thirty other ribbons with six horses.

Becky herself does all the training of "Bugle Call." She is out with her jogging cart nearly every day except in the worst weather, getting the pony into championship shape. Next summer she will acquire another Hackney. She keeps in touch with the pony world by being Oregon correspondent of *Your Pony*, a magazine devoted wholly to that subject.

Recently the Burkes acquired a farm at "Whalecove," a scenic spot on the Oregon Coast highway, one mile south of the deep-sea fishing village, of Depoe Bay. And the Fyocks are busy reading government pamphlets on beef cattle, poultry, and garden produce, and dreaming of extending the existing barns to include the horses and ponies which will be part and parcel of their future farming interests.     D D D

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## Stanford Corporation Funds Placed In Endowment Fund

Final disposition of the funds held by Mu's House Corporation from the sale of the chapter house to the University has been made. A committee, appointed by Mu alumnae drew up a "Plan for Assignment," and this plan which transfers approximately \$34,000.00 to the Endowment-Crescent Fund under a trust agreement was approved by a substantial majority of former members of Mu chapter. Although acceptance of the plan was voted more than a year ago, considerable time was necessary in order to follow the proper legal procedures, dissolve the old house corporation and establish the terms of the trust. Actual transfer of the funds was made in February of this year.

Under the trust agreement, the principal of the Fund, known as the Mu of Gamma Phi Beta Fund, can be used for chapter loans. The net income is to be used for scholarship grants to one or more qualified Stanford students, men or women, preferably descendants of Mu chapter alumnae. A Stanford University Scholarship Committee will determine the amount to be assigned

and number granted from applications referred to it. Mrs. Raymond Byler (Olivia Boezinger, Mu '23), is Secretary of the Committee. In the event of the reactivation of a chapter at Stanford, the funds will be used for re-establishing the group.

Many loyal Mu alumnae have participated in solving the problem of a disposition of these funds which would benefit the entire sorority, and yet evidence their continued allegiance to their University. They are to be congratulated, and Gamma Phi Betas everywhere are most grateful to the Mu Committee for arriving at a conclusion which has been approved by the Mu alumnae, and keeps alive the former happy and successful years of Mu chapter. Mildred Hayes Roth has acted as President of the Corporation, now dissolved, and the officers who signed the "Assignment Plan" were Dorothy Brown Bryant, Peggy Boothe and Ruth McLaughlin Benz. A large committee worked with these officers to achieve the happy conclusion of this important project.



# Thailand Is Home To Jane Plitt Bishton

By Cecilia Buckner, Washington Alumnae Chapter

**F**LY to Thailand one of these days and you might find yourself in the midst of a localized coup d'état, teaching at a truly international school, or doing some informal preschool rushing for Gamma Phi Beta! Those are just samples of the experiences which Jane Plitt Bishton has reported since her arrival in Bangkok with her husband and children a year ago. Her husband, Robert Bishton, is Assistant Commercial Attaché there, which means that he attempts to solve any and all problems among the local merchants and performs other duties such as obtaining quotations on rice and timber for the Japanese Logistical Command.



*Jane Bishton's International Family! Left to right, Patricia and Sandra, born in this country, Jeffrey, born in Ireland and baby Michael, born in Thailand.*

When the family left for its first overseas assignment in Dublin the following year, Patricia was two and Sandra, just a few months old. As a visa officer in the Consular section of the Embassy, Bob signed all of the immigration visas for people desiring to enter the United States. And as his wife, Jane learned a great deal about the immigration laws of our own country. They traveled extensively throughout Ireland during their three year stay, and chose the bleak, rugged Northwest section beyond Galway as their favorite spot. The Irish are very friendly people, Jane remarks, though the majority of Irish maids are definitely not the beautiful colleens of fiction! The Bishtons' big news from Dublin was the arrival of a son, Jeffrey, on June 25, 1950—the day the fighting began in Korea. A few months later they were back in the U.S. visiting with their families and friends and preparing to fly to Bangkok.

Since their arrival in Thailand's capital city, they have lived in a large three-bedroom stucco house of Asiatic design. Jane writes that the house is lavishly equipped in the line of bathroom facilities on both floors. However, only the bedroom windows are screened so that flying roaches, mosquitoes and other small insects often join them for dinner! Small harmless lizards, called Chinchooks, crawl on the walls and eat the insects! A Tokay, which is a larger brightly colored biting lizard, occasionally comes in the house, too.

The household staff is composed of six Thai servants whose wages range from eleven to twenty-three dollars per month and whose duties could probably be performed more efficiently by

just one or two servants in this country! The social customs of Thailand require that a family has an ayah for its children; and the additional servants are necessary because, as in other Asiatic countries, each is trained and hired for just one type of work. In addition to the children's fine ayah, they employ a wash ayah, a gardener, a cook, a coolie who cleans and helps with the children, and another girl, known as a No. 1 boy, who serves the meals, cooks the breakfast, helps with the cleaning, and is supposed to keep the house in order.

Bangkok is situated in the flat delta section on the southern coast. Hills and mountains rise in the northern part of the country. The tropical climate means a very hot season between March and May, and holds a constant threat of fungus infections, worms, tuberculosis, and sudden fevers which doctors cannot explain. There are two classes of people in Thailand: the wealthy, who are educated in Switzerland or France, and the poor, who are very poor.

Perhaps you wonder how Jane and Bob spend their leisure hours. They do belong to the Royal Bangkok Sports Club which has its own pool and recreation area. Both girls swim and dive, and Jeff, who is not quite two, is learning to swim, too! The girls also take riding lessons from a German woman. So far, Jane's sightseeing has been limited to spots in and around Bangkok, such as the King's Palace, the Emerald Buddha, and the summer palace—for you see, her fourth child, Michael, was born in Bangkok last September.



*The Bishton home . . . it was fired on last June during a localized coup d'état!*

That event did not stop her activities for long, though. She is teaching again in the school maintained by the international colony for its own transient children. A Thai law prohibits the operation of any school for more than seven students unless the language used is Thai, thus forcing the numerous Chinese to attend Thai schools. It was necessary, therefore, that the growing international group get special permission from the government to start its own school. The first term began last May with ninety enrolled, and now there are one hundred and forty-five students from twenty-three different countries in the nine grades. Jane teaches the ninth grade, her subjects being algebra, American history and geography, English literature, and social science. Could her college training be any more useful to those boys and girls?

Jane is doing some informal rushing for Gamma Phi Beta, too! She was quite surprised one day to hear a pupil in her class mention the sorority. The girl's aunt is a member, and she hopes to be one, too, so Jane is encouraging her.

Bob's work has not been without its excitement and anxieties, either! He was present at the ceremony last June at which E.C.A. gave a dredge to the Thai government and the Prime Minister was taken captive by some Thai Navy men armed with submachine guns. During that coup d'état which lasted two and one-half days the Bishtons' house was even fired upon be-

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# Harpist Retires From Long Teaching Career

THE closing of Mrs. Mildred Faulkner Rice's harp studio in the Clark Music Co. building has marked the end of a musical era in Syracuse.

However, for Mrs. Rice it means continuation of her second career, that of social worker in the Onondaga County Welfare Department. It was a position that she took to naturally nine years ago when her husband died. As a teacher she had always liked working with people and while at Syracuse University she had taken all the social science courses she could.

For 34 years, 1916 to 1951, Mrs. Rice taught the harp to thousands of young musicians in the East.

Mrs. Rice's twinkling eyes and vivacity belie her remark that she is "probably the great-grandmother of the majority of the harpists in the East." Centering of harp study in Syracuse was due in great part to the fact that the Irish harp is manufactured by Melville Clark in the Clark Music building.

## BEGAN AT PIANO

Her musical career began when she was 4 years old and she started piano lessons. She was among the first pupils of Charles Courboin, noted organist, when he taught in Oswego.

"My earliest recollections are of being carried by mother to all kinds of musical events," she said.

Until she was 15, she continued study of piano but found that her hands were too small for concert work.

Among the many artists she went to hear was Caruso and the family bought a victrola from Clark's to play his records. While going through the building, mother and daughter saw the Irish harps and concert harps. Mr. Clark explained that her hands were adapted to the harp and so she started lessons with Maude Clark, Melville's sister. Later she transferred to Miss Bertha Becker, who had a harp college in S. Salina street. Since she knew the theory of music, it was just a matter of getting acquainted with the instrument.

## LIKED PEOPLE

Enrolling at Syracuse University, she found that there was no harp taught so she took courses in Fine Arts and elected Liberal Arts. Psychology and sociology were just being taught and the young music student elected every course she could "because I liked people." In 1917 she was graduated from Syracuse University.

Her next teachers were Mr. Clark and Van Vichten Rogers. These two gentlemen were the two singled out to play in a Carnegie Hall concert of 100 harpists—98 girls and two men.

Mrs. Rice also did concert work throughout the state and was harpist with the Syracuse Symphony Orchestra.

On graduation from college, she opened her studio in the Clark Music building and at the time of her marriage in 1919



*Mildred Faulkner Rice (Syracuse '17) retires after 34 years of teaching harp to thousands of young musicians in the East.*

had 75 pupils.

Her husband, George B. Rice, was an insurance man but an amateur pianist and as Mrs. Rice says, "my most severe critic and best teacher." Their home was the center of music for 23 years where friends would often gather on Sundays for informal musicals.

She has a daughter, Mrs. Muriel Urey, who lives in New Mexico.

During her marriage she continued teaching except for three years when her daughter was young. Among her pupils were Claudia Race, child harpist who toured the United States and South America; Grace Weymer, now of Chicago; Barbara Haight Jackson, widely known in the south and with the Atlanta symphony; and last year, Lenny Herman, the radio and television band leader.

As a child Mrs. Rice had been shy and stricken with stage fright when appearing at recitals. Therefore, when she started to teach, she went on the theory that music should be fun.

"I wanted children not to suffer as I had and encouraged small children to appear in public early," she stated. "It was good to have people love the harp and play for enjoyment."

(Ed. note: We are indebted to the *Syracuse Post Standard* of February 3, 1952 for this story and photograph.)

## Thailand Is Home

(Continued from page 5)

cause it is situated directly between two naval stations, one of which was captured by the Army! Needless to say, Jane and the family spent a great deal of that time on the floor to avoid being hit by stray bullets. Since a second coup d'état the government has been controlled by military leaders, the commanders of the various military branches also holding a domestic ministerial post. It is impossible to predict the time or outcome of the next incident—Thailand may be the next scene of intensified fighting.

Jane's concluding remarks from Bangkok are that their stay in Thailand is rich and unsurpassed in experiences, but she hopes that future assignments will not take them back to Southeast Asia.     D D D

Marilyn Hunter, Homecoming Queen at North Dakota State College, is now serving as commanding officer of the Air Debs, newly organized auxiliary to AFROTC. Lois Fitzloff, also of Alpha Omicron chapter at North Dakota State, reigned as Queen of the Jack Frost Winter Carnival and Connie Hogan was selected as an attendant.



# De De Staskal To Be Featured In McCall's Magazine

(Story by JANE DODGE and photo from the Colorado Springs "Gazette-Telegraph")

LIFE is more interesting if you set a high goal within reach, and keep striving to reach it," says "De De" Staskal, Colorado College coed, who was photographed last weekend for the *McCall's* magazine feature "Born to be a Best Cook." *McCall's* photographer, Peter Martin, and associate food editor, Mrs. Eleanor Norderor spent all last weekend taking notes and photographs on Miss Staskal's campus life and activities.

Czechoslovakian Poppy Seed Crescents, which is considered one of Miss Staskal's best recipes will be the focal point of the *McCall's* story. Before *McCall's* chose the recipe it was tested in the magazine's kitchen, and was then chosen for its flavor and originality. This feature is the first one of its kind that the magazine has prepared on a college campus.

Since Miss Staskal is renowned as a party giver, the most interesting part of the feature preparation was done during a buffet which Miss Staskal gave Sunday evening in the Gamma Phi Beta sorority house on the CC campus. A delectable dinner, of which the poppy seed crescents prepared by Miss Staskal were the highlight, was served.

Though only in her second year at Colorado College, Miss Staskal has already made herself an important contributor to campus life. During her freshman year she was chosen the out-

standing pledge of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, of which she is now a member. For two years she has been on the Associated Women Students governing board, a cheerleader, and on the Quadrangle board. She is a member of the Newman Club, the ski club, the Tiger Club, and is the song chairman of AWS, activities editor of the annual, president of Bemis Hall, a dining room hostess, and a member of the Ya-Ta-He welcoming committee.

Besides all these campus activities Miss Staskal is on a scholarship, though it seems unbelievable that she would have time for studies. A very pretty girl, Miss Staskal was chosen attendant this year to Miss Colorado College.

The 4-H gets most of the credit from Miss Staskal who was a member for seven years before entering college. In her home town of Mount Vernon, Iowa, she made an outstanding record with her gardening, canning, cooking, and sewing. She sang both solos and choral pieces, conducted garden tours, served as a 4-H officer, was a 1950 candidate

for 4-H Achievement Queen, and was crowned the Linn County Dairy Queen.

As for the future, Miss Staskal wants a career. In preparation she is majoring at Colorado College in sociology so she will know how to work with people in her profession, public relations.



*De De Staskal of Alpha Phi chapter, Colorado College, will be the subject of an article in one of McCall magazine's monthly features, "Born to be a Best Cook." Above is a group of Gamma Phi Betas and guests at the chapter house enjoying some of De De's cooking. In the foreground are Charles Fredericks and Sue Schlessman. In the back, left to right, are Judy Carlstrom, Hiram Ligett, De De, Claire Chamberlain, Bob Kronke and Corty Bymaster.*

*Gamma Phi Beta International Sorority*

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*Lambda Delta Phi*

*April 5, 1952*

*at*

*Indiana State Teachers' College, Terre Haute, Indiana*

*to be installed as*

*Beta Pi Chapter*

*at a later date*



# Old Vermont Mansion Is New Gamma Phi Beta Home



**B**ETA NU Chapter at the University of Vermont has a new home and one that truly is part of historic New England.

On September 1, they took possession of the famous "Gates House," three-story mansion of a former leading lumberman of Vermont who used the waterways of Lake Champlain to bring woods of every description to the then-noted inland port of Burlington. Only after fifteen years of discriminatory saving of choice woods did he build his house. The rich black cherry wainscoting in the dining room and the curly birch in the housemother's room still bring cries of admiration. There are hardwood floors in all eighteen rooms and an impressive oak stairway with suspension landing, leading from a spacious entrance hallway. There are four fireplaces on the first floor and four on the second! The basement was ready made for a sorority with large rooms, floored with asphalt tile, appropriate for chapter room and rumpus room.

Mrs. Roger F. Howe, International Housing Chairman, traveled from Chicago to assist and advise local alumnae in the intricacies of acquiring the property. As soon as the title was obtained, actives, pledges, parents and alumnae went to work to transform "Gates House" into their chapter home. Brothers and their friends found themselves guiding power mowers over the spacious lawn and scrubbing woodwork. Fathers were invited to bring their tools and come see the house! Out-of-town members returned to college early to lend a hand. Mothers appeared with cakes for the workers—and their polishing cloths.

All wanted to climb first to the widow's walk, the railed area around the topmost cupola. Up winding stairs the wife of a seafaring man would climb to this little lookout to watch for her husband's ship in early New England days, but the watch atop

the Gamma Phi Beta house provides a good view of the Alpha Chi Omega and Kappa Sigma houses across the street and of Grassmount, senior woman's dormitory, adjoining the property.

Located only a block from the University of Vermont campus, the house boasts a larger capacity than any of the other sorority-owned houses. Thirty-four Gamma Phis are enjoying their new quarters.

Rugs, small tables, an adequate number of chairs, beds, desks and chests, as well as some dishes and linen were included in the house purchase.

Beta Nu is grateful for the gifts from individuals and chapters, especially the Westchester and New York City alumnae chapters, and for the help from the Endowment-Crescent Board which made the purchase and furnishing possible and for the untiring aid of Mrs. Howe. They point with pride to their loyal, hard-working alumnae: Mrs. W. S. Carlson, Miss Eleanor Luse, Mrs. L. S. Ramsey, Mrs. John Swan, Mrs. Robert Thompson. They also remember the contributions of Mrs. Rolf Haugen and Mrs. S. Willard before they left Burlington. University administrators gave generously of advice and assistance too. To them all, the chapter aims to say "thank you" by maintaining an inviting home which every Gamma Phi Beta is urged to visit when traveling in the vicinity.

JEANNE WALLERIUS WETHERBY, *Alpha Omicron '49*

EDITOR'S NOTE: It was Jeanne Wallerius Wetherby, who married David Wetherby last June and stayed on in Burlington until mid-September, who did much of the legwork and planning in connection with the alterations, cleaning and furnishing, though she modestly omitted her name in the article.



# Women in a Democracy

## Sorority Women Participate In "Know Your America Week"

**H**OW WELL do you know your America?

Do you know what the American freedoms are and why we treasure them?

In hundreds of cities and towns throughout the Nation on May 14 to 20, 1952 Fraternity Women will participate in *Know Your America Week*. The benefits and opportunities of the free way of life are increasing in importance to more and more people in every American community. Citizens will rededicate themselves to the preservation of the basic American principles which will be exemplified and dramatized through numerous and varied programs planned in the respective communities during *Know Your America Week*.

What can you do?

Fraternity Women can plan programs within their Chapters and Panhellenics as well as volunteer their services to the local organizers, or if no organizers, can volunteer such leadership themselves to the civic authorities or broadcasting studios in their communities. In observing *Know Your America Week*, Fraternity Women can volunteer to present or take part in historical pageants; college Chapter Houses can display the Flag throughout the Week. (Do our Chapter Houses own such emblems? They should!) Fraternity Women can contribute choral groups; they can offer to staff booths for the dissemination of information; they can speak on radio and community programs; and they can offer organizational experience or the "know how" to get things done. Fraternity members are among the most experienced and devoted group of volunteer workers in the United States. Put the leadership training and organizational experience your Fraternity helped to develop in you at work during *Know Your America Week*.

All programs throughout the United States will highlight the story of our Nation; its laws and liberties, its faiths and national origins; its schools and churches; its clubs and free associations; its rights and responsibilities.

We College Women have responsibility as Citizens because we enjoy the freedoms our forefathers won for us.

In recognition of this responsibility, the National Panhellenic Conference joins with 54 other National organizations representing approximately 800,000 Citizens all associated in the *All-American Conference* in urging their memberships to observe and participate in *Know Your America Week*.

At a called meeting of Delegates of the National Panhellenic Conference on March 29, 1951 in Chicago, Illinois, the following Resolution was unanimously adopted:

"The National Panhellenic Conference becomes a member of the *All-American Conference to Combat Communism*, as a dem-

*Here is another opportunity to show that sorority life is not self-centered, but builds for good citizenship. We often ask "What can I do?" Here, members of college chapters and alumnae, is one answer; we urge you to take this suggestion to heart and participate in this nation-wide event, "Know Your America Week."*

*The NPC Citizenship Committee offers this concrete suggestion as the first of a series of releases which we hope will prove inspirational to you not only in following this suggested program but in devising other ways in which to prove that members of the fraternity world are wide-awake and proudful American citizens today.*

*Let us be leaders, as well as cooperators; take this idea of Know-Your-America-Week participation to your Panhellenic organizations, both campus and city. All sorority groups have received similar material. Let us get together and show that sorority women are united in the desire to preserve our America, that we do appreciate our opportunity for education, and for living under our American flag.*

*Display your American flag during this week of May 14-20, 1952, and urge your friends to do the same. Use your ingenuity to show the community you are proud to be a part of it, and of OUR America. Participate in "Know Your America Week."*

BEATRICE LOCKE HOGAN (Oregon U.)  
Member, NPC Citizenship Committee

onstration by the College Greek Letter Societies for Women of their opposition to the philosophy and techniques of communism, and as evidence of their devotion to American freedom."

The *All-American Conference* whose present headquarters are located at Room 406, 1624 Eye Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., is an informational, educational and advisory body. Each participating organization speaks for itself on matters of policy. It does not speak for the Conference. The Conference does not speak for it.

Dr. Daniel A. Poling who serves as Chairman of the *All-American Conference* in an address on World Peace on June 27, 1951 before the Supreme Council Session of the United Commercial Travelers of America said among other things:

"The price of freedom first of all is knowledge. We need to know these United States of America. . . . We need to know what is going on in America.

"Freedom is not free. Always freedom has its price. And that price has been paid. Freedom is both an inheritance and an achievement. . . . We have it from those who went before us, who in their time paid the price. . . . Theirs is a finished work. But in some sense, at least, this freedom must be re-born

in me, it must become alive in me. I must make my contribution here and now."

Fraternity Women have their opportunity to contribute here and now in *Know Your America Week*, May 14-20, 1952.

As Mrs. Fred Sharp, National President of Alpha Sigma Alpha editorialized in a recent issue of their publication:

"In the security of friendship, we can review the basic values of fraternity and the ever-widening boundaries for the application of the principles. In mutual reverence we can experience the inspiration and the meaning of the fraternity rituals and their eternal truths. Together as groups of American women wherein cooperation and understanding are strong realities, we can discuss the American spirit, the American idea. For these ends we will take time, carefully and thoughtfully as our own. We will take it with respect and compelling gratitude. There will be no complaining about the lack of time, for our days and our hours will be worthy of themselves and equal to the urgencies and the crises of our time. Each individual fraternity member can be armed against communism and subversive influences because through serious conscious practice, she will have learned and can say to others, 'Take time to think; it is the source of power.'" D D D

The NPC Citizenship Committee, MRS. JOSEPH GRIGSBY, Chairman; MRS. CICERO F. HOGAN and MRS. BEVERLY ROBINSON



# Grand Council Appointments

## Ruth Rhodes Hay

### Alumnae Secretary, Province III

FOR MANY years the Wichita, Kansas Alumnae group has had the pleasure of having Mrs. L. C. Hay (Ruth Rhodes) as a contributing member. Ruth came to us from the University of Illinois and has always been loyal and outstanding in her service to Gamma Phi Beta.

As president of the loyal alumnae chapter, Ruth served two very successful terms. Since that time she has been a constant inspiration. As a delegate from Province III to Convention at St. Louis in 1950, Ruth was Chairman of the Memory Books. The sizeable task of assembling five hundred books with attractive covers of mode and brown she did almost single-handedly.

Civic organizations have also received Ruth's loyal support for many years. She has been president of Hyde School P.T.A., Chairman of the Advisory Board of Kansas Children's Service League, served on the Wichita Girl Scout Board six years, one as president, is past president of the Wichita League of Women Voters and is president elect of the Wichita Guidance Center.

Besides her many civic activities Ruth is the gracious wife of a prominent oil man. They have a lovely new home and are members of the leading social clubs in Wichita. The Hays have two children, a son Dick, who is attending Stanford University, at Palo Alto, California and a daughter Mary Emily who is in junior high.

Ruth with her usual efficiency has made room in her already busy schedule to assume the duties of Alumnae Secretary to Province III. We are truly pleased to have such a charming person for this office.     D D D

JOYCE GLASER DENNING, *Oklahoma U.*



*Mrs. Hay*

## Anne Mundt Gillmore

### Alumnae Secretary, Province VII S



*Mrs. Gillmore*

MRS. ROBERT H. GILLMORE (Anne Mundt) is well known in Southern California and Arizona Gamma Phi Beta groups.

She was at one time secretary of the Los Angeles alumnae chapter, on the building board at USC, and an active member of the Long Beach and Pasadena alumnae chapters until the installation of the Whittier alumnae chapter in the fall of 1951.

Her two daughters, Mrs. John Low (Anne Gillmore) and Mrs. Donald Scott (Christine Gillmore) are Gamma Phi Betas from the University of Arizona and are now living in Phoenix, one of their mother's visiting cities as Alumnae Secretary.

Mrs. Gillmore was initiated at Iowa State in 1921. For several years she lived in the Chicago area and then moved to Whittier, California where Mr. Gillmore practices law. Incidentally, he is a staunch supporter of his women's activities.

The new Alumnae Secretary is a past president of the East Whittier Woman's Club and of Whittier Panhellenic Council. Because of her never ending energy and her ability to organize work, she has been ways-and-means chairman of many groups.

Her current project on the domestic side, is the needle pointing of her living room couch. She has been working on the five foot couch off and on since 1942: 1952 may mean the completion—it will also mean the cat will never again enter the parlor. Other hobbies include gardening (camelias, roses) sewing, and painting and papering in the house.

Her qualifications make her a fine choice for Alumnae Secretary—also a fine grandmother for our two little boys.     D D D

ANNE GILLMORE LOW, AE'47  
CHRISTINE GILLMORE SCOTT, AE '49





## Come To Coronado For Convention—June 23 To 29!

SAN DIEGO's sky line fades as your ferry boat carries you to Coronado and a wonderful vacation-convention at the Queen of California resort hotels, the Del Coronado, where Gamma Phi Beta's 45th convention will open June 23.

Here you will find an acre-patio, right, where you may relax in the famous San Diego sunshine, renewing old friendships and making new ones.

The stately Crown Room (below right) where you will dine, provides a beautiful view of San Diego Bay, the Pacific Ocean and the Patio-Gardens.

Relaxing at pool-side, below, are Gamma Phi Betas from San Diego State College, left to right, Beverly Brittingham, Barbara Watson, Anne Broom and Virginia Janney. They join all Southern California Gamma Phi Betas in bidding you welcome to the Coronado convention.





# Here Is Your Convention Program

## MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1952

### Arrival and Registration

8:00 P.M.—Welcome Party—Alpha Iota Flapper Fashion Show  
Hostesses: Hospitality Committee

## TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 1952

### Morning

8:30—Province Meetings  
Presentation of Credentials  
Informal Discussion of Procedure  
9:30—Opening Session  
Opening Exercises  
Roll Call  
Welcome from Hostess Province—Mrs. Arthur Green  
Welcome from Convention Chairman—Mrs. Hoyt Martin  
Introduction of Officers  
Report of Credentials Committee  
Acceptance of Minutes of Forty-fourth Convention  
Appointment of Committees—Findings, Resolutions  
Report of Grand President  
Report of NPC Delegate

### Afternoon

12:30—Luncheon  
Hostesses: Reno Alumnæ Chapter and Alpha Gamma  
2:00—General Session  
Report of International Historian, Nina Gresham  
Vote on Constitutional Amendments  
3:00–4:30—Greek-letter Chapter Round Table  
Chairman, Mrs. Stuart K. Fox  
Alumnæ Round Table  
Chairman, Mrs. D. W. LeMaster  
5:30—Formal Reception honoring the Grand Council, Honored Guests  
Hostesses: Los Angeles and Santa Monica Alumnæ Chapters

### Evening

7:30—Opening Banquet (Formal)  
Toastmistress—  
Guest Speaker—  
Hostesses: Los Angeles and Santa Monica Alumnæ Chapters

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 1952

### Morning

9:00—General Session  
Roll Call  
Report of Credentials Committee  
Reading of Minutes of Previous Session  
Report of Nominating Committee  
Vote on By-Law Amendments  
Report of Budget Committee—Mrs. Howard Newman  
Report on Philanthropy  
Lindsey Barbee  
Local  
Camp Chairman  
(Recommendations)

### Afternoon

12:30—Luncheon  
Hostesses: Sacramento Valley, Stockton, San Joaquin Valley  
Alumnæ Chapters  
2:00–4:30—Greek-letter Chapter Round Table  
Chairman—Mrs. Stuart K. Fox  
Alumnæ Round Table  
Chairman—Mrs. D. W. LeMaster  
5:30—Reception (Formal) honoring Grand Council, Province Directors,  
Province Alumnæ Secretaries, Honored Guests

### Evening

7:30—Dinner (Formal)  
Hostesses: Hawaii, Pasadena, Glendale Alumnæ Chapters and Beta  
Alpha  
11:00—Pre-Initiation Service—San Diego Alumnæ Chapter and Beta  
Lambda

## THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 1952

### Morning

9:00—General Session  
Roll Call

Reading of Minutes of Previous Session  
Report of Expansion Chairman  
Expansion Round Table  
11:00—Round Table on Panhellenic  
Alumnæ Round Table on Housing

### Afternoon

12:30—Honors Luncheon—Presentation of Citations  
Hostesses: Peninsula and Palo Alto Alumnæ Chapters  
2:30—Greek-letter Round Table  
Alumnæ Round Table  
4:30—Memorial Service

### Evening

6:30—Dinner (Informal—Dressy)  
Hostesses: Contra Costa, San Jose Alumnæ Chapters and Beta  
Theta  
8:00—Ritual—Mrs. Marius Lindloff  
8:00—Model Initiation—San Diego Alumnæ Chapter and Beta Lambda

## FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1952

### Morning

9:00—General Session  
Roll Call  
Reading of Minutes  
Announcements  
Endowment—need for and use of  
Magazines  
Special Gifts  
General Round Table—Public Relations—within the sorority and  
general publicity

### Afternoon

12:30—Luncheon  
Hostesses: Santa Barbara and Ventura Alumnæ Chapters  
Trip to Tijuana

### Evening

6:30—Dinner (Informal)  
Hostesses: Phoenix, Tucson Alumnæ Chapters and Alpha Epsilon  
and Beta Kappa  
8:30—Council "Office Hours"  
11:00—"Here's to Gamma Phi Beta, as we sing of her here tonight."

## SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1952

### Morning

9:00—General Session  
Roll Call  
Reading of Minutes of Previous Session  
Reports of Round Tables  
Unfinished Business  
Report of Findings Committee  
Report of Honor Roll Committee  
Report of Resolutions Committee

### Afternoon

12:30—Founders' Luncheon  
Hostesses: Long Beach and Whittier Alumnæ Chapters  
1:30—General Session  
Roll Call  
New Business  
Election of Officers  
Invitation to 46th Convention—Province II  
Report of Credentials Committee  
Review of Minutes of Convention  
Reading of the Scriptures Matt. V, 13-17  
Adjournment

### Evening

7:30—Carnation Banquet (Formal)  
Hostesses: San Francisco, Berkeley Alumnæ Chapters and Eta  
Toastmistress:  
Men's Stag

## SUNDAY, JUNE 29, 1952

7:45—Delegates Leave  
Bus Tour to Los Angeles Sunday Morning  
Post-Convention Harbor Excursion any time Sunday



# Welcome From Hostess Chapters To Gamma Phi Beta's 45th Convention Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado, California, June 23 To 29

YOUR official hostess and director of Province VII South, Mrs. Arthur Green, bids you welcome to Coronado! Two years of work and planning for Gamma Phi Beta's greatest convention promise to make your trip to California worthwhile in fun and relaxation . . . in inspiration and exchange of ideas . . . in new-found friendships and the delightful renewal of old ones.

Your convention committees and hostess chapters are waiting to welcome you, so make your plans now to come to Coronado in June!

## Hostess Chapters:

Eta, U. of Calif.  
Alpha Gamma, U. of Nevada  
Alpha Epsilon, U. of Arizona  
Alpha Iota, U. of Calif. at Los Angeles  
Beta Alpha, U. of So. Calif.  
Beta Theta, San Jose State College  
Beta Kappa, Arizona State College  
Beta Lambda, San Diego State College

Berkeley	Reno
Contra Costa County	Sacramento Valley
Glendale	San Diego
Hawaii	San Francisco
Long Beach	San Joaquin Valley
Los Angeles	San Jose
Monterey County	Santa Barbara-Ventura
Palo Alto	Santa Monica
Pasadena	Stockton
Peninsula	Tucson
Phoenix	Whittier

## Convention Chairmen

*Chairman*—MRS. HOYT F. MARTIN, 632 Alta Vista Circle, South Pasadena, Calif.  
*Vice Chairman*—MRS. WILLIAM FLYNN, 2710 Lorain Rd., San Marino, Calif.  
*Secretary*—MRS. WILLIAM D. LEE, 8230 Calmosa, Whittier, Calif.  
*Treasurer*—MRS. SIM E. WHERRY, 481 Denslow Ave., Los Angeles 49, Calif.  
*Official Hostess*—MRS. ARTHUR GREEN, 4160 Linden Ave., Long Beach, Calif.

## Committee Chairmen

*Carnation Banquet*—MRS. BERNARD RIORDAN, JR., 2819 Prince St., Berkeley, Calif.  
*Crescent Moon Editor*—MRS. CHARLES T. BYRNE, 4470 Soria Dr., San Diego 15, Calif.  
*Decorations*—MRS. GLEN B. FULLER, 8287 Vista Dr., La Mesa, Calif.  
*Entertainment*—MRS. EVAN V. JONES, 2384 Ft. Stockton Dr., San Diego 3, Calif.  
*Hospitality*—MRS. WILLIAM PATTERSON, 174 Canon Dr., Orinda, Calif.



Mrs. Arthur Green

*Memorial Service*—MRS. MARTIN H. BALDWIN, 2804 E. Hawthorne St., Tucson, Ariz.  
*Men's Stag*—MRS. PHILIP J. WINTERBOTTOM, 991 W. St. Katherine Dr., Flintridge, Calif.  
*Model Initiation*—MRS. HARVEY K. WATT, 4424 Ampudia St., San Diego 3, Calif.  
*Music*—MISS BEVERLY RICHTER, 1209 Bayview Dr., Manhattan Beach, Calif.  
*Printing*—MRS. JOHN C. WILFONG, 3250 Mesaloe Lane, Pasadena, Calif.  
*Properties*—MISS JEAN PARKHURST, 5232 E. Falls View Dr., San Diego, Calif.  
*Publicity*—MISS MAXINE BARTLETT, 1305 S. Oak Knoll Ave., Pasadena, Calif.  
*Registration*—MRS. PAUL WILKE, 547 S. Alandele Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.  
*Reservations*—MRS. EDWIN H. MONROE, 2880 Somerset Place, San Marino, Calif.  
*Transportation*—MISS MILDRED REITZ, 260 Third Ave., Chula Vista, Calif.

## Bring An Old Hat!

Yes, you read it right! A "Hat Luncheon" will be one of the fun features of convention, when you will wear a hat from the year (or thereabouts) in which YOUR chapter was founded. So look around now . . . find a fancy bonnet to fit your head and your founding date and pack it in your suitcase!



## Rae Gustafson Flynn

### Vice-Chairman Of Convention

AS NEWLY-APPOINTED vice-chairman for Gamma Phi Beta's convention, Rae Gustafson Flynn has been wisely chosen to assist Florence Martin, chairman, with the innumerable details and committee work involved. Pasadena alumnae "discovered" Rae two years ago when she undertook the exacting job of ARC chairman in their area. Elected this year to the office of second vice-president, the ways and means chairman in Pasadena, Rae proved her efficiency in her role as co-chairman of the group's very successful fall Mardi Gras party and spring theater benefit.

All this comes easily to Rae while at the same time bringing up three small children, Jay 7, Judy, 4, and Billy, 2½ years.

Graduating from the University of Michigan in 1942, Rae was a busy young lady in her senior year as business manager for *The Michiganensian*, the University's year book, and as secretary of Beta chapter. Now she plans to study the records of all past conventions of Gamma Phi Beta to become familiar with precedents and traditions. This thoroughness, with her gay vitality and bent for organizing, makes Rae a "natural" for her newly-assumed responsibility in Gamma Phi.     D D D

DOROTHY BROWN BRYANT, *Pasadena Alumnae*



Mrs. Flynn



Mrs. Lee

## Sara Jane Wells Lee

### Secretary Of Convention

FROM U.C.L.A. comes pert Sara Jane Lee, named secretary for the 1952 convention. Sara Jane interrupted her college career to marry William D. Lee in 1945, came back for more college work and more work for Gamma Phi Beta. Son William is age five now, and Sara Jane has again taken up her Gamma Phi interests and is serving as president of the newly established Whittier alumnae chapter.

Sara Jane's husband is Petroleum engineer for the Standard Oil Company of California, and joins the group of neglected husbands whose Gamma Phi Beta wives are working overtime to make the Coronado convention a huge success.     D D D

## Barbara Pinger Riordan

### Chairman—Carnation Banquet

ONE of Gamma Phi Beta's youngest and most competent members of the alumnae is to be our Carnation Banquet Chairman. She is Barbara Pinger Riordan (Mrs. Bernard), University of California '46. At Eta chapter she served as rush chairman, vice-president, was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and valedictorian of her class.

She was married in December 1945 and moved to San Francisco where she joined the junior alumnae and in 1950 she became president of the San Francisco alumnae. As such, she was a delegate to the convention at Glenwood Springs.

In 1951 Barbara moved back to Berkeley, where she was a member of Hall Board and alumnae social advisor to Eta chapter.

Barbara has two children, David, 4½ and Bruce, 3 who consume the major portion of her time. However, she successfully maintains a lovely house and garden, teaches Sunday School and belongs to the Children's Hospital of the East Bay, in which she is chairman of several projects and often models for their fashion shows.

Barbara is a competent and willing worker, well qualified to undertake the job of Carnation Banquet chairman. We are all looking forward to seeing her friendly smile in Coronado.

GAYLEY SHATTUCK WILSON, *University of California '44*



Mrs. Riordan





Mrs. Winterbottom

## Janice Maher Winterbottom Chairman Of Men's Stag Party

WHENEVER Jan Winterbottom is in charge of an affair, it's sure to go over with a "bang." That's the experience of alumnae in Pasadena. Jan has been asked to plan a men's stag party for the night of the Convention's Carnation Banquet, June 28, and after the banquet a mixed party is in the offing.

Hailing from Fort Dodge, Iowa, as Janice Maher, Jan pledged Gamma Phi Beta at Goucher College, Baltimore, but transferred to Northwestern University where she was affiliated with Epsilon chapter and graduated in 1937. Among activities there, she had served as social chairman, helped found the Young Republican Club and was chosen color girl for the Navy. In California after graduation, she married Philip J. Winterbottom, Phi Gam from UCLA. They live in Flintridge, exclusive hill section of Pasadena, with their three sons, Stephen, 12, Michael, 9, and Philip, 7.

Besides homemaking, Jan also carries on a business career in real estate and is associated with Beach, Floater and Dunkel. She has been president of the Pasadena alumnae chapter and over a period of several years, worked out the very successful ARC system of recommendations which has been accepted by other Gamma Phi Beta groups and has proven most effective.     D D D

## Minnie Mae Hudnall Baldwin Chairman Of Memorial Service

MRS. MARTIN BALDWIN (Arizona University '28) will be Chairman of Memorial Service at Convention.

Minnie Mae, as she is known by her friends, leads a very active life in the Old Pueblo. As Minnie Mae Hudnall she was initiated into Alpha Epsilon in 1925, and her four years at the University of Arizona found her active in campus affairs as well as in the chapter.

After teaching Home Economics for two years, she gave up her profession to practice what she had taught, becoming the wife of Martin H. Baldwin, Pi Kappa Alpha.

Minnie Mae's song "GOOD NIGHT LITTLE SISTER" is well known by all Gamma Phi Betas. This was a graduation gift, written for her by Floris Hudnall, her sister-in-law.

Minnie Mae has acted as chapter advisor, president of Tucson alumnae chapter, president of Alpha Epsilon chapter Building Company and alumnae A.R.C. chairman. She takes an active part in Red Cross and YWCA work and the Catalina Methodist Church.

The Baldwins have two charming young children. Barbara is a sophomore at the University of Arizona and a member of Alpha Epsilon. Eugene is a junior in High School.

We are pleased and proud to have Minnie Mae represent us as Memorial Chairman.

LOUISE B. TILLOTSON, *University of Arizona, '37*



Mrs. Baldwin



Miss Richter

## Beverly Richter Chairman Of Music For Convention

MUSIC for Convention is in the capable hands of Beverly Richter, whose talent matches her looks.

Our Music Chairman graduated from Santa Monica City College as president of her class, president of the Women's honorary society and commissioner of finance and records.

At the University of Southern California she pledged Gamma Phi Beta. While in school she was actively interested in music and her excellence therein won her a University scholarship in that department. She was one of the Madrigal singers and also did Red Cross work.

After she left USC Beverly sang with the Los Angeles and San Francisco Light Opera Company and won another scholarship, this time to the Los Angeles Conservatory of Music.

She has sung with the South Bay Symphony Association, worked three months on Peter Potter's television show over Don Lee Mutual Broadcasting System and toured the country singing in night clubs.

Beverly is planning excellent musical fare for our Coronado gathering and hopes to hear all your voices join her in our favorite Gamma Phi Beta songs next month.     D D D



## Margaret Hinks Monroe

### Chairman Of Reservations

HAVING held a responsible position in Los Angeles for many years well qualifies Margaret Hinks Monroe (Minnesota U.) to assume the duties of chairman of reservations for the 1952 convention. Born in Minneapolis, Minnesota, Margaret lived there until 1929 when she moved to Los Angeles, after falling in love with California while on a trip through the southwest. She has always enjoyed travel and one of her pleasant memories is a visit with Lenore Long Wallace (Minnesota) to the Hawaiian Islands. Margaret's business career did not leave much time for other activities, but she was always interested in Gamma Phi Beta. She joined the Business and Professional Women's group soon after it was organized.

Three years ago Margaret resigned from her position to marry Edwin Hall Monroe, Minnesota Beta Theta Pi, and Gamma Phi Beta brother and uncle. They have a home in San Marino and on weekends one will find Margaret and Ed either sunning themselves or working in their lovely California fruit and flower garden. Now a member of the Pasadena alumnae chapter, Margaret is taking an active part in Gamma Phi Beta as her willingness to serve on the Convention Committee will indicate.     D D D

HELEN SCHEI WILKE, *Minnesota U. and Los Angeles alumnae chapter*



Mrs. Monroe



Mrs. Wilke

## Helen Schei Wilke

### Chairman Of Registration

HELEN SCHEI WILKE, registration chairman for the 1952 convention, graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1923. Helen's college life, filled with campus and Gamma Phi Beta activities, was climaxed by her election to Phi Beta Kappa in the spring of her junior year. For three years after graduating, while teaching Latin in Rochester, Minnesota, she was International Chairman of Examination for Gamma Phi Beta.

Helen's hobby has been a lucrative one, having been a member of the interviewing staff of Elmo Roper since 1934. During the years she was raising her family in Fergus Falls, Minnesota, she was active in P.T.A., League of Women Voters and P.E.O. Since moving to Los Angeles Helen has become a member of the Los Angeles alumnae chapter, served on the advisory board of Beta Alpha and at present is secretary of the corporation board of Beta Alpha.

In 1926 Helen married Paul William Wilke, a Delta Upsilon from Minnesota. They have two fine sons, Paul William, Jr., who married Paula Johnson (Minnesota U.), and Peter Schei now serving his country in the U. S. Navy. Her greatest interest now lies in her two grandchildren, Peter Jay, three years old and Ann Margaret, born January 23 of this year. Although they consider themselves real Californians now, every summer you will find Helen and Paul vacationing at their summer cottage at Swan Lake, Minnesota. There they renew old friendships and have a very happy holiday.     D D D

MARGARET H. MONROE, *Minnesota U. and Pasadena alumnae chapter*

## Mildred Reitz

### Chairman Of Transportation

NO ONE in Province VII South could be better qualified to handle the job of Transportation Chairman than is Mildred Reitz, Tau. Mildred owns the Atlas Travel Service in Chula Vista and needs the help of her two assistants to carry the load of a busy office. Chula Vista, where Mildred lives with her mother, is just a few miles south of San Diego and the local alumnae are in the habit of calling upon her to organize and plan their tours and excursions.

Mildred is planning just such excursions for you during your stay at the Hotel Del Coronado for the 1952 Convention. A trip to Tijuana, Mexico, just fifteen miles south of San Diego, is in the offing, as well as boat trips around the Harbor.

Mildred came to San Diego in 1943. She has been song chairman for the San Diego alumnae for many years and is now serving as president of the Gamma Phi Beta House Association of San Diego. In spite of being a very busy career girl, Mildred finds time to belong to the Chula Vista Theatre Guild, Women's Club, Delphian Society and the Soroptimists.

Hobbies? Yes, Mildred still finds time for them. They include making hooked rugs, collecting blown-glass animals and her music. You will not want to miss meeting Mildred Reitz in Coronado in June.     D D D



Miss Reitz



# Awards And Citations To Be Presented At Convention

Newly created scholarship citations, to be known as the Chancellor E. O. Haven Awards, will be presented to Greek letter chapter winners at an important session of convention. (For more details see page 21.)

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There will be awards for the best chapter scrapbook, so be sure yours is entered in the competition. Drop a card today to Mrs. Maynard Kniskern, 353 East High Street, Springfield, Ohio, telling her that your scrapbook will be on display.

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Does your chapter regularly issue a newsletter? If so, you will want to enter the newsletter contest. There will be two classes—Class I for printed papers and Class II for mimeographed papers. Write Mrs. Kniskern if you are entering the newsletter competition, and be sure your delegate brings your display to Coronado.

## Post Convention Tours

POST CONVENTION tours are quite like that lovely blob of whipped cream on top of an ice cream soda. The soda is delicious without, but the cream adds a certain extra touch of delight. We want your Convention to be as perfect as a childhood soda, so here are the tours we suggest to give it the final fillip.

Sunday, June 29, when the last soft music of the Carnation Banquet is lingering in your ears, tour San Diego Harbor. The trip will take two hours and you'll see warships, tramp steamers, all manner of craft to thrill landlubbers and mariners alike. The tour costs \$1.75, including tax, and there are special rates for more than 50. It can be arranged for any hour on Sunday.

If you like buses, or if you felt you'd have liked to make a stop or two en route to San Diego, your chance will come on Sunday the 29th, though you'll have to give up the Harbor Tour. Sunday morning a bus, or buses, will leave San Diego for Los Angeles. Santa Fe rail tickets will be honored.

The first stop scheduled is the San Juan Capistrano Mission famed in song history. And it really is something to see. You will find the tales of the Mission Fathers taking on new life and meaning as you wander through the quiet, lush gardens or stand in the old chapel.

For contrast, there will be lunch at Knott's Berry Farm. Fans of this spot talk in hushed tones about the fried chicken. And for those who like entertainment, there is a reproduction of a

## Everybody Sing!

Conventioneers who attended the Glenwood Springs meeting recall the wonderful songfest held in the hotel lobby one late evening. There's a sing scheduled for the Coronado convention with talented Beverly Richter, Song Chairman, to conduct. Here are the songs we'll sing at convention:

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wagon train, a gold mine, an Indian village; a narrow gauge railway—real and old—tours the grounds.

Once in Los Angeles try the all day bus trip. The morning will be spent seeing an outstanding broadcast or television show, viewing Griffith Park, some interesting residential districts, and touring Angelus Temple. The morning ends with luncheon at the Farmer's Market where hundreds of food, gift and variety shops will tempt you. There are 15 restaurants serving food typical of 15 nations and you can eat at tables in the patio or wander around and look while you munch.

The afternoon trip through Hollywood, Beverly Hills and the beach includes smart shopping districts, beautiful residential areas and the National Soldiers' Home. As part of this tour, if enough go so that the bus is exclusively Gamma Phi Beta's, will be half-hour stops at Beta Alpha and Alpha Iota chapter houses, each of which will hold Open House. The houses have been recently redecorated and are a source of pride to us all.

Price of this trip, not including luncheon, is \$4.75.

Please make reservations for all the above tours with Mildred Reitz, 260 Third Avenue, Chula Vista, California, by June 1, 1952.

If you want to make Convention the starting point for your vacation, why not take advantage of the Hawaiian tour?

Mrs. Harold P. Milnes and her husband have made plans for your Hawaiian trip, and you'll find all the details on the next page. » » »

## What To Wear In San Diego In June . . .

We are looking forward to seeing you at Convention in Coronado next month. And in case you've decided to come since the last CRES-CENT came out, we thought we'd mention the clothes situation again.

San Diego has a wonderful, mild climate. But in June it is not likely to be HOT. You will derive greatest pleasure from light woolen sports things—from knits, from suits with jackets you can take off during the warm midday and put on again as the late afternoon chill arises. And be sure to bring a coat—an adaptable one good for chilly days or for practically every evening.

As for hats, you will need one for Memorial Service and one, if possible, typical of the year in which your own chapter was founded.

There will be three occasions on which you will want formal clothes for dinner. The last of the three is the Carnation Banquet and for that bring your most formal and beautiful gown. It's a memory making occasion.

As always, bring shoes good for walking. You don't want to miss an odd little treasure shop in Tijuana because your feet hurt so badly you couldn't walk one more block to find it!



# After Convention, What?

## HAWAII

THE HAWAII alumnae chapter has eagerly grasped the golden opportunity of Convention on the West Coast to arrange a two-week tour of the Hawaiian Islands for Gamma Phi Betas and adult members of their immediate families.

Many of the members coming to Convention from the East Coast will not be that close to Hawaii for perhaps several years. Many West Coast Gamma Phi Betas may have wanted to make a trip to the Islands for years and hesitated because they didn't want to travel alone, without companions of similar interests, to a place where they have no friends to welcome them. This is everyone's perfect chance to continue on to the Paradise of the Pacific and enjoy two weeks that have been planned from the personal angle—not the commercial angle.

We invite you all—from north, south, east, and west—from Canada and the United States—to be the recipients of our warmest aloha and to spend a luxurious two weeks at a minimum cost.

In your two weeks in Hawaii, you will spend your first two days at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, resting from the rush and excitement of Convention. On the third day, a forty-five-minute plane trip will take you to Kauai, the Garden Island, where you will see the magnificence of Waimea Canyon, legendary birth-place of the Rainbow Princess—a 3,000-foot gorge whose colors rival those of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado; the famous sea-geyser, the Spouting Horn; beautiful Poipu Beach; the magnificent Kalalau Lookout, where you look directly down into the Valley of the Lost Tribe and along the inaccessible Napali coast; many ancient Hawaiian landmarks on your boat trip up the Wailua River to the Fern Grotto; and the Menehune Ditch. You will spend one night on Kauai, at Kauai Inn.

On the afternoon of your fourth day in the Islands, an hour and a half in the air will take you to the Valley Isle—Maui—where you will spend the night at the Maui Grand Hotel. The highlight of your visit on this island will be a motor trip to Haleakala, the House of the Sun, largest inactive crater ever measured by man, in time to watch the sunrise from your vantage point 10,032 feet high. Also on this island you will visit one of the world's largest sugar mills.

Your fifth day in Hawaii will take you from Maui to the Big Island, Hawaii, where you will spend one night each at the Nanihale Hotel in Hilo, the Volcano House on the rim of Kilauea Crater, and Kona Inn on the Kona Coast of Captain Cook fame. The variety of beauty offered by the Big Island beggars description! It will all be yours.

Your seventh day in Paradise brings you back to Oahu, Crossroads of the Pacific, where you will have five days at Waikiki's newest hotel, the SurfRider (that's not a typographical error—that's the way they spell it!). Up until now your trip will have been entirely American plan, all meals included in the tour price. Your stay at the SurfRider will be European plan, leaving you free to dine with friends or sample the wares of the many charming and unusual restaurants of Honolulu. Also while at the SurfRider, the Hawaii alumnae chapter and the tour director are planning several special events for you. These include a Hawaiian luau (native Polynesian feast), a round-the-island-trip and luncheon, a cocktail party at the home of one of the local

Gamma Phi Betas—all without any extra cost to you—and other entertainment not usually planned for tour parties.

Your entire trip has been planned personally by a Gamma Phi husband, in co-operation with one of the outstanding international travel experts in Hawaii. As Hawaii is one of the foremost tourist centers, hotel reservations are occasionally very difficult to procure. However, Mr. Harold P. Milnes, who is with the Territorial Department of Public Instruction and whose wife was president of the Hawaii alumnae chapter from 1950 to 1952, is on vacation during the summer months and, therefore, has agreed not only to make all arrangements for the tour, but also to escort you from the time you leave Los Angeles airport until you board your plane for the return trip to the Mainland. Mr. Milnes spent part of every year in the Hawaiian Islands before becoming a permanent resident five years ago. He has included in this tour parts of the Islands not usually visited by regular tour parties.

Now that you've read this far, you must be champing at the bit to learn how to make reservations and what the trip will cost! The total cost, including everything except meals while at the SurfRider, is \$660 (all tax included). Make your reservations immediately by sending \$50 deposit to GAMMA PHI BETA HAWAII TOUR, c/o Harold P. Milnes, 3016 Diamond Head Road, Honolulu, Hawaii. Make checks or money order payable to CARL ERDMAN TRAVEL. Full payment should be made by June 1, unless other arrangements are made with Mr. Milnes, who will be at Hotel Del Coronado in San Diego by June 28.

## Eleanor Stevens Fuller Chairman of Decorations

THE important job of chairman of the Decorations Committee for the 1952 Convention will be in the capable hands of Mrs. Glen B. Fuller (Eleanor Jane Stevens) who was initiated into the Minnesota chapter in 1931. Since moving to San Diego in 1941 with her husband and two small children, Eleanor has given untold numbers of hours to Gamma Phi Beta and the San Diego alumnae chapter.

After holding several offices, Eleanor was elected to the presidency of the alumnae chapter in 1948-1949. She has been chairman of the Alumnae Recommendations Committee, and at the present time is corresponding secretary for the alumnae chapter as well as rushing advisor to the Beta Lambda chapter.

Eleanor is a member of the AAUW in San Diego, has been a den-mother for the Cub Scouts, and is busy keeping up with her son and daughter, both now teen-agers. Glen is an insurance broker who annually dons his chef's hat to serve his delicious hamburgers to the alumnae members at one of the barbecue meetings.

You will have to look for Eleanor Fuller at the Convention because she is rather quiet. But the decorations committee will function with perfect efficiency under Eleanor's leadership.



Reservations And Convention Rates  
Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado, California  
June 23 To 29, 1952

## Reservations

International officers, official delegates from alumnæ and Greek-letter chapters, and all members of Gamma Phi Beta are eligible to attend the International Convention.

The Hotel Del Coronado is one of the foremost convention hotels in the country with conventions preceding and following Gamma Phi Beta's. Therefore, early reservations are absolutely imperative. Mrs. Edwin H. Monroe, 2880 Somerset Place, San Marino, California, Chairman of Hotel Reservations, stresses that all delegates and visitors must make reservations with her and that direct word from each will be the only source of information. Choice of rooms will be made in order of receipt of applications. Notice of cancellation of reservations must be received by the Reservations Chairman at least two weeks prior to anticipated arrival date. All reservations (official delegates included) must be made on the registration-reservation blank on this page. All questions must be answered. A reservation blank must be submitted for each individual desiring to attend the Convention. Mail to Mrs. Monroe.

Pre-payment of the registration fee is required. This fee in the amount of \$15.00 must accompany each Registration-Reservation form. International officers, whose expenses are paid by Gamma Phi Beta, will not submit this fee. Official delegates from Greek-

letter chapter, whose expenses are paid by Gamma Phi Beta, will submit this fee to the Reservations Chairman with their reservations form.

### Rates

The Gamma Phi Beta Convention at Hotel Del Coronado will be operated on the daily American plan (including meals). Convention rates are:

\$14.00 per day per person, single occupancy;  
\$12.00 per day per person, occupied by two people;  
\$11.00 per day per person, occupied by three people;  
\$10.00 per day per person, occupied by four people.

For daily registrants, the registration fee will be \$3.00 per day. The extra cost for the Tijuana trip for daily registrants is \$2.50.

It will be unnecessary for any individual to tip the hotel personnel (except for special services rendered) as gratuities will be included in the Registration fee. If possible, please name your roommate and the Reservations Chairman will make every effort to carry out your request. You may be sure of this by mailing your Roommate's Registration-Reservation form with yours in the same envelope.

Reservations must reach Mrs. Monroe prior to June 8, 1952.

## Registration/Reservation For Gamma Phi Beta Convention

Mrs. Edwin H. Monroe  
2880 Somerset Place  
San Marino, California.

Registration fee \$15.00

Date received .....

Name: Mrs. Miss ..... Graduating Class .....

Home address .....  
                     Street    City    State

University address .....  
(Actives only)                      Street                      City                      State

Arrival date ..... Time ..... Departure date ..... Time .....

Rooms (check preference)

.... \$14.00 per day per person, single occupancy.

.... \$12.00 per day per person, occupied by two people.

.... \$11.00 per day per person, occupied by three people.

.... \$10.00 per day per person, occupied by four people.

Greek Chapter ..... Title if Current Int'l Off. ....

Alumnæ Chapter ..... Delegate ..... Title if Former Int'l Off. ....

Preference for Roommate .....

(Roommates must mail reservations in same envelope)      Enclose \$15.00 Registration fee with this form.



# Railroad Rates And Schedules

By now your plans for transportation to the 1952 Convention should be well under way.

The Santa Fe Railroad, which is the official line to the convention, has made space available on their finest trains for convention-bound Gamma Phi Betas. Due to the heavy demand for reservations at this time of year, reservations must be received by June 1. Members in

all but the west coast states may use the accompanying blank to make their reservations.

If you have any questions on train transportation, send them to Mr. R. R. Rickson, Santa Fe Railroad, 179 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago 4, Ill., or to the Gamma Phi Beta Central Office. Please make your reservations early!

The round trip first class fare from Chicago to San Diego good for six months is \$126.45, tax \$18.97, total \$145.42. If using The Chief extra fare \$10.00, tax \$1.50. If using the Super Chief extra fare \$15.00, tax \$2.25. Extra fares are one way.

Round trip coach class \$90.15, tax \$13.52, total \$103.67. Extra fare El Capitan each way \$5.00, tax .75, total \$5.75.

Pullman fares Chicago to Los Angeles or San Diego one way. Same fare returning:

	Rate	Tax	Total
Lower berth .....	\$21.00	\$ 3.15	\$24.15
Upper berth .....	16.00	2.40	18.40
Duplex Roomette .....	23.10	3.47	26.57
Roomette .....	29.40	4.41	33.81
Bedroom, one person .....	39.90	5.99	45.89
Bedroom, two passengers .....	46.15	6.92	53.07
Compartment, two persons .....	59.15	8.87	68.02
Drawing Room, 2 or 3 .....	79.80	11.97	91.77

All prices above are from and to Chicago. Your local railroad agent can furnish you fares from your home town. It will be to your advantage to purchase round trip ticket from your starting point.

## SANTA FE TRAIN SCHEDULES

The EL CAPITAN—Chicago to San Diego

Lv Chicago, AT&SF	El Capitan	5:45PM CST Sat., June 21
Lv Kansas City, AT&SF	El Capitan	1:20AM CST Sun., June 22
Lv La Junta, AT&SF	El Capitan	8:27AM MT Sun., June 22
Lv Albuquerque, AT&SF	El Capitan	3:55PM MT Sun., June 22
Ar Los Angeles, AT&SF	El Capitan	7:30AM PST Mon., June 23
Lv Los Angeles, AT&SF	San Diegan	8:00AM PST Mon., June 23
Ar San Diego, AT&SF	San Diegan	10:45AM PST Mon., June 23

The EL CAPITAN—San Diego to Chicago

Lv San Diego, AT&SF	San Diegan	7:45AM PST Sun., June 29
Ar Los Angeles, AT&SF	San Diegan	10:30AM PST Sun., June 29
Lv Los Angeles, AT&SF	El Capitan	1:30PM PST Sun., June 29
Ar Kansas City, AT&SF	El Capitan	11:05PM CST Mon., June 30
Ar Chicago, AT&SF	El Capitan	7:15AM CST Tues., July 1

For those using Pullman accommodations THE GRAND CANYON

Lv Chicago, AT&SF	Grand Canyon	12:01PM CST Sat., June 21
Lv Kansas City, AT&SF	Grand Canyon	9:30PM CST Sat., June 21
Ar Los Angeles, AT&SF	Grand Canyon	10:40AM PST Mon., June 23
Lv Los Angeles, AT&SF	San Diegan	11:30AM PST Mon., June 23
Ar San Diego, AT&SF	San Diegan	2:15PM PST Mon., June 23

For those wishing to visit the Grand Canyon leave Chicago one day earlier arrival San Diego same time. Side trip to Grand Canyon \$7.50, tax \$1.13, total \$8.63. Lower berth \$4.05, tax .61, total \$4.66. Extra other accommodations in proportion.

Returning San Diego to Chicago using Pullman accommodations

Lv San Diego, AT&SF	San Diegan	11:45AM PST Sun., June 29
Ar Fullerton, AT&SF	San Diegan	1:48PM PST Sun., June 29
Lv Fullerton, AT&SF	Grand Canyon	2:20PM PST, Sun., June 29
Ar Kansas City, AT&SF	Grand Canyon	6:30AM CST Tues., July 1
Ar Chicago, AT&SF	Grand Canyon	3:45PM CST Tues., July 1

NOTE: Those using The Chief, leave Chicago 1:30PM June 21, arrive San Diego 2:15PM June 23; returning leaving San Diego 7:45AM June 29, arriving Chicago 10:30AM July 1, with transfer at Los Angeles in each direction. Extra fare \$10.00, tax \$1.50, total \$11.50.

## Gamma Phi Beta Convention Train Reservation Coupon

For College and Alumnae delegates and Visitors

Make reservations not later than June 1, 1952

Mail to: M. O. Strom, General Agent, Passenger Department

Attention: R. R. Rickson, 179 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago 4, Illinois

Going trip Chicago to San Diego

Please reserve the accommodations checked. I will join the Gamma Phi Beta group at ..... (indicate Chicago or other point where you will join party en route to San Diego)

Reserved seat on El Capitan departing Chicago June 21 ☐

For those using Pullman accommodations leaving Chicago 12:01 P.M. June 21 ☐ Using the Chief ☐

Lower Berth ☐ Upper Berth ☐ Compartment for two ☐ Double Bedroom for 1 ☐ for 2 ☐

Duplex Roomette ☐ Roomette ☐ Drawing Room for 2 or more ☐

Please indicate here if you wish to be routed via the Grand Canyon ☐

Return trip San Diego to Chicago

Reserved seat El Capitan from Los Angeles June 29. If other date ..... Train .....

Pullman accommodations leaving Fullerton June 29. If other date ..... Train .....

Lower Berth ☐ Upper Berth ☐ Compartment for two ☐ Double Bedroom for 1 ☐ for 2 ☐

Duplex Roomette ☐ Roomette ☐ Drawing Room for 2 or more ☐

If leaving train before arrival Chicago, indicate point .....

Name ..... Address ..... City ..... State .....

Name and address of other party occupying room with you on this trip:

Name ..... Address ..... City ..... State .....

Remarks regarding other dates and train schedules .....



# Scholarship Committee Outlines Award Policies

A HIGH point of every convention is the presentation of scholarship awards. To every Gamma Phi Beta chapter, scholastic achievements of its members are a source of pride and to be tops on campus is a distinctive and enviable position.

This year, some changes have been made in the manner of choosing the award winners, in order to make the selections fair to all, whether the chapter is competing with just a few other sororities or many.

We wanted to encourage well-rounded chapters. To this end there seemed to be some merit in awards for general excellence. We felt, however, that if the chapters chose their pledges wisely, with sufficient but not exclusive emphasis on high scholarship, the purpose would be achieved. A good chapter would then consist of a group of intelligent girls with many interests and activities in common.

We therefore set up a plan which would recognize Gamma Phi Beta's expectations of scholastic excellence. We believe scholarship to be a matter of personal pride in each chapter and each person. We cannot force high scholarship, and we do not exclude other desirable qualities in a chapter, but we do encourage a personal responsibility for scholarship.

We hope that each chapter will endeavor to complete its reports satisfactorily in order to meet the requirements approved by Grand Council.

The following plan will be used as a basis for determining the awards:

Where Gamma Phi Beta is the only sorority on campus no award will be given. Where there are between two and six sororities, an award will be given for first place only in the official campus ranking. Where there are from seven to twelve groups, an award will be given for first or second place. Where there are from thirteen to eighteen groups, an award will be given for first, second or third place. Where there nineteen or more sororities, an award will be given if Gamma Phi Beta places in the first

quartile. The size of the chapter in each case will be immaterial.

These awards will be given for the biennium preceding the International Convention at an important session of the Convention. They will be in the form of handsome engraved citations and will be known as the Chancellor E. O. Haven Awards, in memory of Chancellor Haven who gave Gamma Phi Beta its name at Syracuse University in 1874.

We feel that this award will encourage a higher type of social responsibility in our sorority without minimizing the thrill of personal achievement. When a chapter has received three of these citations the Grand Council will present a special award to that chapter. We do not at this time contemplate improvement awards.

Chapters that do not send in scholarship reports will of necessity be disqualified from participation in the awards, although every effort will be made by the International Scholarship Chairman to obtain the reports. Likewise chapters that are unable to obtain the Panhellenic ranking from their college or university will be ineligible for awards. It is hoped that colleges that do not normally publish campus rankings will make the information available at least to the International Scholarship Chairman.

On the alternate years we will again publish our *Honors in Gamma Phi Beta Booklet* covering the preceding biennium. This publication recognizes in an attractive manner the individual girls with high scholarship. It emphasizes for the whole membership, and for those outside, the value which we place on high scholarship in all fields. Certainly other aspects of college life are given emphasis in numerous ways. There is this definite need to encourage all members of Gamma Phi Beta to work at the highest level of their ability.     D D D

OLIVE STEWART, *Iowa State*

CHARLOTTE WHITE, *Kansas U.*

MARGARET STODDARD, *U. of Iowa, Chairman*



Evelyn Moore, College of William and Mary

## Elected To Phi Beta Kappa

PROOF that, more times than not, the excellent scholar is equally outstanding in campus activities, is evident with a run down of Evelyn Moore's record at William and Mary. She is chapter president, president of the Music Club and secretary of Kappa Delta Pi, honorary education fraternity. She is active in the Spanish Club, is past treasurer of the International Relations Club and does considerable writing for *Flat Hat*, the college newspaper. She received the King Carter Merit Scholarship award, and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa last fall.

Her bubbling personality and quick smile effect a gay and congenial spirit at the house, on campus or wherever she is working with other people. Under her capable leadership, Alpha Chi chapter has made great strides and Evelyn will be missed when she graduates this June.

Another new member of Phi Beta Kappa is Lois Olivard of Alpha Zeta chapter, University of Texas.     D D D



Lois Olivard, University of Texas



## Lest We Forget . . .

To perpetuate the memory of those who are gone, the Gamma Phi Beta Memorial Fund has been established. Here, better than by any flowers or other expression of sympathy, do we say "we shall not forget."

Gifts to the Memorial Fund are acknowledged to the family of the deceased (without mention of the amount) and the funds are handled by the Endowment Board of Gamma Phi Beta, in the form of loans to Gamma Phi Beta students and chapters.

If your chapter has lost one of its members, you can perpetuate her memory in no finer way than by a contribution to the Memorial Fund. Thus her interests in Gamma Phi Beta will live on in the help provided others, and you will create a lasting Memorial that will endure as long as there is a Gamma Phi Beta student who needs aid, or a chapter that needs a helping hand.

You may fill out the following form, attach your contribution, and mail to The Memorial Fund, Gamma Phi Beta Central Office, 53 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill.

## Memorial Fund Report

### Donor

Epsilon chapter ..... Stuart Fox  
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### In Memory of

Memorial Gifts which have been sent to the Camp Fund are gratefully acknowledged here by Harriett DeWolf Alden, International Camp Chairman.

### Donor

Mr. and Mrs. William Guthrie  
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 Williams, Nina Ostrander Butts

### In Memory of

Hugh Guthrie, their son  
 Mrs. J. I. Poole, her mother  
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## In Memoriam

Harriet P. Smith—Gamma '93 5959 Kenmore Ave., Chicago, Ill. Died November 1951	Eleanor K. E. Dean—Mu '12 Mrs. J. D. Hillier 345 Rosemont Ave., Pasadena 3, Calif. Died January 1, 1952
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TO THE MEMORIAL FUND  
 GAMMA PHI BETA CENTRAL OFFICE  
 53 WEST JACKSON BLVD.  
 CHICAGO, ILL.

Enclosed is ..... Dollars (\$) ..... for The Memorial Fund  
 in memory of .....

I understand this will be acknowledged to the family (without mention of  
 the amount) and that significant memorials are created with these funds.

Signed .....

Address .....

Please send family acknowledgment to .....

## Reminder To Crescent Correspondents

Deadline for the September issue of THE CRESCENT is July 1. Greek-letter chapters are asked to submit glossies, honors and features for this issue . . . NO CHAPTER LETTERS! Be sure to obtain your material before the close of school . . . start now . . . this month . . . collecting photos and notes on end-of-year honors.

Alumnae correspondents are asked to submit features and glossies for the September issue by July 1. NO CHAPTER LETTERS!

## Coin Card Contributions Swell Endowment Fund!

Contributions through the coin card promotion at Founders Day came from 44 Greek-letter chapters and 91 alumn chapters. Several chapters sent gifts exceeding \$100, and to all contributors, the Endowment Board sends its hearty thanks. Total gifts from Coin Cards for 1951 were \$3,635.32.







Officers of the Lubbock, Texas alumnae chapter make plans for installation ceremonies. Seated are Sannie Callan, president, at left, and Jean Brewer, treasurer. Standing, left, Mary Jo Copenhaver, secretary and Winifred Gifford, vice-president.

## Lubbock, Texas

The number thirteen is considered very lucky by the Lubbock, Texas alumnae chapter of Gamma Phi Beta because the newly formed group boasts thirteen charter members. Last summer tentative plans were made for the formation of the chapter, and from the small group Sannie Callan was elected president; Winifred Gifford, vice-president; Mary Jo Copenhaver, secretary; and Jean Brewer, treasurer.

The formal installation of the chapter was held on Saturday after-

# Alumnae Chapters Installed

*Renewed interest in Gamma Phi Beta alumnae work, sparked by the enthusiastic, hard working International Vice-President, Stella Jo LeMaster, has culminated in the chartering of seven alumnae chapters. Remembering that membership in Gamma Phi Beta is a life-time activity, other groups across the country are laying plans to become chartered chapters. THE CRESCENT salutes these new chapters and chapters-to-be!*

noon, November 10, 1951, and by that date the membership had grown to our lucky number of 13. We first met at the Lubbock Country Club for luncheon, with the table centered by pink carnations in a lovely crystal bowl. Following the luncheon, the installation of the chapter took place at the home of Mary Jo Copenhaver. We were so pleased to have Mary Brown come from Amarillo to act as our installing officer. The table was lovely with its white cloth, pink carnations and green fern, and white candles in silver candelabra. A short meeting of the new chapter brought a close to the day's activities, leaving a warm glow in each member's heart. We incorporated our observance on Founders Day with the installation of the chapter and felt that the occasion was very appropriate.

We have made tentative plans for fund raising projects to aid the Gamma Phi Beta camps, and we hope to be able to do a great deal throughout the coming months.

## Midland-Odessa, Texas

The Midland-Odessa, Texas alumnae chapter received its charter December 8, the ceremony taking place in the home of Mrs. Fred Kotyza in Midland. Miss Cathryne Melton of San Antonio, Province Alumnae Secretary, was the installing officer. Following the installation a luncheon was held in the Midland Country Club for the 18 charter members. Mrs. Roger Northrup was elected president.

## Whittier, California

Feeling that the most appropriate time to hold installation would be near Founders Day, Whittier alumnae chapter of Gamma Phi Beta was officially installed on November 12, 1951. The dinner meeting was held at the Green Arbor Inn, Whittier. The tables were decorated with the traditional pink carnations and candles. Mrs.



At the Midland-Odessa, Texas installation, these Gamma Phi Betas joined the ever growing group of active alumnae across the nation. They are, left to right: Cathryne Melton, Province Alumnae Secretary, installing officer; Mrs. Fred Kotyza (Billie Bennett, Colorado College '35); Mrs. Sol Bunnell (Margaret Mings, U. of Texas '35); Mrs. H. A. Wienold (Margaret Brumbaugh, U. of Arizona '46); Mrs. Jack Warren (Patricia Payne, U. of Texas '51); Mrs. Hugh Robertson (Jean Sager, U. of Illinois '43); Mrs. Norris Creath (Marguerite Kubela, U. of Texas '34); Mrs. Roger Northrup (Mary Glynn Edwards, S.M.U. '34); Mrs. H. A. Redman (Helen Wisdom, U. of Arizona '27); Mrs. Page O. Greene (Barbara Hurley, U. of Texas '44); Mrs. Barron Wadley (Theda Deen, U. of Oklahoma '35); Mrs. John B. Richards (Laura Beal, Boston U. '32); Mrs. Ben Jackson (Charlotte Davis, U. of Oklahoma '46); Mrs. W. E. Howard (Don Catherine Price (U. of Oklahoma '46); Mrs. John Cornwall (Muriel Walker, U. of Oklahoma '29).  
Not included in Picture: Mrs. H. W. Stoltenberg (Elva Cheatum, Kansas U. '39); Mrs. Russell J. Ramsland (Jane Ellen Barnes, S.M.U. '44); Mrs. William G. Whisnand (Sue Lamphere, U. of Oklahoma '49).



Arthur Green, Director, Province VII—Southern Area, was the installing officer. The new officers were: President, Mrs. William Lee (Sara Jane Wells, UCLA); Vice-President, Mrs. Ronald Atteberry (Mary Kathryn Krysto, USC); Recording Secretary, Mrs. Elmer Olson, Jr. (Katherine Walbridge, UCLA); Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. N. Stratton (Jeannette Howard, UCLA); and Treasurer, Mrs. A. Judson Wray (Elizabeth Way, UCLA).

Guests present at the meeting included members of the Pasadena and Long Beach chapters. It was these branches that the members of the Whittier area attended until enough members could be found to form a separate branch.

The first organization meeting, of the Whittier area, was held in March 1951, at the home of Mrs. W. M. Cathriner (Dorothy Walter, University of Oklahoma). The branch now has twenty-seven members with twelve collegiate chapters represented.

After the installation services, several members from Long Beach presented a skit for Founders Day.

MARJORIE CHILDS STEARNS

## Canton-Massillon, Ohio

On October 16 at Massillon, Ohio another new chapter was added to our alumnae list. Mrs. Paul Schofer, Province Alumnae Secretary, was the installing officer for Canton-Massillon alumnae chapter. Charter members of the chapter are Phyllis Kraft Putnam, Helen Koester Sun, Becky Caldwell Horst, Patricia Coyne, Yvonne Horton Kolsan, Bettilu Barnett Killian, Mary Kerr Cox, Mae Woody Peterson, Patricia Erskine Leader and Ruth Pine Kelly. Mrs. Putnam was elected president. Mrs. Schofer is also a member of this chapter, and new members include Barbara Kaye Swiger and Rhelda Roth Belch.



Some of the new members of the Canton-Massillon alumnae chapters are, seated left to right, Yvonne Horton Kolsan, Kent State, Becky Caldwell Horst, Kent State, Patricia Coyne, Wittenberg and Laura Parker Schofer, Wittenberg. Standing, left to right, are Phyllis Kraft Putnam, Wisconsin, Barbara Kaye Swiger, Ohio Wesleyan, Helen Koester Sun, Wittenberg and Rhelda Roth Belch, Wittenberg.

## Monterey County, California

Several years of wishful thinking and a few months of earnest spadework culminated on November 6, 1951, when the Monterey County chapter of Gamma Phi Beta alumnae was officially installed. Sparked by the inspiring pep-talks of Pearl Pangborn Van Horn, Alumnae Secretary for the Province VII N., Helen Elston and Muriel Simpson, using membership lists, the telephone book, and their own ingenuity, in many cases, succeeded in locating some thirty-six Gamma Phi Beta alumnae in the Salinas-Monterey-Carmel area.

The installation ceremony, conducted by Mrs. George M. Simonson, was held immediately following a luncheon at the beautiful new Carmel Valley home of Alice K. Ayres. It was a gloomy, foggy day, but Mrs. Simonson, in spite of a bad cold, drove all the way from Berkeley for the occasion, and the Monterey County alumnae will



Charter members of the Monterey County Chapter of Gamma Phi Beta Alumnae gather for luncheon at the Casa Munras in Monterey, California. Left to right: Mrs. Nelson Dougherty (Rachel Pinkerton, Mu), Mrs. R. D. Sproull (Sarah Weeks, Alpha Delta), Mrs. Eugene W. Van Horn, Alumnae Secretary (Pearl Pangborn, Xi), Mrs. Charles E. Simpson (Muriel Hesse, Alpha Phi), Mrs. Earl Matthiessen (Marian Peake, Eta) Mrs. Earl Glennon (Ethel Gibson, Omicron), Mrs. Jack Hurff (Erica Berne, Eta), Miss Hyla Tillman, Eta, Mrs. S. E. Wallen (Lois Richerson, Eta), Mrs. H. D. Ackerman (Jeanne Gaudin, Eta), Mrs. Calvin Nichols (Mary Hall, Xi), Miss Theo Winfree, Lambda, Mrs. Thomas Elston, Jr. (Helen Louise Warner, Eta).

never forget her kindness. Her talk following the ceremony was a gem of wisdom, rekindling in the new alumnae group the old familiar warm feeling of loyalty to Gamma Phi Beta, and the high ideals of sisterhood to which we are dedicated.

Officers of the new chapter are Miss Thea Winfree, president; Mrs. Thomas Elston, Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Charles A. Sorensen, treasurer; Mrs. Earl Matthiessen, recording secretary; Mrs. Stuart DuFour, corresponding secretary.

Located geographically as it is, close to the college chapters at the University of California and San Jose State College, the Monterey County Chapter hopes to be of service in rushing and other Gamma Phi Beta projects.

MURIEL SIMPSON

## Gamma Phi Beta Announces Installation Of Alumnae Chapters

Fox Valley Alumnae Chapter  
Fox Valley, Illinois  
April 8, 1952

Yakima Alumnae Chapter  
Yakima, Washington  
April 10, 1952

Burlington Alumnae Chapter  
Burlington, Vermont  
April 22, 1952





DEAR GAMA PHIS: WE NEED YOU AT THE GAMMA PHI CAMP IN INDIAN HILLS THIS SUMER. THERE IS A BIG CROWD OF US WHO WANT TOO GO TOO CAMP, BUT WE CAN'T GO UNLESS YOU CUM TO!

WE HAVE FUN AT CAMP—WE LEARN LOTS OF SONGS, WE GO ON HIKES AND LEARN ABOUT FLOURS AND CHIPMONKS, WE LEARN TO COOK ON CAMP-FIRES, IF YOU COME TO HELP US!

PLEES COME! LUV FROM

YOUR COLORADO CAMPERS

## An Unforgettable Experience Is Yours As A Camp Counselor

Colorado and Vancouver Camps still have several counselor vacancies for next summer—1952 season. Is it at all possible for YOU to contribute two weeks of your vacation time to Gamma Phi Beta's small guests at the Indian Hills or Sechelt Camp?

Our little campers have a wonderful time at camp—they are easily kept happy, they are thrilled with anything they do, but we cannot have them at camp unless we have a sufficient number of counselors to care for them.

Guiding children along new paths of experience is wonderful fun, and it is double service—to the children and to Gamma Phi Beta, while you would gain invaluable and never-to-be-forgotten experience in working with small girls.

Please consider seriously coming to Camp this summer—perhaps you could get transportation help from your chapter or local alumnæ. We really do need you!

Due to the efforts of Vancouver alumnæ, it will be possible to open the Vancouver Camp this season for four weeks. Needed improvements will be made and completed in time to afford a month's camping period. College delegates to convention are urged to apply for counselor positions at either the Vancouver or Colorado camps, and are asked to fill out the application blank below and send it immediately to Mrs. Alden, International Camp Chairman.

### GAMMA PHI BETA

#### Application for Camp Counselorship

Mail to: Mrs. DeWolf Alden, 792 Cragmont Avenue, Berkeley 8, California

Name: ..... Chapter: ..... Age: ..... Class: .....

Address: .....

Home: .....  
Street City State College Street City State

The following approval signatures are required for an undergraduate member:

Parent or guardian: .....

Greek-letter Chapter President: .....

Three references: One should be a former employer if applicant has done any camp counseling or other group work; one, the alumna adviser.

Name: ..... Address: .....

Name: ..... Address: .....

Name: ..... Address: .....

Colorado: Three two-week sessions. Approximate dates: July 3, July 17, August 1. Please circle sessions desired. You may apply for one session or two

Please attach a doctor's statement certifying your physical ability to participate in all camp activities at 6,000 foot altitude.



## Report From Zeta

It has been two years since Zeta chapter of Gamma Phi Beta became inactive on Goucher's campus. However, those of us who remain on campus would like to share news of our activities with the rest of our sisters through THE CRESCENT.

The Baltimore alumnae chapter has kept in touch with us all and included us in its activities this year. We welcomed Margaret A. Moore, a junior transfer from Alpha Epsilon chapter at Arizona University this past fall, but regretted that we had no active chapter to do it officially. She has joined the 17 remaining Zeta girls in participating widely in campus activities.

Lorraine Amsterdam of Washington, D.C., is Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senior class and is active in the Physiology Club. Nancy Kathleen Brown has held the highest student office on campus this year, as president of Students' Organization. She also had a role in the Senior play.

June Michaelson is program chairman of the Interfaith Association, Chapel Chairman of the Senior class, a member of the Philosophy Club and was also in the cast of the Senior play. Jean Rogers is social chairman of Baldwin House. Pauline Cairns is Photography Editor of Donnybrook, college annual and served as the chairman of the Junior-Senior banquet held this spring. Mary Carol Morley is junior representative to the executive board of City Girls' Organization, a member of the Athletic Association's executive board and on the college newspaper staff.

JUNE RUTH MICHAELSON, Zeta '52

## What Do You Want In A Job?

The *opportunity* to work for and with people? The *stimulation* of a job where each day differs from the one before? The *satisfaction* of using all your skills, and learning more, in a program of world-wide service to children?

A professional career as a group worker with a Girl Scout council offers you all these—plus on-the-job training and an unusual chance for advancement. It requires leadership ability, enthusiasm, resourcefulness, a real interest in people. The applicant must have a B.A. degree with emphasis in the social sciences, and successful group and camp leadership experience. Executive positions call for demonstrated ability in administration. For further information, write to:

Personnel Department, JPS  
Girl Scouts of the U.S.A.  
155 East 44th Street, New York 17, New York

## Ski Queen

One of Idaho's prettiest ski enthusiasts, Margaret Cranston (Idaho '50) became the first Boisean to win the "Gold Ram" pin, newest award of the Sun Valley Ski Club, when she negotiated the course on Dollar Mountain in 1:48 minutes. Darryl Zanuck, Twentieth Century Fox producer, is among Sun Valley guests who have been awarded the "Gold Ram" pin.



Margaret Cranston, University of Idaho



Camp Experience: As a camper: No. of years: ..... Kind of camp: .....

Camp Experience: As a counselor: No. of years: ..... Kind of camp: .....

Other experience with children aged 8-12? .....

Have you Red Cross certificates in First Aid or Home Nursing? Please circle.

Have you special skill or training which would enable you to teach or direct any of the following? Please check:

Hiking .....	Archery .....	Worship programs .....	Handcrafts .....
Nature lore .....	Dramatics .....	Puppetry .....	Leather craft .....
Outdoor cooking .....	Story telling .....	Group singing .....	Sketching .....
Trail laying .....	Camp fire programs .....	Group games .....	

List any college courses you have taken that will help you in understanding and working with children: .....

Suggested reading: FIFTY CASES FOR CAMP COUNSELORS  
TALKS TO COUNSELORS—Hedley S. Dimock  
A CAMPING MANUAL—R. Alice Draught  
PLAY MAKING WITH CHILDREN—Winnifred Ward



# Career Girls Fly High



*Roxanne Belyea, North Dakota U.*

Two more Gamma Phi Betas have received their silver wings as stewardesses for United Airlines. They are Roxanne Belyea, left, from the University of North Dakota, and Rita King of the University of Wisconsin.

Roxanne is a native of Rock Island, Illinois and attended Lake Forest prior to entering North Dakota. After training for United at Cheyenne, Wyoming, Roxanne now serves aboard Mainliner flights in and out of Chicago.

Rita graduated from Wisconsin in 1949 and was employed by Braniff International Airways prior to joining United Airlines. She has been assigned to flights in and out of New York.



*Rita King, Wisconsin U.*

## Gamma Phi Beta Scholarships Available

If you are weighing the possibility of doing graduate work next year against the status of papa's pocketbook, you will do well to consider a Gamma Phi Beta Student Scholarship.

The generous scholarship provides room and board, tuition and one round trip railroad ticket from your home to the college designated by Grand Council. In return you will counsel the Gamma Phi Beta chapter at that college in its organization, rushing, pledge training, standards, alumnae relations and all other phases of its character and development.

Application blanks are available on request from Miss Edith McChesney, 4620 36th St. N.W., Washington 8, D.C. But do act

## Still Needed—A Camp Director!

There must be some Gamma Phi Beta somewhere with camping experience as well as interest and experience in working with children and college-age girls, but so far none has applied for our Camp Director job at the Colorado Camp. If you know a Gamma Phi Beta who might be interested if her attention were called to our need, please tell her about it. Full information was contained in the December CRESCENT, and an application blank is printed below.

immediately, as recipients of scholarships will be selected early this month.

### GAMMA PHI BETA

#### Application For Camp Directorship

Mail to: Mrs. DeWolf Alden, 792 Cragmont Ave., Berkeley 8, Calif.

Name: ..... Chapter: ..... Age: .....

Address: .....  
                     Street                                    City                    Zone                                    State

Education pertinent to position as Camp Director: .....

Camping experience: ..... Positions held: ..... No. of years: ..... Kind of camp: .....

.....

Three references: (These should be from people who know of your professional experience and ability as a camp administrator.)

Name: ..... Address: .....

Name: ..... Address: .....

Name: ..... Address: .....

An accompanying personal letter will be much appreciated.



## Red Cross Technician



*Vancouver Daily Province*

**Joy Donegani, University of British Columbia**

Testing blood for various factors is one of many duties of Joy Donegani, an Alpha Lambda alumna, as one of the head technicians at the provincial depot of the Canadian Red Cross Blood Transfusion Service. Joy graduated from U.B.C. in 1947 and joined the service in May of that year. She took time off in 1948-49 for research work in England but is back now on the job. Free blood transfusions were inaugurated first in the province of B.C. in February 1947 and now embrace the most of Canada run by the Red Cross.

Marcia McConoughey, Beta Kappa chapter at Arizona State College, was selected to attend the National Association of Deans of Women convention in Los Angeles this spring. She represented all Universities and Colleges west of the Mississippi and spoke to the group on the objectives and activities of women students on American campuses. Following the Deans' meeting, Marcia represented Arizona State College at the Inter-Collegiate Associated Women Students' convention at the University of California.



## Among Chicago Alumnae

A busy miss is Anita Gellert (U. of Illinois), one of the members of the north side group of the Chicago alumnae chapter. Anita has been re-elected president of the Chicago Illini club for two more years—a signal honor for one so modest and unassuming. The Chicago Illini club is the organization of all Illinois University alumni in the whole Chicago area, a large group of over 500 members. The Illini have a very active program, with the most worthy project being a complete recreational program for the children in the Pediatrics and Orthopedics departments of the Illinois Research Hospitals. The largest activity is a card party to provide money for their huge Christmas party complete with gifts and entertainment and refreshments for the children.

Besides working to insure the success of the welfare program, Anita presides over a variety of programs such as card and theatre parties, teas, luncheons, Founders' Day (U of I) and meetings.

Other organizations Anita is active in include the board of directors of the University Club, the American Association of University Women and the Collectors Club. Anita has two engrossing hobbies as well. She has a most unique collection of dolls in all national costumes and another of miniature vehicles from African carrying baskets to airplanes. At Christmas she puts a complete miniature English village and a Swiss Mountain village under her tree—all hand made!

Anita is employed by the U. S. government in the Finance Office, U.S. Army. One would think with all her varied interests she would have little time for Gamma Phi Beta but she does, being an active and loyal alumna member.

ELIZABETH H. HUGHES (O '39)

Miss Nancy Burnett, Gamma Phi Beta, Omicron Chapter, provided the musical accompaniment for the Junior Women's Advertising Club of Chicago fashion review, "Complete Coverage," on March 13 in the Foote, Cone, and Belding Auditorium in Chicago.

Miss Burnett, a graduate of the University of Illinois, has been playing the piano since she was five. She was active in college musical productions, arranging compositions, doing lyric writing, and directing. She was named one of the five top entertainers in the class of '51. At present she is conducting an advertising career as copywriter at Montgomery Ward and Company.

The show was presented to raise funds for JWAC scholarship awards which are granted yearly to a woman student enrolled in the advertising curriculum at the University of Illinois.

## Graduate Assistantships Available At Syracuse And Ohio Wesleyan

Syracuse University again is offering graduate assistantships to young women interested in work as Deans, Advisers of Girls, Counselors, Social Directors, etc.

Each assistantship is equivalent to a grant of twelve to fifteen hundred dollars per year, awarded in terms of room, board and tuition. Work for a master's or doctor's degree may be taken in any field of the Graduate school for which the appointee's previous work will have fitted her. The master's degree may be earned in two years of study.

These scholarships are limited to students who are willing to give two years to the program of study and will be awarded on or before June 1.

For application forms and detailed information address Miss Ruth Haddock, Assistant Director Student Personnel Program, Syracuse University, Syracuse 10, New York.

Six Graduate Assistantships for women in Counseling and

Guidance are now available at Ohio Wesleyan University. Women between the ages of 20 and 30 who have earned a bachelor's degree with distinction are eligible. Appointees will serve as assistant to the Resident Councillor in a dormitory, which provides an opportunity for experience in guidance and personnel work.

A minimum of 12 months will be needed to acquire the 30 semester credits required for a Master's degree.

Each assistant occupies a single room in the dormitory and receives room, board and tuition. Appointments are made for the academic year, from the opening of dormitories in September through commencement in June.

Application should be made no later than May 15 by addressing Miss Audrey M. Parker, Dean of Women, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio.



# With Alumnae Chapters

## Ames

A buffet supper honoring our senior girls was the main event of the spring season in 1951. It was held in the beautiful new home of June Dudgeon's parents. It was well attended and provided a grand opportunity to express our pride in the Seniors.

Every year the Ames alumnae help the town girls with summer rushing and a successful "hobo" party was enjoyed at the home of Beverly Wertz Smith. Virginia Terrill Adams and Helen Hancher Mills gave much of their time and talents during rush week in helping the chapter members.

The annual fall rummage sale was another success under the capable leadership of Tippi Briley Timm.

In celebration of Founders Day we joined the girls in the chapter house. Alumnae awards for scholarship, along with the Winifred Tilden trophy for athletic participation, were presented at the joint tea.

Our Province Director, Mrs. Forrest Meyers, visited the campus in October and many alumnae joined her at tea in the home of Helen Burham Sevey. December found our members gathered for a festive holiday party in Harriet Olson Hawkin's home.

We are happy to have two Iowa State sisters, Virginia Quaife Cox and Dorothy Quaifer Tribbley, in our group this year. Virginia will join her husband in Japan but we shall have Dorothy with us for a longer time.

We shall miss Barbara Dodds who, with her family, has recently moved to Des Moines.

Any Gamma Phi Betas new in this area are invited to join our group.

KATHRYN REHDER WISHART

## Marriage:

June Dudgeon to Vincent Hedrick on December 16, 1951.

## Birmingham, Michigan

The Birmingham alumnae chapter had reason to rejoice at our November meeting when Adelaide Ewing gave us the report on our annual fashion tea held last September. The members sold 321 tickets netting us \$238.00 for the treasury. A progress report was also given on the building for Beta Delta at Michigan State, and our chapter, through endowment fund cards, contributed \$150.00 towards their building fund. A brief but impressive 77th Founders Day celebration was held, followed by the speaker for the evening, Mrs. Myrtle Labbitt, a well known lecturer and mother of one of our members, Virginia McGuire. Mrs. Labbitt showed colored slides with a very interesting commentary on her recent Scandinavian trip.

No December meeting was held but our fourteen dolls, dressed for the Oakland County Juvenile Home, were collected in time for Christmas.

In February the meeting took place at the home of Mrs. A. M. Clendenin, where the election of officers was held. The new president, Esther Saunders, is assisted by Doris Klock as vice-president, Barbara Pitts as secretary, and Edith Allman as treasurer. With all business out of the way, a delicious dessert was served and then by popular demand Mrs. Labbitt returned to show slides and give a talk on Denmark.

Under our new officers we are looking ahead and planning for a fashion tea in the Fall.

CAROL CUMMINS FINNEY

## Boise

Starting where the last chapter letter left off, we were very happy to have Mrs. Bunny Hiscock, the Province Secretary with us for our regular meeting in October. Everyone enjoyed meeting her and hearing the interesting talk she gave us on

the chapters in our Province.

In November, the month set aside for Founders Day, our chapter enjoyed having out-of-town guests with us to celebrate our founding. To commemorate this event a dinner was held at the home of Mrs. Laurel Elam.

The annual luncheon for the Greek-letter chapter members, given by the alumnae group was on December 29, 1951 at the Elks dining room. Chairmen were Pricilla Lane and Minerva Smith.

To aid with the national emergency our group is helping the senior hostesses serve coffee and cake at the Service Men's Club.

A book review was given by Mrs. Harry Marsh (Lovina Willson, Washington) at our February meeting, held at the home of Minerva Smith.

We are very happy to have a new member in our group from North Dakota, Nancy Seifert.

Our chapter looks forward to meeting new Gamma Phi Betas; so please, if you are in our vicinity call Mrs. Thelma Thielke at 024 R 5.

BARBARA J. NICHOLSON

## Marriages:

Coleen McEntee (Idaho '51) to Terry McMullen, November 23, 1951, at Boise, Idaho.

Mary Winterholer (Idaho x'54) to Odell Black, December 29, 1951, at Twin Falls, Idaho.

## Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neudorfer (Patsy Watson), a son, December 20, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns (Shirley Greenway), a son, January, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bunting (Dorothy Carlson), a son, November, 1951.

## Bowling Green

The 1950-51 sorority year was for the Bowling Green alumnae chapter a pleasurable and profitable one. The officers for the year were president, Wilma Kinney; vice-president, Katherine Haswell; recording secretary, Wilma Granger; corresponding secretary, Helen Nelson; treasurer, Dorothy Nearing.

Our meetings this year were especially stimulating. After our October business meeting, Mrs. J. R. Overman, wife of Dr. J. R. Overman (Dean of Faculties), presented a talk on "Heirlooms." Helen Conklin, Virginia Cole and Betty Cooke were hostesses at this meeting.

On November 11, our Founders Day meeting was celebrated in the traditional manner with the chapter at the sorority house. Our December meeting at the home of Mrs. Guy Nearing consisted of the regular business meeting and an especially interesting talk on interior decorating by Jean Halleck. The hostesses for this evening were Dorothy Nearing, Eva Farmer, and Wilma Kinney.

We held our January business meeting at the home of Mrs. G. K. Urschel. Dr. Rea McCain, Chairman of the English Department at the University, spoke about the trip to Europe she had recently made. Hostesses for this evening were Edna Urschel, Olive Cummings, and Thelma Leedy.

Our February meeting was held at the home of Margaret Yocum. Plans were made at this meeting for our annual cookie sale held February 10. After this meeting, Miss Dorothy Mercer, who had recently returned from teaching on the island of Guam, gave a description of life on the island. Excellent colored slides she had made helped to make her talk even more interesting. Margaret Yocum, Wilma Granger, and Grayce Scholt were hostesses at this meeting.

Election of officers for 1951-52 was held at the March meeting. The new officers are: president, Edna Urschel; vice-president, Grayce Scholt; recording secretary, Henrietta Baynard; treasurer, Dorothy Nearing; corresponding secretary, Wilma

Kinney. Hostesses at this meeting were Henrietta Baynard, Helen Nelson, and Florence Baird.

Installation of officers was held at the April meeting. Edna Urschel reported on the Province Workshop. Hostesses at this meeting were Helen Morris, Jean Halleck, and Katherine Haswell.

Our May meeting was the year's climax as the alumnae gathered along with the Greek-letter members and guests at the annual supper party for Greek-letter members given in the home of Katherine Haswell. Good food, fine entertainment, along with the awarding of honors to outstanding members made a wonderful evening for all.

GRAYCE SCHOLT

## Cedar Rapids

The Cedar Rapids alumnae met with Gwen Riggs, Province Director, at the October meeting. Debbie Whelpley was the hostess. Added to the pleasure of Mrs. Riggs' presence was the showing of the Denver Camp films.

The October rummage sale was so successful that we are now "in the black" financially and it is the first time the chapter has had a reserve fund. The greatest share of credit goes to the chairman, Helen Hahn, and Betty and George Putnam who not only gathered together the rummage but also sold it, arranged for a second sale of the "leftovers," and are now storing the remains for a "future" sale. Considering our profit of over two hundred dollars, we feel greatly indebted to the Putnams.

In December, Helen Hahn was hostess to the alumnae and their husbands at the annual Christmas dinner party. This is always great fun and the gathering together in Helen's lovely recreation room is one of the year's highlights.

We met in two new homes this year, Alice Moody's and Mary Distelhorst's. All of us are so pleased for the girls and quite envious of the sparkling newness of these houses.

Our president, Betty Putnam, has been a splendid officer and deserves a word of praise. She is largely responsible for our most successful year. Proof of the re-kindled interest amongst our membership has been the average attendance of twelve members at each meeting. Betty's conscientious attitude toward her position kept us all well informed of our responsibilities, which, in turn, made our year run most smoothly. We say "Hats off to Betty."

Alumnae new in Cedar Rapids are most welcome to join our group. Please call Betty Putnam, 6821.

JEANNE VERNE BLAHNIK

## Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Adam A. Krueter (Jane Leffler, Northwestern '39), an adopted son, Kurt, June 17, 1949.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callahan (Beverly Mattson, Iowa State '43), an adopted son, Gary Scott, March 9, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moody (Alice Pitz, Iowa '50), a son, Robert Ray, November 23, 1951.

## Champaign-Urbana

The Champaign-Urbana alumnae chapter has had a busy year with social activities and meetings scheduled for each month. Hostesses have been Margie Keck Davis, Frances Rayner, Nina Gresham, Jane Barry, Lois Norman, Betty Woller, and Olive Ruehe, each hostess being assisted by a committee. Special gatherings have been the tea for our Grand President, Mrs. Dippell, held in September at the home of Nina Gresham, and the potluck picnic in October for the Omicron pledges with Margaret Stoddard, International Scholarship Chairman. Early in the fall Mrs. A. C. Daugherty, Province III Director, visited Omicron and the alumnae chapter. That she might visit with a number of the alumnae



she was entertained at dinner at the Illini Union Building and at a delightful social gathering by Dorothy Potter Swindell, former Director of Province III. On Sunday morning Mrs. Daugherty was guest of honor at breakfast given by Olive Ruehe in her Urbana home for the executive council of our alumnae chapter.

On January 20 the husbands were entertained at supper in the attractive home of Doris Worden. Next on our busy schedule was a social evening in February at the Phi Mu house where we were the guests of their local alumnae. We spent a pleasant evening with them in true Panhellenic spirit.

Not content with mere personal contributions to our International Camp Fund, our energetic and enthusiastic ways and means committee has designed and placed on the market Gamma Phi Beta playing cards temptingly boxed as gifts. These they advertised in *THE CRESCENT* and through special sales letters so worded that the reader could not resist buying. The same committee also arranged for a spring fashion show for March 12 at the Urbana Lincoln Hotel the proceeds to go to our camp fund.

Combining fun with profits was the annual white elephant sale. On May 15 at the home of Charlotte Tanton Bash a potluck supper for Omicron seniors will climax a year of varied interests. In the meantime committees have been busy making bathrobes for the Colorado campers and raising money to send an Omicron counselor to the camp. Cash contributions at the December meeting were added to the fund. After several years of very faithful service as local camp chairman Frances Rayner has resigned her position that she may spend the next year in travel with her husband. Professor Rayner will soon be retiring from his position in the department of engineering. Appointed as the new camp chairman is Dottie Ehrhardt Lindsay who has come to Champaign this year from Decatur. Dottie's husband is with General Motors.

A newcomer to our chapter is Ellen Barker of Missouri but more recently a graduate of Illinois. Another younger alumna taking an active part in the chapter is June Barber Laz. We are also happy to have the continued interest of Frida Haller Jones, Michigan. Proving that Gamma Phi Beta is truly international, Champaign-Urbana alumnae, for 1951-'52, have had as their efficient president Frances Dotson, Nebraska; Anne Potter, Northwestern, corresponding secretary; and Betty Yankwich, California, chairman of the ways and means committee. Our other officers, all members of the Illinois chapter, have been Mierley Brown Bailey, vice-president; Ruth Anne Odell Myers, recording secretary; Donna Jordan Mamer, treasurer.

The corporation board of directors composed of alumnae members Eleanor Schlecht Cox, Lillian Johnston, Lois Norman, Mary Somers, and Jane Barry have been working diligently in preparation for adding a large addition to the east part of the Illinois chapter house. More space is badly needed for the kitchen, the freshman dormitory, and for storage. It is hoped that all the red tape has been cut so that the building can proceed at an early date.

This year the alumnae chapter has been happy to welcome to their meetings Audley Nichols Swartz of Farmer City, Nell Hartsock and Patricia Price Walker of Clinton, Illinois. A newcomer to this community and a visitor at the January meeting is Mrs. D. J. Stark of Tuscola where her husband is superintendent of processing for the new National Petro-Chemicals Corporation. Mrs. Stark is a member of Oklahoma chapter.

Ruth Mathews who has been spending the winter in St. Petersburg reports that she and Professor Mathews have had an active and very pleasant vacation.

Eleanor Cook, formerly an active member of our alumnae chapter, returned in November after a year and a half of interesting experiences with the Red Cross in Europe. She spent a week in December with Nina Gresham in Champaign and was a guest at the December meeting.

Between semesters Marie Hostetter, a professor in the Library School of the University of Illinois, attended the American Library Association conference held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago. She was joined there by her sister Anita, the executive secretary for the Board of Education of the ALA. Both Marie and Anita are initiates of our Denver chapter.

To the family of Carolyn Conley, ex '51, who died at her home in Streator on New Year's eve, we extend our sincere sympathy.

NINA GRESHAM

#### Births:

To Prof. and Mrs. Duane Branigan (Imogene Wolf), a son, Graig Wolf, October 4, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Bash (Charlotte Tantom), a daughter, Patricia Jo, April 19, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Graham (Linda Nelson, Lake Forest), a son, Mark Nelson, April 28, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Don Laz (June Barber), a son, Creighton Barber, November 23, 1951.

#### Chicago Northwest Suburban

The Northwest Suburban alumnae group of Gamma Phi Beta has completed a second successful year with an average attendance of 15 to a meeting—a loyal turnout considering 7 of our 22 members had babies last year. The main purpose of our group is to get the Gamma Phi Betas from this area together. However, we cooperate with the Chicago alumnae chapter in all their projects—Christmas card, magazines and calendar sales and the spring benefit for which we are in charge of tables and table decorations this year. Two of our members help out on Chicago Board, Billie Berg as treasurer and Marion Highland as publicity chairman and historian.

Notices of our meetings are always printed in the Park Ridge and Des Plaines papers. We meet the fourth Wednesday of each month at eight P.M. and would be happy to welcome all Gamma Phi Betas in this area.

JEAN FAIRBANKS STEAD

#### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. John Maynard (Jean Stephenson), a daughter, Kathleen, April 18, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Eastman (Diane Boyer), a son, Donald, May, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen (Virginia Miller), a son, Kent Douglas, September 2, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald McLaughlin (Virginia McAleer), a daughter, Charlene, December 18, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Milburn (Sue Ellen Moore), a son, David, December 29, 1951.

#### Cincinnati

Nineteen of our alumnae chapter members went to Lebanon, Ohio in November for Founders Day dinner with the Dayton alumnae chapter. Everyone had a grand time although we almost had to swim home. We exchanged gifts at our December Christmas party and enjoyed slides of scenic Canada by our president, Ellen Berghamer, in January. Our February meeting was most interesting with a native Japanese girl telling about customs and traditions in her land. Our meetings are well attended despite the miles that separate us.

MARGERY QUALHEIM EARLEY

#### Marriage:

Ellen Archen (Ohio Wesleyan '46), to Richard Berghamer, December, 1951.

#### Colorado Springs

Colorado Springs alumnae at the December meeting really had a lot of the "giving spirit of Christmas." Each member brought a toy, gaily wrapped, which was later distributed to the children in the local hospitals. The idea was suggested by one of our members, Alma Jean Dillingham Light, who several years ago spent Christmas in a hospital. She remembered how so many of the children did not have a very nice Christmas either because they were underprivileged or their families could not be with them. We hope we have given a little cheer and we also hope to establish this as a precedent in future years.

In order to raise money we had a bridge party in February.

ROSE ANN KIPP McCORMICK

#### Corvallis

All Gamma Phi Beta mothers in the Corvallis area, some thirty of them, were honored with a dessert card party at Christmas time by the Corvallis alumnae group. Every alumna either brought her own mother or a "foster" mother so that all Gamma Phi Beta mothers were especially taken care of at the party. Dessert in the chapter living room followed by an evening of canasta and bridge with teachers to help those who wanted instruction and prizes for the winning mothers made the evening a memorable affair. All agreed it was the best Christmas party the Corvallis alumnae have given. The

preparations were under the direction of Esther Howard Smith with the help of Patty Pierce Haag, Jo McKimmons Price and Norma Milliken.

In November, the alumnae gave a gypsy party to honor the 26 new pledges of the Greek-letter chapter. It was held at the home of Cathy Campbell Lewis with fortune telling, palm reading and other games the order of the evening. The alumnae dressed in gypsy costumes. Especially spangled with jangling bracelets and long beads were Lois Jenkins and Mabel Goode Cooper. Others who helped included Marie Penland Olson, Mary Day, Dorothy Harn, Dorothea Cordley Muth and Ellen Holcomb Anderson. After the entertainment the girls filed into the dining room where they had a choice of many kinds of pie and cake, candy, hot buttered popcorn, coke, coffee, etc.

There are several new alumnae in the group this year in Corvallis. Two new members of the Oregon State faculty to affiliate with the group include Mrs. Ruth Allen Geary, Hostess of Waldo Hall, from the Washington chapter and Miss Margaret M. Griffin, in charge of Withycombe home management house, who is from the Nevada chapter.

BETTY SUE JOINER

#### Dallas

The Dallas alumnae chapter has had a memorable season in the winter of 1951-1952. Members held their first bazaar November 9 and 10 in conjunction with the Mothers' Club. It was a project on which both groups had labored for many months. It was a very successful event, paying dividends in a closer sisterhood and a wider active membership in both groups. The profit was over a thousand dollars.

Alpha Xi girls moved into their new house at Southern Methodist University in October. To the alumnae, as well as to the Greek-letter members, that was a happy occasion, as they had worked for years toward that goal. Alumnae members had staffed the Corporation Board and the building committee, and their unceasing labors for years had contributed to the financing.

The house was first opened publicly on the occasion of the bazaar and silver tea, even though fall rushing had been held in it before its completion. Formal opening was February 17, with a tea and open house honoring the retiring Corporation Board, of which Ruth Patterson, Southern Methodist, was president, and Mr. Roy Coffee, head of the men's advisory committee. Grand Council was represented by Mrs. D. W. LeMaster, Vice-President and Alumnae Secretary, from Wayne, Okla. and Province Five South was represented by Cathryne Melton of San Antonio, Province Alumnae Secretary.

Founders Day was celebrated at the new Southern Methodist house with dessert and coffee. Eighty Dallas and Fort Worth alumnae and Alpha Xi members were present for the candle-lighting ceremony.

Psi alumnae now living in Dallas cooperated with the Mothers' Club to manage a fall rummage sale that netted over \$250 for the two organizations.

Officers who have served the Dallas alumnae chapter so well this year are Mrs. John Collins, Jr. (Iva Aline Harrell, Texas '44), president; Mrs. I. P. Nelson, Jr. (Gloria Swanson, Oklahoma '43), first vice-president; Mrs. William Reynolds (Jean Ferebee, William and Mary '45), second vice-president; Mrs. Shelby Rash (Gertrude Bolton, Iowa '29), recording secretary; Mrs. B. C. Boatwright (Frances Parris, Southern Methodist '41), corresponding secretary; Mrs. Wayne E. Loch (Jean Hunter, Oklahoma '44), treasurer; and Marilyn Cooke (Oklahoma '44), historian.

LOUISE GARTMAN SMITH

#### Marriages:

Betsy Campbell (Southern Methodist) to John Curry, in January. At home in Omaha, Neb.

Claribel Cox (Southern Methodist) to Gene R. Rutherford, in January. At home in Austin, Tex.

#### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Olin Graves (Patricia Sartor, Texas), a son, in November.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Read (Dixie Dummit, Texas), a daughter, March 23, 1951 in Walnut Creek, Calif.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Talley (Helen Batson, Southern Methodist '50), a daughter, in December.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Welch (Carol Kreer, Southern Methodist), a son, Mark Robert Welch, in December.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Garrett, Jr. (Jackie



Turner, Southern Methodist '46), a son, in December.

To Mr. and Mrs. William L. Richards (Marily Mott, Southern Methodist '48), a daughter, in August.

### Des Moines

The Des Moines alumnae chapter has continued to turn out enthusiastically throughout the winter season for their regular monthly meetings. In November we held a two day rummage sale which was very successful financially.

Following our traditional Founders Day observance in November, we all looked forward to our Christmas party at the home of Mabel Whitney McGraw. Everyone took gifts for the children at Broadlawn Hospital.

We devoted our February meeting to the making of sock dolls for the children of the Colorado camp.

We feel a great loss in the death of Lulu Mann Gray, a loyal Gamma Phi Beta member for fifty-two years. She was a member of Epsilon chapter at Northwestern, which celebrated its golden anniversary two years ago. Our alumnae chapter has voted to put a sum of money into the Endowment Fund in Mrs. Gray's memory.

We have recently welcomed to our group Mrs. Hugh O'Rourke (Alice Rist, Iowa) who has moved here from Algona, Iowa. We are also happy to have Jeanne Bowlin McCoy back with us while her husband is stationed in Korea.

HELEN HILL GRANT

### Marriage:

Anne Irwin (University of Iowa '49) to Gerald Thornton, June 22, 1951.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marron (Jane Armstrong, Iowa State College), a son, December 1, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sceli of Mitchellville, Iowa, a son, November 8, 1951.

To Lieut. and Mrs. Dwayne Jose (Shirley Davis, Iowa State College '47) of Bangor, Me., a daughter, November 1, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clemens (Charlotte Backman, Iowa State College '41), a son, January 28, 1952.

### Eugene

At one of our first meetings in the Fall we entertained the new pledges, pledge trainer, and house and chapter presidents at a dessert at the home of Betty Warren. Our Province Director, Mrs. Fred MacDonald, happened to be in Eugene and was able to attend. During the evening Marian Moore, pledge trainer, and Irene McLeod, president, kept us in stitches telling the group of their novel experiences as camp counselors in Vancouver during the summer.

We were fortunate in having Mrs. George Simonson, Grand Council member, with us during rush week. Our alumnae group met with her one evening at Marj Koppe's home for an informal dessert and enjoyed talking to her so much.

Our alumnae group assisted the Greek-letter chapter in honoring Mrs. Spurgin, their new house mother, at a tea given at the chapter house. Mrs. Spurgin is from Canada and very refreshing to talk to.

Mrs. Frank Hiscock, Province Alumnae Secretary, was entertained at a special dessert meeting at the home of Trudi Hirt when she visited us in the latter part of November.

We held our fall rummage sale shortly before Christmas and specialized in children's toys. The sale was the usual success.

At our Christmas party meeting we had our annual white elephant sale to raise money to include in our basket of food and clothes for a needy family. In spite of the stormy night we persuaded quite a few inactive alumnae and new members to come out and enjoy the festivities.

Becky Fyock, one of our members, attended four horse shows this summer and fall, three in Oregon and one in California. We're proud of the fact that she won eleven blue ribbons driving a hackney pony in competitive classes at the horse shows.

WILLY KIRSCH

### Marriage:

Virginia McNerthney (University of Washington '51) to George Richner, November 17, at Tacoma.

### Birth:

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hitchcock (Sally Morrow, Oregon University '42), a daughter, Wende, October 10.

### Grand Rapids

In March, the Grand Rapids alumnae chapter had a luncheon meeting at the Women's City Club. Mrs. Hugh Atkins, Province Secretary, was our guest. This first year as an organized alumnae chapter has been a busy one. We raised money to send girls to camp in the summer. In September, we had a white elephant sale at the home of Mrs. Lucian Griffith. In May, we had our annual plant sale at Mrs. Matthew Andrea's home. We earned enough money to send two girls to the Girl Scout Camp on Lake Michigan, for one week each, and two girls to the Day Camp in Grand Rapids, for two weeks.

During the year we hemmed and painted monograms on linen place mats for the Michigan State chapter.

Last June we had a buffet dinner at Marian Steele's home for the Greek-letter chapter members and their mothers. It was fun meeting so many of the new girls. After dinner the girls sang for us. Incidentally Marian Steele and Jean Heidgen (Michigan '51) left for Europe in July, for a two months' vacation.

We have been busy this past year with various projects.

We would like any new Gamma Phi Betas in the Grand Rapids area to please get in touch with our president, Mrs. John Withrow, 1410 Woodlawn S.E., 3-0400.

WINIFRED WENTINK MULDER

### Hawaii

The item of business of principal interest to the members of the Hawaii alumnae chapter at their monthly meetings for the past several months has been the plans for the post-convention tour to Hawaii of Gamma Phi Betas and their families. We sincerely hope that many of the delegates will take advantage of this low cost tour, which will include all of the principal Islands' places of beauty and interest and still allow time for relaxation and swimming at Waikiki. Hawaii Gamma Phi Betas are looking forward to meeting their Mainland sisters and are planning entertainment that will be interesting, as well as in the tradition of Hawaiian friendliness and hospitality.

Meetings have been held at the home of Mrs. William B. Meredith (October); Mrs. Harold Milnes (December); Mrs. G. C. Wallace (January); and Mrs. A. K. Tobin (February). The November meeting in commemoration of Founders Day was held at Queen's Surf, as previously reported. At our January meeting, Lenore Wallace (Minnesota) showed colored slides taken during the trip she, her husband and daughter made to Japan, Hongkong and Bangkok last Fall. All of us long to follow in the Wallace's footsteps in the near future.

This chapter regretted having to say "aloha" to several departing members: Aimee Brown, whose husband has been transferred to Quantico, Virginia; May Buwalda, who has returned to California to continue her social work career in Contra Costa County; and Naomi Williamson, who will be in San Diego, California, temporarily while her husband's ship is in that port. However, we are somewhat compensated through being able to welcome Helen Keith (Maryland); Mary Minor (California); Beverly Cummings (Colorado State) and Helen Vanmatta (Oregon).

KATHERINE COLTON

### Marriages:

Adelaide Margaret Gibb (Northwestern University) to Lt. Ronald A. Jensen, USAF, in Honolulu, February 2, 1952.

Dorothy E. Keltner (Oregon) to Robert W. DeYoung, in Honolulu, January 12, 1952.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Allan V. Stewart (Margaret Kretschmer, Iowa), a daughter Julie Margaret, May 8, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith, Jr. (Jean Austin, Stanford), a son, Dale Austin, January 14, 1952.

### Indianapolis

All through these severe winter months, our chapter meetings have been well attended. The faithful

alumnae of our group have brought enthusiasm, willingness, and interest to each meeting which makes possible the strength of our Indianapolis organization even though we are small in number.

One thing of special interest is that at almost every meeting a new Gamma Phi Beta shows up in our midst. During recent meetings, we have been delighted to greet these new members: Mrs. Edwin E. Tuttle (Mary Swalley, Iowa State), Mrs. Theodore Novak (Dorothea Ortmyer, Michigan), Mrs. Robert W. Neson (Ruth Johns, Illinois), and Mrs. William H. Pahl (Marion McAdams, Randolph-Macon).

It was a real joy in November to have the Expansion Chairman, Mrs. John M. Curtis, visit our chapter. An early and unexpected blanket of ice covered Indiana at that time. It gave her and our chapter president, Eleanor McComb, a rough three days of travel. In spite of weather, most of our members gathered at the home of Esther Gerdan for a delicious buffet supper in her honor. Before a blazing log fire we discussed the possibilities and listened again to the problems of expansion in Indiana. We were all glad for the opportunity of fellowship with Mrs. Curtis and enjoyed her warm and flashing personality.

This year our Christmas meeting was devoted to discussion and planning for the furtherance of our Toy Lending Library project. Instead of a shower of gifts, we decided to pool our money and purchase sturdy toys for the Library. The rummage sale held this past autumn to raise money for our philanthropy was very successful, due to the fine efforts of the committee headed by Judy Henley. This is a new type of social service project. The possibilities seem unlimited. Even though we are a small group, we hope to make it very effective.

We hope all visiting or members new in our city will call Mrs. Paul F. Grubbs, 925 N. Audubon Road, Indianapolis.

HELEN PATTERSON BRANDT

### Kansas City, Kansas

The newly organized Gamma Phi Beta alumnae began its second year lacking the usual vim and vigor due to the disastrous flood which struck Kansas City early last July. Each member contributed his time and ability generously and tirelessly during this emergency to help restore the community to a state of normalcy.

A dessert bridge held at the home of Mrs. Leonard Keck (Kansas '41), opened the fall season. At the invitation of the Kansas City, Missouri alumnae, our group observed Founders Day with them at a lovely dinner and program. A Christmas buffet was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Castor (Kansas '45), in place of our December meeting. Each member brought a toy or game which was donated to the pediatrics department of a local hospital.

The sale of Christmas wrappings proved to be a successful money making project for the chapter. The group plans to make a financial contribution to the international philanthropy—our summer camps.

In addition to her many civic activities, one of the members of our group, Mrs. C. Wells Haren (Kansas '30), has accepted the job of finance chairman of the fund raising campaign to enable the Kansas chapter to enlarge and remodel the chapter house in Lawrence. We are also represented in the active management of the Sigma association by two members on the finance board.

GLORIA CASTOR

### Births:

To Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Fitzpatrick (Jean Malloy, Oklahoma '46), a daughter, Martha, May 31, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Keck (Norma Jean Falconer, Kansas '41), a son, Richard Logan, February 9, 1952.

### Lawrence

Lawrence alumnae started out this fall with a fine group of officers: president, Mrs. George Docking; vice-president, Mrs. Joe R. Beeler, Jr.; secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Jochim; treasurer, Mrs. Leo Sample; alumnae advisor, Mrs. Harold Harvey; CRESCENT correspondent, Mrs. W. A. Stacey.

On October 9, we had a buffet supper out on the terrace of Mrs. George Beal's new ranch house in honor of the six new pledges; Anne Conway, Jo Ann Anderson, Suzanne Rusing, Claire Ensign, Donna Carter and Caroline West. Other guests were Mrs. Betty Park, housemother; Beverly Bishop, chapter



president, and Betty Crawford, pledge trainer. Hostesses were Mrs. W. A. Stacey, chairman of the supper; Mrs. Richard Ashley, co-chairman; Mrs. R. L. Dunlap, program chairman; Mrs. Hovey Hanna, co-chairman, and Mrs. Ralph Tusten, Mrs. Elmer Broat, Mrs. John Crawford and Mrs. George Beal. It was a very pleasant party and everybody seemed to have a good time.

Founders Day was celebrated at the chapter house with a dinner on November 11 at one o'clock. Mary May Voiland had charge of arrangements for the program. Beverly Bishop, president of the chapter, introduced Miss Helen Rhoda Hoopes who was responsible for the founding of the Kansas chapter. Miss Hoopes presented the Helen Rhoda Hoopes scholarship pin to Delores Wunsch as the senior having the highest grades in her pledge class during her last three years in the school of fine arts. Others honored were Jane Heywood, a junior, and Cynthia Quick, a sophomore, both of whom had the highest grades in their respective pledge classes. Mrs. Fred Voiland, president of Sigma Association, presented the chapter with an oil portrait of Miss Hoopes. The Kansas chapter was organized 36 years ago in 1915.

The chapter put on a two act skit, the first portraying the four original Founders and the second being a take-off on the local alumnae group. Alumnae present were Miss Hoopes, Mrs. Hovey Hanna, Mrs. George B. Smith, Mrs. Fred Ellsworth, Miss Maud Ellsworth, Mrs. Richard Ashley, Mrs. Harold Harvey, Mrs. R. G. Henry of Oskaloosa and Mrs. Fred Voiland of Topeka.

Our last meeting was a Christmas tea on December 13 given by the alumnae and the Lawrence mothers at which the book, "Moses," was reviewed by Professor Walter Meserve of the University Extension department. This was a money raising event for the benefit of the sorority's International camps for underprivileged children. Guests were invited to this by the alumnae and while they were arriving, Janice Manual played and accompanied Betty Bill, who sang several numbers, closing with "Silent Night." Mrs. Betty Park and Mrs. George Docking served. Others who assisted at this tea were Mrs. J. R. Stranathan, Mrs. George B. Smith, Mrs. Olin Peteish, Mrs. Kenneth Jochim, Mrs. Frank Scanlan, Mrs. Fred Ellsworth and Mrs. Joe R. Beeler, Jr.

MRS. W. A. STACY

### Lincoln

Gaily wrapped packages containing clothes, toys and food, placed under the Christmas tree at the chapter house by alumnae members set the scene for the December meeting. For again this year our "adopted" family with ten children was given a happy holiday.

Our gift to the chapter house was twelve place settings of silver. The collective pronoun tells only half the story for the Omaha alumnae and the Mother's Club graciously supported our gift idea.

Our own treasurer's report seems to increase each month through the untiring efforts of our president, Frances Hamilton. Frances, who is serving her second term, conducts her own money raising campaign through the sale of greeting cards and kitchen knives.

We have been entertained at many of our meetings by the career girl members. We are agreed that Mary Louise Babst, millinery buyer for a local department store, and Mary Lou Luther, assistant to the society editor of the *Lincoln Journal*, have interesting vocations.

Our program also included the making of stocking dolls and gathering supplies for the camps.

We are happy to have Mrs. R. F. Feldkamp (Laura Finley, Michigan) from Troy, New York, in our group. We hear that Jane MacCraig (Nebraska '50) has a position in the statistics division of *Time* magazine in Chicago; and that Susanne Hoffman Wright (Nebraska '53) is now living in Great Neck, Long Island, N.Y.

Gamma Phi Betas new to Lincoln are invited to call our president, Frances Hamilton (Mrs. Clifford S.) 2829 Van Dorn, 3-4522, for information about meetings.

GLADYS GUSTAFSON THOMPSON

#### Marriage:

Grace Neilsen to Les Anderson, November 1, 1951. At home in Pinedale, Wyo.

#### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Don Walker (Shirley Shaffer), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barnes (Betty West), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ratcliff (Peggy West), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dallas A. Bird (Betty Hosburg), a daughter.

### Long Beach

Lou Lovell's charming new home built around an inside patio and beautifully landscaped by her talented husband was the scene for two wonderful holiday occasions in December. The month was started by another potluck dinner and bridge party planned by the junior member's bridge group and their husbands and it was as big a success as the first one in the Fall. Then after Christmas we held our annual tea for alumnae and their daughters and Greek-letter chapter members and their mothers at Lou's home and loud was the acclaim for the success of the affair under the able co-chairmanship of Dorothy O'Brien and Shirley Hopkins.

In January we started some new philanthropy work about which Helen Moore is creating much enthusiasm. We are going to do as much as we can to help pass the time pleasantly for a young matron in town bedridden with multiple sclerosis. And, too, we are attempting to provide transportation for young cerebral palsy outpatients at the Lee Orthopedic Hospital here. In February we again had a booth at the "Have a Heart and Help a Child" bazaar and contributed a considerable sum to that welfare group.

Our new officers were installed in March. They are Mrs. Thomas Moore, president; Mrs. Lewis Hindley, Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Philip Fawcett, treasurer; Mrs. Edwin David, secretary; Mrs. William McDonald, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Philip Putnam, rushing chairman; Mrs. J. L. O'Brien CRESCENT correspondent; Mrs. Carlos Emmanuelli, publicity; Mrs. M. F. Palmer, Panhellenic delegate; and Mrs. Charles Bennett, Panhellenic alternate.

We are thrilled to have our very own Ruth Green as Province Director for Province VII South this year and know she will be very charming as Official Hostess at our convention in Coronado. Together with the Whittier branch we will be in charge of the luncheon on Saturday, June 28. Another busy member this year will be Elizabeth Palmer as vice-president of Panhellenic.

We invite all alumnae who wish to join our group to call the vice-president who will be glad to advise them of the meetings.

EDITH M. HINDLEY

#### Birth:

To Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald (JoAnn Lawrence, Arizona '48), a son, Michael Patrick, October 31, 1951.

### London, Canada

Instead of the annual fall bazaar, London alumnae held a fashion show featuring British knit wear. It was convened by Marion Morrow and the children of members modeled fashions for the younger fry. Plans for a spring fair to be held early in June are under way, under the convenorship of Anna Armstrong. There will be a Parcel Post sale where out-of-town members send in parcels to be sold unopened for a certain amount. Both the fashion show and the spring fair are held at the sorority residence.

We are thrilled and proud when Miriam Voelker was crowned "Queen of the Ball" at the Arts and Science ball: this is the largest annual function on the campus. Our alumnae chapter presented Miriam with a gift, as we did to Dr. Jean Hardie and Pauline Potter, our other two queens. Gamma Phi Betas have captured the crown so frequently that they are more apt to be described as "Glamma Phi Betas!"

The sale of a lot adjacent to the sorority residence for the erection of a modern apartment house netted the corporation sufficient funds to see our chapter completely in the clear, with every cent accrued now going toward building a large, modern residence on or close to the campus. There are no Greek-letter residences on the campus proper, and no provision thus far has been made in this regard. All residences are situated throughout the city. At our annual meeting in the Fall, the following were appointed Corporation officers: president, Mrs. T. B. Seldon; vice-president, Mrs. W. Don Smith; secretary, Pat Williams; treasurer, Anna Armstrong; and Mrs. H. O. Foucar. Mary Tasker has been guiding the alumnae chapter very ably as president.

The alumnae chapter has made financial contributions to the Community Chest and the Canadian Institute for the Blind; the latter is appealing for funds for a modern building in London to aid the blind. We try when possible, to assist with local charities.

Betty Seldon and Phyllis Baldwin are active in the Volunteer Service Bureau here. Phyllis has come to us from Toronto and helps us with our various projects. The Bureau is a central office where citizens may register if they desire to make some contribution to the welfare of their city by making their talents available. For instance, if a housewife can drive a car and has a few hours to spare, she offers to drive veterans to hospitals for treatment. (Volunteers will be more difficult to find when TV sets become more plentiful here!)

Dr. Beth Forbes, who enjoyed a successful medical practice in London is at present in Cleveland at the Cleveland Clinic Radiology Department. Beth, in her undergraduate days, made history by being Western's first drum majorette; perhaps we are partial, but no one has quite led the University band as Beth did! And there are many of her ex-patients who are saying the same of her prowess as their medical advisor.

We know that the San Diego convention will be an inspiration to all who attend and trust that much will be achieved by the interchange of ideals and many suggestions made. Although the Canadian chapters represent a small percentage of the international membership, we hope that this minority and any problems peculiar thereto, will be considered. The stimulation of alumnae interest, and ways and means to achieve this, would be most acceptable to our chapter and no doubt, to many others.

Greetings to Gamma Phi Betas everywhere and best wishes for a happy summer!

Members from out-of-town may call: Mrs. Don Stuart, 2-4954 or Mrs. Chester Yake, 2-4347.

HELEN ASELSKYNE

#### Marriages:

Helen Down to Donald Lee. At home in Wallaceburg, Ont.

Marilyn Bell to Harold Dunlop. At home in Toronto, Ont.

Geraldine Bowman to Ian Flemming. At home in Chatham, Ont.

Marie Salter to James Kraemer. At home in Kitchener, Ont.

Barbara Town to William Lewis.

Barbara Jefferies to Ronald Winter. At home in Vancouver, B.C.

Peggy Summerhayes to Grant Reuber. At home in Ottawa, Ont.

Ruth Southern to Donald Erskine. At home in London, Ont.

Frances Shillington to James H. McLean.

#### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Uffen (Mary Ruth Pater-son, Toronto), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Don Jenner (Marilyn Stewart), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alex Souter (Barbara Bethune), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Leah (Madeleine Howse), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anders (Gwen Carlson), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Borden Spears (Mary King), a son.

To Dr. and Mrs. Lorne Taylor (Frances Winters), a daughter.

To Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Abell (Ruth Summers), a daughter.

### Los Angeles

New projects and policies have been occupying the time and energies of the Los Angeles alumnae. Under our president, Jean Cochran Wald (Minnesota) we have expanded our philanthropic program this year to include the formation of a Nursery Guild to the Hospital of the Good Samaritan. Jane Pendergast Johnson (Stanford) serves as chairman and provides a staff of daily assistants for the obstetrical ward. Providing personnel is, however, only a part of the responsibility assumed by the Guild. Hospital equipment is urgently needed. Our first purchase was an Airlock machine (valued at \$1000 and facetiously called "The Thing").

Funds for this project quite naturally did not come out of the current bank account. How to raise



the money? You've guessed it! Our famous Sunday Night Suppers were the solution to our financial problem. Marguerite Streeter Hornung (Oklahoma) graciously opened her house and gardens. Gail Hall Wright (Kansas) devised the clever invitation "to be a Good Sam" and Lucretia Stephens Hagewald (UCLA) served as chairman. A second party was sponsored by the Beverly Hills Westwood group around the pool in Ann Pratt Bingham's (Vanderbilt) lovely garden. San Fernando Valley alumnae donned kiddie costumes for an evening in Fran Forbes Mathien's (North Dakota) patio.

Despite this extra activity we tried to carry on "business as usual" (We didn't quite make it—did you miss our letter in the December CRESCENT?). The annual summer renovation of the UCLA chapter house was again in the capable hands of Mary Jordan Winterhalter (Illinois). Two bedrooms were completely furnished and redecorated as was the house-mother's room. A new kitchen stove and dining room draperies were also welcome additions.

The third annual scholarship tea was held in October in the home of Edith Fletcher Jones (Wisconsin). At this tea we entertain delegates from both city and college Panhellenics and award a silver tray to the chapters on the UCLA and USC campuses making the greatest improvement in scholarship during the past academic year. The presentations were made by Bertha Grey Harker (Northwestern) under whose sponsorship the awards were first established.

November was devoted to preparations for our booth at the "Doll Fair," held at Marlborough School for Girls and sponsored by the Children's Hospital. Each year we donate articles for Christmas decorations such as wreaths, centerpieces and tree ornaments, staff the booth and turn over all proceeds to the hospital auxiliary. Under the chairmanship of Ann Telfer Kuhl (UCLA) our donation set a new record.

Founders Day was celebrated at the UCLA chapter house with the Greek-letter chapter joining all groups of alumnae: San Fernando Valley, Santa Monica, Beverly Westwood, Juniors and Business and Professional groups. Plans for the party were

made by Lila Hansen Nason (UCLA) and the chapter president, Marianna Muckinherm. More than one hundred members participated in the ceremonies.

So much for the projects—and now for the policies! Los Angeles has its own special problems stemming from a rapid increase in population and the attendant decentralization of residential and business sections. Our members are scattered over a wide area. Transportation and traffic affect attendance at meetings. To study these problems and make recommendations to the executive council, a new committee has been formed called the "Advisory Council." Members are chosen from past executive councils and include: Marguerite Streeter Hornung (Oklahoma), Gail Hall Wright (Kansas), Bertha Gray Harker (Northwestern), Heloise Davis Jacqua (Ohio Wesleyan), Jane Pendergast Johnson (Stanford), Jean Cochran Wald (Minnesota), and Frances Nelson Wherry (Iowa). Their first recommendation was the publication of an area directory for Southern California. Marguerite Attebury Wilson (Missouri) was appointed chairman with Marguerite Hornung and Jean Rogers Johnston (UCLA) on the filing committee. Advertisements were turned over to Ellen Reed Burns and Betty Waring Landis (both UCLA). Expert typing was generously donated by Lois Forbes Spahr (North Dakota).

If you are a member living in the Los Angeles area and are not listed in the above mentioned directory—or if you are in the directory, but have not been called for meetings, you are cordially invited to attend any of the groups listed below:

Executive Council—President, Jean Wald, Cr. 5-7931. Fourth Tuesday, 10:30.

San Fernando Valley—Chairman, Evelyn Sieling, Su. 12031. Second Wednesday, 7:30.

Business and Professional—Chairman, Betty Berthelon, No. 31697. First Thursday, 6:00.

Juniors—Chairman, Lucretia Hagewald, Wh. 5787. First Tuesday, 7:30.

Beta Alpha Juniors—Chairman, Pat Henning, Ue. 80357.

Beverly Westwood—Chairman, Lila Nason, Cr. 12983. Third Tuesday, 12:00.

FRANCES NELSON WHERRY

## Madison

Madison alumnae have been displaying their loyalty to Gamma Phi Beta a good deal this winter. Each month we have been braving the elements to get out to our meetings, to see our old friends and renew our enthusiasm for Gamma Phi Beta.

An informal dinner was held at the chapter house on Founders Day. Our very charming president, Mrs. J. Riley Best (Ann Reimann) was toastmistress while the Greek-letter members performed the impressive ceremony.

The mothers of all Gamma Phi Betas were invited to a "Mothers' Tea" by the alumnae on December 5. Some sixty mothers attended. They enjoyed it so much they are now organizing their own "Mothers Club."

Our house board president, Mrs. Robert L. Reynolds gave a most interesting talk at our January meeting. She related her experiences in Italy from a housewife's point of view. One of her most attentive listeners was Louise Marston. Louise sails April 9 on the *Ile de France*. She plans to travel in Europe for about two months.

The February meeting was held at the very lovely home of Mrs. William J. Rendall. Mrs. Andrew Mailer entertained us with humorous readings.

We are so happy to have Shiela Kivlin, Helen Meanwell Cooper and Patricia Neilson Moen back with us again. A cordial invitation is extended to all alumnae in the Madison area to call Mrs. J. Riley Best at 3-2970.

ELLEN RYAN

## Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. Elliot (Nancy Bishop), a son, on November 13, at Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

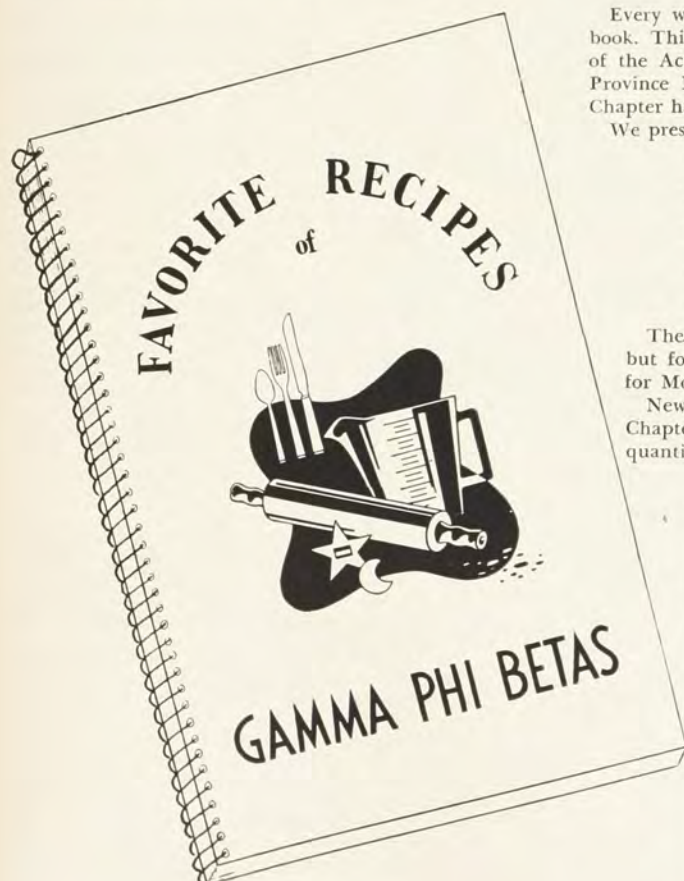
To Dr. and Mrs. Donald Moen (Patricia Neilson), a son, Thomas Proctor, on January 30 in Madison.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook (Marion Miller), a son, Peter Miller, on June 7, in Evanston.

To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Martin (Dorothy Uecke), a son, Patrick III, in January.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ruxton (Sally Diener), a son, Richard Elwood, Jr., on August 30.

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To Mr. and Mrs. John Dietrich (Lois Gernhardt), a son, John, on November 30, in Madison.

To Mr. and Mrs. Karl Eisele (Janet Monsen), a son, Theodore, in October, in Madison.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Lunenschloss (Lucy Belle Siberz), a son, Michael, on November 19, in Madison.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sullivan, Jr. (Mary Gardner), a son, John, on December 20, in Horicon, Wis.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Geiger (Sue Nash), a son, William Frederick, on January 29, in Evanston.

To Dr. and Mrs. William C. Lovshin (Marle Grube), a son, Ralph John II, on January 15, in Eveleth, Minn.

To Mr. and Mrs. David G. Carman (Dr. Patricia McIllece), a daughter, Kathleen Ione, in January, in Madison.

#### Marriages:

Lorelei Bird to Fred B. Chamberlain, Jr. At home in Newport, Ore.

Mary Evelyn Hoffman to H. E. Smith, Jr. (Alpha Delta). At home in Arlington, Va.

Nancy Linn Hardy to Donald L. Geibs of Milwaukee.

Catherine Foster to G. C. Finneran (Alpha Delta). At home in Western Springs, Ill.

#### Miami

After a summer of relaxation and travel, the Miami Gamma Phi Beta alumnae chapter met to discuss plans for the second annual Christmas supper. This year, the supper was again held at the home of Mary Green and each member brought a covered dish to add to the menu. We also brought small gifts for the children at the Kendall County Home as these gifts were very much appreciated last year and helped make Christmas a little brighter for the children who have no real homes of their own.

We are very proud of two of our members who have recently attained high offices in national organizations. Mary Green was elected Regent in the new Coral Gables chapter of the DAR, and Helen Bild is the new National Vice-president of the woman's auxiliary of the American Veterinarian Association.

Two new members have recently been added to our group. They are Didi Niles, who has moved back to once more make her home in Miami and Joan Hess, a graduate of Bowling Green University who is now teaching elementary school in Miami. We are very pleased to welcome them to our group.

The chapter was sorry to lose Myra Stone whose husband was transferred from Miami to Washington. We are sure she will be an enthusiastic member of the alumnae group up there. June (Vreeland) Dudley, our vice-president, succeeded Mrs. Stone as president until new officers were elected at the February meeting. They are as follows: president, Sue Hill Anderson; vice-president, Frankie Cole; treasurer, Jean Baer; and secretary, Gloria Clifford.

In addition to the regular members, the February meeting was attended by Clelia Lancaster and Eleanor Knox, two of our Greek-letter chapter members at the Florida State University chapter at Tallahassee. They are both Miami residents and were home for a short vacation between semesters. We enjoyed having them, as they gave us a great deal of first hand information about the progress and future plans of their chapter.

We are now looking forward to the arrival of Virginia Rhoads, our Province Director. She is planning to attend one of our Spring meetings and we anticipate great pleasure in knowing and making the acquaintance of another sister in Gamma Phi Beta.

Any Gamma Phi Betas new or visiting in this area are urged to call Gloria Clifford at 4181 Pomona, Miami 67-5942.

JUNE V. DUDLEY

#### Marriage:

June Vreeland (Goucher '49) to O. C. Dudley II (Sigma Chi) on October 27, 1951 in Miami, Fla.

#### Birth:

To Mr. and Mrs. Miles Anderson (Sue Hill, Northwestern '50), a daughter, Lisa.

#### Midland-Odessa, Texas

The Midland-Odessa alumnae chapter, incorporating members from two West Texas cities twenty miles apart, was installed in January, 1952, at an

impressive candle-light ceremony in the lovely new home of Billie Kotzya, Midland. We were honored by the presence of our traveling secretary, Cathryne Melton, who flew out from San Antonio to direct the installation. A luncheon at the Midland country club followed the ceremony.

Officers for our chapter are: president, Mary Glynn Northup, Alpha Xi; vice-president, Muriel Cornwall, Psi; recording secretary-treasurer, Margaret Weinold, Alpha Epsilon; corresponding secretary, Margaret Bunnell, Alpha Zeta.

We were especially happy to have two recent graduates—Pat Payne Warren, Alpha Zeta, and Charlotte Jackson, Psi. Should any of you move to West Texas, please contact Mrs. Roger Northup, Midland, or Mrs. Page Greene, Odessa.

BARBARA GREENE

#### Minneapolis

We are baking a huge birthday cake, here at Kappa, a cake with fifty candles to celebrate our Golden Anniversary of Gamma Phi Beta at Minnesota. Your reporter missed the founding by several years, so I called on Helen Hendricks Keyes (1903), a charter member to tell me how it all began:

"Well it wasn't easy, it was hard work, but it was thrilling work all the way. I can remember Margaret Bell, Ruth Spear, Eleanor Sheldon, Mary Ives, Agnes Ives, Maude Heisser, Florence Snuak, Lorena MacFarlane and Marion Jones in the meeting of our KAHLAILU Club, poring over *Baird's Manual* to choose a national affiliation. We easily agreed that Gamma Phi Beta had everything we wanted—all we needed then was proof that they wanted us! Expansion wasn't the big thing it is now, and many looked upon Minnesota as Indian country. We solicited the aid of Mrs. Croalter (Syracuse) and sent her to Madison in our behalf. Madison was convinced by Mrs. Croalter's evidence, and they adopted our cause as theirs. Finally, after reams of letters back and forth, the marvelous 23rd day of May arrived, and almost all of the Madison chapter came up to initiate us. After months of wearing an imaginary crescent on our hearts, it was a thrill to wear the real thing."

And so we were founded. But we haven't stood still. Kappa chapter is proud of having an International Grand President in Millicent Lees Hoffman. Katherine Silverson, Sara Finley, Louise Smith have also served in a national capacity. Maude Hart Lovelace, famed author of "Early Candlelight" and many other books, was Kappa chapter, 1914. Rucy Belle Inglis has written many professional books in the field of education, and still finds time for much club work, presently being president of YWCA of Minneapolis.

Our newest cause, the Curative Work Shop has inspired us to raise and donate more than \$1,000 in the past two years. We enjoy our life in Alumnae work, and strive always to become an ever stronger arm of Gamma Phi Beta.

We know we have your good wishes on this, our fiftieth birthday, and wish you could all be here to enjoy a slice of cake!

MARYLU BASTON

#### Milwaukee

During the summer the Milwaukee alumnae chapter decided that the group needed some new projects to perk up Gamma Phi Beta interest. A committee was appointed to explore new fields with several successful "perker-uppers" being recommended.

A bridge marathon was set up—organized for fun—and still going merrily on. At the October meeting we agreed to man (or woman!) a booth for a day for the sale of T. B. Christmas seals, and we were pretty proud of the number of volunteers we had to work during the always busy holiday season. It was a great pleasure to have Mrs. L. W. Riggs, Province Director, from Des Moines with us at the October meeting. Miss Norma Smith who is head Occupational Therapist at Milwaukee Children's Hospital talked on "Entertainment for Children," and those of us who have youngsters were grateful for suggestions on how to amuse our own bed-bound children.

Founders Day meeting proved to be a grand reunion for all of the Wisconsin alumnae with our own inimitable Louise Marston. She told us some of the highlights of her journalistic adventures. We were all convulsed with laughter at the hysterical things that always happen to our own dear "Pansy." At the Christmas luncheon for all the Milwaukee girls

from the Greek-letter chapters we were so happy to have the chance to know the younger girls better and to hear the news.

We started 1952 with Mr. George New of Milwaukee, one of the country's outstanding etchers, on our program for January. A glance at our year book shows that we had many fine programs the rest of the year. We held a "talent sale" in March. A great success!

With great regret we saw Darlene Dearborn Berry leave for her new home in Chatham, New Jersey.

We are always happy to welcome newcomers into our alumnae chapter and urge them to call Mrs. Donald Bell, 7230 N. Lake Drive, Flagstone 4-9094.

MARIAN REGAN KANE

#### Marriage:

Nancy Hardy to Donald Grieb.

#### Birth:

To Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Seidel, a daughter.

#### Montreal

The close of 1951 brought to an end another busy year of activities for the Montreal alumnae chapter of Gamma Phi Beta. Our sherry party held December 8 was a great success.

With rushing over for another year, we would like to congratulate the chapter on a job well done, and convey a warm welcome to all new Gamma Phi Betas.

The supper party held December 11 turned out to be most delightful. Most of us were able to pick up many useful household items and Christmas gifts at the affair.

The New Year started off with a bang on January 22 with a meeting which was highlighted by the showing of colored films on Canadian skiing. One of the features planned for 1952 is the holding of supper meetings. We hope these will prove popular.

All new Gamma Phi Betas in town are invited to call Mrs. B. Fuller, 4640 Grand Boulevard, N.D.G.—telephone No. DEXter 3916.

ROSALIA BUCCI

#### Marriages:

Margaret Forsyth to Dr. Allan George Ramsay, Fall, 1951.

Janet Campbell to Robert Hendry, Fall, 1951.

#### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. H. Williamson (Elizabeth Atkinson), a son, May, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. M. Simpson (Dorothy Walter), a son, November, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson (Doris Marsh), a son, Spring, 1951.

#### New York

In New York you often hear a very graphic expression—"This I gotta see!" Our December meeting is something you gotta see. We save up all our white elephants because, as Marjorie Rowe, our corresponding Secretary says, they may be some sister's dreamboat. Once Grace Merrill said she had always wanted to be an auctioneer. The moral to that one is—if you say it in New York alumnae chapter you'd better mean it because we never waste a talent. Grace really has a gift, and when she auctions off the elephants the meeting is hilarious—and profitable. This year we made all but a few dollars of our pledge to Beta Nu, our new chapter in Vermont.

At our January meeting we had as our guests the alumnae chapters from Westchester and Nassau County. Mrs. Hinckel told us about Vermont's new house and about the chapter activities and the honors they have won since they were installed. We are very proud of them.

The business of the evening was the working out of plans for a joint project—the providing of dishes for the Vermont house. That project is well under way.

In order to buy dishes you have to have money—and you have to have money for all the worthwhile things you want to do. So New York alumnae chapter has turned author—or should I say compiler. We are compiling the VERY FIRST Gamma Phi Beta cookbook to be national in its scope—international, I should say. We went to press in March.





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DOROTHY MAYES HOLMES

### Northeastern New Jersey

The covered dish luncheon in celebration of Founders Day this year proved to be a real success. The fact that several members cooperated in providing the food, which was served in the hospitable home of Wally Pattyson, helped create a fine spirit of fellowship and informality. Many New Jersey alumnae were there to enjoy it and to pay tribute to the four founders.

Plans for the formation of an auxiliary group of New Jersey alumnae to meet in the evenings are going forward. The list of those interested is growing and names and addresses of old lists are being checked for accuracy. A meeting will be held shortly. Daytime dessert meetings will, of course, also be continued.

During a discussion of ways and means to raise funds at a recent meeting, Jean Bowman presented an interesting idea which was promptly adopted. Each member of the chapter is to bring back some memento of her vacation this year—preferably one characteristic of the place visited. These mementos are to be auctioned off at an early fall meeting.

At the January meeting held in the home of Annette Scaff we had the pleasure of having with us again our own Marion Spain (Mrs. Batt L. Spain) of Maplewood, currently president of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs. An account of her activities left us all wondering how one person could do so much. At the same meeting we missed our recording secretary, Pauline Tallman, but knew she must be enjoying to the fullest the six-month Mediterranean cruise she embarked on with her husband shortly after the holidays.

New members are always welcome and can find out when and where meetings are held by calling the undersigned at Short Hills 7-3257.

ELSA ERLER GROENEVELD

### Omaha

The Omaha alumnae chapter has enjoyed a very successful fall and winter season this year. During the month of October our alumnae were busy preparing for our fall rummage sale, which was held the last week of October and was very lucrative for our treasury.

In October, we met at the home of Mrs. Raymond Wyrens (Lucille Kelly, Nebraska). We enjoyed a delightful buffet supper followed by our usual business meeting. Later we had the privilege of watching a Community Chest movie pointing out to us where our Community Chest contributions go in Omaha.

Our next meeting in November found us gathered at the very charming home of Mrs. W. R. Hamsa (Anna Marie, Nebraska) in observance of Founders Day.

At Christmas time this year we all met in the Cape Cod room of the well-known Hill Top House of west Omaha. We were all so very pleased to see the large group that gathered that afternoon. We

were glad to see again former Omaha alumnae back home for the holiday season. Greek-letter members and pledges from the University of Nebraska, the University of Iowa, and Iowa State College joined us too. The alumnae were also hostesses at this Christmas luncheon to sisters and daughters of alumnae members.

Our January meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Molden (Bertha Engle, Illinois). At this meeting we worked on our kimono project. Plans for the spring season were discussed.

February found us all meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Scanland (Jane, Arizona). We want to thank Mrs. R. W. Grant (Jeane Gross, Iowa State), for her capable handling of the kimono project. All kimonos were beautifully made and embroidered. We plan now to give these to the Nebraska Children's Home. This meeting was highlighted by a Dutch auction of white elephants. Everyone eagerly brought her white elephant to the meeting. Beautiful Valentine cakes showed up at this auction to tempt each one of us. Everyone really became enthusiastic and dug deep down in her pocket to help swell Gamma Phi Beta's treasury fund. Officers were nominated at this meeting for the coming year.

At the March meeting at the home of Mrs. Donald Bock (Barbara Johnson, Nebraska), installation of the new officers was held.

We had the pleasure of adding some new members to our chapter this past year. They include Mrs. Max Freeman (Rollins College), and Mrs. H. H. Hatch, Jr. (Molly Huston, Nebraska). We also welcomed back into the fold Mrs. Warren D. Jacobsen (Diane Hayes, Nebraska) who left us for a short time to live in Columbus, Ohio.

Again we bid farewell to Barbara Hoerner (Iowa State) as she sails back to Hawaii. This time Barbara's mother made the trip with her. Do let us hear from you, Barb.

We had several visitors this past year. Mrs. Harold L. Gerhart, Jr. (Torchy Rediger, Nebraska) was back from La Jolla, California where her husband is now stationed with the U. S. Navy. Virginia (Dina) Buckingham (Nebraska) was with us during the holiday season from her position as head resident and Director of Women's activities at the University of Iowa. Marian Hamilton (Nebraska) was with us for two fall meetings while home from Sun Valley, Idaho.

It is with deepest sympathy that we extend to Mrs. John Stransky (Grace Smith, Nebraska), a former Omaha alumna, our most sincere regrets in the recent loss of her husband, John, in Korea. We also wish to extend to Mrs. Preston Oder (Nebraska) our most sincere regrets in the recent loss of her husband, Preston.

Our membership is steadily increasing. We have a very congenial and enthusiastic group here in Omaha. We cordially invite any Gamma Phi Beta new in our city to call Mrs. Raymond Wyrens, 2001 No. 55, Glendale 2512.

GINI HAMILTON YOST

### Marriage:

Virginia White (Nebraska) to Richard G. Gelicick, November 5, 1951.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. William Levine (Joan Landwehrkamp, Nebraska), a daughter, Barbara Jo, October 20, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hajcher (Jo Moss, Nebraska '49), a son, Jay Alan, October 10, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sadler (Shirley Douglas, Nebraska '50), a son, Douglas Payne, November 9, 1951.

### Orlando-Winter Park

Since bidding "farewell" to Boston and my "Sisters" in the Boston University chapter, early in September, and forsaking "Bean Town" for the "Sunshine State," this Gamma Phi Beta has become involved in numerous and varied activities.

In addition to holding down my job as Assistant Program Director at radio station WDBO, producing and directing a series of half-hour dramatic shows for WDBO's Theatre of the Air, and taking the lead in "Gaslight" for Orlando Little Theatre, I've been present at all but one meeting of the Orlando-Winter Park alumnae chapter and so have been able to keep up with what the chapter is doing as a whole as well as to gather interesting information concerning the activities of individual members.

We are continuing our drive started earlier in the year, to establish a clothing pool for the Central Florida T.B. Sanatorium, and are receiving contributions from members of the Greek-letter chapter as well as from our own members.

The alumnae chapter awarded a silver tray to Robin Metzgar, this year's pledge with the highest scholastic standing. The gift was presented to Robin at initiation banquet by Mariel Riddle, alumnae adviser.

An outdoor party for the Greek-letter chapter was given early in the Spring at the home of Mrs. John Northrup, newly-elected alumnae president.

Lee Gibson (Rollins '51) is now principal of College Park Methodist Day Kindergarten. Lee also finds time to furnish incidental and background music on the organ and piano for WDBO's Theatre of the Air productions, and has accepted an invitation to lecture at an assembly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of All Saints Episcopal Church in Winter Park, on the subject: "Christian Symbolisms." Lee, at 19, was the youngest Rollins graduate in the Class of '51.

Mary George Hill (Rollins '47) is vice-president of Orlando Panhellenic Association.

Virginia Richardson Benjamin, for the past six years legal secretary to W. W. Arnold, of Arnold, Matheny and Butt, is also pianist and contralto soloist at John Knox Presbyterian Church, and a member of the Bach Festival Choir.

Mariel Riddle (Rollins '51) was awarded the first Willard Wattles Scholarship of \$450 for furtherance of graduate study in English.

Mrs. Helen Moore Torrance who came to us from the Syracuse chapter, has been elected to Kappa Delta Pi, honor society in Education. Mrs. Torrance received her M.A. in Education at Stetson University this summer.

We cheered, as only Gamma Phi Betas can, when the band struck up "I'm Glad I'm American" at the Tangerine Bowl (Stetson vs. Arkansas State) on New Year's Day. The reason for our thunderous applause? Our own Mary Lou Edwards wrote the lyrics to this patriotic ballad, and it should be in the hands of publishers at this writing!

Our meeting night has been changed to the third Tuesday of each month and we extend cordial invitations to any Gamma Phi Betas in the area who haven't been with us so far, to hurry and join our ranks! Please contact Mrs. John Northrup at 2-3690.

KATHY LANCASTER

### Reminder to Convention-goers . . .

Send in your room registration blank early, especially if you have a choice for a roommate! See blank on page 19. Be sure to bring an old hat! At the "Hat Luncheon" each Gamma Phi Beta will wear a hat of the vintage of her chapter's founding.

### Pasadena

Pasadena alumnae have been enjoying a series of varied and interesting meetings during the fall and winter months. After the very successful Mardi Gras party in September, which opened the season for Gamma Phi Betas here, the October meeting found members gathered in Helen Wilfong's home for business reports and a discussion of the new Los Angeles philanthropy project, led by two guests from the Los Angeles chapter. Marion Dwight's new home was the charming scene of the November luncheon meeting and Jan Winterbottom was hostess in December, when a purely social time was planned for the group by Midge Barrett, chairman of the day. A variety of novel games and stunts put everyone in a holiday mood and all acclaimed the afternoon an outstanding occasion. A Christmas dinner-dance was held at the Huntington Hotel on December 19 and was preceded by a gay gathering at the home of Thuel Dorn.

The annual evening meeting which attracts many members who cannot attend the usual luncheon affairs, was held jointly with the juniors in February at the home of Ruth Slater. Oliver Prickett, from the famed Pasadena Community Playhouse, told many entertaining anecdotes about that State



Theater and school, which has turned out so many well known actors and actresses.

Interest and anticipation are mounting here concerning the coming convention at Coronado. With the general chairman, vice-chairman, and several committee chairmen in our midst, as many as possible are planning to make the 100 mile trek southward in June. Florence Martin is busy daily with all sorts of wonderful plans and is being assisted by Rae Flynn as vice-chairman, Maxine Bartlett, publicity chairman, and Helen Wilfong, in charge of printing. Margaret Monroe is taking charge of convention reservations, and Midge Barrett, who knows Hawaii first hand, is in charge of the convention's Hawaiian night, while Jan Winterbottom is arranging a men's stag party for those who will be awaiting their ladies during the Carnation Banquet on the last convention evening. It all sounds most exciting to us and we are looking forward to meeting the many Gamma Phi Betas who will travel from other chapters to our sister city of San Diego, and Coronado, across the bay.

DOROTHY BROWN BRYANT

### Peninsula

Peninsula alumnae chapter is seeing double these days. And very happy about it, too. Most exciting news since our installation four short years ago is the recent formation here of a Junior alumnae group. These enthusiastic young matrons and career girls are going strong. They have already had a Christmas cocktail party and, more recently, a potluck supper with husbands and friends. The first was at the home of Ann Smyth Bakewell (California) and the latter (17 couples) at the home of Louise Gulstrand Thume (UCLA), with Grant B. and Jack T. assisting, of course!

Under the fine leadership of Jean Whitt Fromm (Oklahoma & Wisconsin), our lovely little president, who represented us at the Colorado Convention, our chapter has had a busy and successful two years, for she served us that long, bless her.

The first year of Jean's presidency was probably the busiest one this chapter has ever had. Our activities included a six-week bridge tournament, climaxed by a large bridge luncheon at Grace Lowe Gary's (Washington) beautiful home in Hillsborough. This affair, ably managed by Natalie Brown Warner (Oregon), brought us much revenue and fine publicity. Other events during that year were a fashion show luncheon at the Chukker cafe, using our own beauteous members as models; a joint Founders Day brunch with San Jose State members, San Jose alumnae and Palo Alto alumnae at the Marie Antoinette Hotel in Menlo Park; and our annual mothers' tea, hosted this year by Blanche Wilson Gunther (Oregon). Josephine Hurd McKown (Minnesota) and Winifred Krapfel Kuhn (Missouri) arranged this tea and Blanche's exquisite French interiors provided a truly sumptuous setting. One evening in the spring our husbands joined us at the California Golf Club for dinner dancing. Some of us enjoyed brunch and spent a day at Jean Fromm's working on scrap books for the Vancouver Camp. We were really proud of these books—there were 30 of them, they were nice big ones and each frontispiece was appropriately decorated to make a little girl happy.

Helen Roberts Mangin (California), State Membership Chairman, doubled to represent Peninsula alumnae at the Province Conference in Reno last March.

Jean's hard-working officers the first year were Natalie Warner (Oregon), vice-president; Jane Nadler Walker (California), recording secretary; Marjorie Campbell Chope (Iowa), corresponding secretary; and Peg Worden (Wisconsin and Stanford), treasurer.

One of the most interesting things that was done that year was an evaluation of our chapter's activities and participation. Questionnaires were sent to every Gamma Phi Beta on our membership list, the results leading to certain deductions by the Executive Board. Because we feel that these findings may prove interesting to other alumnae groups, we quote them herewith:

1. That too few of our members are willing to assume the responsibility of offices and chairmanships.
2. That meetings should alternate monthly from day to evening to capture the maximum interest of the greatest number of our members.
3. That our activities, social, business and fund raising, be curtailed.

4. That all business be executed at a board meeting open to any member.
5. That regular meetings be held for the purpose of getting better acquainted; playing bridge, sewing, having guest speakers and programs.
6. That the duties of corresponding secretary should be eased by a telephone and courtesy committee for calling new and seldom seen members.
7. That the vice-president should have an assistant—one to arrange for meetings and programs—one to arrange social events and fund raising.
8. That the year's program should be planned at the first board meeting after the March election.

Everyone was so happy to have Jean Fromm retain the presidency for a second term. Serving with her this year have been Mary Elizabeth Gordon (Denver); as vice-president; Jane Nadler Walker (California), recording secretary; Esther Davis Scriven (Oregon), corresponding secretary and Irma Wullenwaber Luper (Kansas), treasurer. No sooner had Jean accepted her reassignment than she arranged a benefit play-reading tea for us and then departed for a visit to her home in Oklahoma. This reading was held at Luella Allen's (Stanford) new home with Jessie Duggan Wisnom (Stanford) receiving the guests in her usual gracious manner. After making the big decision to try our hands at a rummage sale sometime in the Fall, we disbanded for the summer.

Kickoff autumn meeting was in another lovely new home—that of Mary Diepenbrock Draeger (California). We caught up on everyone's summer, had a bit of business, dessert and bridge. Still another new home provided the locale for October's daytime get-together. We were about as close as you can get to Heaven—high up in Hillsborough—with Ruth Burnap Cunningham (Ohio Wesleyan). Dessert and conversation were featured while we folded and stamped invitations to the opening of the handsome new YMCA edifice in San Mateo, these having been thoughtfully provided by Ruth's husband, Carl, who is a Y board member. It was at this meeting, incidentally, that our Junior alumnae group was born.

Jean Fromm again brought her artistic talents into play for our Founders Day celebration with a charmingly arranged setting—carnations, Crescent, candles—and all the things dear to the hearts of Gamma Phi Betas. We journeyed to the home of Christine Graves Hedge (California) in Redwood City for this one.

Our Christmas meeting was stupendous and brought us some terrific local publicity. Hats representing what the wearer would like for Christmas were modelled and Lili Dache herself would have been astonished at some of them. Pearl Van Horn, Alumnae Secretary for Province VII North, was our guest this day. Mary Clark McClinton (Toronto) hosted this meeting, and did we ever love her yummy snowballs! Fancy having snowballs in California—or haven't you heard about our winter?

The rummage sale was held early in December in the middle of a cloudburst. For a first attempt, and considering the weather, we were well satisfied with the financial return—a little less than \$300. Ruth Heine Scott (Nebraska) was chairman of the sale and she certainly deserves a lot of credit for her hard work.

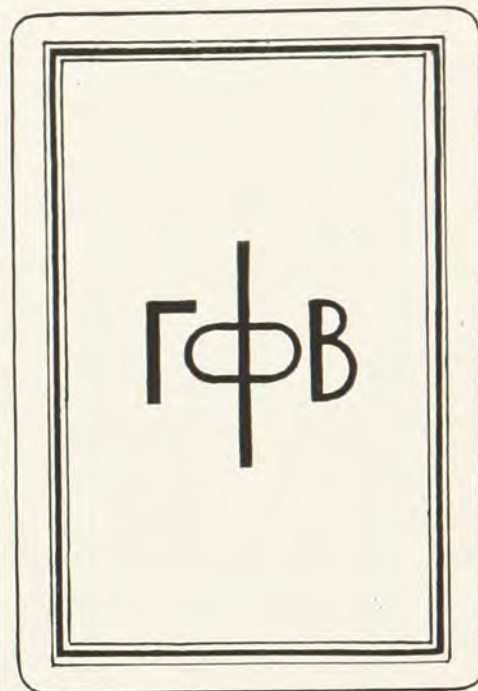
Christine Hedge has been serving this year as secretary-treasurer for the San Francisco Bay Area Intercity Council, and Helen Mangin continues as advisor.

The craft classes that Gamma Phi Betas conducted once a week for nearly three years at Hillcrest, the San Mateo County Juvenile Hall, have been discontinued. Our efforts proved this kind of activity so valuable that they resulted in the probation department's hiring a regular staff instructor. We turned over all our tools and materials to them, no small contribution, we assure you. Hillcrest continues to be our local philanthropy, however. We gave them a check for \$50 at Christmas time and have now established a permanent fund, which will be added to from time to time, for crafts and recreation. Once a month, on a holiday or special day, four or five homemade cakes (baked by the loyal sisters!) are sent out and we don't need to tell you how popular they are!

Gamma Phi Betas come and go on the Peninsula like a lot of will-o'-the-wisps. At the present writing there are 93 of us in this area, and thirty chapters are represented among us. Some of us are looking forward to greeting you at Convention this summer. If you come to the San Francisco Peninsula, please get in touch with Mrs. Kirk Carlton, 21 Powell Street, San Mateo, DI 4-5168.

HELEN ROBERTS MANGIN

## Graduation's Here Again . . .



All of the wonderful Seniors, whom you actives have admired and whom the alumnae respect for their marvelous records and achievements, will soon be leaving the active fold.

The Seniors on your graduation list will appreciate a practical and unique token of remembrance—a gift of a double-deck of attractive playing cards bearing the Gamma Phi Beta initials in golden Greek letters—the colorful plastic playing cards will be a remembrance of you, of the chapter, and of the four years of fun and friendship.

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**Marriages:**

Mary Ed Davis (Stanford '47) to Klaas Bol (Stanford), on March 25, 1950, in San Mateo, California.

Ann Marie Christiansen (California '51) to Richard W. Dorst (Phi Gamma Delta) on January 19, 1952, in San Mateo, California.

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Aubry, Jr. (Margaret Wade, Stanford), a son, Wade Michael, October 24, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Grant Bakewell (Ann Smyth, California), a son, Grant McNeill, Jr., March 6, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beale (Marion Allen, Vanderbilt), a daughter, Janet, April 3, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Kirkendall Carlton (Jane March, Washington U.), a daughter, Sarah Lee, January 13, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cost (Jean Thompson, Stanford), a son, John Elliott, May 6, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert N. Davis (Jean McFarland, Stanford), a daughter, Barbara Caren, July 8, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Draeger (Mary Diepenbrock, California), a son, Anthony Michael, December 9, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. King Kells (Janet Boobar, Oregon), a daughter, Kristine Ann, October 12, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Mitchell (Laura Lee DeVoss, UCLA), a son, Douglas Earl, June 4, 1951.

To Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Barton Murdock (Thae Reitzel, California), a son, Gordon Ray, December 9, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Smyth (Mildred Lee Wilson, Colorado College), a daughter, Joanne, November 20, 1950.

To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sullivan (Mary Kay Brinkhaus, Denver), a daughter, Alice Mary, January 15, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Warner (Natalie Brown, Oregon), a son, Nathan Blair, Jr., July 9, 1950.

**Peoria**

For the past four years, the goal of the Peoria alumnae was to see that Beta Eta chapter of Bradley University was established as one of the university's strongest sororities. Now, with the accomplishment of this goal and the addition of many young alumnae into our group, we have decided to focus our activities on benefiting our summer camps and local handicapped children's organizations.

Due to the past fine results of our Christmas tea, it was decided to again incorporate this into our money raising program. The tea was organized by a committee consisting of Kaye Neumayer, Jan McLennan, Ginny Velpel, and Margaret Graham. They had gathered a fine collection of Christmas cards, wrapping paper, and gift items to show the friends who had been invited by the alumnae.

Early in the Fall, it was decided to concentrate all our efforts on the fine idea presented by Irma Gamble. Her plan called for the selling of tickets to visit five homes of the members on December 11, 1951. The thought was to have the homes decorated with many different Christmas ideas and it also called for the sale of special Christmas bakery goods and Christmas novelties.

The interests of the alumnae chapter go out to the many thanked friends and florists for their fine cooperation in assisting with the decorating of the homes for the tours.

"Holiday Caravan" was the chosen name of the tour. The five homes which were open to 729 guests were Mary Smith's, Dorothy Scully's, Maxine Williams', Selma Neumiller's and Irma Gamble's. The visitors all expressed unanimous approval of the caravan and hoped that it would be repeated in years to come.

The finance committee was capably headed by Billie Taylor and Louise Elssor, while Wanda Crystal handled the bakery items, and Barb Bogard headed the committee that made Christmas novelties.

At our January meeting it was decided to present part of our earnings from these projects to three local groups: the retarded children's school at Neighborhood House; the parents of the visually handicapped children's club; and, the Salvation Army's summer camp for underprivileged children. Another part of the proceeds from the caravan will be diverted into our own summer camp program.

It has been decided to hold our meetings on the fourth Wednesday of every month, alternating between afternoon and evening meetings. We welcome new members to our group.

JILL HOLLIDAY SCOTT

**Marriage:**

Lois Gibson (Bradley '53) to Robert W. Evans on November 11, 1951.

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. James Chianakas (Nan Seelye, Bradley '51), a son, Lawrence James, October 10, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Blair (Martha Hale, Northwestern '47), a son, Thomas Gainsford, December 17, 1951.

**Philadelphia**

The Philadelphia alumnae ended the year with a wonderful Christmas party at the home of Rachel Trump. The buffet supper was followed by a gift exchange and musical program with vocal selections by Peter Trump, nationally known vocalist, and piano numbers by Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and our own Marilyn Lee. A special guest was Gamma Phi Beta Hilda Groman Taylor who is a well known artist in New York City.

Rachel Bulby Trump, a graduate of the fine arts department at Syracuse University, is an outstanding painter in the Philadelphia area and has exhibited in most of the leading cities in the East. As a special contribution to our group Mrs. Trump offered to paint a portrait as a special prize, which was won by Hazel Peck Pees. Mrs. Trump is also a member of the Plastic Club, leading women's art club in Philadelphia. Twice she has won the gold medal awards from that club, plus a number of prizes from other places. The Philadelphia group is honored to have such a talented member.

Our project for the spring months has been the making of scrap books for the children's hospitals.

SARAH FERREE NUPP

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. Romaine (Dorothy Rose), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Young, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Romeika (Ione Travioli), a daughter.

**Phoenix**

With the fall season came many, many activities for alumnae of the Phoenix area, most of which were connected with Beta Kappa chapter at Arizona State College.

Our year started off with the baking of some 28 cakes for a "Cake Walk" held by the Greek-letter chapter on October 24. The profits from this sale, along with money given by the alumnae group, was used for the purchase of materials used on the homecoming float. With a theme of "Orchids to You" in honor of the graduates, the float won first place in the women's division and second place among all groups on campus.

Under the very able leadership of Ruth Carpenter Mittler (USC '42), we sponsored a very profitable rummage sale in November, acquiring \$85 for our efforts. Ruth was assisted by Florence McIntire Murray (Arizona State '43), Ethel Rhonalt Igoe (Oregon '41), Virginia Gordon Ballard (Arizona '42), and Evelyn Williams Petty (Arizona '39). Loads of thanks also go to the many other brave souls who ventured forth in the cold, gray dawn to help with the sales.

On October 26, some of our members had the privilege of assisting with the initiation of 18 pledges to Beta Kappa chapter. Again on November 9 we were invited to assist the Greek-letter chapter, this time with a rushing party at the Chandler home of Miss Nancy Ryan, at which time five charming girls were pledged. They are Nancy White, Lois Tollefrud, Jerry Colyer, Muriel Voights, and Kathy Roe. Much credit for this successful party should go to our own rushing chairman, Shirley Lawson Henderson (Northwestern '44), and her able assistant Betty Collins Entz (Arizona '43).

A lot of work and fun went into the planning and execution of our Christmas house tea held on December 8 and 9. We realized approximately \$300 from this venture which goes toward the purchase of playground equipment for the Arizona Children's Colony. The very capable chairmen were Marian Webb Armer (Arizona '34) and

Mozelle Wood Duwe (Arizona '35). We hope each year will prove bigger and better, as we have adopted this as an annual project.

The past year proved to be profitable for the chapter not only financially but in more and closer friendships gained. We hope our accomplishments shall increase as the new year progresses.

BILLYE MORROW GRIFFIN

**Marriage:**

Peggy Andrews (Arizona '47) to Robert A. Petrie (Kappa Sigma), November 24, 1951, in Yuma.

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Rogers (Joan Blaney, Arizona '46), a son, Jonathan, August 6, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Twohig (Jo Lyn Winans, Arizona '48), a daughter, Lynne Ann, October 22, 1951.

**Portland**

In October, the Portland alumnae held a rummage sale. Mrs. Wm. Carney (Virginia Lees) did a splendid job as chairman.

Our Founders Day banquet was held on November 12 at the Cape Cod tea room. Mrs. Paul Patterson (Georgia Benson) was the featured speaker.

Plans for a spring formal were discussed at our regular January meeting. The proceeds from this dance will be used for scholarships to be awarded to a University of Oregon girl and an Oregon State girl. Mrs. David Sandeberg (Lucille Kraus) is chairman of the dance which is planned at the Columbia Edgewater Country Club on May 17.

Any newcomers to the Portland area are cordially invited to our meetings which are held the third Tuesday in the month. They are also urged to call Mrs. Wm. Moersch (Lorlei Stewart), TAbor 0385.

DOROTHY NOWOTNY BOEHM

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clist (Jean Mackie, Oregon State '39), a son, Charles Mark, March 22.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Kellogg (Rita Harmer, Oregon State), a son, Phillip, December 8.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gassman (Oregon State, '50), a daughter, Jane Margaret, December 2

To Mr. and Mrs. Haritonoff (Alice Peterson, Oregon State '48), a daughter, Emily Biddle, January 27, in New York.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winslow (Betty Thomas, University of Oregon, '43), a daughter, Susan, July.

**Richmond**

Our October meeting was held in the lovely home of Marie Rogers, at which time we had the pleasure of having with us Mrs. G. Russell Page, Director of Province VIII. In her delightful manner, Mrs. Page told us of the news and activities of the various chapters in our Province which she had recently visited. We are eagerly looking forward to our next meeting with Mrs. Page.

Founders Day was celebrated by our group in the home of Elizabeth Newman Toms with Lavonia Curtis Hyman and Anna Jean Trost in charge of the program. A gold and brown crescent candle holder was presented to us by Tommy Toms, husband of Elizabeth Newman Toms, for the occasion.

On Wednesday, December 12, it was our great pleasure to have a tea in honor of our International Officers among whom were: Mrs. Ralph E. Dippell, Jr., Mrs. D. W. LeMaster, Mrs. Howard G. Newman, Mrs. Stuart K. Fox, Mrs. John M. Curtis, Miss Mary Jane Hipp and Mrs. James J. Marek. We regret Mrs. George M. Simonson and Mrs. G. Russell Page were unable to be with us. The president and one other member of each of the nineteen Panhellenic sorority alumnae groups of Richmond attended the tea. We were privileged to use the beautiful silver tea service from the Alpha Chi chapter at William and Mary which was given to them by Miss Ann Chapman of Williamsburg. We feel most honored to have had the opportunity of meeting and visiting with our International Officers.

We would be pleased to have any new or visiting alumnae in the vicinity of Richmond call Mrs. Everett E. Grossman, phone 5-7187.

ELIZABETH NEWMAN TOMS

**Marriage:**

Thyra Baker (William and Mary '48) to Phillip Randolph Clark, September, 1952.



**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ferguson, a son, Wilfred Allan, January 8, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Kersey, a daughter, Susan Page, November, 1952.

**Rockford-Belvidere**

Since the last letter to THE CRESCENT the Rockford Gamma Phi Betas have been busy with philanthropic as well as social duties.

In November we had our annual Founders Day luncheon which was held at Rockford Country Club. Mrs. Harold Collins was chairman and responsible for making it a success. It was there that two new members were welcomed for the first time. One was Mrs. David Utley (Mary Brush, University of Iowa, '46) and the other was Mrs. Gary Cunningham (Aline Erickson, Northwestern '52).

At the December meeting gifts were brought by members for a Christmas basket. The previous year we found a family of seven who really needed help and their condition hadn't changed much this year, so we decided to help them again. The basket contained food, clothing and lots of toys. After the meeting we enjoyed refreshments and bridge.

January passed with its share of cold icy blasts, but also with hope that some sparkling entertainment could be found for the coming Panhellenic benefit program, of which Gamma Phi Beta is chairman this year. Several suggestions have been made ranging from barber shop quartets to comedy acts. Mrs. John Whitehead is ways and means chairman and Mrs. R. A. Larsen will assist. Proceeds will go for a partial scholarship to Rockford College and also a student loan fund.

A progressive supper was held in February by all the alumnae and their husbands. Three courses were served, starting with cocktails at the new home of the John Whiteheads, following with a spaghetti main course at the John Cook home, and concluding with dessert and entertainment at the A. W. Gillespie home.

At present we are making sock dolls at the request of the Denver camp. From scraps of material will emerge little doll clothes in the image of clowns and dancing ladies.

Mrs. John Cook, Jr., will remain as president of our group, Mrs. R. A. Larsen as vice-president, Mrs. Eugene Clift will succeed Mrs. Whitehead as secretary, Mrs. Carl Frese as treasurer, and Mrs. Arthur Sadtler as corresponding secretary. Ours is a small group and we have decided that taking a job for two years would give us a greater chance to express ourselves.

New Gamma Phi Betas in the Rockford area please contact Mrs. John Cook, Jr., 3-8303.

JEANNE NELSON CLIFT

**Marriage:**

Aline Erickson (Northwestern '52) to Gary Cunningham.

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Larsen (Jean Jackson, Northwestern '44), a daughter, Janet Ann, November 25.

To Mr. and Mrs. Royal Lightcap (Shirley West, Wisconsin '49), a daughter, Martha Elizabeth, October 9.

**Sacramento Valley**

In October members of the Sacramento Valley alumnae chapter and their husbands attended a dinner dance. The dance was preceded by a cocktail party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jordan.

In November the Founders Day observance took the place of the regular meeting. This year a brunch was held at the Senator Hotel. We were very fortunate in having Harriet Alden, International Camp Chairman, as our guest speaker. Mrs. Alden gave us many ideas for future camp work.

The annual December meeting and Christmas party was held in the home of Miss Bette Blair. Following the business meeting gifts were handed out by Santa Claus who later turned out to be Mrs. Paul Bernardis (Stacia Hoebrecht). Since president Mrs. William Collier (Evelyn McCormick) was visiting in the east the meeting was conducted by vice-president Mrs. Charles Merz (Barbara Marr).

At our January meeting we decided to make sock dolls for the Colorado camp. The dolls will be made at the meetings and we hope to have them

finished in plenty of time for the opening of camp.

February's meeting was climaxed by the election of new officers. The officers for the coming year are: Mrs. John Fiddymont (Lou Erickson), president; Mrs. William Parker (Dorothy Myll), vice-president; Mrs. E. W. Scammon (Ann Blundell), recording secretary; Mrs. E. C. Donnelly (Arlene Sorensen), corresponding secretary; Mrs. Clinton Jordan (B. J. Binney), treasurer; Mrs. William O. Greer (Barbara Bennet), membership chairman; Mrs. Forest Plant (Shirley Boles), Panhellenic representative and Mrs. Peter Chrisler (Jane Nelson), alternate.

ARLENE SORESENSEN DONNELLY

**Salem**

The Salem alumnae staged a successful rummage sale during the winter and are now planning a tea for the Greek-letter chapter members and their mothers at the close of the school year in order to get acquainted with both. The Salem Gamma Phi Beta Mothers' Club helps the alumnae group each year with the rummage sale and then part of the proceeds are used to buy gifts for the two Greek-letter chapters in Oregon.

Plans were made at our last meeting to issue a booklet containing the names, addresses, phone numbers, and other pertinent information about the Salem area alumnae.

Individual members of the alumnae group have been spending some of their spare time traveling. Shirley Huntington (Oregon '44), is returning from the Mediterranean area where she is assistant field director for the Red Cross. Sophie Spears (Oregon '09) took a vacation trip to Hawaii. Maryemma Beane won the Salem Toastmistress Club speech contest and will enter the district contest.

Any new alumnae in the Salem area are asked to call Mrs. C. C. Higgins, Salem 4-2528, for information as to the time and place of meeting of the Salem alumnae chapter.

CAROLYN STEWARD

**Births:**

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns (Calline Hillman, Colorado '48), their third daughter, December 18, 1951.

## Gamma Phi Beta Recommendation Blank

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Personal appearance .....

Character ..... Dependability ..... Group Adaptability .....

Potentialities (possibilities of development) .....

Vocational interest .....

Talents and special interests .....

High school activities .....

College activities .....

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To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schmidt (Martha Taber, Oregon State '46), a daughter, January 7, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Sears (California), a son, January, 1952.

### San Antonio

In the past few months San Antonio has had a happy transfusion of new blood in gaining as members Doris Pierson Wear, Gertrude Bonnell DePriest and Anita Berg Lockwood, all alumnae of the University of Oklahoma, plus Betty Ann Huskins Ungemach (Colorado State College) whose husband is stationed at Lackland Air Force Base.

Local Panhellenic this year has for its project the giving of time and service to the Children's Service Bureau. Gamma Phi Betas have rallied nicely to furnishing transportation to and from clinics, etc., as well as doing straight case work. Now, right down our alley, is the task of seeing how many of these underprivileged children we can arrange to send to summer camps.

On the purely fun side, the annual party for Greek-letter chapter members, pledges and their mothers was a sherry party on the afternoon of December 29 at Geetsy Vizard's. It was so wonderfully warm and summery that we couldn't burn the Yule log, but it was delightful getting to know our new girls.

San Antonio rejoices in the addition of a new Texas alumnae group, and we feel we had a part in it, since Cathryne Melton installed the Midland-Odessa chapter way out there in West Texas.

At the February meeting at Velma Erwin Guggolz' home, new officers were elected. They are: president, Zula Williams Vizard; vice-president, Gertrude Bonnell DePriest; secretary, Gwendolyn Shepherd; treasurer, Cathryne Melton; Panhellenic representative, Ruth O'Hara Helms.

ZULA WILLIAMS VIZARD

#### Birth:

To Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garrison (Claire Lawler, Texas '39), a son, Richard Lee, December 19, 1951.

### San Diego

Convention in June! What could be more wonderful than spending six gay, luxurious days at world famous Hotel Del Coronado in southern California! The thrill of greeting old friends—meeting hundreds of new Gamma Phi Beta sisters—swimming in the pool—playing tennis on the spacious courts—dancing in one of the lovely ball rooms—a tour into our neighboring country, colorful Mexico, are some of the things being planned by your hostesses! The regal atmosphere of the Hotel situated on Coronado Island, across the bay from San Diego, together with the added splendor of the bay filled with Navy ships, and, across the way, the blue of the Pacific ocean is a setting unequalled for the convening of our forty-fifth International Convention. San Diego Gamma Phi Betas are enthusiastically anticipating a glorious week at Convention! Our successful ways and means chairman, Connie Harmon Ballinger (Denver) and her committee have netted a goodly sum of "inflation" dollars. Our Globe Theater project put \$225.00 in the treasury—sale of Gamma Phi Beta calendars added \$30.00 more—and the "silent auctions" held at our meetings gave us \$50.00. Now we are venturing forth on another project, selling a wonderful silver polish which is proving to be a profitable one. We have purchased a block of tickets and are attending our San Diego Symphony concert—thereby helping both the Symphony and our treasury as fifty cents on each ticket goes into our fund. We look to our new Junior Alumnae section with a great deal of pride and joy. Sharlott Hardesty (San Diego State) is the newly elected president. We know that Elizabeth Ann Fee Arnold (Colorado State), now living in Washington, D.C., will join with us in extending the very best of wishes to Sharlott in her continuing leadership. Elizabeth, as Alumna Advisor, worked so closely with Sharlott when she was president of San Diego State chapter. The Juniors have plans for a basket supper and square dance which sounds like real fun! San Diego City Panhellenic Association is headed by a Gamma Phi Beta this year, Ada Marie Kelly Dawson (Washington U.). We are proud of the gracious and efficient manner in which Ada Marie

presides. Sally Stevens Jones (San Diego State), our vivacious Convention entertainment chairman is busy with plans. Her sister, Eleanor Stevens Fuller (Minnesota), Convention decorations chairman has her work well in hand and will have an abundance of California flowers for all occasions. Sue Cornell Byrne (UCLA) will edit the Convention *Crescent Moon*. She will be assisted by Patricia Rector Fry (San Diego State). "No one at convention can afford to miss a single issue of the *Crescent Moon* for it will contain the latest in "scoop" news—so says Sue. Mildred Reitz (Colorado State) our travel agency girl, with her enthusiasm and friendliness is to head the transportation. Edith Herrin Watt (Oregon) will be in charge of the model initiation. She will tirelessly do the work at hand correctly. Jean Parkhurst (San Diego State) is to serve as property chairman. Inter-city Council is headed this year by our own Mary Hungate Bennett (Nebraska). She is so helpful, considerate and capable that we confidently depend upon her to do the work assigned in a creditable manner. Margaret Tumlin McIntosh (San Diego State) is to be chairman of entertainment for Grand Council on Sunday night, June 22. Our retiring alumnae president, Eleanor Berry Edmiston (Washington U.) is leaving for a summer tour of Europe, the day after school closes. She is very sorry to miss Convention—and is now busy making plans for her eagerly awaited vacation. We were happy to have as our guest at our last chapter meeting Charlotte Jones Wallace (Idaho) of Newberg, Oregon. We are eagerly awaiting June—Convention month—and will be on hand to welcome all Gamma Phi Betas to San Diego and to our sister city across the bay, Coronado.

THELMA MCGEE McNARY

#### Marriages:

Jacqueline Lewis (San Diego State) to Donald Sutherland.

Patricia Noret (San Diego State) to John Raymond Krum, Lambda Chi Alpha.

#### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy V. Demaray (Margaret George, San Diego State) daughter, January, 1952.

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To Mr. and Mrs. J. Terrill Miles (Winifred Williams, Arizona), son, February, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Burns (Dorothy Vance, San Diego State), daughter, November, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Black (JoAnn Anderson, San Diego State), daughter, October, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Galloway (Mary Jo Funk, UCLA), son, November, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray (Gene Nelson, Oregon State), son, December, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wickel (Johanna Row, San Diego State), son, December, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith (Katherine Kreuziger, San Diego State), daughter, December, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Small, Jr. (Greta Crawford, San Diego State), daughter, December, 1951.

### State College

Fall activities of the State College alumnae chapter centered around planning for Founders Day celebration. Actually the credit for lovely "evening out," complete with dinner and entertainment, belongs to the Greek-letter chapter members.

In every way permitted and possible, our small group helped the Penn State chapter through a very successful rushing season. Many of our meetings have been held at the chapter suite to help us know the chapter members better.

In response to our plea for news of former Penn State chapter members, we had several replies. Sandy Oberlin Anderson, a former chapter president, and husband Bill, have left for Arabia. Because of her husband's business interests there, they will make it their home for about two years. Reva Lincoln is now teaching on the campus of Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

Dee Baldwin Kraynak '46, has had the unusual experience of changing her name twice—to the same man! For writing facility, the Kraynaks recently became the Cranes. They live in Youngstown, Ohio, where John is engaged in city government work.

Our alumnae chapter membership was bolstered this year by the addition of Helen Quackenbush who is on campus doing housing research in the School of Home Economics. We are also happy to have with us Mrs. Helen Guthrie, formerly of the University of Ontario. Mrs. Guthrie teaches foods and nutrition in the School of Home Economics, and was recently promoted from instructor to assistant professor.

New alumnae in town are asked to get in touch with Mrs. George Leffler, 405 Arbor Way, phone 4120.

VIVIAN DOTY HENCH

### Marriage:

Marjory Seybert (Penn State '48) to Capt. Robert H. Saylor, February 23, 1952.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. W. Leonard (Rya Piersol, Penn State '40), a son, Barry Kent, March, 1951, Philadelphia, Pa.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Farwell, Jr., a daughter, Mary Hope, November 6, 1951, State College, Pa.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gething (Jon MacPhail, Penn. State '40) a son, Edward Mac, December 28, 1951, Souderton, Pa.

### Stockton

Stockton alumnae association celebrated its first birthday in February and already has several projects underway after only five meetings. With Mrs. Clifford Maybeck as president, the chapter held its first meeting in February, 1950, and received its charter last May.

Afternoon and evening meetings alternate four times a year, according to the present plan, with a tea in June for high school graduates and their mothers. Last year girls who were entering the University of California, San Jose State College and other schools in this area were honored at tea in the home of Mrs. Carroll Grunsky, Sr.

At its last meeting the chapter collected children's books to be sent to Gamma Phi Beta camps, as well as other articles needed.

The chapter now numbers about 15, with members from Stockton, Lodi, Brentwood and other cities in San Joaquin County. New Gamma Phi Betas in this area are invited to join the group.

MARCIA G. DOTY

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Woodward (Ruth

Hancock, University of California '38), a daughter, Ruth Ann, January 30, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Sigler (June Morrison, University of Washington '39), a son, Craig Morrison, April 22, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton Page (Mary Lou Anderson, University of Oregon '48), a son, Richard Randall (Randy), March 21, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swayne (Jane Rothe, University of California '48), a son, Richard Rothe, January 24, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. Carroll R. Doty (Marcia Gray, University of California '48), a son, Arthur Gray, May 2, 1951.

### Syracuse

The first week of every month finds the Syracuse alumnae planning their agenda at the regular supper or dessert meetings. In December we entertained the chapter pledges and their mothers at a Christmas party, where we contributed gifts for the underprivileged children at the Elmerest Children's Center.

Our efficient president, Mrs. Allen Prescott, better known as "Hat" began our post holiday season with our January dinner meeting, to which each of us brought mittens for the needy children at Huntington Club in Syracuse. On February 17 we staged a very successful food sale with all proceeds to go to the Gamma Phi Beta Camp Fund.

At the supper meeting in February Mary Aldrich Jones reviewed "Paint Your Wagon," for alumnae, chapter members, and the public. Mrs. Jones was her usual best in conveying her impressions of the New York stage to those present at the chapter house.

New officers for the fall season are: president, B. J. McPhail; vice-president, Mary Hueber; recording secretary, Lois Cobb Smith; and treasurer, Kay Keller.

All Gamma Phi Betas in the area are urged to join us at our meetings and to call Mrs. Charles J. McPhail, 41717 for information.

JOAN K. BUTLER

### Marriage:

Diana Drohan (Syracuse '51) to Clarence Griffith (Hamilton College '51), February 2, 1952.

### Birth:

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crook (Pat Ruddy, Syracuse '50), a daughter, Linda, January 26, 1952.

### Tacoma

Tacoma alumnae are proud of Hermoine Stimpson Daugherty who is soon to complete her year as president of Tacoma Panhellenic and will be our new alumnae president for the coming year. Of particular interest to us this year was the all city Panhellenic luncheon March 15 and we turned out in force to support Hermoine.

Also a source of pride are Tacoma's twelve Greek-letter members at Washington for whom we gave a luncheon during spring vacation. We presented a gift for the chapter library, a means of showing our appreciation to the girls for the honor they earned in being first in scholarship the past year.

JANE CORTELYOU GALBRAITH

### Marriages:

Patty Boyle to Fletcher Burrus.  
Virginia McNethney to George Richnor.

### Toledo

Toledo alumnae led by president Mrs. Richard Nuffer have had a busy and successful year. Living in the glass capitol gave us the idea of selling Gamma Phi Beta glasses to active chapters and alumnae. We are in our second year of "big business" and still selling glasses. The profits go to the Endowment Fund. Lucille Haas has done an excellent job on this project and is still accepting orders. Her address, 2137 Robinwood Avenue, Toledo, Ohio.

The alumnae group also netted enough money through the annual "white elephant" sale to give two Christmas baskets. Camp chairman, Lois Adams made arrangements for the two girls sent to camp last summer by the group and even did the chauffeur job. A picnic was held for the Greek-letter members going back to school and was handled by Virginia Edelen. Pat Guest was chairman of the successful annual Panhellenic dance. The profits provide a sizable scholarship fund for Toledo University. Mrs. Dan Searles served as chairman of a Panhellenic rushing tea for girls going away to school next year.

Any newcomers to the Toledo area please call Mrs. Norris Kindell, 2718 Middlesex, KL 93301.

PAT GUEST

### Marriage:

Suzanne Urbane Meyer (Miami U. '49) to Allan G. Bergman, May 6, 1951, in Toledo.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Norris Kindell (Shirley Oviatt, Bradley '46), a son, Gary Lee, November 3, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Oviatt (Ruth Jeffries, Bradley), a son, Jeffery Raymond, January 18, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zoll (Janet Myers, Miami U. '52), a son, Thomas Gregory, September 27, 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Edelen (Virginia Wilson, Michigan State '46), a son, Richard Scott, April 11, 1951.

### Toronto

Despite a delayed beginning, Toronto alumnae can boast of a very full agenda for '51-'52. Near the end of October, the first dinner meeting of the season was held at the St. George's Golf Club. Plans for the year's program were enthusiastically received by the attending members.

A rummage sale on the first day of November was such a success that it is planned to hold another around the end of April. On November 9, the traditional Founders Day banquet was held in new quarters, the Alexandra Palace. This occasion launched a series of events, an open-house after the McGill-Varsity football game on Saturday, and a memorial service for Mary Harris Present on Sunday at the chapter house. The attendance at this latter function showed the esteem in which the Toronto Gamma Phi Betas held Mrs. Present who so unsparingly gave her talents, hospitality and personality to Gamma Phi Beta, both locally and internationally.

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The December meeting took the form of a "family party" to which over 200 undergraduates, alumnae, husbands, boy friends, sisters and brothers thronged to the house for tea one Sunday afternoon. Incidentally, the party also celebrated the fourth anniversary of our move to 122 St. George St.

A wonderful trip to Hawaii was experienced by about 30 alumnae on January 15 when Marian McLean previewed her movies taken last Summer while vacationing in the Islands. February and March heralds the annual bridge tournament with play-offs scheduled for the April meeting.

### Marriages:

Marcia Lamont (Toronto '48) to William Andrew Scott.

Beverly Shurly (Toronto '48) to John Arnold.  
Frances Arthurs to John P. Labrie.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Boddy (Pat Pougnet), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. R. MacArthur (Laura Higgins), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Gray (Helen Carter), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Culp (Gwen Nicker-son), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Van Whitaker (Barbara Weir), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gardnew (Fran Eberhart), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Uffen (Mary Ruth Pater-son), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clark (Betty Wood), a daughter.

### Tucson

The 1951-52 winter season found the Tucson alumnae busy with monthly meetings, a fashion show, Founders Day and a Christmas season potluck supper.

In October, Margery Hatcher, our ways and means chairman, presented a very entertaining parade of lovely clothes on equally lovely models. This year it was also an evening affair which found more husbands present than at the show held last year.

We celebrated Founders Day with a Sunday morning breakfast at a local hotel. Flossie Nell Williams did a fine job as chairman.

The evening of December twenty-eighth found several alumnae and husbands meeting at the chapter house for a potluck buffet dinner with bridge and canasta following. This affair afforded another means of occasionally including our husbands and friends in our activities.

This year we have had a series of small bridge-canasta parties at the homes of various members, the proceeds of which will be used to help pay for our share of the coming convention in San Diego.

Our regular meetings are held the first Monday of each month, September through June. We extend a cordial invitation to all Gamma Phi Betas, new as well as old, in Tucson to call Jean Hesper (Mrs. Gilbert Hesper), 2709 E. 6th Street, Phone 5-8351, and join our group.

LOUISE B. TILLOTSON

### Marriages:

Elizabeth Parrish (Arizona '52) to Lt. Douglas Keddie, January 27, Tucson.

Rayma Babbitt (Arizona '46) to Norman Sharber, December 28, Flagstaff, Ariz.

Peggy Andrews (Arizona '47) to Robert Petrie, November 24, Yuma.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Windsor, Jr. (Janice Falk '50), a daughter, Wandlyn, October 29, Phoenix.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Richmond (Virginia Robins '43), a daughter, Wendy Carla, July 10, Manistee, Mich.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fall (Barbara Hill '51), a son, December 23, Tucson.

To Lt. and Mrs. Leonard C. Langdon, Jr. (Betty Eliot '50), a son, Leonard Coles III, September 23, Albuquerque, N.M.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCaughey (Pat Lewis '50), a daughter, Christy Ann, January 28, Whittier, Calif.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hesper (Jean McMakin '43), a daughter, Jaqueline, November 19, Tucson.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haynes (Bonnie Gordon '47), a son, December 15, Tucson.



To Lt. and Mrs. Albert Crawford (Betty Houston '48), a son, Richard Lee, December 4, Stuttgart, Germany.

To Mr. and Mrs. Beck Grabau (Bobbie Tulin '48), a son, Bob, November 27, Kansas City, Mo.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Twohig (Jolyn Winans, '49), a daughter, October 22, Phoenix.

### Vancouver, B.C.

The fall season started at quite a pace for members of Vancouver alumnae with the annual cabaret at the end of September. With proceeds entirely put aside for camp, the ball this year was themed "Nautical Nights" and many thought the floor show the best yet. Both Greek-letter and alumnae members were in the chorus line and were most professional in their efforts. With our co-sponsors, Kappa Kappa Gamma, we divided the net total of \$1356.

A "full house" was marked up at the September meeting at Audrey Hetherington's home when colored films taken at the sorority's underprivileged camp at Sechelt were shown with interesting commentary by head counsellor Joanne Finning.

After the regular business meeting in October at president Gladys Morris' home the girls heard a talk on something that intrigues all—interior decoration—by a local expert.

Founders Day was commemorated in traditional fashion at a tea at the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club attended by both Greek-letter and alumnae members when an impressive ceremony was carried out.

The December sherry party at Betty Meredith's was a great success as was the party given just after Christmas by the sorority for the children who attended camp last summer. The kiddies had a great time chattering about what they've been doing since last summer as well as remembering good times they'd had at camp. Small gifts made by Joanne Finning were a big hit.

The camp films were again a drawing card at the first meeting of the new year held at Betty Cotterell's house.

Annual elections were the main business at the February meeting at Dorothy Ann Huyck's when Gladys Morris was re-elected president; Ruth Williams, vice-president; Dorothy Dawson, treasurer; Nona Lambert, recording secretary; Marguerite Parkinson, corresponding secretary; Joy Donegani, pledge trainer; Phae Collins, subscriptions and Betty Cotterell, phoning committee chairman.

An interesting fact was pointed out at the meeting that there have been 388 members pledged through Alpha Lambda chapter since it was founded on the University of B.C. campus.

Although it's wintertime the girls have been taking trips to sunnier climes for winter holidays. Helen Ann Boulton is just back from California with her husband and Willa MacKinnon has returned from six months in England and on the continent. Marge Barnett is looking forward to her end-of-March sojourn in Honolulu where she hopes to see Sheila Gillis who's head technician at the Blood Bank of Hawaii. Nancy Rennie and Rosemary Byrn are planning a trip to England in the summer.

SHIRLEY LYNN

### Marriage:

Janice McColl to Robert Annable (Phi Delta Theta), November 24.

### Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Gil Bradner (Shirley Woodward), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Dale (Nancy Belton), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham (Rosemary Couthard), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Elliott (Sue Pendleton), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. Hardwick (Sidney Flavelle), a son, in England.

To Mr. and Mrs. Don Livingstone (Betty Harvey), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. McLennan (Audrey Stormont), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Esling (Merle Shields), a daughter, in Toronto.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Robertson (Mary Pat Crowe), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Anders (Gwen Carlson), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wyatt (Betty Jean Horne), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. O. McBean (Maxwell Dennistoun), a son.

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## Washington, D.C.

The Washington alumnae chapter had its largest attendance in years for the October meeting at Helen Summers' magnificently furnished home near Rockville. Seventy Gamma Phi Betas enjoyed the buffet supper and discussed possibilities for our annual project.

Our group joined the Baltimore alumnae for Founders Day activities on November 12 at the Beta Beta house on the University of Maryland campus. The new pledge class entertained us, and then sixty-five chapter members and alumnae formed the Mystic Circle at the close of the ceremony.

The Fairfax Hotel was again the scene of our Christmas party at which the Beta Beta pledges were our guests. Mid-January was the date for our annual dessert sectional meetings in various homes throughout the city.

Our February supper meeting was held in the lovely home of Bea Hogan. There were almost fifty alumnae present, including our Grand President Evelyn Dippell, Chairman of Expansion Anita Curtis, and our Province Director Nadine Page. Everyone will long remember the evening. Our guest speaker was Mr. S. John Crawley of the Summer Outings Committee of the Family and Child Services. He showed a sound film on Camp Sunshine, a camp for heart patients, and briefly discussed the other camps operated for Washington's underprivileged and handicapped children. Our camp project will be concluded with a benefit fashion show at the Woman's Club of Chevy Chase on March 6, with the proceeds going to one of these camps. We also heard the long-awaited news of our card sales during the past year. Ruth Studley announced a profit of more than \$800 which will be divided equally between the Expansion Gift Fund and our treasury.

Our meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month, and all Gamma Phi Betas are invited to attend. Any newcomers to Washington may call Mrs. George Malloy, 2800 Quebec St. N.W., WO 6129.

CECELIA BUCKNER

## Marriages:

Dorothy Doerr (Birmingham-Southern) to Hugh McCulloh, September 25, in New York.

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## Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cutler (Margaret Hughes, Maryland), a son, Thomas Russell, September 25, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Du Teil (Shirley Sacks, Maryland), a son, David Boynton, November 25, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Culhane (Patricia O'Laughlin, North Dakota State), a son, Patrick Michael, December 26, 1951.

To Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hasert (Marie Okland, Syracuse), a daughter, Elizabeth Nuhn, January 18, 1952.

## Westchester

The Westchester alumnae, besides enjoying each other's company, have carried on an active program of Gamma Phi Beta work and have taken part in local philanthropies as the opportunity arose.

In October, we held a supper party for our husbands at the Larchmont Yacht Club. It is always fun to meet the "other halves" and the evening proved to be quite hilarious when Toastmistress Janet Heaton introduced each husband and asked him to speak briefly on the subject "What Gamma Phi Beta Means To Me." Some of the answers would have made good CRESCENT material!

Instead of a Christmas party for ourselves this year, Janet Heaton was hostess at a Christmas shower for Beta Nu's new house at the University of Vermont. A sizable box of gifts was sent on its way to Vermont and we hope the contents will help the girls in their job of setting up housekeeping.

Westchester sent several representatives to a joint meeting in New York of the alumnae groups from Nassau County, New Jersey, and New York City in January. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss how we can best help Beta Nu and to combine our efforts along those lines. A joint project is now under way to purchase badly needed dishes for the chapter house. All of these ideas keep our ways and means chairman, Floye Osborne, very busy.



In March, a group of our members assisted in the Easter Seal campaign in Westchester. This a movement sponsored by the Westchester Board of Women's Fraternities to raise funds for crippled children throughout New York State.

All through the year we plan and work toward our spring bridge party for the benefit of campships. By now it has become a Westchester County tradition so again this year it was held at the Siwanoy Country Club with Mary Alice Budinger as chairman. Congratulations to her for a highly successful affair.

We meet on the second Monday of each month for luncheon and hope that any Gamma Phi Betas who have recently moved to Westchester will join us. If they will call our president, Nell Wolfe (Mrs. C. H.) at Larchmont 2-4843, we will be happy to make the invitation more personal.

PEG HARVEY GAULT

### Whittier

Whittier alumnae chapter was very proud to learn of the appointment of Mrs. Robert Gillmore (Anne Mundt, Iowa State College) as Alumnae Secretary of the southern section of Province VII. Anne has been closely associated with the Pasadena and Long Beach chapters and was very active in the creation of the Whittier branch. Congratulations, Anne.

Hoping to fill the new treasury the members are earnestly saving clothes for the rummage sale to be held in March. It being our first attempt at fund raising, and the first rummage sale for many, we are very anxious to have it be most successful.

Looking forward to Convention our vice-president, Mrs. Ronald Atteberry (Mary Kathryn Krysto, USC), was named to make arrangements for the Fidelity Day luncheon with the Long Beach chapter. Mrs. William Suiter, Jr. (Margaret Gillilan, USC) is to assist her.

We are very pleased to have as a new member Mrs. R. L. Andrews (Edith Slater, California). We extend a cordial invitation to all alumnae in the Whittier area to call Mrs. William Lee, our president, at Oxford 41-7323.

MARJORIE CHILDS STEARNS

### Births:

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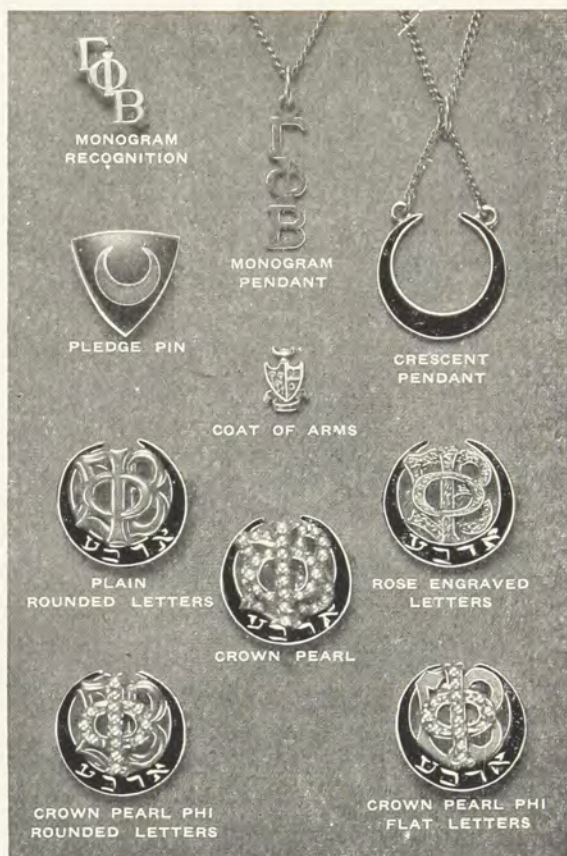
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### TREASURER:

Pre-initiation and final fees due in Central Office within two weeks following pledging and initiation. (See schedule of *CRESCENT* subscriptions below.)

By October 1, annual audit due Chairman of Finance, Mrs. Newman. DO NOT SEND TO CENTRAL OFFICE.

By December 1, due Central Office: first installment of International dues and \$7.50 for bound *CRESCENTS* and subscriptions to *Banta's Greek Exchange* and *Fraternity Month*.

By March 1, due Central Office: second installment of International dues.

Fiscal year begins August 1, ends July 31. All dues paid between those dates shall apply to the current fiscal year unless otherwise specified.

### SCHOLARSHIP CHAIRMAN:

Comparative rating of NPC sororities on campus for preceding year due Scholarship Chairman, Mrs. Stoddard, immediately after reported, if possible by November 1.

### PLEDGE TRAINER:

Immediately after pledging, order pledge manuals and song books from Central Office.

By May 15, send report for new edition of Pledge Manual to Central Office.

### CRESCENT CORRESPONDENT:

By October 1, for December issue, January 10 for March issue, February 20 for May issue, July 1 for September issue, glossies, features, honors due Editor-in-chief, Mrs. Marek.

By January 10, chapter letter due Mrs. Marek for March issue. Do not send chapter letter for other issues.

Canadian chapters send feature stories to Mrs. R. B. Miller, 11029 89th Ave., Edmonton, Alberta; other material to Mrs. Marek.

### MEMBERSHIP (RUSHING) CHAIRMAN:

Immediately after each formal rushing period, rushing reports due International Membership Chairman, Mrs. Wiles; Chairman of Provinces, Mrs. Fox; and Province Director. Continue to report each subsequent pledge.

Order supplies (information and investigation blanks, file and acknowledgement cards, post rush reports) early each spring for following fall from Central Office. Specify quantity.

### PUBLIC RELATIONS CHAIRMAN:

By first of each month, publicity copy, with glossies, due International Public Relations Chairman, Mrs. Kniskern.

### HISTORIAN:

By July 1, chapter history for preceding year due International Historian, Miss Nina Gresham.

## Alumnae Chapters

By September 25, send Grand President, Mrs. Dippell, business for consideration at fall council meeting.

By October 1, alumnae chapter letters for December *CRESCENT*, including vital statistics and glossies due Mrs. Walter E. Holman, 1960 S.W. 16th Ave., Portland, Oregon. At the end of each chapter letter include name and telephone number of member in your chapter whom alumnae new in the community may call.

By November 25, Founders' Day report due International Historian, Miss Nina Gresham. Coin card drive payments are due in Central Office.

By January 1, send to Central Office Alumnae Chapter Payment Report covering camp and alumnae taxes, annual dues, and life subscription and life membership payments. These payments may be made any time during the fiscal year, August 1 through July 31; however, chapters are considered delinquent if partial payments are not paid by January 1.

By January 10, feature articles, glossies and newspaper clippings for March *CRESCENT* due Editor-in-chief, Mrs. Marek. Canadian chapters send features and glossies to Mrs. R. B. Miller, 11029 89th Ave., Edmonton, Alberta.

By February 20, alumnae chapter letters for May *CRESCENT*, including glossies and vital statistics due Mrs. Holman.

By February 25, send 2 copies of the Alumnae Chapter President's Report to the International Vice-President, Mrs. LeMaster.

By February 25, send to International Vice-President, Mrs. LeMaster, recommendations for appointments of International officers and chairmen, such as State Membership Chairmen, Province Directors and Province Alumnae Secretaries.

By March 25, send 7 copies of new alumnae chapter officers to Central Office for distribution to Grand Council and 1 each to Province Director, Province Alumnae Secretary and Traveling Secretary. If complete list is not available by March 25, send name and address of member who will be responsible for rushing recommendations during the summer. Send name and address of *CRESCENT* correspondent to Editor-in-chief, Mrs. Marek.

By May 1, send to International Historian, Miss Nina Gresham, the chapter history for the preceding year written by the retiring President.

By May 15, send to Central Office list of members who have passed away since preceding August 1. Include married and maiden name and Greek-letter chapter.

By July 1, features and glossies for September *CRESCENT* due Editor-in-chief, Mrs. Marek.

### HOUSE CORPORATIONS

By October 1, annual audit due Chairman of Finance, Mrs. Newman.

### SCHEDULE OF *CRESCENT* SUBSCRIPTIONS

*CRESCENT* subscriptions (included in final initiation fee for recent initiates) must be received in Central Office by mailing list deadlines as shown here, if they are to begin with the next issue: August 1—September *CRESCENT*; November 1—December *CRESCENT*; February 1—March *CRESCENT*; April 1—May *CRESCENT*.



