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It Happened at Homecoming . . .



UCLA chooses Gamma Phi Beta Judy Marzonie as 1963 Homecoming Queen.



Janet Patterson reigned as Queen of Gettysburg College Homecoming festivities.



Louanne Theilman was chosen Homecoming Queen at Kansas State University.



Homecoming Court at San Jose State was enhanced by the Irish beauty of Kerry O'Brian.



Winner of the sweepstakes trophy for Homecoming House Decorations at San Diego State was this river boat replica built by the Gamma Phi Betas and Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity.



Bubble-blowing, 35 foot whale helped fill the Gamma Phi trophy case at Oklahoma State. Judged best of women's living group, best of all house decorations, the whale led the way to the sweepstakes trophy for best house decorations and float.

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The Cover

In the shadow of Pikes Peak, Colorado College campus enjoys a climate of blue-skied, mild winters as well as an outstanding intellectual climate. Bemis Hall, on the cover, is in the traditional Tudor style and serves as a dormitory for 85 freshman women. Alpha Phi chapter of Gamma Phi Beta was chartered on the Colorado College campus October 15, 1932.

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Small, Independent Colorado College Provides a Stimulating

Set in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains in the shadow of Pikes Peak, the Colorado College campus is one of the most ideally situated in the country. This is skiing country. It is the region of beautiful scenery and year-round blue skies. A Winter Wonderland, Colorado never loses her blue skies throughout the mild winters.

Perhaps that is what drew William J. Palmer, who built the Rio Grande Railroad and developed Colorado Springs. It was he who chose the spot for the establishment of Colorado College in 1874 by the Congregational Church, two years before Colorado attained her statehood. It became independent of church affiliation in 1907 and is the oldest independent liberal arts college in the eight-state Rocky Mountain West.

The forty structures of Colorado College's campus are unique both in structure and variety. The variety ranges from the outstanding example of Norman Romanesque architecture, Shove Memorial Chapel, patterned after Winchester Cathedral in England, to the ultra-modern Olin Hall of Science and Charles Leeming Tutt Library.

It is more, however, than the excellent weather and sport conditions and the layout of the campus that draws the students and professors to Colorado College. The curriculum and the intellectual climate are also important factors. The college has an enrollment of 1300 undergraduate students, representing forty-six states and twenty foreign countries. Of the freshman applicants in September, 1963, the average board score was 587. The college is more interested in a well-rounded student body than the "well-rounded student." Of those students in the present freshman class, three-quarters were in the top quarter of their high school graduating classes.

One of the outstanding features of Colorado College is its Honor System. Dr. Lloyd E. Worner, new president of the college, is the first alumnus president the campus has had. He is its ninth president. Dr. Worner received his Bachelor's Degree from Colorado College in 1946, his Ph.D. at the University of Missouri, and returned to Colorado College in 1946 as an instructor in history. At this time, Dr. Worner pioneered the Honor System in the West with a code drafted to cover all classes and certain other campus activities. At present, the system is administered entirely by a Student Honor Council.

This academic atmosphere has drawn a faculty of 120, more

than 60% of whom have Ph.D. degrees and 30% of whom have written books. The creative and cosmopolitan faculty holds degrees from 190 colleges and universities. The creative faculty is exemplified by German Professor Thomas O. Brandt, poet, novelist, and critic, who edits the *German Quarterly*; Professor Richard M. Pearl, who has written more than 200 magazine articles and 17 books; Dr. Glenn Gray, Guggenheim Fellow and author of many philosophical articles, as well as his recently acclaimed philosophical book on war, "The Warriors."

A unique part of the academic year is the midyear Symposium. Each January the college devotes a week to the examination of a major issue in contemporary life. In early 1963 the subject was Contemporary Arts and the Citizen. The 1964 Symposium treated all the aspects of World War II.

It is with this preparation that more than 50% of the students graduated from Colorado College go on to graduate and professional schools.

The traditions of high intellectual standards as well as the desire for a well-rounded student body made up of outstanding students from all fields of concentration first brought the social organizations to the Colorado College campus. Gamma Phi Beta was first established at Colorado College as a non-Greek society, Zetathelian. In 1931, officials of the college ruled to permit national sororities on campus. Under the leadership of a member of Alpha chapter, Zetathelian petitioned Gamma Phi Beta. A member of Theta chapter was sent to organize the group, and on September 2, 1931, the members of the first pledge class were pledged in the Pilgrim room of Shove Chapel. Mr. Eugene Shove, donor of the Chapel to the college, was the twin brother of Blanche Shove Palmer, Alpha, founder of our Endowment Fund for Gamma Phi Beta. Gamma Phi Beta is the only group on campus allowed to use the chapel for pledging and initiation purposes. The chapter was installed by Mrs. Arthur Hoffman, then Grand President, on October 15, 1932.

Shortly after the installation the lodge which stood until fall, 1962, was purchased under the supervision of Mrs. Loring Lennox. Since that time, Mrs. Lennox has been a very active alumna and is close to the heart of every member Alpha Phi chapter has had. Each year, Mrs. Lennox, a local resident, gives a party for "her girls." Each year the Lucy Lennox Award



First place trophy went to Colorado College Gamma Phis for their Homecoming decorations featuring Charlie the Tuna.

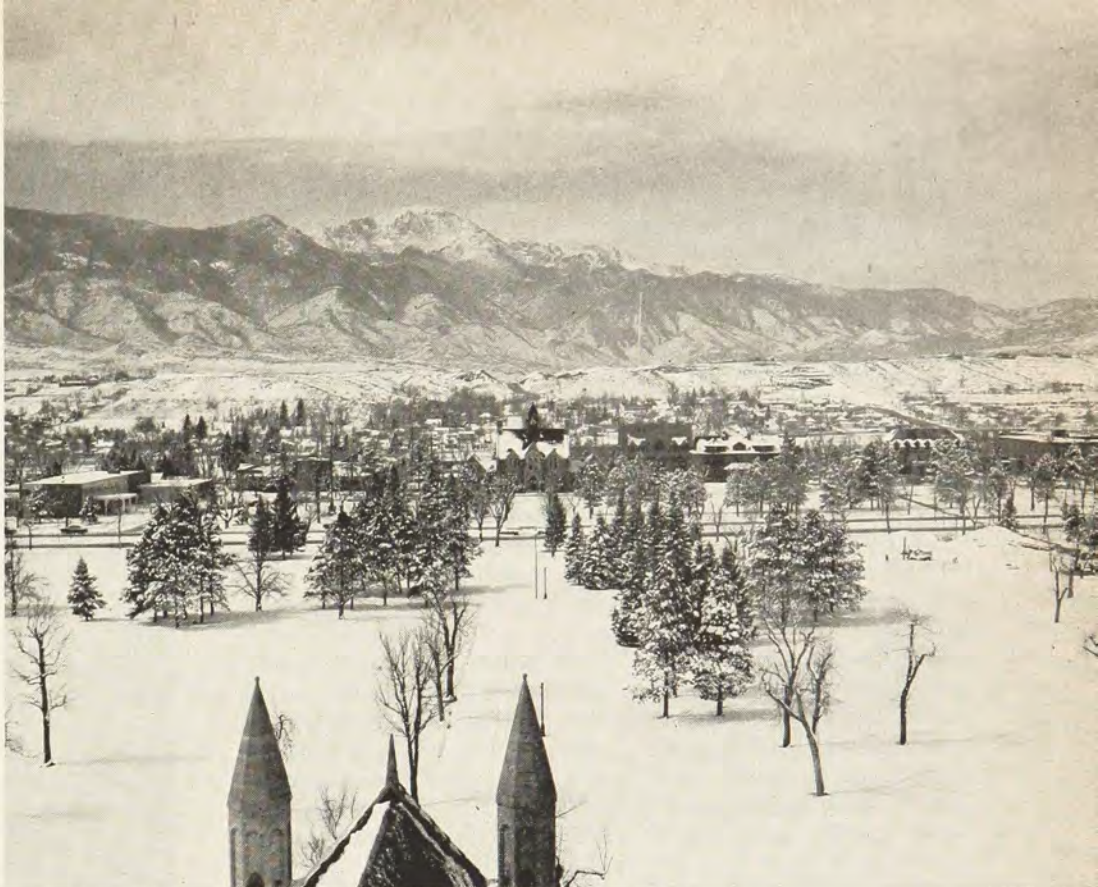


Lightbulbs, anyone? Gamma Phi Betas brought the light to Colorado Springs in their spirited sale of bulbs to raise money for a new house.

Intellectual Climate

By KATHY JANKOVSKY
CRESCENT Correspondent

Pikes Peak forms a majestic backdrop for the Colorado College campus, as seen from Shove Chapel. Donor of the Chapel (foreground) to the college, Eugene Shove, was the twin brother of Blanche Shove Palmer, prominent Gamma Phi Beta, Honor Roll member, and creator of the Endowment Fund.



is given the senior girl believed most outstanding by her sisters. Mrs. Lennox pays frequent visits to the meetings of Alpha Phi chapter. Each pledge meets her soon after her pledging. Our Mrs. Lennox is a Gamma Phi through and through. We all have grown to love her.

In 1962, Mrs. Lennox watched with the rest of the girls as the Colorado College Recreation Center moved in, and Gamma Phi Beta's chapter house moved out. On the Colorado College campus, no sorority has its own house. Due to the size of the campus, the sororities have only lodges. It was, nevertheless, a loss for the Gamma Phis. Now the Center is almost finished. Gamma Phis have enjoyed the skating rink and the swimming pool. The spirit of Gamma Phi has remained undaunted. Since a year ago last fall, Alpha Phi chapter has not only kept up the pace, but increased in activity as well as spirit.

Colorado College has a great diversity of outstanding departments and administrators. Yet, Colorado College exemplifies a certain unity and confidence in its ability to produce a well-rounded graduate. The cosmopolitan nature and creativity of Colorado College are reflected in the Alpha Phi chapter of Gamma Phi Beta. As Colorado College has its outstanding departments and professors, so has Gamma Phi her unique groups and individuals. For instance, 13 of our girls made the Dean's List last semester (cumulative grade point average of B+, 3.4 or better). In the Colorado College Tour Choir, a highly selective choral group, there are 10 Gamma Phi Betas. Our treasurer also holds the office of President of Loomis Hall (upperclass women's dorm). The vice president is also a Gamma Phi. Last year we had three Phi Beta Kappas. The president and vice-president of Associated Women Students of Colorado College, to which every woman at Colorado College belongs, are Gamma Phis. Cap and Gown, Colorado College's approximation of Mortar Board has as three of its ten members Gamma Phis. The presidents of Geology Club, Young Republicans, and Phi Gamma Mu, National Social Science Honorary, are Gamma Phis. Four members of Alpha Phi chapter are members of the French House.

There are Gamma Phis in every academic field of concentration, and many of them have very different outside interests.

There are girls from many different states, Iran, and Germany. Many have been abroad, several never far from their Colorado homes. There are as many very different personalities as there are Gamma Phis. And yet, there is something special about a Gamma Phi, no matter where she is from. . . .

"Love, Learning, and Loyalty," I believe they call it. You can always tell a Gamma Phi. A certain something ties us all together. Love of Gamma Phi Beta, love of her sisters, love of knowledge characterize a Gamma Phi. The Alpha Phi chapter is characterized by a very strong unity. We work together with efficiency as well as with pleasure. Examples of this are the winning of the most points in Song Fest by capturing a First Place in Small Group competition and a Second Place in Large Group competition. After that, we all pitched in together selling light bulbs to make money for a new lodge. Homecoming came and the Gamma Phis walked away with the trophy for the best House Decoration. The fact that we didn't have our own house didn't seem to make much difference in the spirit. If anything, it gave the girls more reason to achieve.

"Learning" has been one of the most outstanding achievements of Alpha Phi chapter. The Gamma Phis now hold permanently the floating academic trophy presented each year by Denver Panhellenic. At their luncheon this fall, Gamma Phi Beta of Colorado College was the only sorority in the state to have received the academic trophy three years in a row. The Gamma Phis held the highest grade point of all Greek groups in the history of Colorado College. On campus, the chapter average was 2.942 on a 4-point system, well above the all-college average of 2.617. Of 46 girls last semester, more than 50% had a 3.0 (B) average or better. Over 75% had above the all-women's average. High academic goals help to distinguish a Gamma Phi from all the rest at Colorado College.

Loyalty to Gamma Phi Beta, loyalty to Alpha Phi chapter, loyalty to the ideals and goals of Gamma Phi Beta also distinguished the "Gamma Phi Girl" from her other Greek sisters.

The Alpha Phi chapter of Gamma Phi Beta has given distinction to her name on the Colorado College campus just as Colorado College has made an excellent name for itself among the liberal arts institutions of the country. D D D

Vibrant Youth on Campus

At 31, Dr. Evert Wallenfeldt, president of Milton College, Wisconsin, is probably the youngest college president in the United States today.

If Dr. Evert Wallenfeldt will forgive us, we will begin our story of him with his wife. Phyllis Schoof Wallenfeldt (Wisconsin '54), for the moment one begins to speak of Dr. Wallenfeldt it is difficult to put one's mind to other matters—even if they are as vivacious and accomplished as his wife, the mother of two lively sons: Jeffrey, 7 and David, 4. It is not inappropriate to begin telling of the Wallenfeldts in such a "Shaw-length" sentence, for this outstanding young family has accomplished an unbelievable amount of tangible goals in almost the beginning of their lives together.

Since September, 1963, Dr. Evert Wallenfeldt has been the president of Milton College in Milton, Wisconsin, and is undoubtedly the youngest college president in the United States. It was while serving as dean of men at the University of Iowa in Iowa City that he was approached with this challenging and exciting new job. Although Dr. Wallenfeldt received his B.S. degree in history and education from the University of Wisconsin in 1954 he almost paradoxically planned to spend his life in a professional military career. However, after service in Washington, D.C. as a second lieutenant, and a further assignment 2½ years long in Germany, the lure of the educational field became urgent. In 1957 he resigned his commission and returned to the United States for advanced study. In 1959 he received his M.A. in sociology from State University of Iowa and his doctorate in education from Indiana University in 1962.

It was during his service with the army in Washington, D.C. that Dr. Wallenfeldt began suggesting matrimony to Phyllis in a persistent manner.

"He really gave me no time whatever to get ready for a wedding," Phyllis tells. "He drove home in 30 hours in terrible weather, and we were married in a simple ceremony on December 26, 1955."

The Wallenfeldt's eldest son was born in Stuttgart, Germany



Both President Wallenfeldt and his attractive wife, Phyllis, are rabid sports enthusiasts. The Milton College football field is only a short distance from their white colonial home and they often stroll over to watch practice.



At work in his simple, uncluttered office, Dr. Wallenfeldt is available to faculty and students alike.

Home baked bread is one of Phyllis Wallenfeldt's specialties and she has three enthusiastic customers for everything she bakes.



(Text adapted by Noreen Linduska Zahour from the Wisconsin State Journal's story by Louise C. Marston (Gamma). Photos by Richard Sroda)

and their youngest while Dr. Wallenfeldt was enrolled at State University in Iowa.

In a recent syndicated column called "On Campus," Max Schulman wrote a sassy, smiling commentary called "How Small Can You Get?"—wherein he calls a truly small college one with four undergraduates. He further explains with much delightful nonsense, that the great problem in a four-student school is to supply more than a backfield for a football team! In this respect, Milton college is far from a small college. It has an enrollment of 510 students and Dr. Wallenfeldt predicts 840 or so by 1973. However he states with great conviction, that he hopes the enrollment of Milton will never exceed 1,000. Described alternately as—looking like a prom king—or a "handsome 6-foot football player," Evert Wallenfeldt belies this glamorous picture by his distinguished attitudes toward serious education.

"I sincerely feel that the small college's smallness is one of its greatest assets," he stresses. "The job confronting higher education today is staggering—much too big for public institutions to handle alone. The private schools have a tremendous role in helping to carry the load. There should be more and more of them.

"Many students are hopelessly lost in the physical bigness and unavoidable impersonal atmosphere of large schools," he adds. "I feel that the small college has a special opportunity to help the student—and here are so many of them who have

an acute need for extensive counseling and individual attention."

Dr. Wallenfeldt feels that small college faculty members are genuinely interested in teaching and are truly dedicated. One of his favorite teachers at the University of Wisconsin during his freshman year, Dr. Phyllis Hoge Rose, is now a full professor of English at Milton. Because Dr. Wallenfeldt feels strongly that the greatness of America's education lies in its democracy he has said: "I fear the rising costs of modern education and the spiralling of tuition fees. I feel the factory worker's son has every bit as much right to a fine education as the rich man's son. I don't want to see him priced out of his birthright!"

Although Dr. Wallenfeldt expressed a sum of concern about Phyllis's transplant to a town of less than 2,000, Phyllis finds it enchanting. The quiet and peace of Milton with its giant-elm lined streets has the same wonderful charm of a New England town.

"I love this place," she said. "I go to the bakery and come home with a load of gorgeous tomatoes—just because the clerk has too many in her garden. The people are so kind, warm and genuine."

THE CRESCENT is proud to have this illustrious, captivating, intelligent young family on its pages and we are sure that in the years to come, we will have more wonderful things to tell of it.

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Understanding the language of youth, Dr. Wallenfeldt has tremendous rapport with Milton students. He is shown at right with two students from Madison, Barbara Abbott and Patricia Barnes.



Three live wires enjoy a tussle. Jeffrey, 7, left, and David, 4, romp in the leaves with their wire-haired terrier, Chips.



Dedication at Vanderbilt .

Alpha Theta Settles In New Home



Housing of collegiate members and creating a gracious home atmosphere is a prime responsibility of alumnae members of Gamma Phi Beta sorority.

At Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Alpha Theta and Nashville alumnae members dedicated a new Gamma Phi Beta chapter house November 3, 1963. It is a modern town house of Virginia brick, located in the heart of fraternity and sorority row and designed to accommodate the six members and house mother that Vanderbilt regulations allow. Despite the small number of house residents, the Gamma Phi Beta house never seems empty. The formal living room, informal living room, and central court are perfect for entertaining, and members of Alpha Theta take constant advantage of this fact. The basement chapter room can be cleared and converted into additional entertainment space. Finally, a town girls' lounge, located on the lowest level of this tri-level home, provides a retreat for study, chapter office space, and more sleeping accommodations.

The wide front doors open into a stone entrance hall from which one can go upstairs to the three bedrooms and house-

mother's suite, or downstairs to the lounge, chapter room, and storage rooms, or to the left on the ground level into the living rooms, dining room, and kitchen. The central court is accessible through sliding glass panels in the informal living room.

The color scheme of the new house is in shades of blue

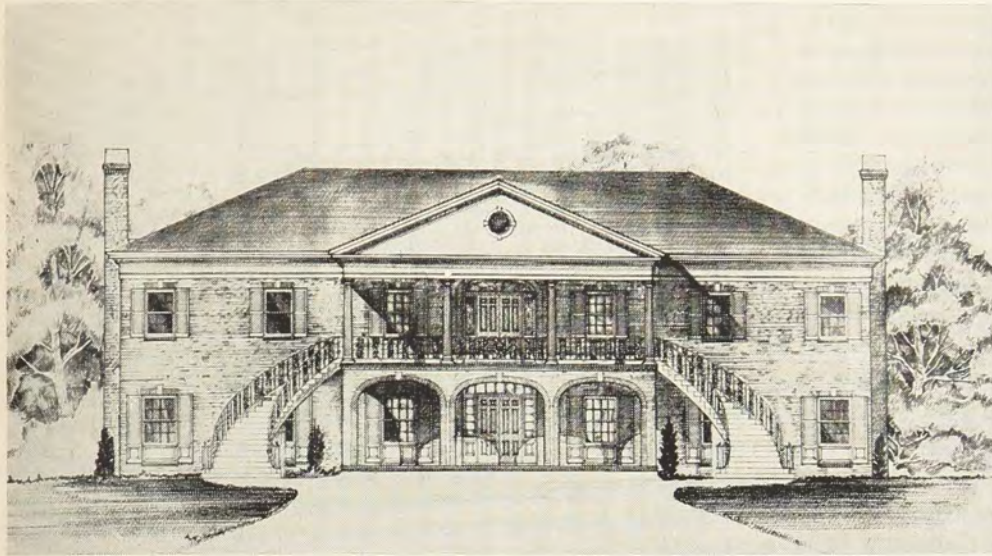
View of Alpha Theta's formal living room, as seen from the informal living room.



In the receiving line at Vanderbilt chapter's dedication of their new home were, from left: Nancy Krider, Alpha Theta president; Dr. Nora C. Chaffin, Vanderbilt's Dean of Women; Mrs. B. Wade Foster, House Corporation Board president; Mrs. Graeme Reid, International Alumnae Vice President of Gamma Phi Beta; Mrs. Charles R. Forman, Province VII Alumnae Director; Mrs. D. H. Wallman, Nashville alumnae president; Mrs. William Bauer, Alpha Theta House-mother.



Groundbreaking at Florida State



Beta Mu Chapter House Under Construction

and green with bright shades of these colors accenting the living areas and paler tints in the bedrooms and kitchen. The formal living room and dining room are carpeted in bright blue, while the informal living room has parquet flooring, and the court is brick.

This new home for Gamma Phi Beta has been commended for its unique design by the Vanderbilt University Planning Commission.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new \$234,000 Gamma Phi Beta sorority Chapter House of Florida State University were held Sunday, October 27, at 2:30 P.M. on the site at 633 West Jefferson Street. FSU President Gordon Blackwell and Miss Elizabeth Lynn, associate dean of women and president of Gamma Phi Beta House Corporation, were principal speakers and performed the traditional turning of earth.

Mrs. John Sample of Tallahassee, immediate past president of the Gamma Phi Beta Alumnæ chapter welcomed friends of the sorority. Miss Katherine Van Norren of Jacksonville, president of the collegiate chapter, served as mistress of ceremonies.

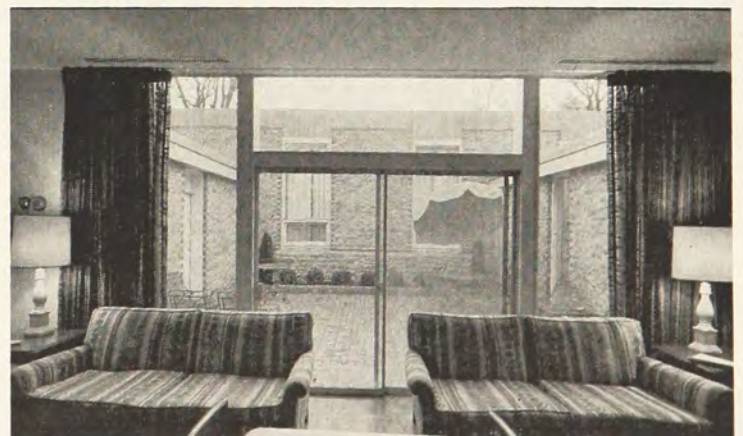
The new chapter house, to be completed by Fall, is to be erected on the site of a house, recently razed, which was one of the oldest residential structures in the city.

Beta Mu Chapter of Gamma Phi Beta was chartered at FSU in April, 1950, and has been housed in the old Parker Home at 415 West College since that time.

Charter members who were present for the groundbreaking were Mrs. James Hardy, teacher at Leon High School, Mrs. Don Strickland of Tallahassee, Mrs. Jack Dudley of Havana, and Mrs. Morris Briley and Mrs. Robert Vernon of Tallahassee.

Following groundbreaking ceremonies, there was an informal open house at the present chapter house. Guests were greeted by Misses Lynn and Van Norren.

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View of the center court, an unusual feature of Vanderbilt's new Gamma Phi Beta chapter house, is seen from the informal living room through sliding glass-panel doors.

Fred Ellsworth Hall Dedicated at Kansas U.

From 1924, until his retirement last July, Fred Ellsworth served Kansas University as Alumni Secretary. Traveling the length and breadth of the United States, Mr. Ellsworth was a tireless, efficient, and enthusiastic worker in the interest of the University.

In his honor, Kansas University's newest and largest men's dormitory has been named Fred Ellsworth Hall.

Sharing the honor, as she shared her husband's four decades of devotion to the University, is Lucile Rarig Ellsworth (Kansas '17). Her contagious enthusiasm for the University's well being, and that of Sigma chapter of Gamma Phi Beta, has made her a beloved member of the college community. A second member of Gamma Phi Beta participating in the dedication services was Mr. Ellsworth's sister Maud, formerly on the faculty at Kansas U.

The Ellsworths are parents of two sons, Robert, who is Kansas Congressman from the Third District, and Stephen, Personnel Director for Cleo Adams Inc. of Stamford, Connecticut.

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LENA M. STRANATHAN
Lawrence Alumnae



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellsworth (Lucile Rarig) are pictured in front of the Fred Ellsworth Hall at Kansas U., which was dedicated in October, 1963.



June Williams Smith

Community Leader

The election of June Williams Smith (Idaho U.) to the office of president of the Boise Idaho Junior League comes as no surprise to her Gamma Phi Beta sorority sisters. From the time June Williams pledged Gamma Phi Beta at the University of Idaho in 1943, she has established a reputation for assuming responsibility in a capable, efficient manner.

Beginning with the presidency of the Freshman class she held a succession of campus and sorority offices.

Marriage to Richard B. Smith, Sigma Chi and a young real estate broker, cut short her senior year and June returned to Boise to begin a busy and fruitful participation in community and alumnae activities.

The Boise alumnae chapter was proud to have June serve as publicity chairman, rush-week adviser, president, State Membership chairman, and Province Alumnae Director in 1953-55. Always interested in community activities June has been vice chairman of the Red Cross volunteers, president of the Boise Panhellenic Association, president of Sigmas (Sigma Chi wives), and member of the YMCA, St. Luke's Hospital Auxiliary and Boise Music Week boards.

As a member of the Junior League, June has been vice president, coordinator of the Arts Program of the League,

Alumnae Initiate

Miss E. Luella Galliver, Dean of Women at the University of Wyoming, has been initiated into the Laramie-Cheyenne alumnae chapter. She was invited to become a member of Gamma Phi Beta at a meeting of Grand Council held in Boston.

Wyoming's Gamma Delta chapter pledged Dean Galliver on May 8, 1963. Her initiation took place on October 13, 1963, in a special ceremony at her home.

Miss Galliver has been on the U. of W. faculty since 1926. In 1932 she was appointed acting Dean of Women, and in 1933 was named Dean. She received her B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Michigan, and in 1946, during a year's leave of absence from UW, studied in the field of guidance at Teachers' College at Columbia University.

University organizations in which Miss Galliver participates as adviser include Mortar Board, Associated Women Students, Spurs, Chimes, and Panhellenic.

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Dean E. Luella Galliver

placement chairman, and chairman of the volunteer program at the Idaho Historical Society.

June and Richard are the parents of three children, Geoffrey 15, Shelley 13, and Mark 7. Boise alumnae are truly proud of the fine record of achievement for our sorority and our community by June Williams Smith.

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Jo Adair Hamilton

Mrs. Delaware

When a Gamma Phi from a southern state moves north, one can expect big things from her. Jo Adair Hamilton (Vanderbilt) moved from Tennessee to Delaware, and captured the title of "Mrs. Delaware," representing her newly adopted state in the Mrs. America contest.

Her dark beauty is truly "cranium deep," as she was elected to Phi Beta Kappa as a senior. Following her marriage to Neal Hamilton, Pi Kappa Alpha, Jo taught school in Norfolk while Neal was on active duty in the Navy. On returning to civilian life, the DuPont Company beckoned, and the Hamiltons have lived in several states due to business transfers.

Now settled in Wilmington, Jo's life is concentrated around her new home and sons, Tommy, age 6, and Mike, age 3.

Jo serves as State Membership Chairman for Gamma Phi Beta, is an active member of the Aldersgate Methodist church, is an excellent bridge player, and does some professional modeling.

The welcome mat is always out at the Hamiltons' home. Jo has the coffee ready and, if one is lucky, a piece of freshly baked banana bread. D D D

NORMA WRIGHT DOWNING,
Vanderbilt '55

Art Fair Features Betty Olsen's Work

Though her note said, "Not for publication," we couldn't resist letting readers see what former Grand President Betty Olsen does in her spare time!

Her booth at Ann Arbor's Street Art Fair last summer featured several dozen water colors, many of which were sold during the fair. Since then, art lovers have come to her studio at home to look and to buy.

"And now," says Betty, "I'm studying Oil Painting . . . just as though I had time on my hands!"

Betty's service to Gamma Phi Beta has included membership on Grand Council as Chairman of Provinces, Director of Finance, and Grand President from 1958-60. She is presently International Chairman of Housing, well-equipped for that position with her degrees in Architecture from the University of Michigan and an unusual flair for finance.

Her art is her relaxation and often, at Council meetings, she would be up with the sun and have several delightful little landscapes sketched before breakfast. And her friends can hardly wait to open the envelope with a Christmas card from Betty and Brick . . . it is always an Olsen original!

Medical Interne in Montreal

Dr. Anne Fanning, 1963 graduate of the University of Western Ontario School of Medicine, is interning at Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal.

Anne was awarded the Zella Fawkes trophy for being Alpha Omega chapter's most outstanding graduate, contributing the most academically, athletically, and in extra-curricular activities. The award was made at the chapter's annual initiation banquet in November.

While in school, Anne received an honour award from the Hippocratic Council, of which she was a member, and was also Commissioner of Publications and Commissioner of Purple Spur on the University Students' Council. An avid swimmer, she was a member of the inter-collegiate synchronized swim team.

Emily Ruhlberg And the Theatre

A letter from Gertrude Hauser Ruhlberg (Minnesota), president of the Santa Barbara alumnae, gives a glimpse of daughter Emily's life in theatrical work.

Holding an M.A. in Theatre Arts from UCLA, where she was a member of Alpha Iota chapter, Emily toured for a year and a half with "Music Man." She and her husband, whom she met on tour, occupy a New York apartment and both have found their niche in TV, on stage, and in the movies.

Emily has appeared on the "Steel Hour," the Bert Lahr program, and in Off Broadway productions. For three summers she has played stock with such notables as Constance Bennett and Edward Everett Horton.

Dr. Ruhlberg retired from medical practice in St. Paul, Minn. in 1947 and he and Gertrude find life in Santa Barbara "a paradise."



Against a background of her original water colors, Betty Olsen, former Grand President, relaxes in an exhibition booth at Ann Arbor's Street Art Fair.

WELCOME TO FRENCH LICK

And Gamma Phi Beta's 90th

Anniversary Convention

June 22 through 26, 1964



"The Japanese Garden is one of many beauty spots on the grounds of the lovely French Lick-Sheraton resort. This unique hotel is in the 'heart of the country's population'—accessible by car, train, bus, or plane."

Waiting to greet you at the French Lick-Sheraton hotel in French Lick, Indiana, will be Virginia Stone Holland, Gail Skogmo Edwards, Anne Dallager Broshar, and Mary Jane Brown Monnig. These four Province Directors, along with Sally Gray Cass, the Regional Convention Chairman, will serve as your official hostesses for the five stimulating and fun-filled days.

Who Should Register?

What Will Convention Cost You?

Reservations: All International Officers, delegates, alternates and visitors who plan to attend the Fifty-First Biennial Convention for one or more days must fill out a Registration Form and mail it to: Mrs. L. W. Riggs, 618 28th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50318.

Registration Fee: The registration fee for the entire Convention is \$10.00. *This fee should accompany the Registration Form* and is to be sent in by every delegate, alternate, visitor and all members of the Convention Committee. Make checks out to Gamma Phi Beta Convention Fund.

NOTE: The International Officers *do not* send the \$10.00 fee, but *do* send the completed Registration Form.

The \$10 registration fee covers four issues of *The Crescent Moon* newspaper, the Carnation Banquet favor, the Convention Portfolio Kit, travel accident insurance, totebag, and other items. The hotel gratuities are *not* covered and will be posted on each individual's hotel bill.

Typical Hotel Expense: Here is an example of the five-day hotel expense for one person.

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| Room (two in a room) @ \$17.00 for 5 days | \$ 85.00 |
| 2% state sales tax ($\$0.34 \times 5$) | 1.70 |
| Meal gratuities ($\$1.25 \times 5$) | 6.25 |

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| Maid service gratuity ($\$0.25 \times 5$) | 1.25 |
| Baggage handling ($\$0.50$ each arrival and departure) | 1.00 |

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| Five day Hotel Bill Total | \$ 95.20 |
| Registration fee—sent to Mrs. Riggs | 10.00 |

Total expenses, except transportation and personal\$105.20

Family Plan: There will be *no* room charge for children under 14 years of age who occupy a bedroom with their parents. The established meal rates for these children will prevail. If more than two members of one family (except delegates and alternates) wish to attend the Convention full-time, a special registration fee can be arranged through Mrs. Riggs.

Part-time Attendance: The daily registration fee is \$2.00. This fee includes a Carnation Banquet favor (if present at Banquet), special banquet gratuities, totebag and pen. The specially designed Gamma Phi Beta Convention Portfolio Kit will be available to daily registrants for a below-cost rate of \$1.00.

Individual Meal Rates: Breakfast \$1.50, state tax \$0.03, tip \$0.25, total \$1.78; Luncheon \$2.50, tax \$0.05, tip \$0.35, total \$2.90; Dinner \$4.25, tax \$0.08, tip \$0.65, total \$4.98.

Registration Form—Gamma Phi Beta International Convention

FRENCH LICK-SHERATON HOTEL, FRENCH LICK, INDIANA, JUNE 22 THROUGH 26, 1964

Mail to:

Mrs. L. W. Riggs
618 28th Street
Des Moines, Iowa 50318

Name of Greek-letter Chapter
and

Name of Alumnae Chapter

Registration # Are you a Chapter Delegate? An Alternate Delegate?

NAME
(Last) (First) (Maiden) (Husband's name or initials)

Home Address
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

College Address
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Offices now held (International and/or Local)

Past International Offices held

Type of Accommodation desired: (Rates quoted are per diem, American plan—meals included; all with private bath.)

Single room, \$20.40; Twin-bed, \$17.34; Three in room, \$15.98

Preference for Roommate(s)

Date and approximate time of arrival Date and approximate time of departure

Type of transportation you will use: Automobile Bus

Plane, Arrival at Louisville, Ky. Name of Airline

Train, Arrival at Mitchell, Ind. Train, Arrival at Orleans, Ind.

Transportation Guide to French Lick

BY TRAIN:

There is no direct train service into French Lick. Arrangements will be made to have transportation available at Mitchell, Indiana (B&O train) and Orleans (Monon) on Monday, June 22. Those arriving on other days may make arrangements (with the conductor on the Monon train and at time ticket is purchased for the B&O train) to have a cab meet the train. Taxis to the French Lick Sheraton Hotel from both Mitchell and Orleans is \$5.00 single, \$6.00 for 2 passengers, \$7.00 for 3 and \$8.00 for 4.

From East Coast via Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Cincinnati:

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad—Train #1

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| Lv. Washington, D.C. | 6:25 P.M. EST |
| Ar. Cincinnati, Ohio | 7:40 A.M. EST |
| Lv. Cincinnati, Ohio | 8:10 A.M. EST |
| Ar. Mitchell, Ind. | 9:37 A.M. CST |

Trains from Pittsburgh, Detroit, Cleveland and Toledo territory connect with the B&O at Cincinnati. The Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad train from the Virginia area connects with the B&O at Cincinnati.

From West Coast and Southwest—several trains connect with the Baltimore and Ohio—Train #2—at St. Louis, Missouri:

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| Lv. St. Louis, Missouri | 9:45 A.M. CST |
| Ar. Mitchell, Indiana | 1:45 P.M. CST |

From Chicago and Louisville—the Monon Railroad, Train #5, leaves Chicago from the Dearborn Station at 10:00 A.M. CST and arrives in Orleans, Indiana at 4:10 P.M. CST.

The Monon Railroad, Train #6, leaves Louisville at 9:30 A.M. and arrives in Orleans at 10:09 A.M.

There are no diners on the Monon trains. Sandwiches and soft drinks may be purchased during a limited time.

BY BUS:

Greyhound bus schedules:

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| Lv. Louisville, Ky. | 9:00 A.M. EST | |
| | Ar. French Lick, Ind. | 10:53 A.M. EST |
| Lv. Louisville, Ky. | 2:00 P.M. EST | |
| | Ar. French Lick, Ind. | 3:50 P.M. EST |
| Lv. Evansville, Ind. | 1:20 P.M. CST | |
| | Ar. French Lick, Ind. | 3:37 P.M. EST |
| Lv. Indianapolis, Ind. | 3:30 P.M. CST | |
| | Ar. French Lick, Ind. | 6:03 P.M. EST |
| Lv. St. Louis, Mo. | 6:50 A.M. CST | |
| | Ar. French Lick, Ind. | 2:42 P.M. EST |
| Lv. St. Louis, Mo. | 2:50 P.M. CST | |
| | Ar. French Lick, Ind. | 10:42 P.M. EST |

BY PLANE:

Louisville, Kentucky is the closest major airport and is 54 miles from French Lick. It is serviced by six major airlines: American, TWA, Eastern, Delta, Ozark and Piedmont. Taxi fare from the airport to French Lick is \$28.00 for one to four persons and \$5.00 extra for each additional person.

For those who arrive by plane on Monday, June 22, arrangements will be made for a gathering place at the airport in Louisville. Gamma Phi Beta hostesses will assist in arranging taxi groups for the trip to the Sheraton French Lick Hotel. It is suggested that you schedule your flight for arrival in Louisville by 4:00 P.M.

BY CAR:

French Lick lies on Indiana Route #56, roughly 210 miles east of St. Louis, 55 miles northwest of Louisville, 165 miles southwest of Cincinnati and 300 miles southeast of Chicago. It is easily accessible from all directions via major highways.

NOTE: Since transportation schedules are subject to frequent change, it is suggested that schedules, arrangements and fares listed above be verified prior to your traveling. D D D

Scrapbook and Newsletter Contests at Convention

An interesting sidelight of convention is the display of chapter scrapbooks and publications. Speculation on which ones will be declared winners adds zest and excitement to the contest!

Awards for first, second and third places will be made by the judges, basing their decisions on originality, sales or public relations appeal, attractiveness and neatness, inclusiveness, and clarity of presentation.

Greek letter chapters: Bring your scrapbook of activities, honors, and awards up to date, now, and be sure your delegate brings it to convention!

Greek letter and alumnæ chapters: Be sure that copies of your chapter newsletters and booklets are mailed before May 15 to:

MRS. ELIZABETH F. JONES
3949 Lyons St., Evanston, Ill. 60203

HELP WANTED!

Want to earn \$50.00 while attending the Gamma Phi Beta International Convention in June?

Mrs. Del Lundy, the *Crescent Moon* Editor, is looking for an Assistant Editor and volunteer reporters to work with her for the five days, June 22 through 26. This can be a great experience, working with a professional editor and covering the convention activities.

For further information, write:

MRS. DEL LUNDY
Paxton, Illinois.

NPC HEADS, 1963-65. From left: Mrs. George K. Roller, Alpha Omicron Pi, treasurer; Mrs. Karl Miller, Sigma Kappa, secretary; Mrs. William Nash, Alpha Xi Delta, outgoing chairman; and Miss Elizabeth Dyer, Chi Omega, new chairman.



National Panhellenic Conference Meets in Arkansas

By ELIZABETH ARNOLD, NPC Delegate

On November 13, 1963, the thirty-eighth session of the National Panhellenic Conference, meeting at the Arlington Hotel, in Hot Springs, Arkansas, was called to order by Mrs. William Nash, Alpha Xi Delta, Chairman of the Conference.

Delegates of the 28 member fraternities responded to roll call, and introduced their alternate delegates and other national officers of their respective fraternities who were in attendance. It was my privilege to present as Gamma Phi Beta's first alternate delegate, Mrs. Lewis Hindley; as second alternate delegate, our Grand President, Mrs. H. E. Wittenberg. Other Gamma Phi Beta national officers in attendance were Mrs. Robert B. Thieme, Collegiate Vice President; Mrs. John C. Trussell, Director of Expansion; Miss Eleanor J. Sieg, Secretary-Treasurer; Mrs. James J. Marek, Editor.

REPORTS OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Mrs. Nash, Chairman, directed attention to the implementation of the resolutions passed at the 1961 session; to the Chairman's bulletins (accompanied by releases from the Research and Public Relations Committee, IRAC and NIC), sent to Delegates; and to the distribution of the following publications—Printed Report of the Thirty-seventh Session of NPC, Reports of the 1962 and 1963 Annual Meetings of IRAC, and Extension Procedures, a booklet prepared by the Extension Committee of the previous biennium for the use of college administrators. She referred to the serious problems confronting the fraternity world today—the demand for local autonomy, the trend to deferred rushing, the development of the junior college movement and the trimester plan. She closed her report with the following plea:

"During its early history, the National Panhellenic Conference had the benefit of the leadership of Delegates who served the Conference for many years. If we are to meet with wisdom and strength the problems facing us today, it is imperative for the Conference to have continuing service from its Delegates."

Miss Elizabeth Dyer, Chi Omega, Secretary of the Conference, reported a growth in membership. The statistical report, June 1, 1961—June 1, 1963, included the following figures:

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| New college chapters | 126 |
| New alumnae chapters | 323 |
| Membership, June 1, 1963 | 1,093,878 |
| New members, '61-'63 | 87,980 |

Mrs. Karl Miller, Sigma Kappa, Treasurer, reported that increasing demand for NPC publications necessitated the following reprints:

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| Speaking of Sororities | 3 reprints, each for 20,000 copies |
| Manual of Information (1958 edition) .. | 2 reprints |
| Guides for Panhellenic Consultants ... | 1 reprint |

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Research-Public Relations Committee—Mrs. Mary Love Collins, Chi Omega, Chairman, called attention to the procedures of this committee and to the responsibilities of the member fraternities in relation to questionnaires and requests for constitutions. These procedures have been established in order to implement an agreement entered into by all members of NPC at the 1949 meeting to the effect that no constitution would be filed and no questionnaire or other such requests answered by members or chapters of members until the validity of such requests is established by the NPC Research-Public Relations Committee. The Committee classifies questionnaires as follows:

1. Questionnaires from proper administrative authorities, which the RPR Committee is privileged to approve.
2. Questionnaires from off campus—such as those from clergymen or a psychologist in some community center—which are not approved.
3. Questionnaires from somewhere on campus—such as those from a campus group, graduate student, or professor—which are not approved.

Education-Citizenship Committee—Miss Eleanore Dufour, Beta Sigma Omicron, Chairman, whose report was read by Mrs. Stanley Brooks, President of Beta Sigma Omicron, urged all members of NPC to subscribe to *Freedom's Facts*, the monthly publication of the All American Conference to Combat Communism.

Survey-Projects Committee—Mrs. A. Howard Hall, Alpha Sigma Alpha, Chairman, reported on survey of scholarships offered by NPC fraternities. This list was to be published in the fall *IAWS* quarterly.

Awards Committee—Mrs. Max Hittle, Alpha Chi Omega, Chairman, related the procedures followed in preparation for the sixth presentation of *The Fraternity Month* Award and the third presentation of the National Panhellenic Award. Seventeen College Panhellenics entered the competition, 12 submitting application reports for *The Fraternity Month* Award, and 16 for the National Panhellenic Award. Trophies were presented to representatives of the winning College Panhellenics at the Saturday night banquet.

Housing Committee—Mrs. Gerald Arnold, Gamma Phi Beta, Chairman, introduced Mrs. W. C. Roberts, Zeta Tau Alpha, who told of the beginnings and early history of the Housing Committee. Mrs. Arnold reviewed the purpose and increase in number of housing agreements, and then introduced Mrs. John Smith, Director of Finance for Alpha Chi Omega, who discussed ways and means of securing local financing for sorority houses. Thursday afternoon was devoted in entirety to group meetings for housing.

Eligibility-Extension Committee—Mrs. Arthur L. Bergmann, Alpha Epsilon Phi, Chairman, reported that National Panhellenic Conference had received no petitions for membership nor any inquiries concerning possible membership. Instead, the trend to mergers within the present membership continues. The volume of inquiries from local groups and from administrators regarding nationalization indicates that there is a healthy, growing interest in the fraternity system.

City Panhellenics Committee—Mrs. Russell T. Costello, Delta Zeta, Chairman, reported 339 City Panhellenics. During the bi-



FOR EXCELLENCE. College Panhellenics at Kansas State University and University of Washington (Seattle) were winners of the two traveling awards. Sheree Shiel, Chi Omega (left), president of Kansas State PH, receives the Leland trophy for her campus. Carmen Lucas, Delta Delta Delta, rush chairman for the Washington Panhellenic, accepts the NPC trophy. In middle is Mrs. Max W. Hittle, Alpha Chi Omega, chairman of the NPC Awards Committee. The NPC award is based on the final paragraph of the Panhellenic Creed. Second place for the NPC award went to Iowa State.

THESE FIGURES DON'T LIE

College Fraternity Movement Is GROWING

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| Fraternity chapters in 1957 | 4154 | | |
| Fraternity chapters in 1963 | 4535 | gain | 381 |
| Sorority chapters in 1957 | 2125 | | |
| Sorority chapters in 1963 | 2374 | gain | 249 |
| Total gain in Greek chapters in six years | | | 630 |
| Campuses on which Greeks functioned in 1957 | 349 | | |
| Campuses on which Greeks functioned in 1963 | 497 | gain | 148 |
| Undergraduate fraternity members in 1957 | 1,850,596 | | |
| Undergraduate fraternity members in 1963 | 2,268,899 | | 415,303 |
| Undergraduate sorority members in 1957 | 925,573 | | |
| *Undergraduate sorority members in 1963 | 1,216,249 | | 290,676 |
| Loss of Greek campuses: 2 (Norwich 6 fraternity chapters; Randolph-Macon College for Women, 9 sorority chapters) | | | |
| Total Greek membership gain | | | 705,979 |

* This does not include members in local sororities; otherwise the figures include all members of collegiate fraternities and sororities (National Interfraternity Conference, National Panhellenic Conference, National Panhellenic Council (Negro) and 65 miscellaneous groups in 1963, a shrinkage of 13). Figures are verified by 1963 Baird's Manual. (Courtesy of Sigma Kappa Triangle.)

ennium 72 requests for information about and help with affiliation were received, showing an increased interest in City Panhellenics.

UNDERGRADUATE SESSION

The Dean of Women and two representatives from each College Panhellenic within a radius of 275 miles from Hot Springs were invited to attend the undergraduate session on Saturday. Twenty-five campuses in Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Oklahoma, Tennessee, and Texas were represented.

Binding agreements, policies, and the resolutions pertaining to College Panhellenics which had been passed at the conference were presented and discussed by various members of the College Panhellenics Committee, under the direction of Mrs. James W. Hofstead, Kappa Alpha Theta, Chairman.

Deans and Panhellenic advisers lunched with the College Panhellenics Committee, while the collegiates lunched with national officers of their respective fraternities.

In the afternoon a film, "This is Fraternity" produced by Lambda Chi Alpha, was an inspiration to all. The remainder of the time was devoted to questions by the collegiates and deans which were answered by members of the College Panhellenics Committee.

The day closed with a formal banquet, at which the winners of *The Fraternity Month* Award and the National Panhellenic Award were announced. Mrs. Max Hittle presented *The Fraternity Month* trophy, given by Mr. and Mrs. Leland F. Leland, to the Kansas State University Panhellenic. The NPC trophy, presented by the NPC Executive Committee of 1955-57, was awarded to the University of Washington Panhellenic. The Iowa State University Panhellenic was runner-up for both awards. Those College Panhellenics that submitted excellent application reports, but did not receive mention, should note that compliance with all policies of NPC is one of the criteria for the NPC Award. The criteria for *The Fraternity Month* Award is a little less strict on this point.

They were there . . .

Representing Gamma Phi Beta at the National Panhellenic Conference were, from left standing: Beatrice Hill Wittenberg, Grand President; Mary Glendon Trussell, Director of Expansion; Elizabeth Fee Arnold, NPC Delegate; Edith Doughty Hindley, NPC Alternate Delegate. Seated, Eleanor J. Sieg, Secretary-Treasurer; Aleene Carter Thieme, Collegiate Vice President; Ardis McBroom Marek Crescent Editor.



GRAND COUNCIL APPOINTMENTS

EDITH DOUGHTY HINDLEY NPC Alternate Delegate

Culminating 18 years of devoted service to Gamma Phi Beta alumnae work in Long Beach, Calif., Edith Doughty Hindley (Stanford '42) moves onto the international scene as NPC Alternate Delegate.

Active in the colonization at Long Beach State College, Edith served this chapter as alumna rush adviser and as Corporation Board president. She has served the past year as Public Relations adviser to the Long Beach Collegiate Panhellenic.

Her civic activities include charter member and presently first vice-president of the Long Beach Community Hospital Auxiliary; Assembly District Precinct Chairman for the Republican Party and an alternate to both the Los Angeles County and California State Republican Central Committees; substitute teacher in the Long Beach school system.

Edith's husband, Lew, is active in Sigma Chi work, having helped colonize their chapter at Long Beach State. An agent for the New York Life Insurance Co., Lew is Traffic Commissioner of Lakewood and vice-president of the Suburban Republican Club.

Three sons complete the family portrait. Norton is a freshman at Southern Cal and Phi Gamma Delta pledge; Kirk, a junior in high school; and Forrest, an 8th grader. The family hobby is gem cutting and polishing, and jewelry making.

Edith was warmly welcomed by representatives to the National Panhellenic Conference in November, where her keen intellect and outstanding organizational ability were immediately recognized.

KAREN TUCKER Traveling Secretary

A graduate of Memphis State University and loyal member of Gamma Alpha chapter, Karen Tucker has been named by Grand Council to the position of Traveling Secretary.

Karen's well-rounded college career included membership in the Glee Club and Orchestra, Homecoming chairman which brought first place to the chapter in house decorations, and broad Panhellenic experience. Karen served as treasurer of Panhellenic and represented her campus at the Southeastern Panhellenic Conference at Auburn University. She was elected to *Who's Who* her senior year.

While attending college, Karen worked 38 hours per week, and in the summers served as private secretary to an attorney.

LOUISIANA STATE WELCOMES GAMMA PHI BETA

On March 14, Gamma Lambda chapter will be installed at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge. This is the first chapter of Gamma Phi Beta to be chartered in Louisiana. Installation services will be conducted by members of Gamma Alpha chapter from Memphis State University.

Philanthropy Board Report for 1962-1963

Every member of Gamma Phi Beta may well be proud of our philanthropic work during the past year in an ever expanding program of service to others. More hours of time have been given, many new local projects have been sponsored, and much more financial assistance has been donated.

Both our camps reported excellent camping sessions, and look forward to even a better summer in 1964. The new Lodge at Sechelt will be ready for use, and the Colorado Camp will again offer free use of the camp site and equipment to local retarded children at the conclusion of our own camp season. Approximately 300 underprivileged children attended our two camps last summer, with Greek-letter members serving as counselors.

The Philanthropy Board allotted 30 campships last year, and in most instances, this amount was matched by the local chapter, so that many children all over the country attended various camps other than our own sorority camps. This Board administers the Philanthropy tax receipts, the Camp Gifts, and the Counselor Transportation Fund, with the bulk of the money, of course, being used for the actual maintenance of the two camps. Both Camp Boards prepare audits, and the Philanthropy Board is also audited each year. We are deeply

indebted to the devoted and untiring Camp Boards located in Denver and in Vancouver. They have been most efficient in their work as well as cooperative with this Board. We also want to thank our International Camp Chairman who does the actual supervision of the camps, and our loyal Gamma Phi Beta counselors; we are also deeply grateful to every member of Gamma Phi Beta who helped make our Camp Gift total so large this past year.

Although the Province Scholarship Funds are not administered by the Philanthropy Board, the amounts are tallied by this Board, and there has been an amazing growth in these funds. Last year more women than ever before received financial assistance to complete their college education through our scholarship fund with no restraint of race or creed. It is interesting to note that some of our alumnae chapters are assisting the gifted children where help is needed financially, and much service and time have been donated to various types of specialized groups for the sick and invalid.

Thus the helping hand of Gamma Phi Beta continues its work of service and assistance to the countless outstretched hands of those less fortunate, and in this working together, we have all found a deeper love and respect for each other.

I am very grateful to the devoted members who have served with me on the Philanthropy Board—Stella Blanche Brevoort, Vice President; Virginia Atkinson, Secretary; and Mary Ness, Treasurer.

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JANET M. HEATON

SUMMARY FROM PHILANTHROPY BOARD QUESTIONNAIRES AND ALUMNAE REPORTS

14 Provinces reported, with a membership of 6,519, as follows: 37 Greek Letter Chapters—157 Alumnae Chapters.

194 total replies received (168 in 1962, and 111 in 1961).

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| Contributions to Gamma Phi Beta Camps | \$ 4,018 |
| Contributions to Local Camps | 2,240 |
| Financial Aid to Greek Letter Chapters | 17,374 |
| Contributions to Campus and Community Projects .. | 12,062 |
| Contributions to Scholarship Funds | 3,915 |
| Contributions to The Endowment Fund and to The Foundation | 3,777 |
| Contributions to the Expansion Gift Fund | 406 |
| Miscellaneous Contributions for Other Worthy Causes | 1,637 |

Over 31,000 hours of service have been donated that could be tallied. Alumnae chapters within province boundaries have given endless hours of service and assistance to Greek-letter chapters that can only be estimated, such as rushing, house and robe maintenance, house board supervision, and chapter advisory help.

Both Camp Boards have worked endlessly as well to maintain and supervise two fine camps for underprivileged children, and Greek-letter Counselors have donated their time for this project.

Total Philanthropy Tax received, \$10,164.00. Alumnae, \$5,142; Greek Letter, \$2,946; Pledges, \$2,076. This is an increase of \$335.00 over the period of 1961-1962.

The Camp Gifts (which do not include the tax money), \$2,621.75. Besides these donations, many chapters reported gifts of toys, scrap books, toilet articles, and clothing forwarded to the two Camp Boards.

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| Amount Paid for Counselor Transportation | \$1,521.00 |
| Amount Paid for Camp Gifts | 752.17 |

The Treasurer reports a balance (and per audit) as of July 31, 1963 of \$4,890.59.



Fund Raising in Fargo

Fargo-Moorhead alumnae are staunch supporters of Gamma Phi Beta's camps at Indian Hills and Sechelt.

Funds are raised through an annual Gourmet Sale which features favorite foods prepared by the alumnae. With each item goes the treasured recipe. Pictured above are Mrs. David Gordon, Mrs. Cyril Juetz, and Mrs. Seth Twitchell frying doughnuts which were made and sold hot at the sale. General chairman of the Gourmet Sale was Jocelyn Birch Burdick (Northwestern).

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Gamma Phi Beta CAMPS

The word philanthropy has been defined as the spirit of active good will toward one's fellow men, especially as shown in efforts to promote their welfare. Truly, Gamma Phi Beta's camping program fits the title of an International Philanthropy.

The advantages of running our camps are reciprocal. Not only do the underprivileged children thrill to enjoyable experiences in outdoor living, have fun away from city problems and worries, but Greek Letter and alumnae Gamma Phi Betas who counsel and direct the activities of the campers gain experience in the education and counsel of these less fortunate children.

Give a Gift to Camp

Each year as members of Alumnae and Greek letter chapters of Gamma Phi Beta, you contribute one dollar of your dues in a Philanthropy Tax. This money is used to maintain and operate your two camps at Indian Hills (Denver) and Sechelt (Vancouver, B.C.). It is also used to provide campships to chapters who would like to send a local child to a camp in a near-by area. This money must provide for any capital improvements at our own two camps. At the time of this writing, Gamma Phi Beta and the Vancouver Alumnae chapter are providing such a capital improvement in a new main lodge for the Vancouver camp.

The total amount of money from the Philanthropy tax in a period from August 1, 1962 through July 31, 1963 was \$10,164.00. In addition to this Philanthropy Tax, many of our chapters contributed generously in *additional gifts* for camp and for the Counselor Transportation Fund. Without such gifts, our International Philanthropy would not be able to operate in such a fine manner. Some chapters budget each year for a financial gift to camp. Other chapters have work parties at their meetings and make needed gift items for camp. Many chapters prefer to allocate their gift money to the Counselor Transportation Fund. The entire amount of this gift money for this same period, August 1, 1962 through July 31, 1963 was \$2,621.75. Should we have an increase in this gift money, we would be able to provide more campships as the



Volleyball at Indian Hills, Colorado camp where Gamma Phi Beta provides fun in the sun for underprivileged girls whose playgrounds have been crowded city streets.

first item of business. As it stands now, unfortunately, we have to deny many chapter requests for campships because we simply do not have enough excess funds after we have allocated the necessary monies to each camp for their year's operations.

We must maintain sound business practices in setting aside a certain amount of money each year for any financial emergency that should arise during the camp operations. We must look to the future and to the replacement of buildings and camp equipment. So you can readily understand our plea each year for camp gifts. Should you not be a member of any Alumnae organization and you are living in an area where there is no Alumnae chapter, we would appreciate your sending any amount, large or small. Mail your check to *Central Office* and indicate your gift is for Camp.

In January each year, all chapters receive letters concerning camp gifts and if your chapter has not already responded to this request, please do it now! We need your help and we appreciate your generosity in the past! D D D

If you are a Greek-letter girl and would like a rewarding and meaningful summer, apply now!

GAMMA PHI BETA APPLICATION FOR CAMP COUNSELOR

Mail to: Mrs. Frank Hiscock, 1802 Parkside Drive East, Seattle 2, Washington

NameChapterAge

Address
(Home: street, city, state) (College: street, city, state)

Camp experience

Special Interests

Tentative dates. Please circle date and location preferred.

Colorado

June 19 to July 4
July 3 to July 18

Vancouver

June 29 to August 15, 1964

IN MEMORIAM

Mrs. Clinton LeRoy Babcock (Epsilon '99)
Mary Palmer
Upper Montclair, N.J.
Died November 7, 1963

Mrs. S. J. Crandell (Beta Sigma '43)
Sarah Love
Pullman, Washington
Died October 2, 1963

Mrs. John Richardson (Theta '29)
Marion Thomas
Albuquerque, New Mexico
Died August 31, 1963

Mrs. Ben T. Blackwell (Alpha Zeta '24)
Dr. Nan L. Gilkerson
Amarillo, Texas
Died November 28, 1963

Mrs. R. Owens (Alpha Omicron '49)
Dorothy Abrahamson
Fargo, North Dakota
Died October 30, 1963

Mrs. E. L. Sanders (Rho '18)
Kathryn Crosby
Waterloo, Iowa
Died November 1, 1963

Miss Virginia Bonney (Alpha Sigma '36)
Flushing, New York
Died July 5, 1963

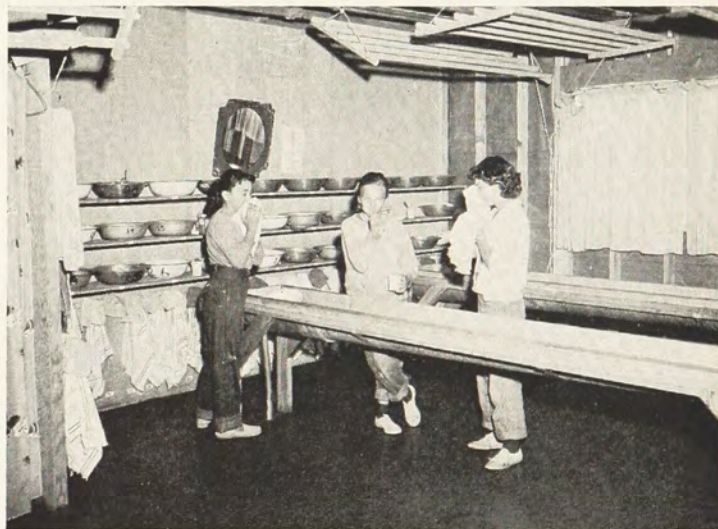
Miss Clara A. Pollock (Alpha Omicron '33)
Fargo, North Dakota
Died in December 1962

Mrs. Percy Almerin Smith (Omicron '02)
Charlotte Enid Draper
Yellow Springs, Ohio
Died in 1962

Alumna Director Needed

One alumna is needed for director of the Sechelt Camp. Dates are from June 29, 1964 to August 15, 1964. Qualifications for the job are any of the following: counseling at any type camp, aptitude for group management, experience in working with children, married women with experience in girl's club work and teaching.

The director's job pays \$400.00, transportation and seven weeks board and room. Please feel free to write if you are interested.



Scrubbing up in the wash house at Sechelt, Gamma Phi Beta's seashore camp for underprivileged girls. Some have never owned a toothbrush until now!

DIRECTOR'S APPLICATION FOR VANCOUVER

Mail to: Miss Margaret Stewart, 206 7th Street, New Westminster, B. C., Canada

Name Chapter Age

Address

Education pertinent to position as Camp Director

Camping Experience position held year

Names of three persons who may be used as references. People who know your experience and ability.

..... Address

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An accompanying personal letter and small photograph will be appreciated.

Gamma Phi Betas Celebrate 89th Anniversary

Another year of Gamma Phi Beta growth and progress was celebrated at Founders Day functions across the land in November. High points of the year were the chartering of two new Greek letter chapters, one at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls, Texas and one at Kearney State College at Kearney, Nebraska. Colonization at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge was accomplished in the fall. We can look with pride at the work of our Grand President and our National Panhellenic Delegate in the field of inter-sorority cooperation in policy-making and the outstanding contribution which our alumnae and Greek-letter chapters have made to Gamma Phi Beta and to the fraternity system in general. For all these things, we can be grateful and justifiably proud.

For all of us, Founders Day is a time of reflection on past accomplishments and an inspiration to carry on the principles and ideals into our everyday lives which were established for us by Helen M. Dodge, Frances E. Haven, E. Adeline Curtis, and Mary A. Bingham, November 11, 1874.

Province Highlights of 1963 Founders Day

PROVINCE I

Mrs. W. A. Devereaux, Alumnae Director for Province I, was guest speaker at the **Westchester** and **Fairfield Counties** joint luncheon held at the Showboat Restaurant in Greenwich. Her talk on the pros and cons of sorority publicity was of genuine interest and provided much food for thought.

Syracuse alumnae joined **Alpha** collegiates in their traditional joint celebration at the Alpha chapter house. Highlight of the evening was the presentation of two skits, one by the alumnae and one by the Alpha members. Memorial services concluded the program.

Buffalo alumnae met at the home of Mrs. Russell Carr for dinner after which a Founders Day service was held.

Delta collegiates met with alumnae from **Boston**, **Lexington**, and **North Shore** at an afternoon tea at which Mrs. Blaine Peterson, Province I PCD and Mrs. W. A. Devereaux, Province I PAD, were special guests.

New York City Alumnae met for dinner at the Gramercy Park Hotel. The traditional candle lighting service was held and Mrs. Devereaux spoke on "The Future Role of Sororities and Gamma Phi Beta."

PROVINCE II

Twenty-one alumnae from **Pittsburgh** and **South Hills** met for dessert and a Founders Day memorial service at the home of Mrs. C. H. Hawks. Mary Tuttle, a member of the Pittsburgh group and the present PAD for Province II, was the special guest.

Beta Beta members joined the **Washington, D.C.**, **College Park** and **North Virginia** alumnae at a banquet held at the Officers Club at Bolling Air Force Base. Sally Pritchett and Jane Morris of Beta Beta gave an entertaining talk and showed slides of their Gamma Phi Beta European tour. Fifty year pins were presented to Beatrice Locke Hogan (Nu) and Helen E. Bliss (Omega), following which the collegiate members conducted the Founders Day Carnation Ceremony.



(Left) New York City alumnae celebrate Founders Day with Mrs. William Devereaux, PAD, (seated left) as honored guest. At center is Virginia Smith Kline (Denver), chapter president, and Sue Wall Scott (Wisconsin). Standing are Marilyn Marvel Behre (Idaho) and Miss Lee Conley (Vermont).

(Center) Delta and Boston alumnae at Founders Day ceremonies included from left Patricia Roderick, president of the alumnae, Jane McGivney (Boston U.), Mrs. Devereaux, PAD, Mrs. Blaine Peterson, PCD, and Mariann McDonnell, president of Delta chapter.

(Right) At Miami University, Beta Epsilon members served punch and cake. From left are Sue Doddridge, Cam Cloudt, and Pat Goodwin.

A coffee was held by the **Richmond** alumnae at which the traditional candle lighting ceremony was held.

Alpha Pi members held a Founders Day Tea and honored ten of their own alumnae as special guests. A candle lighting service was held, Fidelity was sung, and the function concluded with the mystic circle.

Sylvia Probst, one of the founders of Pi chapter, was the special guest at a dinner which the **Philadelphia** and **North Suburban** alumnae held to honor our four founders. Mrs. Edwin Tuttle, PAD, was the speaker and a candle lighting service was held.

Alpha Chi chapter members had a dessert meeting at which their chapter adviser, Mrs. Fran Rucker (Kent State) and the PCD Mrs. Kay Trostle (Penn State) were honored guests.

Traditional Founders Day memorial service was held by **Alpha Upsilon** and **Youngstown** alumnae while **Gamma Beta** and the **Baltimore** alumnae group met for luncheon and enjoyed hearing Mary Tom McCurley speak on the Expansion Program of Gamma Phi Beta.

PROVINCE III

Beta Zeta members celebrated Founders Day at a tea at the Kent State chapter house to which the **Youngstown**, **Canton**, and **Summit County** alumnae were invited. In addition to the memorial service, the pledge scholarship award for outstanding scholarship was awarded to Georgia Profusek.

Springfield alumnae and **Alpha Nu** collegiates celebrated at a dinner at the Kerdeen Inn. A traditional Founders Day service was conducted and entertainment by a sextet from the college chapter was enjoyed. PCD for Province 3, Mrs. George Raup, was special guest.

Ohio Wesleyan collegiates of **Alpha Eta** held a candle lighting service following their regular Monday night meeting and concluded with the singing of Fidelity.

Dayton, **Lima**, and **Troy** area alumnae held a dinner meeting at the Helen of Troy restaurant. Mrs. Graeme Reid, Alumnae Vice President, was guest speaker and outlined the growth of our Sorority since its founding and emphasized the need for continued interest and participation in sorority activity in the alumnae field.

Beta Xi members and **Columbus** alumnae held a candle lighting and ribbon ceremony. The alumnae group had instituted an Outstanding Service Award this year and the first recipient was Maryanne Jones, treasurer of the House Corporation



Springfield, Ohio alumnae and Alpha Nu chapter members were entertained by a sextette, from left, Sharyn Shipley, Tina Rogers, Peg Kemper, Lauri Snyder, Jan Blackman, and Judy Israel.

Board. A dessert smorgasbord and conversation were enjoyed following the program.

Cleveland, **Cleveland West**, and **East Suburban** alumnae celebrated Founders Day at a dinner. A candle lighting ceremony was held and Mrs. Wm. Fritsche, PAD, was guest speaker. Her talk was on the importance of the Endowment Fund. Two fifty year members, Mrs. Margaret Taylor and Mrs. Lillian Smith were special guests as were Mrs. Elarka Hakanson, our International Public Relations Chairman and Mrs. Barbara Moose, Intercity Council Chairman.

Beta Gamma collegiates and **Toledo** and **Bowling Green** alumnae met at a banquet where the faculty adviser, Miss Florence Baird, and PAD Mrs. William Fitsche were special guests. Mrs. Fritsche was speaker of the day and spoke on the interrelation of alumnae and college chapter members. A candle lighting service was conducted and the function concluded with the mystic circle.

Beta Epsilon held a tea and candle lighting service in honor of Founders Day.



At Urbana, Sally Eastland (Omicron) at left, received one of the Frances E. Haven Moss scholarship awards from Mrs. James R. Riley, alumnae scholarship adviser. Looking on are Ellen Hyndman, chapter scholarship chairman, and Lillian Johnston, chairman of the scholarship fund.

PROVINCE IV

Grand Rapids alumnæ met for a dinner celebration in the home of Mrs. Franklin P. Whitman. The Golden Crescent Award was made in absentia to Mrs. Fred N. Kerwin who was ill and could not attend. A candle lighting service concluded the program.

Indianapolis alumnæ had a 100% participation of their members at a dinner which was followed by the traditional candle lighting service.

Beta Pi and **Terry Haute** alumnæ had a dessert at which Miss Permelia Anderson gave an interesting history of the chapter. This was followed by the traditional Founders Day memorial service. Special guests at the occasion were the president, vice president, and secretary of the house corporation board.

Detroit alumnæ celebrated at a dinner at which two of their members, PAD Dorothy Brooks Darling (Beta '42) and Delphine Johnston Andrews (Beta '31) Chairman of the Foundation, were honored guests. Another Beta alumna, Pansy J. Blake, was honored for having been selected for membership on the Service Roll. Candle lighting ceremonies concluded the program.

Beta Phi held a memorial service following dessert and the fairly new alumnæ group of the **Lafayette** area held their first Founders Day service following their regular monthly evening meeting.

At the **Tri-City** alumnæ meeting in Davenport, Illinois a memorial service was held following dinner at the Outing Club. Special guest of the evening was Mary Beth Peil (Epsilon '62) former chapter president of Epsilon who is now singing with the New England Opera Theatre under the direction of Boris Goldovsky after receiving study grants from the Rockefeller and Sullivan Foundations.

Birmingham, Michigan alumnæ honored our four founders at a luncheon meeting followed by a memorial candle lighting service.

PROVINCE V

Epsilon members had an evening dessert at which chapter president, Carol Carbone, told of her trip to Russia this past summer. The traditional Founders Day memorial service concluded the evening function.

Chicago's Athletic Club was the scene of a luncheon gathering of the **Chicago**, **Chicago North**, and **South Suburban** Alumnæ groups. Special guest was Mrs. Robert M. Peters (Jane Ahlberg, Epsilon '54), National Director of Magazine Sales and Central Office Assistant. The luncheon was followed by a Founders Day memorial service.

Peoria and **Lake County** alumnæ held an evening dessert meeting followed by traditional Founders Day ceremonies and members of **Beta Eta** celebrated at an afternoon tea.

Chicago West Suburban had a dinner party at which PAD Mrs. A. G. Broshar, was special guest. Speaker of the evening was Mrs. Fred Figge (Beverly Menz, Omicron) president of the group who gave an inspiring talk on the meaning of Gamma Phi Beta to the alumnæ.

Members of **Chicago Northwest Suburban** alumnæ group celebrated with a potluck dinner at the home of Mrs. G. F. Heggem in Palatine. Eighty-nine candles on two identical birthday cakes were the center of attraction. In addition to the traditional candle lighting ceremony, additional candles were lighted for the 14 individual chapters represented at the gathering.

Omicron members joined the **Champaign-Urbana** alumnæ for dinner. The program included a talk on "Our Inheritance" given by Miss Flora Hattes and the awarding of seven scholarship awards from the Frances E. Haven Moss Scholarship Fund.

PROVINCE VI

Kappa collegiate members met **Minneapolis-St. Paul** alumnæ at dinner to celebrate Founders Day. PCD, Mrs. Eugene C. Monnig gave an excellent talk on "Love, Labor, and Loyalty."



Chicago Northwest Suburban alumnæ gather 'round the tea table at the Founders Day celebration. From left seated are: Nancy Sorrels Heggem (Denver), Talie Meyer McKenzie (Northwestern), Marcene Salomon Larkin (Wichita), Carol Reyle Van Sickle (Northwestern), Frances Black Green (Northwestern), president, Patti Dorsey Kalmes (Northwestern), and Maryanne Thompson Keller (Denver). Standing: Bev McLeod Van der Voort (Washington U.), Karen Eisch Loranz (Wisconsin), Carol Gifford Pellegrino (Nebraska), Elaine Pearson Tappan (Miami U.), JoAnn Willert Fogel (No. Dakota State), Mimi Lang Mead (Northwestern), JoAnn Shields Patsch (Michigan State), Phyllis Deming Parlee (Syracuse), Cora Leach Baldikoski (Wisconsin-Milwaukee), Pat Bailey Dispenzere (Ohio State), Shirley Johnson Christopher (Northwestern), Sue Moore Milburn (Bowling Green), and Janice Clark Impey (Illinois).



Milwaukee alumnæ president, Mrs. Ralph Teitgen (right) presents the Golden Crescent award for 50 year membership to Mrs. William Kieckhefer at Founders' Day ceremonies.

Lynne Maher, Kappa chapter president, introduced the 14 new pledges and told of the campus activities of the chapter. PAD Mrs. A. O. Edwards was a special guest as was Mrs. Hugh B. Wilcox of Kappa who was honored as a 50 year member.

Gamma members and Madison alumnæ celebrated at a dinner also. PAD Mrs. Monnig, President of the House Corporation Board Mrs. Chickering and Mrs. Reul president of the Madison alumnæ group, were special guests. Speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Elise Bell, alumna adviser for Gamma Gamma, who spoke on "The Importance of Sentiment." Traditional memorial service concluded the program.

Alpha Kappa celebrated at dinner in one of the private banquet rooms of the Viscount Gort Hotel, Winnipeg. In addition to the memorial service in honor of our Four Founders, Nancy Bole, former chapter president, spoke on her teaching experiences in Churchill, Manitoba, which is a military outpost. Scholarship cups were presented to the active and pledge with the highest grade point average and to the active who had shown the greatest improvement in scholarship.

Alpha Beta and Grand Forks alumnæ held a dinner in honor of Founders Day. Although no formal memorial service was held, the college chapter members presented a skit portraying our national founding followed by an additional skit showing highlights of the founding of Alpha Beta.

Alpha Omicron held an evening coffee celebration with Fargo-Moorehead alumnæ as special guests of the evening. The pledge class presented an amusing skit and the gathering closed with the traditional memorial service.

Milwaukee alumnæ and Gamma Gamma collegiates had a dinner at the Milwaukee University Club where Mrs. Eugene C. Monnig, PAD, was guest speaker. A program of appropriate songs was presented by the Gamma Gamma members and Mrs. Alfred J. Kieckhefer was given the Golden Crescent pin for fifty years of membership in Γ Φ Β.

PROVINCE VII

Gamma Iota pledges and actives were guests of the alumnæ of Wichita Falls at a buffet supper. A candle lighting ceremony was presented by the alumnæ and the college members entertained with songs.

Dallas and Richardson alumnæ joined Alpha Xi members for a banquet at the Southern Methodist Student Center. Judy

Dallas alumnæ (right), of the year award was presented to Virginia Vint (second from left) as part of Founders Day program. Others pictured at right are Jean Stephenson (Oklahoma U.) alumnæ president, Stella Dixon (Iowa State), and Kay Cumley (Texas), 1962 award winner.



Oklahoma alumnæ (at far right) light candles at Founders Day service which included Beta Omicron chapter members. At left is Pauline Gibson Perry (Texas U.) and Shirley Lentz Weddle (Nebraska), president of Tulsa alumnæ.

Conklin, traveling Secretary, was guest speaker and spoke of our growth in her talk entitled "From Four to Fortune." Virginia Vint was awarded the Alumnæ Award of the Year. The collegiate chapter president, Jean Stephenson, introduced the new pledge class and the program concluded with the candle lighting ceremony.

Beta Taus of Texas Tech celebrated at a banquet at the Lubbock Women's Club. A memorial service was held and the highlight of the evening was the presentation of a tape recording of the installation of Beta Tau, March 19, 1950 by Mrs. Robert Reedy, president of the alumnæ chapter.

Corpus Christi alumnæ presented a pink carnation service at a coffee and concluded their Founders' Day celebration by singing Fidelity.

Alpha Zeta and Austin alumnæ held a banquet and traditional Founders' Day memorial service. The Outstanding Alumna of the Year Award went to Mrs. C. F. Welborn. A charter member of Alpha Zeta, Anne Hill, was also honored and her niece, Ann Ramsdale Bridgewater, presented a tray to the college chapter. Mrs. Thomas J. Rogers (Evelyn Armstrong), State Membership Chairman was special guest of the evening.

Port Arthur-Groves and Beaumont alumnæ met for dinner in the French Room of the Ridgewood. The program opened with a pledge service for the special initiate pledges who will assist with the colonizing at Lamar State College of Technology. Mrs. Thomas Mays, supervisor of the colony, gave a preview of things to come with the new chapter and Mrs. Michael Kelly spoke on the importance of the Endowment Fund. A candle lighting service was held as Mrs. C. W. Bingman gave a story of the founding of Gamma Phi Beta.

Fort Worth alumnæ celebrated at a dinner, Amarillo and San Antonio alumnæ met for luncheon, and Gamma Iota had a buffet dinner in honor of Founders' Day. All these functions were concluded with an appropriate Founders' Day service.

PROVINCE VIII

The Louisiana State University colony and the Baton Rouge and New Orleans alumnæ met for luncheon on November 16. Elinor Dunsmoor, Traveling Sect'y, was Toastmistress and the PCD, Mrs. Charles Forman (Lucy Watson) was guest speaker. Her topic was "Our College and Gamma Phi Beta



Life Today." Members of the colony pledge class were introduced, a skit presented by four members of the colony, and a candle lighting service presented.

Gamma Alpha and **Memphis** alumnae held a banquet in honor of Founders Day. Mrs. Don Hutchison, vice president of the alumnae chapter, was speaker of the evening and a memorial service was presented.

Miami and **Fort Lauderdale** alumnae met at luncheon and in addition to the traditional Founders Day service enjoyed hearing Mrs. Charles Forman, PAD, speak on "Progress in our Province." Mrs. Betty Wansun, State Membership Chairman, was a special out-of-town guest.

A carnation service was held as part of the regular monthly meeting of the **Knoxville** alumnae group with the balance of the meeting time being devoted to the formulation of plans for the group's annual welfare project, the assembling of 40 camper kits to be sent to one of our summer camps.

Auburn, Alabama alumnae celebrated with a Founders Day luncheon at which Auburn University's Dean of Women was a special guest. Lucy Forman, PAD, addressed the group and told of colonization at Louisiana State and of a prospective alumnae chapter in Montgomery, Ala.

Birmingham, Alabama alumnae marked our 89th birthday with a Founders Day Tea at the home of Mrs. Wm. R. Lacey. A candle lighting ceremony was held and Lorette Syburg Urquhart (Gamma '15) now a member of the Birmingham group was guest of honor.

An evening dessert at the home of Mrs. Thomas Kenton followed by a business meeting and candle lighting service was the way in which the **Atlanta** area alumnae celebrated Founders' Day. Special guests were five new members representing four different college chapters.

Alpha Theta members who recently moved into their new chapter house at Vanderbilt University held a banquet with the **Nashville** alumnae group. International Vice President, Mrs. Graeme Reid, was speaker of the evening. Mrs. John P. Orwin, one of Alpha Theta's founders spoke "On reminiscing about Alpha Theta" and the college members presented a skit, "Alpha Theta Promises." The program concluded with a candle lighting service.



Pi chapter joined Lincoln alumnae at a Founders Day coffee hour. From left are Mrs. Edwin Hoffman, Karen Schroeder, president of Pi, and Mrs. Jerry Trimble, alumnae president.

Fifty eight members and 21 pledges, representing the entire membership of **Beta Mu** honored our Four Founders at a dinner celebration. Sixteen Beta Mu alumnae were special guests of the evening which was concluded with a Founders' Day memorial service.

Alpha Mu invited **Orlando** and **Winter Park** alumnae to a dessert at the chapter house to celebrate Founders Day. A review of progress from 1874 was given. This was followed by a representation of the Four Founders, the chapter roll call, and the group's singing of Fidelity.

PROVINCE IX

Beta Omicron members were guests of the **Oklahoma City** alumnae at a dinner party in the home of Mrs. R. T. Sturn. Esther Hampton, president of Beta Omicron, gave a short talk, Mrs. L. E. Weirich, PAD, spoke on Expansion, and a candle lighting ceremony was held.

Muskogee alumnae held a tea and had as honored guests new pledges and collegiate members home for Thanksgiving vacation.

Gamma Delta chapter members at the University of Wyoming enjoyed a special banquet in observance of Founders Day.



Bartlesville alumnae met at luncheon at the Hillcrest Country Club and in addition to the candle lighting service enjoyed a talk by Mrs. Weirich on the importance of our Endowment Fund. Mrs. D. E. Hodges, was special guest of the day.

Tulsa alumnae had an evening dessert in the home of Mrs. Sidney H. Davis, PAD, Mrs. Weirich, was the guest speaker and other special guests were the four charter members of the Tulsa alumnae chapter: Mrs. Max Pishel, a 55 year member from Alpha chapter, Mrs. Russell Tarr, Mrs. John Fryer, and Mrs. Henry Beve van Wesep who now lives in San Miguel, Mexico.

PROVINCE X

Beta Chi collegiates and **Wichita** area alumnae celebrated Founders' Day at a dinner after which the following program was presented: a skit by the alumnae portraying active chapter officers, a skit by the Beta Chi members entitled "The Littlest Sea Sprite," which had been used successfully in rushing, a candle lighting ceremony, and the formation of the mystic circle.

Sigma members and **Lawrence** alumnae held a tea at which the candle lighting service was held. The following college chapter girls were honored: Sandra Barnholdt for the highest grades in the senior class, Janet Starr for showing the most improvement in grades in the junior class, and Linda Hogen-dobler who received the pin of one of the founders of the Sigma chapter as the most outstanding senior girl.

Kansas City, Missouri alumnae invited all their twenty six past presidents to be guests of honor at their Founders' Day banquet held at the Leawood Country Club. Also honored were Miss Ruth Mary Weeks who received her Golden Crescent award and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellsworth of Lawrence. Mrs. Ellsworth is a charter member and former president of the Lawrence alumnae and is the mother of Congressman Robert Ellsworth. Mr. Ellsworth is retiring alumni secretary for Kansas University and has had a dormitory there named after him. A musical program presented by the double trios recently written up in *THE CRESCENT* was well received and a candle lighting service concluded the program.



Beta Iota at Idaho State and Pocatello alumnae chapters shared the Founders Day ceremonies. Respective presidents are, left, Vicki Lowe and Mrs. Louise Gibbons.

Hutchison alumnae celebrated at a dinner at the Prairie Dunes Country Club, Topeka alumnae met for luncheon, and **Manhattan** alumnae met with **Beta Upsilon** for Founders Day celebration.

PROVINCE XI

Missoula alumnae celebrated with a potluck dinner party in the home of Mrs. Bert Hansen. The carnation crescent service was presented after which Fidelity was sung. Following this, Gertrude Dossenbach Greenfield (Alpha Epsilon '39), was elected president to replace Sally Beale McMahon (Xi) who was moving to Seattle.

Tau chapter invited the **Fort Collins** alumnae to a dessert to celebrate Founders Day and held the traditional memorial service at the conclusion of their gathering.

Denver alumnae and **Theta** collegiates held a dinner party at which all past presidents of the Denver chapter were honored guests. A candle lighting service concluded the evening program.

Approximately 80 members of the **Cheyenne** and **Laramie** alumnae groups and members of **Gamma Delta** attended a



In Corvallis, Oregon, Chi chapter members joined alumnae for an impressive candle lighting service.



Long Beach alumnae at Founders Day service included, from left, Susan Tenney Zaepfel (U. of Washington), Lillian Jones Barnett (UCLA), Ruth Needham Green (Nebraska), and Pat Gormely Cabe (Colorado U.).

dinner in honor of our 89th birthday at the Knight Hall banquet room on the University of Wyoming campus. Mrs. George Gentile (Marjorie Jane Briscoe, AX) spoke on the history of Gamma Phi Beta and the occasion was concluded with a candle lighting service.

Alpha Phi collegiates held a luncheon in honor of Founders' Day, Salt Lake City and Omaha alumnae groups both held dinner parties, and Pi collegiates and Lincoln alumnae had a dessert meeting, all of which were concluded with appropriate Founders' Day ceremonies.

PROVINCE XII

Pullman alumnae and Beta Sigma collegiates had a joint dessert with Xi chapter and Moscow alumnae on the Washington State campus. Presidents of the two alumnae groups were honored guests and the carnation service was presented.

A dessert followed by a Founders service was held at the Nu chapter house on the University of Oregon campus with Eugene area alumnae as guests. Mrs. O. F. Stafford (Lila Straub, Nu, '09) of Eugene and a charter member of Nu chapter gave an interesting talk on the history of Nu and displayed a scrapbook containing pictures and other mementos of the chapter. Mrs. A. W. Douglass of Mercer Island, Washington, PAD for province XIII, was guest of honor.

Mrs. Douglass was also special guest and speaker for the Salem alumnae dinner in honor of Founders' Day where she spoke of her inspection visits throughout the province and stressed the need for continuing expansion.

Beta Iotas held a Founders' Day banquet at which the chapter president, Vicki Lowe gave the welcome speech. President of the Pocatello alumnae group Mrs. Louise Gibbons also spoke and then pledge Penny Powell told of her trip to Europe



Lighting candles of remembrance in San Diego were, from left, Winnie Plausse Burke (San Diego State), Jill Grier Belzer (Washington U.), and Jackie Ray Shaw (Southern Cal.)



Orange County, California alumnae check out the 1870s costume worn by Pat Megquier Syriotis for a special Founders Day skit. At left are Kay Mattice MacBride (Southern Cal), and Lois Brown Greis (Penn State).

the past summer. Mrs. Bernheisel, housemother at the Panhellenic House, was honored guest.

A dinner was held at the Chi chapter house to which the Corvallis alumnae were invited. After dinner, Sue Menlo spoke briefly on her trip through Europe on the Gamma Phi Beta tour. The Carnation Crescent ceremony was presented at the conclusion of the program.

PROVINCE XIII

A tradition was started at the Founders Day Tea, held at the Gamma Theta house on the University of Pacific campus. Chapter president, Terry Fowler, was presented with the diamond studded membership pin belonging to the late Helen Molyneux Salisbury who was a charter member and first president of Mu chapter at Stanford. On her death, Mrs. Salisbury's brother and sister-in-law gave her pin to a Gamma Phi Beta they knew so that it would be properly cared for and not fall into "uncaring hands." Eventually the pin was sent to our Grand president, Mrs. Wittenberg, who made several suggestions about its use. Among these was that it be used as a president's pin for one of our new chapters. Since Miss Salisbury's chapter is no longer active and since Gamma Theta is in northern California, it seemed appropriate that Gamma Theta be the recipient. A Mu alumna now living in near-by Modesto, Mrs. John Mensinger, pinned the badge on Miss Fowler at the Founders' Day ceremony and it will be passed on to succeeding presidents of the University of Pacific chapter.

Berkeley alumnae and Eta chapter members celebrated at a brunch on Founders Day. Mrs. George M. Simonson (Penel-

ope Murdoch, Eta) former Grand President and currently Historian spoke on the founding of the early chapters of our Sorority. A skit used by the Eta girls in Fall rush, the Flower Skit, was presented as entertainment. Mrs. Simonson was honored for having her name added to the Service Roll and Mrs. Frank Halbert (Verda Larsen, Eta), Mrs. E. Wilson Lockwood (Leslie Undershill, Eta), and Miss Barbara Bridges were all given Golden Crescent awards commemorating 50 years of membership. Candle lighting ceremony concluded the program of this delightful and impressive function.

Thirty four members of the **San Francisco** alumnæ group representing 21 different college chapters held a buffet dinner after which the candle lighting ceremony was held.

Members from 23 different college chapters were present at the **Palo Alto** alumnæ chapter's dinner celebration held at the home of one of their members. An impressive candle lighting ceremony was presented and the function was considered to be one of the most successful the group has ever had.

Sacramento Valley alumnæ celebrated with a brunch at the Del Paso Country Club. Mrs. Oliver Hayes spoke on the 25 years of the group and the gathering concluded with the carnation crescent service.

Marin County alumnæ celebrated at a luncheon followed by a candle lighting service and a reading of the chapter history for the first time in 14 years. After the reading, the mystic circle was formed and the group sang Fidelity.

Beta Theta had their traditional Founders Day Brunch followed by a candle lighting service presented by the **San Jose** alumnæ group. Entertainment was provided by a trio of collegiates and Mrs. Helen Brazil, the former assistant to

the Collegiate Vice President spoke on the real meaning of Gamma Phi Beta.

Both the **Modesto** and the **Monterey County** alumnæ groups celebrated with luncheons followed by a memorial service and the **Peninsula** alumnæ met for a pot luck supper and concluded the evening with a candle lighting service.

PROVINCE XIV

The **Southern California Inter-city Council** had its traditional Founders Day Brunch at the Sheraton-West Hotel on Sunday, November 2nd. This is the largest inter-city group in the nation and had 11 alumnæ chapters and three Greek-letter chapters represented in the attendance of 278. Our beloved Grand President, Mrs. Wittenberg, was guest speaker and presented an interesting and informative explanation of the position of the fraternity system at present, the stand we have taken in the current situation at Long Beach State College relative to the membership practices of national sororities and fraternities, and our need for continuing well-planned expansion if we are to survive. Former International Vice President, Mrs. Hoyt Martin of Pasadena (Florence Hawkins, Alpha Iota,) presented Irma Buwalda (Eta,) with the Golden Crescent award, and Inter city Chairman, Mrs. Frank Meister, presented the Woman of the Year award to Mrs. Malcomb C. Winans (Dorothy Haines, A I,) for her outstanding work as a high school teacher as well as for her active participation in alumnæ affairs for her alma mater and for Gamma Phi Beta. The Glendale alumnæ group conducted the Founders' Day ceremony with the Greek letter chapter presidents, Carole de Marchi, A I, Ellie Hill, B A, and Lucy Fully, Γ E, lighting candles for the 34 chapters represented at the gathering. Sharing the speakers' table were Mrs. Henry Herold of the Foundation, Mrs. Louis Lombardi, Counselor to House Corporation Boards

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Largest of all Founders Day gatherings was the Southern California Inter City brunch with 278 guests, including Grand President Beatrice Hill Wittenberg. Pictured with Mrs. Wittenberg (second from left), are Mrs. Kenneth Doty, program chairman, Mrs. Frank Meister, chairman of Inter City Council, and Mrs. Mason Mallory, toastmistress.

Newly Chartered Alumnæ Chapters

Boston

On a cold and icy December 5th evening, another Gamma Phi Beta alumnæ chapter was chartered. Mrs. Graeme Reid, Alumnæ Vice President, officiated at the installation of the Boston-West Suburban group.

Warm hospitable fires in the West Newton home of Mrs. Thomas Gephart greeted charter members, collegiates from nearby Boston University and guests as they gathered for a coffee-dessert preceding the formal ceremony.

The new chapter, with 23 charter members, is looking forward to an exciting year and hopes to add many Gamma Phi Betas to its roster in 1964.

Chapter officers are, president, Mildred Beall Marek (U. of Texas '25); vice president and program, Virginia White Jaquith (Boston U. '32); vice-president and hospitality, Virginia Barnett Burgess (West Virginia U. '31); recording secretary, Mildred Smith Frese (Illinois '33); corresponding secretary, Peggy Newberry Godfrey (U. of Texas '59); treasurer, Marian Miller Cook (Wisconsin '48); publicity, Ruth Sommers Langham (U. of Texas '48); Panhellenic representative, Dorothy Donnelly Munro (Syracuse '35); and CRESCENT correspondent, Janet Paxton Hardman (Syracuse '50).

Hamilton, Ohio

Installation ceremonies for the Hamilton, Ohio alumnæ chapter were held November 6 in the home of Mary Lou Turnbull Davenport (Syracuse). Presentation of the charter was made by Mrs. William Fritsche PAD. Also present as a guest was Mrs. Robert Smith, Assistant to the Collegiate Vice President.

Officers of the new chapter are identified in the photograph, while other charter members included: Sue Rush Bean (Miami U.), Diane Frickman Demlow (Wittenberg), Kay Kilby Ratliff (Miami U.), Jane Driver Stockman (Arizona State U.), Louise Lamielle Urton (Idaho), Gail Comstock Skinner (Kent State), and Barbara Lancaster Stevenson (Bowling Green).

Richardson, Texas

On November 10, 1963 another Gamma Phi Beta alumnæ chapter was installed. The home of Mrs. Robert W. Joyce, Richardson, Texas, was the setting for an impressive installation ceremony.

Presiding at the ceremony was Kay Cumley from the Dallas alumnæ chapter. The charter was presented by her to Ava Ray, president of the newly formed chapter.

Other officers include, vice president, Martha Cronk; recording secretary, Kay Petty; corresponding secretary, Gayle Hurst and treasurer, Shirley Simon. A tea was held following the ceremony for members and guests.



Boston-West Suburban Chapter, from left: (Front row) Jane McGiveny, Virginia Burgess, Donna Burt and Bonnie Blake. (Second row) Isabelle Harper, Sally Gephart, Mildred Frese, Dorothy Munro, Mrs. Graeme Reid, Mildred Marek and Janet Hardman. (Third row) Betty Allen, Dorothy Benotti, Celia Jordan, Dorothy Bullock, Virginia Jaquith, Jacqueline Hodgson, Marcelle Mann, Joyce Blundell, Elizabeth Allen, Frances MacKay, Ruth Langham and Marilyn Agnew. (On stairs, top to bottom) Fay Lowe, Juliette Dewey, Marjorie White, Ann Smith and Marjorie Dornfeld.



Officers of the newly chartered Hamilton, Ohio alumnæ chapter are, from left, Phyllis Sherman Burk (Miami U.) treasurer; Nancy Freshour Benzing (Miami U.) recording secretary; Margaret McFaland Chambers (Ohio State) corresponding secretary; Mary Lou Turnbull Davenport (Syracuse) vice-president; Shirley Keats Moser (Miami U.) president.



Richardson, Texas alumnæ chapter charter is presented by Kay Cumley of Dallas (center). Others pictured from left are: Betty Bookout, Martha Crank, Ava Ray, president, and Kay Petty.

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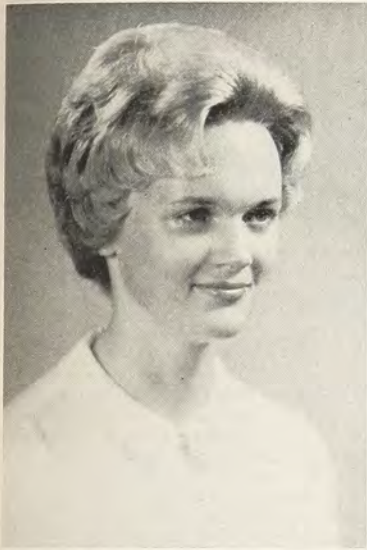
Pursuit of excellence has been the by-word of Rho chapter at the State University of Iowa. Because of the fine record established by Rho members, they have been chosen to lead off this section of collegiate accomplishments.

Among their seniors are Judy Conlin, Phi Beta Kappa; Carol Ingraham, Nancy Bergsten, and Carolyn Rabe, members of Mortar Board; Jan Burns, yearbook Editor. Carolyn Rabe also served as Senior class vice-president and head drum majorette for Iowa's famed Scottish Highlanders.

Nancy Bergsten is the 1963 recipient of the John F. Murray Scholarship for \$1,000. The award is given annually on the basis of scholarship, promise of ability in the field of study, and qualities of leadership.

Nancy is a senior majoring in advertising journalism and is assistant editor of the *Hawkeye* yearbook, treasurer of Mortar Board, staff of the *Daily Iowan*, member of Theta Sigma Phi and has maintained an average of 3.59 out of a possible 4.0. She will use her money for European travel this summer, since the scholarship is presented with no stipulations and is not based on financial need.

The award is made possible under the terms of the will of the late Mrs. John F. Murray whose husband became a millionaire through his ventures in the fields of advertising and sales promotion. He coined the name "Juicy Fruit."



Nancy Bergsten

Rho members maintain warm relationships with alumnae, housemother, and faculty members. At their annual fireside, faculty and friends enjoy an evening of informal fellowship. Pictured from left are Carole Andersen, Mr. William Doderer, mayor of Iowa City, Sue Corson, Dean Huit, dean of students, Mr. Rouk, adviser to fraternities, and Carolyn Rabe, chapter president.



BETA—Michigan

This fall the sixty residents of Beta chapter were welcomed by a new housemother, Mrs. Thelma Duffell, to a newly decorated house. Over the summer, the entire exterior was repainted yellow and the rooms inside were redone too, including a circus effect in the Beta Board room. Outside, several bushes were added, the sidewalks widened and the gardens replanted. The landscaping, which was supervised by Mrs. Duffell, is just one example of the good taste, graciousness and pleasantness she has brought the house.

Even with school beginning in August, we have had a hard time getting all of our activities scheduled. In October we gave an all-campus open house after the Navy football game. The formula of lots of food, a good band, and three midshipmen, combined with about three hundred guests made it quite successful. Also in October we joined with Collegiate Sorosis to sponsor an International Tea for the foreign students.

Not all of our time, however, has been spent entertaining. Philanthropically speaking, we worked with Phi Delta Theta fraternity to give a car wash earning seventy dollars for the Ann Arbor United Fund. (And a big water fight at the end for ourselves.) Another Saturday afternoon we spent giving a party for about one hundred women at the Ypsilanti State hospital. We brought them cookies and cocoa and played Bingo. In December, we gave a Christmas dance and dinner at the Washtenaw Country Club. Instead of party favors for our dates, each girl bought a Christmas present for a child in the Childrens Home.

Competitively we have done a great deal. Delta Tau Delta fraternity asked us to support them in IFC sing. Much of our spare time this fall was taken up with song practices for this event. Enough time was found to get together a swimming team which took first place in the all-campus women's swim meet, beating Kappa Alpha Theta sorority by one point. Also our entry in the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity Mudbowl Queen contest during Homecoming weekend tied for first place. In this event each sorority dresses up a boy to represent them as their queen. Gradewise, we ranked above the all sorority average and the pledge class was seventh out of twenty-two.

As individuals, everyone has been busy studying for exams which were before Christmas vacation, preparing for rush and participating in other campus activities. In December we had the annual cheerful cherub week when each girl draws the name of another and then does special things secretly for her all week. At the end we have a party and those who have concealed their actions reveal themselves through poems read by Santa Claus. We also had the annual scholarship and busboy dinners. All girls above a 3.0 get steak, those between 2.5 and 3.0 porkchops and below 2.5, beans and hotdogs. For the busboy dinner the girls take over the kitchen and serve the boys as honored guests.

As ever, the house is a busy bridge, knitting and talking center. If you are in the neighborhood, come on in and see us!

PAM DEWEY

DELTA—Boston U.

Last March Delta was hostess to the Grand Council. Their week-long stay in Boston offered a wonderful opportunity for new initiates and pledges to meet with them, both formally and informally. This was one of the many occasions during the year which brought alumnae and collegiate members together.

Another such occasion was the initiation and dinner on April 27. Alumnae and collegiates together reviewed the events of 1962 and discussed plans for the coming year. The annual Freida Eaton Roberts award was presented to Beverly Freidel.

At the end of May, when the rush of final exams was over, the Gamma Phis, along with other BU fraternities and sororities, traveled to Cape Cod for the annual House Party Week. With the informal atmosphere and the daily trips to the beach, everyone had a wonderful time.

The beginning of the fall semester brought with it the anticipation of informal rush and open bidding. A pancake party, songfests, and many coffee hours gave the sisters and rushees a chance to get acquainted.

The highlight of November was, of course, Founders Day. It was a double celebration for

Delta, as we had Mrs. Petersen, Province I Collegiate Director, as our guest. During the week she attended our regular meeting and met with the chapter officers. She offered many suggestions and recommendations, which were a great deal of help. On Sunday afternoon, November 17, we were again joined by many alumnae in the Boston area for a tea, followed by a formal ceremony.

In December, several of the officers attended the chartering of the new West Suburban alumnae chapter in Boston. A high point in the December activities was Greek Week at BU, December 8-14. Starting off the week was the election of a Greek governor to preside over the week's events. A splash party and a hootenanny followed during the week. The climax was the Greek Ball. Suzanne Nelson of Delta was a finalist for Greek Queen.

With the arrival of the Christmas season, Delta chapter planned several projects. As part of the Christmas service project, the proceeds from Greek Week were donated to the *Boston Globe* Santa Fund. In December, as in every month, the chapter sent a birthday cake to an underprivileged child in the Boston area. To get everyone into the Christmas spirit before vacation, the sisters got together for a Christmas party. Everyone brought a gift and Christmas carols added to the festivities.

Delta's artistic contribution to the season was in a window contest in the Student Union. All BU sororities painted a Christmas scene of some kind. We are still awaiting the results of the judging, but we think our "Peanuts" characters stand a good chance.

After the holiday excitement the Gamma Phis slowed down a bit for final exams, only to begin all over again with second semester and initiation.

NANCY J. KNOWLTON

EPSILON—Northwestern U.

Fall quarter rush kept all Epsilon Gamma Phis busy, but there is satisfaction in a job well done. Our new pledge class of 31 shows promise of talent, intelligence and leadership. Their amusing anecdotes, sketches and songs during the pledge entertainment at the fall formal kept everyone laughing. The traditional pledge formal was held again at the Stock Yards Inn in Chicago.

Many parents shared brunch, a football game and dinner with their daughters during parents weekend. It was an exciting reunion for all, especially for most of the freshmen who were away from home for the first time and for many of the seniors' parents who might not have a chance to visit the campus again.

Our 75th anniversary was exciting for sisters, pledges and alumnae. We were all honored to meet one of our Epsilon founders who is the only living charter member, Mrs. Olive Foster Corlett. She flew from Pasadena, Calif. to join the celebration. Her charming sparkle and vitality made us all proud that we were sisters of Gamma Phi with her.

We are already making plans for our sponsorship of the Pink Carnation Banquet at the Gamma Phi Beta International Convention this year. We are excited and proud to announce that Epsilon's Donna Schramm will be the convention's song leader.

Our pledge class held a Christmas party along with a Northwestern fraternity, Delta Sigma Pi, for many orphaned youngsters. Christmas isn't Christmas without children, and all their excited faces beamed as Santa Claus entered with a gift for each one.

Fun, happiness, work and studies completely filled another quarter at Northwestern as we all finished final exams and headed home for Christmas vacation.

CAROL ANN MILLER

THETA—U. of Denver

The Spring of 1963 was a constant round of activities for Theta Chapter. As a philanthropic project, the Gamma Phis and the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity combined to sponsor an Easter Egg Roll at Ridge Home in Denver.

Our memorable Spring Formal was held at the Evergreen in the Shadows Inn in Evergreen, Colorado. Prior to the dinner dance, we were entertained at the home of Anna Lee Nowell.

In the Spring we also hold our annual Scholarship Banquet. Each girl has an opportunity to invite her favorite faculty member as her honored guest for the evening.



Named Miss Denver University was Jacqueline Ann Dvoracek of Theta chapter. She was later chosen first runner-up to Miss Colorado.

May Days is one of the most exciting and busiest times of the year at Denver University. Together with the Kappa Sigma fraternity, we built a replica of the Alamo for May Days Carnival. Dressed in matching costumes of green and khaki we also sang together in Twilight Sing Competition. Gamma Phis placed in the Pushcart Races Event. Glory came to the Gamma Phis as Miss Jackie Dvoracek, a Gamma Phi, was selected May Days Queen on the basis of talent and beauty competition. At the climax of an unforgettable week of fun and work, we were presented with a trophy by the Kappa Sigma fraternity.

With all these activities Theta chapter remained on top scholastically. We retained the highest overall sorority grade average for the school year as well as topping the all women's average for Spring Quarter.

Under the direction of Gay Dannelly, our membership chairman, everyone worked their hardest during Pioneer Week. In addition to Rush, many chapter members appeared in the AWS fashion show; acted as Pioneer guides; Freshman Camp counselors; and were Big Sisters to incoming Freshman women. We are so delighted with our pledge class of twenty-three wonderful girls—each one a real winner.

A surprise breakfast for the pledges who were guests of their new pledge mothers was held at the Continental Denver Hotel. The pledge mothers this year formed a club in order to be even better mothers to their daughters. Later this fall a fun slumber party was held by the mothers for their daughters and all the chapter.

With October comes the Sigma Chi Rodeo. After a day of extra determined effort by our pledges, we took the over-all trophy and were named winners of the Rodeo. To add to the victory, Miss Becky Syverson, a pledge, was crowned Beanie Queen.

DU had one of the best Greek Weeks in its history this year. We all went to different Greek houses on campus for dinner exchanges. One evening we held an open house and exhibited some of the things that the chapter members had made. Donna Archer, Jackie Dvoracek, Laney Swern and Ruth Ann Barbor participated in the Greek Week show "Bacchanalia." We won several events in the Olympiad including a knitting contest won by our president Ruth Jones. Our pledges participated in the philanthropy project and Gina Morrone was our candidate for pledge princess. We also held a dinner to raise money to support the philanthropy project which was part of Greek Week. We are very proud of Claudia Akland and Ruth Jones who were recipients of two of the five \$100 scholarships awarded to outstanding Greeks on campus. Jeano Lotz received

honorable mention. For all sorority competition the chapter constructed a billboard. It had as its theme "Cupid and Psyche" and was designed by Laney Hicks. The week ended with a beautiful ball at the Hilton Hotel. Jeanno Lotz was honored as a finalist for Greek Week Goddess.

Our beautiful Founders Day Banquet was again held at the Cherry Creek Inn. Together with many of the alumnae we enjoyed a lovely turkey dinner. Our pledges were introduced to the alumnae and each one received some birthday cake.

Representing the chapter, Ruth Jones and Jeanno Lotz attended a city-wide Panhellenic luncheon in Denver, at which time they received a silver tray presented to Theta chapter for its achievements in scholarship.

We have received some very nice serenades this fall from various fraternities. We also have had dinner exchanges with the Kappa Sigmas and the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternities. Our Fall Formal was held in conjunction with the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity at the Top of the Park Hotel in Denver. We were also guests that evening at the home of Sherry Fields.

On November fifteenth we were honored by a visit from Perle Mesta, the hostess of Washington, D.C. fame. She was guest of honor at a tea held by the chapter. Mrs. Palmer Hoyt introduced her to the chapter and we spent a fascinating hour asking questions and listening to many of her anecdotes about her career.

Each week this Fall, Gamma Phis have taken some children from the local speech clinic swimming in the DU pool as part of our philanthropy program. This has been one of the most personally rewarding things our chapter has ever done and the girls have had as much or more fun than the children.

The quarter ended too quickly with a wonderful Christmas party. The pledges presented a skit to the chapter which showed a lot of insight on their part and was much enjoyed by all. Theta chapter wishes each one of its sister chapters across the nation a very happy, successful New Year.

Additional Honors:

Claudia Akland and Robbie Birney—delegates to Board of Governors convention.

Janet Appleman, Anne Brennecke and Connie Page—Women's Day Chairmen.

Anne Brennecke and Carie Meyer—Greek Week Central Committee.

Gloria Kalen—Phi Beta Kappa.

Mary Jo Dickson—Theta Greek Week Chairman.

Jackie Dvoracek—Named first runner-up in the Miss Colorado Pageant; was the representative of the University of Denver.

Gayle Lyman—AWS Fashion show and tea chairman.

Peg Oesterle—Theta May Days Chairman.

Raal Gutschick—Finalist for Regis College Queen.

Patricia Mead—President of Junior Panhellenic.

Janet Tirrell—Candidate for Sig Ep Pajama Races Queen.

PAT PERRIN

KAPPA—U. of Minnesota

This year began for Kappa chapter at a rush retreat at Sandy Eklund's cabin on Clear Lake. It was great to see all of our sisters after a long summer. We were especially glad to welcome Jane Johnson back after one year at North Carolina and Connie Haenny back after her year as Aquatennial Queen. We spent most of our time renewing rush techniques and singing together.

After the retreat we began rush. As we came back to the house we were happy to see that the construction had begun on the annex connecting our house to our newly purchased house. However during our rush parties it was a little disconcerting to see a big hole being cut in our living room wall. Despite this, we were proud to show off our 15 great new pledges, all of whom we know will be an asset to our chapter.

Our next large endeavor was homecoming. The theme was "Wish Again Michigan." This year we participated with the Kappa Sigmas in building a float. Our efforts were well worth while for we captured third place in the float division using the theme of a wishing well. Under the direction and enthusiasm of Cindy Bjorklund we embarked on our specialty, House Decorations. Again we were remembered by the judges, and won first place in

the house decoration division. This is the fourth year in a row Kappa chapter has won first place for house decorations. Along with the float and house decorations we participated in button sales, balloon sales, poster exhibition, and a fun unit. All these activities contributed to our first place in All Participation. This is also the fourth year in a row that we have won first place in All Participation. We are very proud of our great new trophies!!! Along with our trophies we are proud to announce that two Gamma Phis Merrillyn Mauer and Joan Johnson were among the fifteen top finalists for homecoming queen.

Our Founders Day dinner was held at the Capp Towers, a luxurious new hotel just built in Minneapolis. We introduced our new pledges after they had put on a very amusing and witty skit which exhibited each girl's talent and individuality. Among all of our new pledges we are especially proud of Sharon or as we call her "Hugo" Holmstrom. Hugo entered the Miss Flame contest this fall and was crowned the new Miss Flame. Two years ago another sister, Connie Haenny was Miss Flame and then went on to be crowned Queen of the Lakes in the Aquatennial celebration. All of our enthusiasm and well wishes will be with Hugo when she participates in the Aquatennial this summer.

Our fall party was held at the Edgewater Inn this year. It was great to see everyone coiffed and dressed in such a spectacular manner. Pictures taken at this party will always remind us of its fun and success. Another we all love is our Christmas party. Under the guidance of our house mother, Mrs. Rogers, we ate a sumptuous dinner and then read our traditional Christmas poems which we write for each other. At this last gathering of our sisterhood before the end of fall quarter we looked back over the activities and accomplishments of our chapter. Our football brunches and exchanges had been so much fun. We were proud of Pam Peterson who had been announced a Little Sister of Minerva. We also were proud to initiate Carol Offerman and welcome her into our active chapter. It had been an enlightening experience to hear of Mrs. Roger's experiences this past summer when she toured around the world just as it had been listening to the stories of Jan Lorimer and Jane Widseth about their European travels. And lastly we were sad to say good-bye to Ann Johnson and Mary Butorac, two sisters who graduated this quarter.

JUDY SIMPSON

LAMBDA—U. of Washington

"Come on in and join the fun" was the familiar song at the door of Gamma Phi which ushered in and pledged 28 top girls—literally sweeping campus. Ann Herm and Carol Jefferson, our wonderful Rush Chairmen had a great deal to do with our success! Adding a great deal to our rush were all the Gamma Phi personalities, several queens, and many girls in campus activities. Arlene Hinderlie perhaps received the greatest honor of any Seattle girl—she was selected to be Seattle's Seafair Queen of the Seas for 1963-64. During the winter, spring and summer she will be traveling all over the country. Suzi Kanz is Pi Kappa Alpha Dream girl, Judy Burke was a finalist for Pershing Rifles queen, and Sue Barney, our efficient chapter president was a Homecoming Princess.

On Campus Bonnie Funk is Associated Women students President, Sally Christofferson is Tyee editor (the U. of Washington yearbook). One of our most active girls is Kit Stansbury who is chairman of the regional intercollegiate women students conference to be held here in the Spring. Kit is also on Mortar Board and this Fall was selected as the most Outstanding Senior Woman on campus. Molly Moore acts as her IAWS General secretary. Representing Gamma Phi in Corvettes are the Gamma Phi twins, Ann and Jean Lawrence and Ann Denney. In Huskey Honeys, which is the hostess group for the University are Suzi Kanz, Cathy Close and Janet Thornton. Lynn Johnson is the AMS house mother. Deanna Covington, Diane Konopaski, and Barb Cady are Little Sisters of Minerva to the SAE across the street. We can't say that Lambda girls are not well rounded: Linda Galbraith holds the title of Northwest Senior Women's Skating Champion. Also Carol Knutson and Janet Slater are among the Frosh Songleaders selected this Fall. Lambda chapter is honored to have two of her members as varsity song leaders—Kay Barney and Sally O'Shea. Sally is Song Queen.

Perhaps the highest honors which have been bestowed of the Gamma Phis have been in the field of Scholarship. Many girls this year held scholarships: Linda Speer: University Memorial Scholarship; Dana Speer, H. Watson Scholarship; Kathy Nolan, Alpha Delta Kappa (Women teacher's scholarship); Kathy Novak, Myers scholarship and Edgar Raine scholarship; Gloria Funk, Spartan and Soroptimist scholarships; Carol Knutson, Mortar Board Freshman Scholarship; and Barb Cady, Crown Zellerbach Teacher's Scholarship.

Senior Honor Keys were presented to Bonnie Funk, Kit Stansbury, Katherine Fovargue, and Marilyn McMeekin. Bonnie Funk, Kit Stansbury, Katherine Fovargue, Dana Speer, Kinda Speer, Ann Herm, Kathy Conrad, were invited to the University Scholarship Banquet. These are just a few names mentioned, but to show the top work of the whole house, Lambda has had the highest grades on the University campus out of 20 sororities for the last two quarters—and we are aiming for many more top quarters.

The Gamma Phis have been busy with many activities this year. We had the best pledge dance ever in honor of our 28 terrific pledges. We also had a special dinner for Gamma Phi transfer students attending the University of Washington which was a great success. We were especially busy at Christmas time collecting clothes for a needy Greek Family and supplying a basket of food for a needy Seattle family. The traditional Gamma Phi Christmas party was held in December in which Helen Lundin and Gretchen Schmitt were Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus and read poems written by each girl about one of her Gamma Phi sisters. These poems were attached to small gifts which will be sent to our Gamma Phi Camp in Canada. During the Christmas vacation Karen Lundin and Cheryl Berdam worked many hours making our chapter room lovelier than ever.

Perhaps the most exciting news of all around our campus was the choice of Washington to go to the Rose Bowl; and Gamma Phis were definitely among the many loyal rooters. One of our pledges Cam McIntosh, from La Canada, opened her home to at least 20 Gamma Phis a night during this New Year's Week. The Chapter thanks both Cam and her mother for this generosity. The rooms were filled with $\Gamma\Phi$ sleeping bags and many of us had a wonderful time in the 82 degree weather—even after the results of the game!!!

The second week of January was inspiration week and initiation. In February we held a costume party in the Gamma Phi house. We are looking forward to a successful year and hope that 1964 will bring much success to our sisters all over the country!!!

DESTIA DUPEN

NU—U. of Oregon

Let's open the pages of the life of Nu Chapter for the 1963-64 school year.

The first pages contain the exciting experiences many of the girls had this last summer. Touring Europe were graduates: Esther Andrus, Susan Bates, Penny Cuff, Judy McShatko and Mary Lou Miller; Seniors: Leanne Goss, Julie Hoffman and Nancy Sievers; Junior: Sally Frank; and Sophomore: Judy Hamilton. Our housemother, Mrs. Clara Young, also toured Europe as well as the Holy Lands. Graduate Jane Watrous spent her summer in Quebec on an exchange student program. Junior Sandy Brink worked in Hawaii. Studying in France this year is junior, Linda Bargesen.

The next pages are filled with our 26 pledges, the second largest pledge class on the campus. Mary Lou Sievers was in the Phi Kappa Sigma Court and Claudia Steward was in the White Rose of Sigma Nu Court.

Participation in campus activities covers another few pages. One of the highest honors went to Lee Schuster, who was elected Vice President of the Pacific Coast Associated Students.

"Latin America Now: Evolution or Revolution?" was the topic of this year's World Affairs Week. There were five Gamma Phis on this committee. Heading the whole week was Kathy Pennington. Sally Frank was Women's Living Organization chairman. Patty Hallin was Publicity chairman, assisted by Terry Lawton as Art chairman and Mary Ann Vukasin as Press chairman.

Leanne Goss served as chairman of the Model United Nations.

Our Annual Gamma Phi-Phi Kappa Psi Christmas Party was held as usual. We entertained about 25 grade school children and then we were treated to a visit from Santa Claus.

This year's house dance, Pink Carnation Ball, was held on January 24th. Blankets with the Gamma Phi Crest were favors of the day. Terry Lawton and Patty Hallin were Co-Chairmen.

PATTY HALLIN

Xi-U. of Idaho

Xi chapter pledged twenty-five girls to begin another year at the University of Idaho. The state of Idaho is well represented by the girls chosen for Xi chapter, and there are also girls from California and Washington. We also pledged our support to a new housemother, Mrs. Delcie King, and to our new cook, Mrs. Nellie Wingrove.

Three girls were initiated before rush: Valerie Eastman, Mary Ann Mendiola, and Gwendoline Tolmie.

Before the fall semester began, Parents' Day was held at the University with several of the girls' parents attending this annual event.

Studying at Drew University while working directly with the United Nations is Claudia Rockwell. Susan Nelson this year is studying in Paris at the Paris Institute. Carol Falk, who returned from Brazil as an International Farm Youth Exchange student, has now gone to Laos to do the same type of work.

The annual pledge dance was presented by the sophomore class. The dance, entitled, "Embalmer's Ball" was as weird and authentic as the name. In one room there was a mock funeral parlor. Tombstones on the walls and a black ceiling gave the desired effect.

We traveled to Beta Sigma chapter at Washington State University for our Founders Day ceremony. Both chapters had participants in the ceremony.

There have been many pinnings and engagements this semester and we have therefore been graced with serenades. We also were serenaded to honor: Tonya McMurtrey, Σ A E Violet Queen; Pam Marcum, A T O Esquire Girl finalist; Lodi Stemmler, Gault Hall Snowball Queen finalist.

Barbara Reay was tapped for Air Force Angel Flight and Tonya selected to be an Army ROTC sponsor. Vandalettes tapped were Diana Hawkins, Sally Thode, Sandi Filatreau, and Pam Brandt. Jean Cline was tapped for Helldivers, swimming honorary.

Xi chapter has two regular and one alternate pompon girl: Janie Modie, yell queen, Mary Ellen Fairchild, and Jean Cline, respectively. Little Sisters of Minerva (SAE) were Gwen Tolmie and Valerie Eastman.

We are looking forward to the many activities which will be occurring in the spring semester.

JEAN CLINE

Omicron-U. of Illinois

Starting the year off on the right road, Omicron members returned to school to find themselves in the first quartile academically. They were rewarded with steak dinners from the Alpha Chi Omegas, who had challenged them to a scholastic contest last semester.

Another happy experience was greeting the 26 new pledges bid during summer rush. They, and the 11 girls pledged during fall rush, have become very close to the actives although most of them are living in the dorms.

Six neophytes were initiated early in the semester. Doris Dayton, Maureen Verber, Nancy Kraft, Rosi Ranney, Bonnie Mitchell, and Diana Inman were welcomed into the chapter.

The Gamma Phis have had truly enjoyable pairings this semester. After their Stunt Show pairing with Phi Gamma Delta, they worked with the Sigma Nus to make a gigantic Illini football player grinding a Minnesota gopher for competition in Homecoming house decorations. With the Lambda Chi Alphas, the Gamma Phi made a quite successful volleyball record.

The Gamma Phi activity record was not limited to chapter accomplishments. Most of the members continued previous activities and cultivated new ones

while all the pledges entered into at least one major activity.

Phi Kappa Phi selected two Gamma Phis—Nancy Kacena and Ellen Hyndman. Ellen also was chosen Director of Personnel of Midwest Model United Nations.

Nancy Bolick and Nancy Wolfe were initiated into fraternity auxiliaries. Nancy Bolick became a Lambda Chi Alpha Crescent Girl and Nancy Wolfe became a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon's Little Sisters of Minerva.

Rosi Ranney was nominated for Sweetheart of Acacia and she became a member of Sophomore Supper Club (the Freshman Seminar of the previous year).

Joy Bartsch was selected for *Who's Who*.

In the beauty department, Barbara Johnson and Fran Weiss were chosen as Homecoming Queen Semi-Finalists while Sharon Trappina was selected as Technicute for October. Bonnie Mitchell and Marilyn Retslaff were finalists in the Dolphin Beauty Contest.

Barbara Johnson became a Student Senator-at-Large and the chairman of the Educational Affairs Committee. She was also chosen to be General Elections Director and the student representative on University Senate Student English Committee.

Erana Weiss was chosen chairman of the Illioskeet-Spring Special Events. Erana was also given a part in Student Musical as was Sally Smith.

A seemingly popular activity this semester has been University Theater. In addition to the Gamma Phis already in the theater, Carol Viskocil, Sally Rudburg, Sandy Masterson, Marty Hutchens, Lauren Lafferty, and Judy Agazzi were selected along with Diana Inman's being chosen a junior manager of the Theater.

Julie Swidburg and Margo Hinton are new members of University Chorus while Sandy Smith and Ann Kimbell sing in the Women's Glee Club.

With interests in the field of entertainment, Peggy Slack and Margo Hinton became members of Starcourse while Nitelites welcomed Judy Schaffer, Jeanne Hemphill, Mary Hughes, and Cindy Brenna. Carolyn Riley was selected Commander of Guidons while Donna Urabec and Marty Hutchens were pledged into a rival organization, Angel Flight.

Keeping up the tradition of Gamma Phis on the Illini staff, Judy Hodsman, Karen Kanady, and Jane Mraz were selected freshman managers.

Carol Lindsey and Carol Sue Evers were picked to be Pom-Pom girls and Mary Hughes became a worker for Campus Chest.

Some girls chosen to be on Illini Union Committees—Jeanne Hemphill and Donna Urabec are members of Block I Committee and Gail Jacoby is working on the Game Room Board. On other committees are Claudia Austin—Personnel Committee of Midwest Model United Nations and Judy Agazzi—the committee for Student Rights.

On Junior Panhellenic are Gail Jacoby, Judy Hammond, Mary Hughes, Claudia Austin, and Mary Kay Pieper.

Nicki Mulford became a member of the Illinois Speech Correction Association and Elizabeth Hupp was initiated into Theta Sigma Phi, journalism honorary.

Maureen Verber, Joanne Colek, and Judy Agazzi were initiated into Delta Theta.

Omicron Gamma Phi ended these first four months of studies and activities with the winter formal, "All I Want for Christmas." All we want is a second semester as successful as the first.

NANCY WOLFE

Pi-U. of Nebraska

Pi chapter began another school year with a successful rush week and twenty-seven bright and shining new pledges to show for it. Initiation in September also welcomed two new initiates into the chapter; Barb Trites and Suzanne McNally.

Homecoming followed shortly and the Gamma Phis and Delta put in many long, but happy hours on their display "Choo Choo Em Up" which won us third place in the contest. Carol Bieck was announced as a finalist for Homecoming Queen and made the festivities complete.

On Parents Day we had a luncheon at the house for our fathers preceding the football game. The entertainment was great and the dads especially liked the favors which they received, sweatshirts that read "Gamma Phi Dad." The Nebraska social

season was opened by the Aksarben Ball and Sheri Lynn was chosen as a Countess for that occasion. The Military Ball opened the season at the University with Ginger Van Horn reigning as Miss Air Force. Then before we knew it, Christmas time was upon us. The first social event was a date pizza party at the house on December 8. At this time we sang the good old carols and decorated the Christmas tree. Next was the Second Annual Gamma Phi Ski Lodge Party which is the pledges' Christmas gift for the actives. The house was transformed over night into a winter wonderland and when the combo was added the setting was complete for a full night of entertainment. The last week before vacation was filled with more Christmas parties. Monday night was the house Christmas and all the Gamma Phis discovered who their "secret Santa" had been. Wednesday afternoon we were the guests of the Pi Phis at an egg nog party. The following day our housemother, Mrs. Yoes, surprised us with egg nog, and fancy sandwiches, and a fire in the fireplace. It was here that the Gamma Phis bid their final farewell before the mad rush home for vacation. The new year will bring a renewed whirl of excitement as Pi continues practicing on their skit for Coed Follies, "I Want to Get Rich," and participating in the various other Spring activities.

LINDA BOOTH

Rho-U. of Iowa

The Gamma Phi Betas of Rho chapter returned to Iowa City on September third to begin practices and preparations for rush week. All our long, hard hours of work and practice were rewarded on Friday, September 13, with 19 grand pledges. They are Barbara Beiter, Pat Cambell, Linda Carlson, Pam Case, Mary Christenson, Sally DeBord, Phyllis Foster, Barbara Johnson, Alice Long, Kay Maher, Anne Mannasmith, Susan McAllister, JoAnn Olson, Penny Peterson, Cindy Ritenour, Gretchen Schultz, Nancy Shafer, Susan Sondrol, Cindy Yoder, and during informal rush in October, which included pizza parties, we received four more pledges to bring the number to 23. They are Lynn Atherton, Sandy Batman, Judy Frink, and Nancy Hart.

Homecoming was an exciting time for Rho chapter. Maryann Rood, a junior, was one of the five finalists for Miss S.U.I., the Homecoming queen. While we busily worked on our float with the Phi Deltas, we were serenading the fraternities and spreading the news of "Hey Man, It's Maryann!", her campaign theme.

Late October was very eventful also, especially for Lynn Benson, Carol Carpenter, Carol Faulk, Vicki Hildebrand, and Toni Stevens, who were initiated. Cocoa and doughnuts were served after the ceremony.

November 9 brought Dad's Day to S.U.I. and Gamma Phi dads to the house, where they were served refreshments after being entertained by the pledges. On Sunday dads and moms ate with us to bring an end to a fun-filled week-end.

On December 6, at 6:30 in the morning, the actives were awakened by the pledges scurrying to get everyone out of the house, so the pledges could have their "lock out." Strangely the actives didn't put up too much resistance. Perhaps because it was so early. At hours on Saturday night, we were allowed back into the house to see the pledges on the stairs with shining faces singing Christmas carols. They had completely decorated the house and finished a bathroom in the basement. This week-end started the Christmas spirit at the Gamma Phi house. The next week was good fairy week. Each girl had a secret fairy who did something for her or left some goody for her each day. Everyone's secret fairy was discovered when we had our Christmas party and exchanged gifts, in addition to a tee-hee gift from our good fairies. During that week, we had a faculty dinner for several guests.

On Wednesday, December 18, we held our well known annual fireside. Each girl invited a special friend, instructor, or acquaintance, or brought in some unsuspecting person walking down the street. Some of our special guests were Mr. William Doderer, the mayor of Iowa City, Dean Huit, dean of students, and Mr. Rouk, fraternity advisor. Cocoa, coffee and cookies were served.

Thursday brought a grand climax to the week's activities when we came upstairs from dinner and

there in the living room was a beautiful new stereo complete with AM and FM radio and playing Christmas carols. This was a Christmas present to the house from the corporation board of Rho chapter. At hours that night, our dear housemother, Mrs. Joyce, had a surprise of egg nog and Christmas cookies for all. This was a wonderful end to a wonderful week.

In January we held our "wish I were" costume party. Now we are looking forward to University Sing, Mothers' Day week-end, Spring rush, and many other exciting times.

CHERYL FRIMML

Tau—Colorado State U.

Off we went into another busy, bustling fall quarter, as Tau chapter of Gamma Phi arrived on campus for a hectic week of fun and preparation for the coming Rush Week. There we were at the end of Rush, ready to begin the school year, very happy with our nineteen wonderful new pledges.

Activities with the new pledges included a picnic at a nearby park, complete with fun and games. Also, during the week before Halloween, the Seniors conducted a "Senior Secret Sister" game with the pledges, ending with a surprise on Halloween night.

In the weeks to follow we felt excitement and pride as Nancy Maisto was chosen as a finalist for queen of the annual Horticulture Show. We enjoyed the exchange dinner with Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity, followed by decorating the two houses for Homecoming.

Functions with fraternities seemed to be the order of the day, as the Gamma Phi pledges took a sneak with the Alpha Tau Omega pledges to a restaurant outside of town where we enjoyed a delicious fried chicken dinner and lots of dancing. Other functions included dinners with both Lambda Chi Alpha and Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternities. At Sigma Chi Derby Days the Gamma Phi pledges won second place and Dana Broadwater became the Sigma Chi Derby Day Queen.

Tau chapter is proud of its many girls who were initiated this fall into the various campus honorary organizations. Bev Rose and Glenda Leader are members of Mortar Board and Hesperia respectively, and the new Gamma Phi Spurs are Carol Jaffee, Judy Mueller, Janeene Nichols, and Pat Shannon. Also we are proud of our seven new Angel Flight initiates, Cherie Howard, Carol Jaffee, Janet James, Kathy Klos, Judy Mueller, Janeene Nichols, and Pat Shannon, and the new Army Cadettes, Carolyn Barnhill, Cathy Menzies, and Lynn Roberts.

Gamma Phis especially enjoyed the football season this year as two of our sisters, Carol Jaffee and Kathy Russ, led the cheers.

November was a big month for us. Greek Week brought Skit Night and a bright, shiny trophy for the Taus. We won first place Sorority Division for the skit that we had so much fun working on together.

Also in November initiation was completed for five spring pledges: Carolyn Barnhill, Roberta Olsen, Ruth Ann Robertson, Connie Saunders, and Carol Wilson.

Our pledge dance, which had been excitedly anticipated by both actives and pledges, was planned for a day that turned out to be one of National Tragedy—November 22. Since the dance was cancelled, the Gamma Phis and their dates spent a quiet and relaxing evening by the fire at the sorority house, enjoying the refreshments which had been planned for the dance.

With Thanksgiving so late this year, we had only one week between the holidays and final exams, and what a hectic week it was! Along with many campus activities, we found time for a wonderful Christmas party where we decorated our tree and exchanged gifts as Cathy Menzies, our President, played Santa Claus. We also had our annual Christmas party for underprivileged children with Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity, complete with Santa, loads of gifts, punch and cookies, and even a show by an AGR ventriloquist. We had a wonderful time and the children were delighted.

As Tau chapter looks back with a sigh at the event-filled quarter just completed, we find ourselves turning toward the future and anxiously awaiting the remainder of the school year.

PAT SHANNON

Phi—Washington U.

With a skit entitled, "Beware of Gifts Bearing Greeks," Gamma Phi Beta and Theta Xi at Washington University took first place honors in Bear-skin Follies.

Individual award for the best performance went to Gamma Phi Beta Stephanie Stoyanoff.

PHYLLIS GAUS

Chi—Oregon State

Last spring the women of Chi chapter celebrated the first anniversary of living in our new house. This fall we were awarded first place in the women's division of the Red Cross Blood Drive. We had the highest percentage of women in our living group who gave blood. Our crew team also won the intramural women's championship to retire the trophy. Founders Day was celebrated in the chapter house and featured a talk by Sue Melville on her Gamma Phi Beta sponsored tour through Europe.

Individually, the members have received many honors. Cookie Reid was elected Secretary of the Women's Recreation Association; Linda Hilley and Carol Jacobson are a part of the executive cabinet in Alpha Lambda Delta, a scholastic honorary for freshman women; and Kathy Pierce is Secretary for Talons, a sophomore service honorary. Nicki Hall has been appointed the Freshman Class Publicity chairman. Also, elected to the post of Panhellenic President was Pat Richie. Anne Ballen was tapped for the Famacs service honorary sponsored by Phi Kappa Sigma, and Marilyn Barry was tapped for Euterpe, the music honorary.

For Thanksgiving Carol Ewing was campus chairman for the collection of food and money for needy families. For the campus children's Christmas party Lucy Walker played Mrs. Santa Claus.

One house project is being sponsored in conjunction with the campus. Every Saturday several members help with the recreation for the Children's Farm Home, a local orphanage. Everyone who has participated believes the work to be worthwhile and those who have not had the chance yet are eagerly looking forward to the experience.

Psi—U. of Oklahoma

Psi got off to a good start in 1963 by winning second place in Sooner Scandals for its act, "Oklahoma University for Women." In the act, boys were abolished from the university for their various "crimes against society," and various groups of Gamma Phis petition the regents to restore the boys to their campus. After the "grubbiest," the "average American girls," the "brains," and the "beauties" all fail, it is finally the "vamps" who win over the regents. The act was directed by Judy Williams.

Again under Judy's direction, Gamma Phi placed second in University Sing with their "Milk and Honey" medley. This climaxed Mom's Weekend, and gave the Gamma Phi Moms good reason to be proud of their daughter's sorority.

The 8th annual Glass Slipper Classic between the Gamma Phis and the Pi Beta Phis to raise money for the Cerebral Palsy Institute located at Norman was also held in the spring. We came out on the short end of a 6-0 score, but everyone had a lot of fun participating.

The close of the school year didn't mean the close of activity for Psi chapter. Five girls served as Panhellenic Town Representatives for their respective areas—more than any other sorority. They were Kay Aitken, Marion Craighead, Paula Martin, Linda Burton, and Syd Ronish.

Psi began its fall semester by pledging 51 wonderful girls. Out of this pledge class, Bonnie Allen was elected Student Senator and Beverly Wharton was chosen sophomore class editor of the yearbook and assistant campus editor of the school newspaper. Also from the pledge class, Terry Anderson was chosen Alpha Sigma Phi Rose Queen, and Sandi Castle is one of the five finalists for Honorary Midshipman Captain of the Navy ROTC.

Dad's Weekend came early this fall, and the Gamma Phi Dads were entertained royally with skits and a midnight "Cookie Shine." They too had

good reason to be proud of their daughters' sorority, for the Gamma Phi Quartet composed of Mary Ann Bulla, Kay Aitken, Jane White, and Nancy Ellis, won first place in the Dad's Day Quartet Contest.

Our first house party of the year was a huge success. We spent the entire day in preparation, by making popcorn balls, candy apples, and chilling the apple cider. I'm not sure whether we spent more time eating or dancing, but everyone had a good time doing both!

Around Halloween, our pledges surprised us with a party. They transformed our house with an atmosphere of bats and witches and each member was presented with a face mask to match one worn by her little sister. Following refreshments, we went serenading at all the fraternity houses.

Psi celebrated Founders' Day this year in the traditional way—peanuts and olives! An impressive program following the banquet brought Gamma Phi even closer to all our hearts.

Gamma Phi started something new at OU last year, with the presentation of a "Fraternity of the Year" trophy. Following a banquet at which a representative of each of the 24 fraternities was present, the trophy was presented to Beta Theta Pi, which ironically, was Gamma Phi chapter.

Our pledges took their traditional walkout December 6 to Texoma Lodge. As is so often the case, their plans were discovered by the members who waylaid them for a short time. It was all in fun though, and the members eventually accompanied them to their chartered bus and waved them off. From all reports, they had a fabulous time, and returned with 21 new songs for the chapter.

We had our Christmas party this year at the Plaza Tower Hotel in Oklahoma City. Following a steak dinner, the dance was held in the ballroom to the music of the Continentals. Everyone looked especially pretty in their long formals, and loved the opportunity to dress up for something "extra-special."

Just before Christmas vacation, Psi had its annual Christmas Party for the children of Concho Indian School. Four girls were assigned to each child, and brought presents for him or her on the basis of letters written to "Santa." The children were adorable, and we hated to see them leave. The following night was our big-sister-little-sister Christmas party, and we exchanged our gifts within the house. The party was brought to a close by the reading of a wonderful Christmas story by our housemother, Mrs. Max Hamilton.

SYD RONISH

Omega—Iowa State

Winter quarter found our pledges busily planning our "Novel Nite" party. Long hours of practice with Acacia fraternity proved worthwhile when our skit was one chosen for the Varieties show.

Our annual "Pink Carnation Ball" was held at the Wakonda Country Club in Des Moines during spring quarter. We are all proud of Nancy Neve, our president, who was tapped for Mortar Board and was initiated into Gamma Gamma, a Greek honorary.

Veisha sent Gamma Phis into a whirl of activity. Nancy Neve and Shelia Porter held the co-chairmen of events position for the student-sponsored week-end. We teamed with the Sig Ep's to win the first place combination trophy for our float, "From the Hands of Twain." Leslie Rudell was an attendant for Veisha's Queen of Queens, and JoDee Brockman had a leading role in "The Music Man."

Three girls in the chapter were chosen as fraternity sweethearts: Dianne Messerschmidt was selected Beta Sigma Psi Sweetheart, Linda Putman reigned as Delta Tau Delta Queen, and Sue Bessman was Sweetheart of Lambda Chi Alpha.

When the Gamma Phis returned this fall, our house buzzed with summer memories of working on Cape Cod and traveling in Europe. Rush week was a great success with the help of Mrs. A. G. Broshar, Jr., our Province Alumnae Director. We pledged twenty girls during formal rush and four during informal rush.

The Gamma Phis were awarded the Panhellenic Scholarship Award this fall for the highest sorority grade average during the past year.

Our fall house party was held with the Alpha Gamma Deltas because we were both founded at Syracuse University. A campus combo provided

dance music, and the pledges entertained at intermission.

Marti Hollander's picture will enhance the pages of the 1964 yearbook as a finalist for Bomb Beauty. She also reigned as Sigma Chi Derby Day Darling this fall. Gamma Phi and Sigma Alpha Epsilon will present a comical skit in the Varieties show early next year, and a chorus line of Gamma Phi pledges will entertain as Varieties Girls.

The year ended with our annual Christmas Party for actives and pledges with entertainment provided by our waiters and Santa Claus. We feel that 1963 was a successful year for Omega chapter, and we are looking ahead to an exciting year in 1964!

ELLEN SCHROEDER

ALPHA ALPHA—U. of Toronto

Alpha Alpha's first concerted effort was formal rushing in late September and early October. The rushees made the usual rounds of evening parties and teas before attending the final theme parties. Our theme was "Winnie-the-Pooh." The house was decorated to resemble the forest of Winnie and his friends, we had some skits directly from the book, and our original thinkers made up a few very good Pooh songs. The guests had a good time from all reports—so did the hostesses! Then began informal rushing. One of our parties was a pajama party. Since there was not a superfluity of beds, sofas, chairs, floors and so forth were employed. The pancakes for breakfast were delicious. Although some of us did not get much sleep, everyone enjoyed themselves immensely. Our pledges are: Nancy Craig; Barbara Cumming; Carol Cushing; Anne Lennox; Jean Wallis; and Judy Russell. They are a terrific group of girls and we are very happy that they will soon be Gamma Phi Betas.

Founders Day banquet was held at the beautiful new hotel, the Inn On The Park. It was the first visit for most of us and we thought it was lovely. The dinner was delicious. Mr. Gene Butt, from the Ontario College of Art, gave us an interesting résumé of the College's history. Since very few of us knew anything about the College, except that future artists attend, we were happy to get more information. The pledges entertained us with an original song plagiarized from "The Gamma Phi Quartet." It was truly amusing. The ceremony followed and all of us returned home feeling an even stronger bond with our beloved sorority.

The Mothers' Club held their annual luncheon for us. Everyone ate like a horse and found it even more difficult than usual to stay awake during lectures. A big "Thanks" and "Come again" goes out to them for their efforts.

Once again, Gamma Phi Beta joined with Beta Theta Pi to hold the Christmas Party for the shut-ins in the area. We go to get them at their homes, bring them back to the Beta House for turkey dinner, favours, and Christmas carols, then take them back home again. From our guests' comments, they seemed to enjoy themselves as much as we enjoyed having them. After the dishes were done and the house returned to relative order we had a party of our own. This is an event we all look forward to and hope it will continue for many more years.

The Family Tea is an annual event we always enjoy. Everyone's parents, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, grandparents and cousins are welcome to meet the other girls in their female relative's sorority. It is a good way to meet your friends' families and all that come are glad they made the effort—especially fathers and brothers.

The Panhellenic Dance was again held at the Regency Towers Hotel. The band was excellent and we all had a very enjoyable evening. This is one of the few times that the girls join together on our campus and many would like to see more joint efforts held. It is too bad that the school year is too short to do all we would like to do!

Many other events took place, naturally, but the whole chapter was not involved, so due to lack of space, they will not be mentioned. Boy! it's great to be a Gamma Phi!

ALPHA BETA—U. of North Dakota

Alpha Beta chapter captured first place honors in float competition in the 1963 Homecoming festivities at UND. The winning slogan was "Clip the Hares!" Gamma Phi candidate for Homecoming

Queen, Loree Sanden, was named one of the three finalists.

During UND's annual Greek Week, Gamma Phi Beta received the first place trophy for Greek Week participation. On December 8, the chapter held a tea for our new housemother, Mrs. Helen M. Gonsler.

As a special project to raise money for our foster child, Linn Thi Thu of Saigon, Viet-Nam, we baked cookies, candy, popcorn balls, etc., and went from Greek unit to Greek unit on the campus, selling the baked goods. Enough money was raised to support Linn Thi Thu for one month.

Dorsey Costello and Patty Steiner were elected hockey cheerleaders for the 1963-64 hockey team. Patty was also elected to Delta Psi Kappa, physical education women's honorary, and was named Rose of Delta Sigma Pi, sweetheart of the Business honorary.

Sydnee Rakowski was one of the finalists for Sweetheart of Delta Tau Delta. Gini Hanson was elected Sweetheart of Sigma Chi at their annual Sweetheart Ball.

Pledges, Judy Stowe and Joanie Meyers, were named pledge princesses of Kappa Sigma and Lambda Chi Alpha fraternities, respectively. Kathy Keating is the chapter's candidate for All Campus Pledge Princess.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity elected Charlotte Fandrich and Sherry Anderson to their auxiliary, Little Sisters of Minerva. Michele Gaffaney was elected into Angel Filght, Air Force ROTC auxiliary.

Lynn DeLaPointe was elected to Phi Beta Kappa during the first semester of her senior year.

MITZI FREDLUND

ALPHA GAMMA—U. of Nevada

Alpha Gamma members were especially proud of placing first in the Wolves Frolic Skit for Homecoming. The theme for Homecoming at the University of Nevada was, "Nevada, from Lincoln to the Space Age." Our skit was a take off on "How Nevada was Won" with songs from the movie of similar title ("How the West was Won").

Alpha Gamma is the proud holder of the revolving scholarship plaque awarded each fall to the sorority with the greatest scholastic improvement from the previous fall and spring semesters.

Honors were also bestowed upon us when Chris Gang, a sophomore, was crowned Rose Queen of Delta Sigma Phi, a national business fraternity.

During the Christmas season we hosted a tree decorating party. We had our dates over for donuts and hot chocolate and trimmed the tree and chapter house, too. In the spirit of Christmas the Gamma Phis gave a party for six underprivileged children. We entertained them with a Santa Claus and gifts.

So you can see we have had the start of a very successful year with hopes that 1964 will bring the best of everything to all our Gamma Phi sisters.

ALPHA DELTA—U. of Missouri

Alpha Delta's Romeo Formal kicked off the whirl of social events in February 1963. Ed Threlkeld, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, was crowned our Romeo for the coming year.

March found the Gamma Phis electing new officers, competing in Sorority Sing preliminaries and paying an increased interest in a new scholarship program introduced by Sharon Fitzgerald, scholarship chairman.

April saw the Alpha Deltas zero in on the first-place trophy of Sorority Sing, under the direction of Carolyn Dixon. Sigma Chi Derby Day was climaxed by our Deni Levine's being crowned Queen.

The All-Student World Fair, held in May, was cancelled due to a weekend of rain, but not before we spent many hours working with the Kappa Alphas on a booth that was sure to win. Wait till next year! May also was the month of our traditional Senior Breakfast. Amid much laughter and even some tears, we properly toasted our graduating seniors. Final exam preparation consumed the rest of May, and with the arrival of June, with finals forgotten, we said goodbye to our home-away-from-home.

The chapter newsletter edited by our president Mary Marin, kept us all in touch over the summer



"And away we go!" Alpha Delta members at the University of Missouri change rooms every eight weeks to give chapter members a better opportunity to know all the girls. From left are Barbara Bates, Kathy Yavornick, and Anne Richardson.

months.

On August 29th, Alpha Delta gathered again at Mizzou to launch the rushing game. The hard work involved in rush preparation and actual rush week was well rewarded, for we took the largest pledge class on campus. Marsha Lankford, our rush chairman, deserves much credit for her hard work and outstanding organization.

September was largely devoted to introducing our new pledges to campus activities, and getting back into the studying routine.

October began with Formal Pledging and the addition of two top girls to our pledge class. Our Father's Weekend, included a banquet and a Gamma Phi "Hootenanny," in honor of the Dads. Sue Springer represented our sorority in the Miss Mizzou skits, and was selected as one of the 12 calendar girls.

November provided warm weather for our Homecoming Game against Nebraska. We were especially proud of our house decoration, which placed third in the Sorority Division of Homecoming decorations. Hours and hours of stuffing, under the direction of Joyce Warner, produced a 30 foot "Hootenanny Owl," which shot a gun, nodded, and winked. The 8th of November was reserved for initiation and found 11 new initiates proudly wearing the crescent and pearls. Mid-semester exams descended and activities slowed while we prepared to "ace" all our tests. Thanksgiving vacation provided a much needed break for about 80 exhausted Gamma Phis.

December, as always, proved to be one of our busiest months. With the help of dates, we succeeded in decking out the house in holly, mistletoe, and tinsel at our informal Christmas party. The holiday spirit prevailed through our house and was highlighted by a Christmas party given jointly by the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity and ourselves, for underprivileged children. The party was complete with Santa, gifts, refreshments and happy children. Christmas vacation at last—December 20th.

Sixteen days later we returned to 808 Richmond, rested? and full of New Year resolutions, to discover finals were only 10 days away. January meant study, study, STUDY!

As we stop to reflect on the past year we feel it has been a year with many honors for Gamma Phi, including Peachy London's election to the MSA Senate at M.U., Pat Keeler's receiving the position of Concert Chairman, Joyce Werner's selection as one of the Ten Best Dressed, and three



Peachy London
U. of Missouri
Student Senate

new members to Angel Flight; Betty Spitzmiller, Nancy Shores, and Donna Boone.

Alpha Deltas have initiated an increased interest in campus participation, we have maintained a good scholastic record, we have formed many friendships within other chapters, and we feel we have strengthened the bond of loyalty and friendship in our own chapter.

JANET KING

ALPHA EPSILON—U. of Arizona

Alpha Epsilon began this eventful year by welcoming thirty-five new pledges and a new house-mother, Mrs. Mary Kirby.

Another new addition to the Gamma Phi house is our foreign exchange student, Miss Luz Maria Grau. Miss Grau, better known as Minina, is from Lima, Peru and is studying journalism at the University of Arizona.

In October the annual Pledge Presents was held and our new pledges were introduced to a houseful of admirers.

On Mom and Dad's Day, the Gamma Phis entertained their parents in the chapter house and a buffet dinner was served.

Also in October, our four second semester pledges were initiated.

During most of October, Alpha Epsilon members worked hard on the homecoming float entitled "Arizona Alumni—Something to Crow About." Gamma Phi, Carol McCutchen, was selected as an attendant to the Homecoming queen. During the Homecoming weekend in November, Gamma Phis enjoyed seeing the alumnae and parents who visited the house.

Also in November, Carol Wangner was chosen as a finalist for Military Ball Queen.

December was a busy month at the Alpha Epsilon house. A great honor was gained by having three Gamma Phis named to *Who's Who*. These girls were Meg Bilby, Carolyn Bradley, and Barbara Knox.

The Christmas formal, held at the Tideland Hotel, was a huge success. Bobby Bayless was crowned Gamma Phi Man at the dance.

Alpha Epsilon members played "Santa" at their annual Christmas party for underprivileged children. The chapter was divided into groups of four and each group bought gifts for one child and entertained him at the party.

A few days later the girls exchanged funny Christmas cards at the house party. At this time our terrific pledges presented a Gamma Phi Beta song to the actives.

Other honors and positions earned by Alpha Epsilon members this year were: Nancy Noyes, Senior Class Treasurer; Gail James, chairman of the Music and Literary Committee of the Student Union Activities Board; Suzi Gallaher and Gail Rosenthal, AWS committee chairmen; Pam Petty, Junior Panhellenic president; Judie Kientz, University Musical "Most Happy Fella"; Kay Hatcher, Alpha Lambda Delta, Sheryl Tuttle, Little Sisters of Minerva; Betsey Bayless, Nancy Leach, and Sally Townsend, Philadelphia; Nancy Leach, Crescent Activities Award; Allison Freeman, Sigma Chi Princess; Linda Mericle, "A" Day Queen finalist.

BETSEY BAYLESS

ALPHA ZETA—U. of Texas

Fifteen Alpha Zetas traveled to Louisiana State University September 28-29 to assist with third period rush in Gamma Phi Beta colonization. Saturday morning they conducted a pledge service for the 23 new pledges.

Members taking part in the LSU colonization were Beverly Bowers, Sandy Burnett, Martha Dillard, Carol Earl, Jan Freasier, Marge Gerlach, Mary Gray McGee, Mimi Montgomery, Donna Partridge, Valerie Scott, Michael Shelton, Cynthia Shoptaw, Stacie Stone, and Marilyn Stracic.

Forty-one pledges were chosen after a very successful, and fun-filled fall rush at the University of Texas. Pledges have been honored by the Austin alumnae chapter and by the chapter at the Pledge Banquet at Green Pastures restaurant in Austin.

Alpha Zeta chapter won its traditional award in University of Texas Greek competition by placing third in the annual Sing-Song. Dressed in Grecian

gowns of blue, they sang the Latin Christmas hymn, "Hodie Christus Natus Est."

The Founders Day dinner was held in November and was attended by about 90 members and guests.

Fifty Gamma Phis combined with the Delta Sigma Pi professional fraternity to give a Christmas party for the Colored Deaf, Blind, and Orphaned children at one of the state schools in Austin. Folk singing, games, refreshments, and a Santa Claus furnished entertainment for the 100 children.

New officers recently elected were Beverly Bowers, president; Jean Fletcher, first vice president and pledge trainer; Carolyn Coe, second vice president and social chairman; Jane Pfeiffer, recording secretary; Laura Monkhouse, corresponding secretary; Michael Shelton, treasurer; Carol Ann Voss, junior Panhellenic; and Margo Montgomery, standards chairman.

Alpha Zetas chosen for recent campus honors are: Texas Student Union Council: Jean Fletcher, chairman of the Hospitality Committee; Diane Douglass, chairman of the Charm Committee; Jane Aycock, chairman of Decorations Committee; and Terry Klar.

Freshman Council Coordinating Board: Jean Fletcher.

Freshman Council Advisers: Carolyn Coe, Kathy Hudkins, Terry Klar, Mimi Montgomery, and Merla Lew Riddle.

Freshman Orientation Advisers: Carolyn Coe, Carol Earl, Jean Fletcher, Dianne Harris, Kathy Hudkins, Terry Klar, Merla Lew Riddle, Jo Roberts, Cynthia Shoptaw, and Martha Tipps.

Cap and Gown Council: Carol Carolson.

AIESEC: Carol Earl, vice president.

Spooks: Carol Earl.

Panhellenic: Dianne Harris.

Terry Klar and Wilda Campbell, new Orange Jackets; Carol Ann Paper and Diane Douglass, finalists for Ten Most Beautiful; Margie Carr, selected one of two coordinators of Freshman Council; and Kathy Hudkins and Wanda Bergen, dorm advisers.

MARY JANE GORHAM

ALPHA THETA—Vanderbilt U.

The fall semester started a few days early for members of Alpha Theta as we all returned to Vanderbilt for a house party in our brand new chapter house. Since rush began right after classes started this year, we took advantage of the house party to put the finishing touches on our rush decorations, songs, and skit. This hard work was soon rewarded when we experienced one of the most successful rush seasons Alpha Theta has ever known. The new chapter house sparked the enthusiasm of Vanderbilt Gamma Phi Betas, and twenty-six promisees were added to our roster when formal rush was over—the largest promisee class on campus. Since that time we have added two more promisees to that list, and we will be very proud to pledge the entire group at the beginning of spring semester.

The new house has given Alpha Theta a new incentive to entertain, and as a result, our fall social calendar was filled with activities. Alpha Thetas and their dates and guests enjoyed themselves at a record party at the beginning of October, and soon after that the men of Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity were our guests for a dessert. Sigma Nu Fraternity members came to Saturday lunch at the Gamma Phi house in November, and members, promisees, and their dates entertained several underprivileged little girls at a Christmas party right before Christmas vacation.

Perhaps the biggest weekend of the year was the first one in November when Alpha Thetas and Nashville Gamma Phi Betas celebrated our Founders Day with a wonderful banquet and ceremony at the Brentwood Country Club. The Alpha Theta promisees presented a take-off on rush, and Mrs. Graeme Reid, International Alumnae Vice President, spoke to the many Gamma Phis present. Then on Sunday of that weekend our new chapter house was dedicated and Alpha Thetas were hostesses to hundreds of friends of our chapter. It was a memorable weekend for all of us, and we thank our Social Chairman, Betsy Davis, for her capable direction of the events.

Social activities aren't the only activities of Alpha Theta. Our sophomore class received an award for having the highest scholastic average of



Vanderbilt's rush skit based on the Wizard of Oz features from left Twinkie Hagen, Bunny Leach, Ginger Trundle, and Cathy Allison, with the Wizard, Betty Farrar, kneeling in foreground.

all the sorority pledge classes last year, and Mary Jo Mann, one of our promisees, received the Mortar Board trophy for the freshman with the highest average last year (a perfect 3.0). Susan Porzelius was initiated into Tau Beta Pi, the engineering honorary, and she leads the junior engineering class in scholarship. Alpha Theta is proud of Patty James and Becky Rolston, who were invited to join Lotus Eaters, the sophomore honorary society; and we are proud also of Carmen Russell and Susan Porzelius, who became members of Athenians, the junior honorary society.

One of our main projects this year was selling bows for Christmas wrappings. We hope to earn enough profit from this effort to tile the floor of our chapter room in the new house, and to show those who have helped to build our house that we're working hard on it too.

Gamma Phi Betas at Vanderbilt participate in campus activities as well as sorority activities. We made a mighty effort in the campus-wide blood drive. Ginger Trundle was chosen to be the sophomore class co-chairman for Parents' Weekend which was held in February. Our several members of Advisory Council did a good job helping their freshman advisees get off to a good start at Vandy. The University Theatre has attracted Sue Anne Sanders, Charlotte Wright and even our president, Nancy Krider, who has had little stage experience until recently.

Fall semester was a busy and exciting one, yet Alpha Theta is looking forward to an even livelier and more challenging spring semester. If you are ever in Nashville, we hope you'll come to see us.

DONNA J. LEACH

ALPHA IOTA—U.C.L.A.

Warmest greetings from Alpha Iota at U.C.L.A. in Southern California. Initiation of our Fall, 1962 pledge class was first on the agenda in March, new initiates were Kathy Wachtel, Molly Connor, Judy Marzonie, Cecelia Hedrick, Aileen Cooley, Allene Osborn, Dale Hypes, Carol Mallory, Carolyn Havens, Lynn Godfrey, and Patty Cole.

U.C.L.A.'s fund raising carnival, Mardi Gras, found Alpha Iota doing their booth with Alpha Tau Omega. Money earned went to Uni-Camp for underprivileged children. It was a lot of work and fun for all the girls and guys. Later in the month we held our Luau at the Del Mar Club on the beach with a pre-party in Bel Air at the home of one of our alumnae, Mrs. Larsen. Everyone was attired in Hawaiian-Polynesian dress, and the party was a great success.

In May, the Scholarship-Activities banquet was held to honor the following girls: Molly Connor, U.C.L.A. 1962 Homecoming semi-finalist; Melinda Peterson, Mortar Board, Panhellenic delegate, Alpha Lambda Delta; Robin Moore, Outstanding Junior, Board of Governors—Upper Division, President of Angel Flight, S.L.A. delegate; Judy Marzonie,

FAMACS Phi Kappa Sigma little sister, Sigma Nu Big Sister, C.T.A., N.E.A., Bruin Belles; Lynn Godfrey, Philadelphians—Phi Delta Theta little sister, INTAC, foreign exchange student to Spain; Cecelia Hedrick, Sigma Chi little sister, CTA, NEA; Carolyn Havens, Sabers, Sigma Chi little sister; Suellen Thomas, ACE, INTAC, Homecoming committee; Kathy Wachtel, Angel Flight, INTAC, University Chorus; Sue Holmes, University Chorus, Southern Campus representative; Dianne Manson, INTAC, Homecoming representative, Sigma Chi little sister; Raleigh Warner, NEA, Sigma Chi little sister; Margie Percival, Shell & Oar, Theta Delta Chi little sister; Anne Woollett, INTAC, Ski Club; Terri Martin, Chimes Honorary, AWS Fashion Board; Valerie Wilding, Intramural representative; Julie Farr, FAMACS, Phi Kappa Sigma little sister, INTAC; and Paula van Buskirk, Homecoming committee, Anchors, foreign exchange student to Spain. Three girls will not be with us in the fall as they all are going overseas to school, Susan Dunshee, Innsbruck, Austria; Marie Meloche, Bordeaux, France, and Etoile Grace participating in the University of the Seven Seas program.

Our fall rush brought Alpha Iota twenty-four beautiful new pledges who have been a tremendous addition to the house. Three weeks later, October 2nd, we initiated two girls, Susan Holmes and Paula van Buskirk along with Beta Alpha's initiates. The Founders' Day luncheon was held at the Sheraton West and we were fortunate to have our Grand President there.

On Saturday, November 16th our new pledges presented us with the pledge-active party held near International Airport—the theme "How the West Was Won" brought Apache Indians, bar queens, trappers, and cowboys. We were so excited and thank our ingenious pledges. Homecoming preparations under the direction of Dianne Manson initiated the building of our float with Delta Sigma Phi with the theme, "David Bruin, Goliath's Ruin." Alpha Iota was beaming when beautiful Judy Marzonie, senior in Elementary Ed., was crowned U.C.L.A.'s 1963 Homecoming Queen to reign over all the week's activities. Judy carried a rose, one of a dozen sent to her by her fiancé, for luck—which goes to show what love can do for a woman.

On December 6th, the annual Crescent Dance was held at the Beverly Hilton with the pre-party at Sheri McGovern's home in Bel Air. Everyone looked enchanting in their long formals, and I am sure there were many happy thoughts that night. Later that week we held an exchange dinner with Pi Beta Phi, one of a series to be held in the future.

On December 10th, Alpha Iota gave a Christmas party for underprivileged children from the Los Angeles area—dinner was delicious and Santa Claus was at his best, handing out gifts from under the tree to the children. The following night, we held our annual Hasher's Christmas Party whereby the hashers trade places with the girls—the girls serve the dinner which can become very disastrous, and that it did for one unfortunate soul. Following the party, gifts were exchanged between big and little sisters and roommates. Hope you all had a Merry Christmas, and your finals went as well as ours. **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

PAULA VAN BUSKIRK

ALPHA KAPPA—U. of Manitoba

Alpha Kappas started the year off successfully with our Legacy Party held in the form of a barbecue and sing-song this year. It afforded us an opportunity to know our legacies better; and everyone appeared to have a marvelous time. This was just the beginning of a very busy season as it was followed immediately by Rush. Panhellenic began a new system this year whereby prospective rushies must register for Rush. To create an interest in Rush all sororities participated in the Fall Fashion Show.

Our Rush Parties went off smoothly under the efficient planning of Mary Hegin. Themes this year included a German beer garden called "Der Eastern Siden Story," the "Pink Carnation Tea" and the traditional "Heaven Party." We are extremely proud of our eleven pledges who were pledged preceding the Panhellenic Formal. The Formal was a great success with all the sororities and fraternities

trying to out-do each other in singing at one point during the evening.

We were happy to have Mrs. A. O. Edwards, our Province Collegiate Director visit during the week of our Silver Tea and Open House. Both were a great success and we were thrilled to have such a large turn-out.

Founders' Day banquet was held on November 13 and we were fortunate to have Nancy Bole, a recent alumna, as our guest speaker. She gave a splendid talk on her year as a teacher at an Air Base in northern Manitoba.

Alpha Kappas had a very active Christmas season this year. Our philanthropy project for this term was to paint seven rooms for the Children's Home of Winnipeg and this was done during the Christmas Break. The following day the chapter went caroling at a near-by old folks home.

We enjoyed three exchange parties this term, one with the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, one with Delta Kappa Epsilon which was a wild west party, and the third with Theta Nu, a house warming party for their new fraternity house.

January saw the Alpha Kappas very active in the Blood Drive. Our dinner and formal was also held this month. February's competition at Song Fest found us trying to repeat our win of last year.

CAROL-JEAN WISDOM

ALPHA MU—Rollins College

Last term the Alpha Mu chapter had a fund raising Tupperware Party. It was a terrific success, and we all enjoyed working for it.

Dr. Burnett, an outstanding member of our Psychology Department, was invited to the house to give a small talk and answer questions that we might have had on the subject of "Morals."

On January 12, the pledges gave an All-College Open House in the Student Union with "Roman Orgy" as the theme.

Pledged: Barbara Beers, Andrea Corey, Marie Cubellis, Sandra Dower, Laura Finley, Donna Giromini, Susan Goddard, Rebecca Hooper, Synn Hutter, Norma Lafferty, Jean Preston, Linda Stanerson, Cheryl Swift, and Helena Walker.

Initiated October 20, 1963: Ellisa Blumenthal, Gloria Caminiti, Dale Courtney, and Martha Sanchez.

GLORIA J. CAMINITI

ALPHA OMICRON— North Dakota State U.

Convening at Pelican Lake in Minnesota, Alpha Omicron literally began the year with a splash. In spite of the cool September weather, the week-end retreat at the cottage of Gamma Phi alumna, Mrs. C. Warner Litten proved a perfect start to a wonderful, fun year. We planned rush skits and caught up with the latest summer adventures. A few hardy souls even ventured skiing and swimming in the chilly depths.

Meeting back in Fargo, rush started in earnest. All of the girls had constructed new blazers during the summer, so we were decked out in mode and brown for our first "Around the World" rush party. Rush was very successful and netted us our quota of 15 sparkling new pledges, who have wasted no time in making a name for themselves on campus. We're all very proud and looking forward to a special year.



Carol Berg
North Dakota State
Kappa Psi
Sweetheart

Last spring quarter found us with quite a few honors at our house. During the annual Greek Week, Maxine Jordheim was selected as Greek Week Goddess, while Pat Taylor won the title of outstanding pledge. Betty Kay Bitterman was crowned Betty CO-ed at an all school dance, and Carol Berg was chosen Kappa Psi Sweetheart. The whole house is especially proud of receiving the Scholarship Plaque for the second year in a row. So much for the past, let's take a peek at this year's activities.

Feeling that our pledges and actives should become acquainted right away, we had a slumber party. Ene Koivastik, who had spent the summer at Gamma Phi Camp in British Columbia, showed her slides and shared a few of the summer's exciting details. For Murtha Bateman it was the Mexican flavor, as she thrilled us with a glimpse of "her" underprivileged children deep in Mexico.

During September, we teamed up with the Kappa Psi and created an Ugly Man. We all thought we did a great job, and the judges evidently agreed as they gave us the trophy!

In no time at all football season and Homecoming were upon us. Joining the ATO's we planned a float befitting the theme "Challenge of Change." Enthusiasm mounted during this thrilling time as four Gamma Phis were elected to the Homecoming Court: Murtha Bateman, Betty Kay Bitterman, Judy Jensen, and Suzanne Jensen. Ene Koivastik was Co-Chairman for all the Homecoming festivities which featured Jack Linkletter's "Hootenanny." Although our float met with a dire accident on the parade route, the one judge who saw it gave us a first, so we're looking forward to "next year" and success.

The rest of the quarter featured a Date Party, Pledge Presentation, our annual Halloween Party with the Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity, and Founders' Day with all of its special highlights. Also, at the close of the quarter, we invited 10 favorite teachers for the Apple Polishing Dinner.

At the student Union Activities Board Convention in Minneapolis, Ene Koivastik was named this year's President of Region 10. We're so very proud of her, as this area includes many big schools and also entitles NDSU to host the Convention next year.

We're also happy that two girls are candidates for fraternity sweethearts. Sara Gildersleeve is up for Theta Chi and Judi Coleman is up for Sigma Chi.

We're all eagerly looking forward to our first big sorority party, an Old-Fashioned Picnic, complete with long dresses, wicker baskets, a gazebo and the atmosphere of the deep South. Also, a highlight for the pledges, a wild and wooly game of football. This is the Bromo Bowl, a thrilling contest between the Gamma Phi Beasts and the Alpha Tau Omega Beauties! Pro ball at its best!

We're all looking forward to the fun and excitement of another year in the bond of Gamma Phi Beta. Remember, the crescent over the door of our little pink house always shines its welcome to everyone of you!

JUDI COLEMAN

ALPHA PI— U. of West Virginia

Thirty-four excited girls returned to Morgantown to find a beautiful new Colonial style chapter house waiting to be their home for the year. The house is beautiful—a dream come true. No sooner did we get settled in our new home until it was time for Formal Rush to start. A representative from Grand Council, Mrs. Mary Tuttle visited with us and served as our Special Rush Advisor. The chapter did very well in formal rush, pledging nineteen lovely girls. Later in Open Rush we added three more pledges to fill our quota of twenty-two.

On September 24, the Navy invaded Morgantown. They not only sunk our football team, they charmed the Gamma Phis at the Open House we held after the game. We had Initiation on October 5th and added four new actives to our growing chain. On October 4th, our new pledges had a treasure hunt to find their big-sisters, and later were entertained at the Big-Little Sister party. On October 6th, a breakfast was served to honor our new initiates and the chapter members attended Church in a body.

Homecoming found the Gamma Phis working along with the Alpha Gamma Rhos to build a lovely float honoring West Virginia's 100th Birthday. After the Homecoming game, a buffet was served at the chapter house for family and friends of the sisters.

A Founders' Day program and dessert was held at the chapter house on November 10th. Many alumnae attended the inspirational service honoring our four founders.

The Social Calendar has been busy this year. We have had listening parties with the Alpha Gamma Rhos and the Lambda Chi Alphas. We have had

desserts with the Phi Sigs and the Phi Psis and a sister Sorority party with the Alpha Xi Deltas. On December 6th, our annual Christmas party was held at the Chapter house.

Individual members have been busy this year winning honors for the Gamma Phis. Our president, Patricia Sullivan, was honored Mountaineer Weekend, with the title of Miss Mountaineer. This is a special honor since the queen is chosen by a committee of University and State personnel, not only on the basis of beauty and poise, but also on the services rendered to the University and academic records.



Elizabeth Pokrywka
West Virginia U.
Campus Leader

Dorothy Willard, Student Body Vice-President, appeared on television and discussed Student Government. Elizabeth Pokrywka served on the committee for Homecoming Weekend and for the High School Leadership Conference. Betty is serving as the Director of the Publicity for the Student Government and for the Student Union Travel Adventure Series. She also was head of the Beauty Pageant that chose the Yearbook Queen and is one of the Co-Editors of the Beauties Section of the yearbook.

Shelia Sandy represented the Gamma Phi most beautifully as our candidate for the title of "Miss Monticola" (yearbook queen).

Yes, it has started off as a very busy and successful year for Alpha Pi Chapter, and the forecast does not show any letting down point in sight.

LINDA KAY BURGOYNE

ALPHA UPSILON—Penn State

Penn State experimented with a new rush system this year under which upperclass and transfer students rush in the fall, and freshmen during the winter term. This new system proved most satisfactory to the Gamma Phis, as our efforts were rewarded with thirteen lovely pledges.

Homecoming weekend was a very successful one at Penn State and one greatly enjoyed by the Alpha Upsilon. We helped the Phi Kappa Taus construct their homecoming display and sponsored our annual homecoming tea for our alumnae. Penn State's victory over Rice made the weekend perfect!

Our fall social calendar included mixers with Phi Kappa Psi, Alpha Gamma Rho, Phi Kappa Tau, and Sigma Pi. We participated in the annual Sigma Chi Derby Day this year. We also initiated a new social event this fall—a tea following the Army game at which we entertained some 50 cadets in our suite.

On the more serious side of things, we sent several sisters to investigate sponsoring a philanthropic project at the Laurelton School for Girls. They returned most enthusiastic about helping these underprivileged young women. The Alpha Upsilon's sent personal Christmas gifts to a group of these girls and plan to do more work with them throughout the year.

Our Founders' Day Banquet held at the Hetzel Union Building highlighted the month of November. We were fortunate enough to have several Gamma Phi chapters represented at this affair. Open houses for winter rush were also scheduled during this month.

The weeks of school in December were dedicated to study for finals. The Alpha Upsilon's took time, however, to begin preparation for IFC Sing and winter rush, events we look forward to in the new year.

CAROLE YAGELLO

ALPHA PHI— Colorado College

Chapter Honors:

Scholarship Tray Award—Three years in a row.
Three Phi Beta Kappas.
Song Fest 2nd in Large Group, 1st in Small Group.

First Prize Homecoming House Decorations.

Individual Honors:

Sally Blair—French House.
Judy Clark—French House.
Linda Hamilton—Religious Discussion Group Moderator, Student NEA Treasurer, State Publicity Committee.

Nan Lindsley—President of Geology Club, Riding Club, 100 Mile Ice Skating Club, Continental Oil Grant-in-Aid for Senior yr.

Mary Tarr—President of Loomis Hall (upper-class women), Foreign Student Committee, Judicial Board, Late Board.

Jean Torcom—President of Associated Women Students of Colorado College, Tour Choir, Late Board, Cap and Gown, Dean's List.

Carol Wright—Tour Choir, Dean's List, AWS Vice President, Cap and Gown, Lucy Lennox Award.

Deb Smith—Ski team.

Marcia Irving—Tour Choir, Publicity Chairman, Rastall Center Board, Committee for Senior Privileges, Late Board.

Caroline Jacobson—Panhellenic Council, Tour Choir, Chapel Choir, Transfer-Student Chairman, Ski Club, Loomis Hall Council, President of Pi Gamma Mu, Social Science Honorary.

Liz Hickman—French House, "Mom" chairman.

Jane Hilton—Student NEA.

Shirley McCullough—Social coordinating committee.

Lynn Ayers—Tiger Club, Military Ball Queen Candidate, French House.

Onnie Costello—Dean's List.

Vickie Knox—Tour Choir, Spring Recital.

Sue Ann Keller—Freshman Counselor.

Karen Lambart—Freshman Counselor, Tour Choir.

Teri Lumley—Young Republicans.

Pat McClain—Dean's List, Freshman Counselor.

Becky Thimmig—Freshman Counselor.

Diane Wieden—Yearbook Staff.

Frankie Keller—Freshman Counselor, Tiger Club, Junior Panhellenic Representative.

Janet Smith—Tour Choir, Variety Show.

KATHY JANKOVSKY

ALPHA CHI— College of William and Mary

As a new school year came to William and Mary, the Alpha Chi gathered together in the anticipation of making a great success of the coming months. Two of the sisters, Gay West and Dianne Dettmer began their duties as dormitory presidents, while Margaret Temple served as a Freshman counselor. Other Alpha Chis took up positions as Freshman sponsors.

This year Homecoming Weekend fell early on the calendar, so immediate preparations were carried out for that event. The Alpha Chis went to work and produced a float of which we were justifiably proud. It carried the slogan, "We'll Pin Back the MountainEARS." Following the Homecoming game, the traditional Gamma Phi open house was held in honor of the alumnae and friends. This was, as always, a very enjoyable event.

One of the most important events of the fall came when Informal Rush began in early October, and the Alpha Chi obtained five wonderful pledges. They were Chris Hunt, Betty Bright, Malinda Sproul, Dottie Gilbert, and Marjorie Rankin. These girls were pledged just in time to take part in the sorority's party with Lambda Chi Alpha. Also of note in October was the election of two Alpha Chis, Bunni Popkin and Gay West, as dormitory representatives to the Student Assembly.

The month of November began with the pleasant visit of our Province Collegiate Director, Mrs. Trostle. The Alpha Chis were especially fortunate this year in having Mrs. Trostle present at our Founders Day ceremony. This meaningful day ended with a dessert in our guest's honor. Later in the month we observed our traditional Thanksgiving turkey dinner before journeying home for a brief vacation.

As usual, December proved to be a tremendously busy month. The festive season began with the initiation of our five fall pledges and Joan McKann, a spring pledge. These new initiates were then presented at the very successful Gamma Phi Christmas Dance held December 13. This was an especially happy night, because one of the Alpha Chis, Bunni

Popkin, was named sweetheart of Pi Lambda Phi fraternity. The following days until we departed for Christmas vacation were filled with parties, such as the Chapter Christmas Party, and thoughts and events for those who are less fortunate than we. Along with Sigma Phi Epsilon, the Alpha Chi held a Christmas party for underprivileged children. The chapter also sent gifts to its Korean orphan and made a donation to Eastern State Hospital, so that some of the patients could have a brighter Christmas.

As we look back, the Gamma Phis at William and Mary can see that first semester has been indeed successful and fun. The above events plus the perennial slumber parties, serenades, and fund-raising chicken and spaghetti dinners will be long remembered. Now, with a new year ahead and Formal Rush foremost in our thoughts, we are looking forward to continued hard work with the result of an even more successful second semester.

CAROL ANN FORSYTHE

ALPHA OMEGA— U. of Western Ontario

A visit from our collegiate director and the introduction of a cultural program were two highlights of Alpha Omega's fall season. Mrs. Charles Simons, collegiate director for Province IV, arrived just in time for Gamma Phi Beta week beginning with our midnight service and including the Founders' Day service and formal initiation.

Our annual pledge banquet held at the Latin Quarter and the dance following at the house concluded the week's activities. At the banquet Dr. Anne Fanning, 1962 medical graduate was awarded the Zella Fawkes trophy for her outstanding contribution to University and sorority life. A Publications and Purple Spur Commissioner on the University Students' Council, a member of the Hippocratic Council and inter-collegiate swim team, Anne is certainly a credit to Gamma Phi Beta. The award was presented by Dr. Leola Neal, Western's Dean of Women and a Gamma Phi Beta alumna. Another alumna, Dr. Dorothy Smith, chairman of the London public school board, spoke on the Roberts plan which divides pupils into three streams according to ability.

Individual sorority awards went to Phyllis Smith as the outstanding pledge; Linda Mairs for attaining the highest marks on the pledge examination; Penny Kemp as the pledge entering with the highest scholastic average, and Sheila Johnson won the Ruth Drummond pin for the active contributing most to college functions.



Louise Keevil
Western Ontario
Queen Candidate

Patty Keevil and Barb Isbister will be wearing the legacy ring this year. The former pledge class presented their pledge trainer Louise Keevil with a lovely gold bracelet.

For entertainment the pledges did imitations of some of the actives in their version of "To Tell the Truth" with 'Fran, Addie, Mary and Helen' as panelists and Kathy Jarvis as emcee. It was very witty—very 'a propos'. The song contest was won by the "River Room Rats"—Jakki Lawson, Barb Dunfield, Sharon Mattatal and Phyllis Smith with their 50 verse history of Gamma Phi.

Prior to initiation the pledges were kept hopping with Homecoming, Open House and pledge parties all squeezed into a six week period. For the Homecoming parade the pledges created Wendall—a chicken wire and crepe paper statue representing Western's Joe College "splitting the T" (University of Toronto). Mrs. Wilson, our house mother, served her annual luncheon for all sorority members and visiting Gamma alumnae. After all home games, the sorority holds open house enlivened by folk singing, dancing and refreshments.

The lower floor was transformed into "rooms of pleasure" for the annual pledge project. All eight fraternities were invited over to be entertained by Sue Cakebread, Fran Thomas, Eva Wicks and company in a skit performed like a silent movie and to be wine and dined with hot dogs and ginger ale. Dancing with the dance hall girls and back-rubs by

the masseurs were two other "pleasures" provided. Admission was by tickets sold at the door.

Dr. Graham, English professor at the University was our first speaker in the cultural program initiated this fall. His topic, Social Uses of Literature provoked discussion lasting two and one-half hours. Dr. Hevelka, noted psychologist spoke on such varied subjects as extrasensory perception and husband-hunting.

Sandy Scott again opened her home for the pledge-active party. This time we, as actives, gave a Bohemian party for the pledges. Merilee Clunis as Heartless Harry, Dale Dickson as Harriet Trueheart and Liz Street as Passionata Von Climax entertained us with the silent version of "The Path of True Love Never Doth Run Smooth." Afterwards, we had a delicious dinner of salads, cold meat, cheese and different types of bread.

In November, we held our annual fashion show with outfits provided by a local store. Fashions divided into four major groups: sleepwear, sportswear, afternoon clothes and evening wear were modelled "aboard the S.S. Gamma Phi Beta" in keeping with the "around the world" theme. The models moved from room to room where the audience was placed to keep the atmosphere exclusive and cozy. Pierre, Judy Pritchard's French poodle, gave that extra touch of glamour. While refreshments were served many lovely door prizes were given out. The show was a success thanks to the hard working and planning of Judy Pritchard and Zoya Rudasans and their committee.



Sheri Craig
Western Ontario
Editor of Gazette

Gamma Phi Betas holding responsible positions on campus this year are our president, Merilee Clunis, president of Panhellenic Council; Sheri Craig, editor-in-chief of *The Gazette*, campus newspaper, co-editor of the Student Handbook, and a member of the Purple Spur; Liz Weiben, Alpha Omega's licensed bush pilot, is business manager of the Student Handbook and Student Directory, and treasurer of the Flying Club; Ruth Anne McLellan, co-editor of the

Student Handbook and president of the Society of the United Nations.

Council members include Marion Thomas, Recording Secretary of the University Students' Council, Susan Bailey, vice president of the University College Council and 1965 year representative, Big and Little Sister Convener for the Arts and Science Undergraduate Women's Organization and Purple Spur group leader; Sheila Johnston, secretary of Middlesex Council and 1965 year representative of the Philosophy Club; Eva Wicks, College of Music Council; Barb Dunfield, treasurer of the Arts and Science Undergraduate Women's Organization.

Athletically speaking, Mary Ellen Barbour is on the Intercollegiate Volleyball Team which won its tenth consecutive championship and Patti Keevil is Women's Athletic Representative on Middlesex College Council.

We also have our Queen candidates, Louise Keevil for the Aurora Borealis Arts and Science Ball and Alberta Booth, Huron College Ball. Louise is also treasurer of the Hippocratic Council at the Medical School and neophyte Patti Smith is female representative and Orientation Chairman on Middlesex College Council.

Part of Western's colorful Marching Mustang Band is Judy Pritchard who as a member of the color party carried the Canadian Red Ensign at Football games this fall. Judy was also elected to N.F.C.U.S. (National Federation of Canadian University Students).

Parties played a large part in our activities for the fall. On October 31, we held a Bermuda rushing party to get acquainted with the freshettes. Next we had a "Playboy Party" with Delta Upsilon fraternity. Gamma bunnies dressed in bathing suits and tights (over respectable sweaters) entertained with a variety of entertainments—hootenanny, dancing and bridge.

This year Gamma played host to Kappa Alpha Theta and Pi Beta Phi for the annual inter-sorority Christmas party. A huge Christmas tree in the living room and lights outlining the staircase helped to put everyone in the Christmas mood. Various skits

kept the party lively but the entertainer who stole the show was ballerina Jakki Lawson who was costumed in long white underwear and crinolines and performed in grand style.

The last party of the season was the annual Christmas party for underprivileged children. Thirty-six children played games, sang Christmas carols and enjoyed hot dogs, chocolate milk, ice cream and candy. But the best part of the evening came when Santa Claus presented each child with a gift.

With formal rushing and our formal dance yet to come Alpha Omega chapter is looking forward to a busy and exciting New Year.

RUTH ANNE McLELLAN

BETA BETA—U. of Maryland

The new year of 1963 began with a full, new semester. The first activity was our semi-annual scholarship dinner. There were ten girls who earned steak with their 3.0 or above. It is always a happy celebration for some and added incentive for others.

For Sophomore Carnival the theme was "U. of Maryland Goes International." Working with the Sig Eps we titled our booth "The Common Market." We received a big turn-out for the skit and the workers had a grand time socializing. At the same time, the Ugly Man contest was held, but our entry, Dan Conway, a graduate student and busboy, didn't quite make it.

When the weather was warmer, Alpha Epsilon Phi held their annual car wash with the sororities on the Row. The Gamma Phi were out in full force to dry the cars. The local TV newscast carried the car wash that evening. The proceeds from all these activities went to Campus Chest.

Our annual Ship Party was held in March and the theme this year was a ghost ship. We were all in costumes and the lighting and decorations gave the house an underwater eeriness. The band was the finishing touch to a successful evening.

Tri Delta Interfraternity Sing was the next center of our attention. Under the direction of Sally Pritchard, we sang two Gamma Phi songs and made an excellent showing.

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Mrs. Ren A. Meader, Chairman of Special Gifts, the key advisers and the presidents of the corporation boards of the three collegiate chapters.

Beta Lambda joined with La Jolla and San Diego alumnae to celebrate Founders Day at the San Diego University Club. Speaker of the evening was Dean Marjorie Warner, Dean of Student Activities at San Diego State College who spoke on "Today's College Woman." Special guest was Edith Herrin Watt (Nu), International Ritual Chairman. A candle lighting ceremony concluded the program.

Alpha Epsilon and Tucson alumnae attended an evening dessert at which PCD, Lou Tillotson and Keiki Payne Bedient, former Alpha Epsilon president, were honored guests. A traditional candle lighting service was presented.

Riverside area alumnae met for brunch on November 3 and had as their speaker Mrs. Louis Lombardi, Counselor to House Corporation Boards. Aleene Carter Thieme (Sigma), International Collegiate Vice President was guest of honor. An appropriate service was conducted at the conclusion of the program.

Orange County alumnae had a dinner meeting on November 14 and conducted the traditional memorial service. A box luncheon and joint meeting of the San Fernando Valley and Beverly-Westwood alumnae was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Killough. At the conclusion of the meeting a candle lighting ceremony was conducted.

Mrs. Arch Dawson, Province Alumnae Director, was special guest and speaker at the Glendale alumnae chapter's individual Founders Day celebration, and the Long Beach alumnae group enjoyed hearing their president Lillian Jones Barnett and Nancy Latimer speak on chapter and Panhellenic problems and the "victories" the six sororities at Long Beach State College had won to date. South Bay alumnae also had a separate Founders Day celebration altho they too had participated in the southern California Inter-city function the first Sunday of the month.

Santa Barbara alumnae enjoyed a dinner meeting at the Santa Barbara Inn with Mrs. Arch Dawson as special guest and speaker. Fifteen members present contributed \$95 to the Endowment Fund as their Founders Day gift. Candles were lighted for the 12 chapters represented in the impressive ceremony which concluded the meeting.

The pledges planned their spring picnic at the home of Emily Allen in Frederick, Md. It was a beautiful spot for the cook-out dinner and the folk-singing led by "Mom" Dutton and Kenny Baker, a busboy.

Our Spring Formal in May was an enjoyable dinner dance and was held at Indian Springs Country Club. After dinner everyone adjourned to the dance floor. The Gamma Phi Guy was announced to be Phi Sigma Kappa Bob Ionicone.

As the semester progressed, the grand Greek Week called for the last burst of activity before exams. A week of relay races, tug-o-war, and pillow throws, and the boat ride. There was also the powder-puff football bowl. The referees are still trying to find the winners.

The semester was also filled with many "off the record" events. There was everything from a small kitten being left, giftwrapped, in the kitchen to impromptu soft ball games after dinner and a broken sink on the third floor. It is these incidents that we remember with as much relish as the dances, desserts and dinners.

Exams quieted the group for awhile and then we parted ways for the summer. Two graduates went to the Gamma Phi European tour—but many others joined the mass exodus of fraternities and sororities to Ocean City, Md. for a short vacation before their diverse summer activities. There were five Gamma Phis in summer school and this made summer parties easy to plan. The two largest gatherings were at Lu Kauffman's and Maureen Watkins'. The other main gatherings were showers and weddings.

September and Rush always come together. This year we were certainly ready. Over the summer we all worked and sewed turquoise dresses of an identical pattern. Lynne Frazier wrote clever Gamma Phi words to hootenanny songs and we all had a real singing time. The result was twenty grand pledges.

In October we opened the house to the entire campus with our Basin Street Stomp. The Kings played the current music and the very lucrative proceeds went to Campus Chest.

The contest between the Penn State Nitanny Lions and the U. of Md. Terrapins also means Homecoming. This year Linus and Snoopy of Pea-

nuts fame graced our front porch as four feet tall characters.

Phi Kappa Tau held their Harmony Hall again this year and our house mother, Mrs. Grace Dutton, had to return her award of the year before . . . the Battle Axe Award given to outstanding housemothers on campus.

Founders Day was celebrated at Bolling Air Force Base. The two Beta Beta participants in the Gamma Phi tour told of their adventures with slides and maps.

Just before the Christmas holidays we held our Winter Weekend. On Friday night was the trimming of the tree and dates were invited. On Sunday afternoon four of the girls performed with the Chapel Choir in the *Messiah* and then all the girls and their dates joined in the dining room for the annual Date Dinner. Monday night saw us all gathered under the tree for presents, carols, and our own Santa Claus. The A T O's serenaded us and gave us as a present something small that had been stolen from each of us. And Tuesday we treated the busboys to a turn-about dinner and placed them at the head table.

And after the return from the holidays only a brief time remained until the end of another grand semester. It has been a busy and happy year. But the memories are side by side with plans for more semesters to come . . . plans for another full and fruitful year.

DOROTHY KEOUGH

BETA GAMMA— Bowling Green State

September 18, the Beta Gamma chapter was eager to start a new year. The campus sponsored its annual AWS Big Sis-Little Sis Picnic. The sisters with their freshman little sis' walked over to City Park; we sang group songs and enjoyed a picnic lunch.

October 5, we filled quota by taking seven pledges. Their point average was a 3.2. Our new pledges are: Mary Lou Arcus, Sharon Birch, Bonnie Gleason, Cheryl Hill, Jan Kuchta, Carol Lantz, and Marsha Stone.

AWS sponsored a Style Show on October 7, to acquaint freshman with the proper wearing apparel on campus. Kathy Pond and Linda Malone represented our house.

Our annual Pigs Dinner was held. The Pigs provided entertainment after serving the cows steak. Joan Winton received a trophy for the greatest improvement in grades.

Our pledges participated in the Pi Kappa Alpha-Pie Eating Contest. We were paired with the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

Barbara McNutt was in charge of publicity for Greek Week. It began on November 8, with a progressive party. Each sorority provided entertainment in their house. Students were charged \$.05 to get in and see and hear the entertainment. All proceeds were turned over to the All Campus Charity Drive. Tuesday, a banquet was held and President Jerome spoke on "Our American Heritage and the Fraternity System."

Our Founders' Day was observed November 18, because of the Greek Week Program.

Kathy Oberwegner was chosen Pershing Rifle Sponsor. She will travel with the Pershing Rifle Drill Team for the next two years.

Our All-Campus Serenade was combined with the Alpha Xi Delta Sorority. We all tried to get the campus in the Christmas spirit by singing carols.

Gammie Bug Week was held the first week in December. Everyone spent the week trying to keep her identity secret and trying to find out who was surprising them with gifts. Our annual Christmas party for underprivileged children was held on December 8. By helping to make this Christmas more enjoyable for those less fortunate, our lives were enriched. Karen Bailey was the all-campus chairman of the AWS Christmas project for underprivileged children.

The following sisters are on standing committees for AWS: Barbara McNutt, chairman of publicity, Sharon Loyd, scholarship, and Laurel Dickerson, orientation.

Throughout the semester we entertained several members of the faculty for dinner, included were: President Jerome, Dean of Women, and the Assistant Dean of Women.

This has been a very prosperous semester for us

and we are looking forward to a successful spring semester.

KAREN BAILEY

BETA EPSILON—Miami U.

As 1963 takes its final bow and the curtain goes up on the new year, Beta Epsilon looks back on many eventful days together.

January, 1963, flew past with final exams and in February we received three new pledges as a result of second semester rushing. March brought initiation and thirteen girls happily accepted the crescent and pearls. In the spring our own Kathy Myers reigned as a member of Miami's Greek Week Court. With other members of the court she attended Greek Week festivities and came through like a princess. Gamma Phi Moms paid their visit and were entertained at a banquet in Hamilton, Ohio, by Miss Nan Howes, our talented beauty queen. Nan added another trophy to our growing collection as a result of her placing in the contest for Miss Butler County. More finals followed, and those long, lazy summer days. Lazy? Well, not quite! Most of Beta Epsilon was working hard on plans for rushing in the fall.

September rolled around much sooner than we expected, but before we knew it we had adjusted to the hectic pace of pre-school rush. First period parties, fifteen minutes long, let us know that we had many charming young ladies to choose from. During the hour long second period parties we got to know them better and help them know about Gamma Phi Beta, our songs, jewelry, trophies, and us. Third period theme parties, held at fraternity houses, proved to be as much fun for us as for the rushees. Two "Raggedy Ann" parties were followed by the traditional Carnation Formal, and on September 26, we met our new pledge class in the suite, 29 of them! Inspiration Week began September 29, and nine more pledges were initiated on October 5.

Homecoming and Dad's Day had many Gamma Phis busy with preparations. Judy Thomas helped on the publicity committee and Beta Epsilon was represented by six pledges in the Homecoming Parade. This year floats were replaced by comic-strip characters and slogans.

Fall Greek Week in early November brought the Gamma Phi a second place in the college Bowl. We were paired with the Sigma Nus for this contest and had an exchange dinner with the Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity. Carol Saylor, head of the entire week, did a marvelous job as did Mary Noffsinger in charge of programs and Char Evans in charge of the Panhellenic dance.

November 5 was a big day for both actives and pledges. There were strange goings-on on Campus that day as the big and little sises found each other. That night there was a spaghetti dinner at the suite and paddle presentations.

Mrs. Raup, our Province Collegiate Director, came to Miami the second week of December. Her conferences with the officers proved very helpful, and we certainly enjoyed her visit.

We mustn't forget our Christmas party, of course, as we all said good-bye for the holidays. Saturday morning breakfasts, parties uptown, and campus activities rounded out the year and kept the Gamma Phis active, happy . . . and busy! We're looking forward to another big year with plans for second semester rush already in the making.

BARBARA BOYD

BETA ZETA—Kent State U.

A highlight of Fall quarter for Beta Zeta members was entertaining Jean Graham, internationally known concert pianist, at a luncheon in her honor. Also present was Muriel Shennan, Assistant Dean of Women.

Beta Zeta is proud of the many individual honors garnered recently. Georgia Profusek was tapped for Kappa Delta Pi, Education honorary and was also chairman of New Student program. She is the forthcoming Pork Barrel chairman. Barbara Irwin was appointed Layout editor of the *Chestnut Burr* and served as Kent State's representative to the National Collegiate Press Association convention held in New York City in October.

Panhellenic chairmanships include Freshman Contact, Valerie Fitting; Projects, Karen Williams; Publicity, Margaret Jones.

Kathleen Modica was chairman of the All Uni-

versity style show in which Lois Katz, Linda Reynolds, Valerie Fitting, and Margaret Jones appeared as models.

Barbara Valince was an attendant to Greek Week Queen.

Socially we had many exchange dinners with fraternities. We also entertained several foreign exchange students at dinner.

Christmastime found us trimming the tree with the A T O's, and later singing and entertaining at the Home for the Aged.

BETA ETA—Bradley U.

The girls of Beta Eta chapter returned to Bradley during the last week in August to prepare for this fall's rush. After five days of chatter, fun, and hard work, we were ready to begin rushing. Our first day of rush consisted of seven teas, each a half hour long, during which we showed the rushees through the house and acquainted them with Gamma Phi Beta through displays of jewelry, CRESCENTS, yearbooks, our scrapbook, and various favors from fraternity formals. The second day of rush brought rushees to our traditional South Pacific party. Girls wore Hawaiian costumes and entertained with a skit patterned after the musical comedy *South Pacific*. After a day of rest, we were back in the swing with our third day of rush. Rushees were ushered into Gamma Phi Heaven, where they heard what life was like "down there," outside Gamma Phi, and where St. Peter told them a story about Gamma Phi Heaven. On the last day of rush, we tried a new theme, "Southern Charm." Several of the girls were dressed in formals, and the entire decor lent an air of easy Southern life. THE CRESCENT ceremony ended the parties.

The next day we were happy to learn that we had eighteen new pledges.

The next item on our calendar was initiation. Carol Bertalmio, Pat Kramer, Mary Ann Lutz, Judy Robinson, Sue Sweeny, and Pam Young became sisters in Gamma Phi.

Homecoming, held this year on October 18, brought with it the usual activity. This year's theme was "American Legends," and our house dec, titled "Pecos B. U. Tames Wabash," showed a cyclone, Wabash, being tamed by Pecos Bill. Gamma Phi's danced to the music of Billy May at the homecoming dance. Judy Fischer was a candidate for homecoming queen.

We were all proud when one of our pledges, Candi Barr, was chosen first runner-up to the Lambda Chi Alpha Pledge Pajama Queen.

Soon after homecoming, a new rushing system was introduced at Bradley. We now have open rush all year long, with the exception of a short period at exam time. Through informal and open rush, we brought our total number of pledges up to twenty-three.

This year the Bradley Panhellenic and Interfraternity Councils decided to combine their annual dances into one affair, the Panhellenic IFC Dance. The dance was a great success. At the dance, it was announced that Gamma Phi Beta had taken second place in sorority scholarship on campus for both the pledges and the active chapter. Jean Boyer and Mary Lou Fetterolf were announced as recipients of trophies for having the highest averages in their respective classes. Each girl had an 8.00, a perfect average, for the spring semester. Michele Proctor was a candidate for IFC Queen.

Beta Eta has had a busy social season this year, with a round of exchanges and parties. Climaxing our social calendar was our winter formal, "Whispers of Winter," held at Timber Lake Country Club on December 7.

Our pledges did not take a walk-out this semester; instead, they gave us a party, explaining that they had no reason to be angry enough to take a walk-out, and were, on the contrary, proud to be Gamma Phi pledges.

Our pledges began a new tradition by inviting all the sorority pledges to an open house on December 14.

The Christmas season was ushered in on December 8 at Beta Eta with a Christmas tree decorating party. Our chapter Christmas party was held on December 17, and featured an exchange of gifts, a visit from Santa Claus, and a humorous reading by the Sigma Phi Epsilon house mother.

During the Christmas holidays, actives in various Gamma Phi chapters who live in Peoria got

together at the Beta Eta chapter house to exchange ideas and visit.

The following girls have received individual honors during the semester:

Jean Boyer—Highest ranking junior Panhellenic woman, listed in *Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges*.

Judy Fischer—Homecoming Queen candidate, listed in *Who's Who*.

Mary Lou Fetterolf—Assistant Chief Justice of Bradley Supreme Court, highest ranking scholarship for sophomore panhellenic woman.

Jane Haas—One of three Bradley seniors nominated for Woodrow Wilson Fellowship.

Kay O'Grady—Co-chairman of Bradley tutoring project to help eliminate high school drop-outs.

Judy Robinson—Listed in *Who's Who*.

JUDY FISCHER

BETA THETA— San Jose State

Outstanding among members of Beta Theta chapter is Anne Davis. She serves as president of Black Masque, comparable to Mortar Board; is in *Who's Who*; president of "Student Nurses" Association; representative to Student Council; member of Spears honorary service club for sophomores; maintains a 3.0 over-all average.



Anne Davis
San Jose State
Black Masque
President

BETA KAPPA—Arizona State

Spring semester's main event was the annual Follies presented this year with the Delta Sigma Phi fraternity and titled "Follies Goes to Vegas." The variety show consisted of many varied acts and was arranged to look like the stage of any of the night spots in Las Vegas. The show, seen by a packed house each night, was acclaimed as the best Follies ever presented in the history of Beta Kappa. Every act, from the "Waltz of the Flowers," done by the largest men of the Delta Sigma Phi fraternity, to the dance by the Playboy Bunnys, was tremendously applauded.

Our candidate for Homecoming Queen, Kathy Erickson, took first place after a very exciting campaign with costumes, parades, and good teamwork. Then, to complete a wonderful and surprising evening, and compliment our good work, we were awarded second place in the sorority division for the best Homecoming Float.

Next came the main activity of the semester. The women of Gamma Phi Beta and the men of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity sponsored the last formal appearance of the leading folk singing group, Peter, Paul, and Mary. Their appearance at Arizona State University drew an overflow crowd that packed the stands. We have heard only good comments on the show and its organization. The proceeds from the show will be used to increase our housing fund, making the possibility of a sorority house that much closer.

The annual Christmas Formal was a very gay



Arizona State's junior honorary, Natani, tapped two Gamma Phis . . . Judy Elliott (left) and Carole Edwards.

event and was highlighted by the revealing of our Gamma Phi man for the year 1963, Mr. Louis Lederman. This dance seemed to end in a very wonderful way the year of 1963 for Beta Kappa and let us look forward to the next semester with its many events and activities. We can only hope that next year will be as successful as this one has been.

LINDA ALLUMS

BETA LAMBDA—San Diego State

The Gamma Phis and fun go hand and hand at San Diego State. And together they have raced through a busy, exciting semester.

The pace was set during rush, when our guardian angel and rush chairman, Johanne Kuntz, guided us through ten days of preparation and parties. The highlight of rush week was our Japanese party. In a completely transformed house, the Gamma Phis entertained guests in real Japanese kimonos. But the best time of rush week was the night of pledging when 27 fabulous girls knocked at our door.

The next weekend we all migrated to the mountains for a fun, get-acquainted retreat.

September 27, our pledges were presented formally to San Diego State and the fraternity men at Panhellenic's Pledge Presents. The girls were escorted to the El Cortez Hotel by the men of Sigma Phi Epsilon, where Carol Roberts, pledge trainer, introduced each girl. It was an exciting and proud night for all of us.

Although classes were getting well under way and everyone was settling down to their studies, we did take time out for an open house, hosted by the Mothers Club, and to attend three fraternity rush functions.

Homecoming will remain a bright spot for the Gamma Phis throughout the year. Together with the Phi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, we won the Sweepstakes trophy for house decorations. Needless to say, we were quite proud of ourselves and the girls never minded at all having to climb through the Mark Twain Steamboat to enter the Sorority house.

October 22 was the evening of our Steak and Beans dinner where we honored Deanna Hosea for earning a 4.0 grade point average. Also at the dinner the name of our Crescent Girl was revealed. We presented Marilou Lange, President, with Crescent Girl bracelet. Cash awards were given to the girl with the highest average, Deanna; and to the girl with the most improvement, Terry Thomas.

The next week was Gamma Phi Beta Week which ended with the initiation of our two spring pledges, Deanna Hosea and Sue Lange; and one second-semester pledge, Margaret Johnson. The three of them have been wonderful and we were very happy to welcome them as true sisters. At the initiation banquet Deanna was named Best Pledge and received the highest scholarship award.

Some of our Gamma Phis entered the political swing this fall and ran for class offices. Sharon Taylor was elected Freshman class secretary.

The Founders' Day Banquet, always a look-forward-to affair, lived up to all expectations this year. All the Gamma Phis enjoyed being together on our special day and we profited much from the talk we received from our guest of honor, Dean Marjorie Warner, Dean of Women at San Diego State College.

On the weekend of November 15, Vickie Gray, Linda Honey, Bev Elliot, Carol Grant, and Sandie Shipe attended the InterFraternity Council and Panhellenic Greek Retreat. There they discussed fraternity and sorority problems and goals.

Before we knew it, Thanksgiving was upon us. We gave a Thanksgiving dinner to a family, which certainly enriched our own holiday.

A serenade from the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity greeted us on our first week back. The occasion was the pinning of Sandie Shipe and Vickie Gray. In the remaining week before Christmas we somehow squeezed in a picnic with the Alpha Tau Omega's before our Christmas party and dance.

The Mothers' Club gave us our Christmas party along with some lovely gifts. And, of course, we sang carols and were entertained by our laughing pledges.

For our Christmas dinner-dance we became a little more sophisticated. The formal affair was held at the Hotel Del Coronado and I'm sure it is something we will remember and fondly look back on for a long time.

A "little Christmas" was planned for some underprivileged children of Tijuana. At a little party we entertained the children and gave them clothes and food, which they need so desperately.

Good-bye's were said as Gamma Phis left to join families for the holidays and more fun before semester finals begin.

ANN NOLAN

BETA MU—Florida State

In January the Gamma Phis at Florida State University eagerly returned to begin a new trimester. First on the agenda was initiation for fourteen wonderful neophytes. Because of the trimester, sororities were unable to have spring rush, but instead continued with the open rush system. During open rush we pledged two top girls, Ann Fackelman and Melissa Phipers.

During the spring trimester the Gamma Phis had several exchange dinners and dessert parties with different fraternities on campus. Much fun was had by all as we again participated in the Sigma Chi Derby. But all play and no work does not make a well-rounded Gamma Phi. The Gamma Phis, joined by other sororities and fraternities, helped in the annual drive for Campus Chest. When it was over, we were recognized for going over our goal.

After Easter things were quiet, as everyone settled down to study for finals. Near the end of April we said good-bye to our sisters—some going home for the summer and others staying for the third trimester. We were doubly proud of our pledges as they received the "Top Scholarship" Trophy for both second and third trimesters.

After fun-filled summer vacations, the Gamma Phis returned to campus and immediately began making preparations for fall rush. This year we were fortunate in having Mrs. Arnold, a past grand president of Gamma Phi Beta, as our guest during rush. As the result of her assistance and a well-planned rush program, fifteen girls chose to become future members of Gamma Phi Beta, and when open rush was over, six more great girls pledged. Toward the end of September at the Big and Little Sister dinner, the new pledges found out who their Big Sisters were, when they presented them with Gamma Phi toy dogs and lavaliers.

October was a very busy and exciting month for Beta Mu. On the eleventh we had our annual Crescent Ball at the Elks Club. The theme for this year centered around the South Seas. Much fun was had by all as we decorated the ballroom with life-size Tiki statues, fish nets, and palm leaves. Everyone enjoyed the buffet dinner by candlelight, followed by the formal dance at which we presented our new pledges. Jack Olsen was chosen "Dream Man of Gamma Phi."

October 17 was initiation day for four deserving girls, Alice Clements, Ann Fackelman, Melissa Phipers, and Judy Tougas.

On the nineteenth, in order to help raise funds for charity, the Gamma Phis set up a booth at the A O Pi Charity Carnival. All proceeds went to a needy family or organization.

October 27 is a day that Beta Mu will never forget. On that memorable day we had "Ground Breaking" for our new house, which will be ready next fall. The architecture will be Southern colonial with a wrought-iron, semicircular staircase, descending from the balcony over the main entrance to the ground, to add a French touch. Dr. Blackwell, the president of the University, and Miss Elizabeth Lynn, an alumna who has devoted much time and effort toward the completion of our new house, were the first to break ground. The ceremony was followed by an Open House for all who attended.

To celebrate Halloween the Gamma Phis had a Twist Party, preceded by a cook-out in the backyard. Some wore costumes and some came as they were. But whether dressed as witches or students, we all had fun.

On November 11 all Gamma Phis wore beige or brown dresses to observe Founders' Day. That evening we held a banquet with the alumna chapter and a special ceremony followed.

November 15-16 was Homecoming for Florida State University. The Gamma Phis, joined this year by the Alpha Kappa Psi, built another prize-winning float. The theme for Homecoming was "Greater Goals for Seminoles." On our float we built a gigantic bowling alley with pins and all. On the sides we put the letters, "Let's Goal Bowl."



Most original float in Florida State's Homecoming parade brought first prize to Gamma Phi Beta.

One might suspect that the goal for Gamma Phi Beta was to win the "Most Original Float" Trophy again, which we did!

December was also a busy month for Beta Mu. During this month we had a special initiation for Linda Jo Wahl who had been unable to attend in October. We also initiated two alumnae. In addition to studying for finals, we held our annual tree trimming party with the alumnae, gave a Christmas serenade for the President of the University, and managed to squeeze in a Christmas Party during final week.

Much exhausted after final week, the Gamma Phis returned home to enjoy a gay and festive holiday season.

ANN SLAPPEY

BETA XI—Ohio State U.

They say Tempus Fugit and at Beta Xi this quarter we have been traveling at jet speed. From the minute we arrived, our house seemed like Cape Kennedy with frenzied activities in the fields of scholarship, social doings, and rush.

The first few weeks were filled with Homecoming affairs. One of our sisters, Beth Emery, was one of the top ten candidates for Homecoming Queen and Beta Xi went all out to support her with a flurry of skits and decorations.

In Fall Quarter, the Ohio State Panhellenic Association sponsored its annual Scholarship Banquet. This year we were honored due to Donna Erekson having obtained a 4.0 point rating during her pledgeship.

As usual, Beta Xi's social calendar was filled with many activities. First was our annual Dads' Day program. After the football game there was a party at the home of Mrs. "Woody" Hayes, our chapter advisor. We then went to the house for a buffet dinner and a social hour at which we introduced our dads and had a talk by Mr. Eugene Craig, cartoonist for the *Columbus Dispatch*. The dads topped off their weekend by spending the night in the chapter house while the daughters moved out.

Exchange parties with many fraternities were enjoyed by all. At our "Bag Party," the sisters provided unusual attires of a novelty nature for their dates and the dates did the same for the sisters. To end our social activities we held a Christmas party and exchanged gifts.

Understandably, the main word for Fall Quarter was rush. We began our informal rushing with many parties and ended by pledging eight girls. At the close of informal rush, we commenced our plans for formal rush which begins the first week of Winter Quarter and hopes are high for all.

All quarter we have been preparing a newsletter of our many activities which will go out at the beginning of Winter Quarter. If any Beta Xi alumnae do not receive one, please notify us.

JUDY MITCHELL

BETA OMICRON— Oklahoma City U.

During pre-school rush, eleven top-notch girls were pledged to Beta Omicron. Since then we have pinned ribbons on four more girls.

On September 21 we held a brunch in the apartment so the alumnae and pledges could get acquainted. The next weekend the fraternities were our guests on Sunday afternoon for Sorority open house. The first big social event of the year was the All-Greek Dance held at Lakeview Country Club and at which our lovely pledges were presented.

Mary Ellen McClure, Barbara Miller, and Jackie Bales were elected as class officers soon after classes began. We were all very proud of Zoe Linda Green as she campaigned enthusiastically and won the Freshman Queen election.

Initiation was held October 13 for Phyllis Oliver, Roberta McFarland, and Juanita Rentfro. On November 5 our chapter combined with the Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter for the Founders' Day program.

On November 9 two of our girls were initiated into Cardinal Key. They were Sherryl Hall and Jackie Bales.

In Keshena Kapers, our school variety show, we had a lot of fun reproducing *Gypsy*. To climax the evening our candidate, Jackie Bales, was crowned Keshena Kapers Queen.

Our sneaky pledges took a very successful sneak the following Monday night. We enjoyed having the fraternities as our guests that night at the pledge party. Executive Council wasn't to be outdone; so they took a sneak on December 9, and they spent the entire evening dining out together.

Portia Julian was selected as Oklahoma's nominee for the national queen of the International Order of Concated Hoo Hoos. It is an international lumbermen's organization.

Linda Baze was our candidate for the Lambda Chi Alpha Crescent Girl, and Carole Harvey and Jane Ann Johnson were among the ten semi-finalists for All-College Queen. Gamma Phis who were named for *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities* were: Jackie Bales, Esther Hampton, Mary B. James Meinders, Melinda Thomas, Margaret Thompson, and Judy McClung White.

We held our annual Christmas party this year in our apartment and exchanged gifts with our big and little sisters. We feel we have had a very successful year so far and that next semester will be even better. January 31, 1964, will be our formal dance, and we are hoping to win May Day Sing as well as retain the Sorority Scholarship Cup for the twenty-first consecutive year on our campus.

JACKIE BALES

BETA PI—Indiana State

Awards received since June 1, 1963:

Second place award for Songfest, Lynn Warren Thomas, Director.

Second place Homecoming Float, Holly Hahn and Sharon Kitch, Co-Chairmen.

Attendant to Homecoming Queen, Dagmar Herden.

Activities:

Candy Clauses sold for the Muscular Dystrophy Drive.

Collected money for the Heart Fund with Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity.

Sandi Davis, chairman of the Fall carnival booth for Gamma Phi.

Marianne Lough is our rush counselor.

We took a full pledge class of eighteen girls.

Diana Adams, Chairman of Campus Review.

Participated in Homecoming Powder Puff Derby—Holly Hahn, Coach.

Individual Honors:

Judy Pike was elected to *Who's Who*.



Zoe Linda Green
Oklahoma City U.
Freshman Queen

Marilyn Hanna was pledged to Pamarista.

Marsha Mattox was first attendant to Junior Prom Queen.

During Christmas season we sponsored Christmas parties for the underprivileged children in Terre Haute with the Lambda Chi Alpha and the Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternities.

We have had trade parties with other fraternities and have staged money making projects. We are happy to have moved into our new suite.

G. R. FREUND

BETA RHO—U. of Colorado

Gamma Phis at the University of Colorado started the year out right by placing third on campus scholastically. March brought the initiation of 26 new members into the chapter amid many tears of happiness. Afterward all the "moms" and pin-sporting daughters went to Manuel's for huge gooey sundaes.

Province XI convention took many Beta Rhos to Colorado Springs in April. We proudly approved of the appointment of Cornelia (North) Wheeler (Illinois) as Province Collegiate Director. Mrs. Wheeler has served Beta Rho as Rush Adviser, Chapter Adviser, and House Board President, as well as a good friend to all of us. We collected many suggestions and ideas for rush and chapter affairs from the other chapters and shared songs and experiences with them.

Constant activity was the theme of May. We studied for those last hourlies and then for finals in snatches between our activities: the formal at the Continental Denver, the initiation of two spring pledges, CU Days, and the woodsie on Flagstaff, complete with guitars. Excitement reigned at CU Days when Beta Rho was hostess to the Yale Whiffenpoofs, with help from hosts, the CU Buffoons. We treated the Whiffs and our dates to a woodsie and they gave us a private rendition of "We're poor little lambs. . ."

The Hashers' Dinner, when the actives do the dirty work and the hashers (waiters) do their best to run the girls ragged, and the Senior party, highlighted by the senior will and prophecy, concluded the school year's activities.

Rush Week brought most of us back eager to pledge a new crop of prospective Gamma Phis. Our bright red outfits and cheery smiles proved we were "All Fired Up for Gamma Phi" and at the end of the week we opened our doors and our hearts to 30 cute, eager pledges.

Homecoming '63 saw Gamma Phis working with the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity on the house decoration following a theme of "Tin Pan Alley."

By the end of October, Beta Rho added another 11 pledges to the chapter. Their new mothers awaited them at the end of paths made of strings tied with candy, gum, and silly notes.

Beta Rho pledges ran away with the coveted Sigma Chi Derby trophy in November. The Gamma Phis took more firsts and scored more points than any previous winner at CU. Laurie Richardson walked off with third place in the queen competition.

Our annual Dads' Weekend proved to be one of the best weekends of the fall. Dads flew in from all over the country to live it up with their daughters. Although CU lost the game, the banquet and evening in Central City, filled with old songs, laughter, and recurrent shouts of "We're from Iowa . . ." from Dads Dunlap, Cobb, and Crampon, will not be forgotten soon.

The annual Pledge Formal, held this year at the Tiffin Inn in Denver, highlighted our fall social calendar. Each pledge was presented with a paddle bearing her name.

Santa Claus did not forget anyone at 935 16th this year. From under the tree his Gamma Phi elves pulled everything from a turtle to cigars for the hashers and a skirt and sweater for our dear Mom Crowley. The Christmas party was a merry conclusion to a good year.

Honors this year went to Kathy Spangler, president of Panhellenic; Kathy McGuire, Mortar Board and newly-elected member of Phi Beta Kappa; Nancy Rader, treasurer of Spurs; Chris Mueller and Sue Biasini, Spurs; Mary Lou Waldo, Psi Chi, psychology honorary; Jan Cady, Sigma Epsilon Sigma, sophomore scholastic honorary.

A special honor goes to Connie Kuhl from Beta Rho. Connie is our scholarship adviser. With the cooperation of the University Counseling Service, a unique, experimental scholarship program was set up. Finals in January should let us know how well



Marsha Mattox
Indiana State
Prom Queen
Attendant

it worked. We all appreciate Connie's efforts in arranging for tutors and help sessions in any course that presents problems.

All in all, 1963 was a great year for Gamma Phi, individually and collectively.

MARGO A. DUNLAP

BETA TAU—Texas Tech

It's been an exciting year for Beta Tau . . . a year when friendships have been closer, ties stronger, work harder, and accomplishments greater. We began the year by taking twenty-nine of the best pledges, and went on to prove that they were the best. Pledge Kay Burleson was chosen from a field of 112 to reign as R.O.T.C. Brigade Sweetheart. Pledge Suzanne Bealle was elected to represent the freshman class in A.W.S. Probably the most widely seen pledges were Dean Terrazas and Vicky Keene—feature twirlers of the "going band from Raiderland."

Intramurally, our team played hard to win the volleyball league title. The first annual Sigma Chi Derby Day came and we chased chickens, milked a fake cow, and ate pies to finish third. In the bowling tournament, we were proud of the highest bowler Gail Byrd and second highest bowler Orphie Parish. Scholarship rating showed that we had risen to third place, missing first by .25 of a point.

Homecoming made us especially proud of Jo Beth Barnes, who was a finalist for Homecoming Queen, and a member of the Queen's Court. Sandra George, too, brought honor by being a finalist for the title of Miss Lubbock. Just before Christmas the news was out that our president Nancy Jones had been chosen to *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

At this writing, the year's but half over and our love for and pride of Gamma Phi is great. Who can tell what the future holds?

ELLEN DUNIAS

BETA UPSILON—Kansas State U.

The first event at K-State this fall was the orientation program for incoming K-Staters, with Cathy Gerritz heading up the steering committee. Eight other Gamma Phis served as group leaders for these new students.

The school year started with a bang as we placed first in the noise-making contest at the first pep rally of the year, entitling us to another trophy to add to our collection. Assisting in the cheers for this pep rally were our two Gamma Phi cheerleaders—Sally Smith and Louanne Theilmann.

Soon after this we were campaigning for our Homecoming queen finalist, Louanne Theilmann. We were thrilled and excited when it was announced that Louanne would reign over the homecoming festivities.

Another annual event on the K-State campus is the Barnwarmer Dance. Our candidate, Ardis Horsch, was chosen as one of the five finalists for Barnwarmer Queen. Sally Smith was also chosen as one of three finalists for Circle-K Queen.

Our trophy case has become more crowded as Sonny Hooker was chosen for Phi Kappa Tau Cannonball Queen, and Linda Turney was the Sigma Alpha Epsilon-Phi Delta Theta Queen.

Gamma Phi spirit and enthusiasm reaches into other fields besides noise contents and beauty queens. Three Gamma Phis—Carol Couch, Sue Shannon, and Sherri Saxe—won the Pancake-eating contest. Our full but happy Pancake Queens brought home a trophy in the shape of a pancake to add variety to our trophy case.

Three girls were nominated by our house for the honor of Angel Flight membership. All three girls—Bettyanne Randall, Peggy Gunn, and Vicki Cotner—were selected for membership by the Angel Flight chapter.

Other honoraries tapping for membership this fall were Mu Phi Epsilon, a music honorary which

tapped Sonny Hooker, and Phi Alpha Mu, an Arts and Sciences honorary which selected Cathy Gerritz.

Cathy Gerritz and Amy Jo Sobba were tapped for membership in Kappa Delta Pi, education honorary. Sandy Gutru and Janet Ticknor were tapped for Phi Kappa Phi membership.

Scholarship honors have definitely not been neglected this year. At our scholarship dinner, Janet Ticknor received the diamond pin of our chapter for her 3.76 grade average. At the annual scholarship banquet sponsored by Mortar Board, Cathy Gerritz was recognized for her 4.0 grade average during her freshman and sophomore years.

Gamma Phi girls are active in Mortar Board, Chimes, Union Governing Board, Union Program Council, Student Council, Arts and Sciences Council, Associated Women Students, Student Education Association, and student union committees. Sally Smith is Vice President of Senior Panhellenic.

Our pledges have not been sitting still either. Mary Jane McAdow is President of Junior Panhellenic. We have three officers in Whi-Purs, freshman women's pep club. Pat Shane is president of her dormitory and treasurer of inter-dorm council.

Gamma Phi's are musically-minded also. When Interfraternity Sing time rolled around, we practiced for weeks on our chosen songs, "Guided by Stars," and "Comin' Thru the Rye." We must have made a good impression on our floor-length pink satin gowns, holding a long-stemmed pink carnation, for we placed third in the sorority division. We clapped happily as our songleader, Sonny Hooker, went up to receive our trophy.

One of our sisters has been honored in a special and different way. High school students attending college day programs at their respective high schools will see a year's spread of slides of Peggy Gunn as she participates in college activities. These slides are being taken of Peggy's daily activities this year—at the Gamma Phi house, on campus, in classes, and on dates in the evening. The slides will be shown next year to high school students interested in Kansas State University. Earlier this semester, Peggy was tapped for Sigma Alpha Epsilon's Little Sisters of Minerva.

Dorothy Reeves is our candidate for our university yearbook—the *Royal Purple* queen. We won't find out until later in the year if Dorothy will be our R. P. Queen; but we feel confident of the results!

The Christmas spirit was abundant as we provided food for our adopted Christmas family and celebrated with the Christmas dinner and Christmas party for the children of our alumnae.

We're in activities up to our ears and honors have been heaped upon us—and the year's only half over! We hope that the rest of the year will find us as busy and happy as ever.

MARY KAY MAKINS

BETA PHI—Indiana U.

Last March we participated in the I.U. Sing under the direction of Kirsten Boyd, our Song Chairman. Our theme was "My Old Flames" and the girls all wore purple flannel nightgowns and carried stuffed animals, pretending to be at a pajama party and reminiscing about "old flames." The sing was fun for all of us.

In April we entered the TKE Chariot Race with the Sigma Nus and came in first in the race.

This fall semester many things have been keeping us hopping. To begin with, we have a new house-mother, Mrs. Kenneth Eckels, who has been wonderful to all of us and we

are very happy to have her living with us.

We started the year off right with a picnic at Lake Lemon, the first Sunday night after summer vacation. After eating delicious food, we sat around in a circle and sang songs. Before we left, the pledges tried to throw Bobbie Reder (our pledge trainer) in the lake, but put her down before she got wet because they were too soft-hearted!

Halloween was an important time for us. We had a Halloween party and many of the Bloomington alumnae attended. In the middle of the evening, the pledges were surprised by telegrams saying that they would be initiated on November ninth.

Twenty-three proud and happy girls were initiated and feted at our initiation banquet, at which two outstanding pledges were recognized. Eileen Vandermark was chosen outstanding pledge and first in scholarship, and Barbara Winship was recognized as outstanding in activities.

This particular weekend was not only initiation weekend for us, but it was also Homecoming at Indiana University. We entered the decorations contest with Phi Delta Theta and took third place. Martha Hamilton and Johanna Wright were in charge of Homecoming.

Christmas time is always a bustling happy time at our chapter house. December sixth, we had a tree trimming party. We had a huge fifteen foot tree to decorate, so invited our dates to help us. After the trimming was finished, we danced in the Recreation Room.

December fourteenth was our Christmas dance. Judy Green and Kathy Kendrick were in charge and the Junior Class did the decorating and served refreshments. The dance was given for Christmas and to present the fall pledges, who are: Cindy McMilan, Brenda Harper, Jo Ellen Beamer, Jill Marlin, and Carol Stout. Cindy and Brenda pledged in the summer and the other three girls pledged in November.

On December eighteenth, we went Christmas caroling. We stopped at the Nursing Home in Bloomington and sang to the people living there.

NANCY GOULD

BETA CHI—Wichita U.

In an annual competition, each sorority selects a pledge to be the candidate for Varsity Sue and each fraternity runs a pledge for Varsity Sam. We were all very proud when Becky Shenk was elected.

Another Beta Chi pledge, Susan Little, was elected by the Delta Upsilon fraternity pledge class as Pledgemate for this year. The announcement was made at the fraternity pledge dance.

Diane Wolff is president of the pledge class and is one of two Wichita University twirlers.

Three of the freshman cheerleaders are Beta Chis, Susan Little, Joan McCabe, and Terri Anderson. Susan was elected as head cheerleader.

You may be wondering if the actives have done anything. We have!

Jane Gates was first runner-up in the Homecoming Queen contest, and she represented us so well that we'll always think of her as queen.

Adel Shultz, who is already an alternate cheerleader and an Army Sweetheart was selected as Scabbard and Blade Sweetheart.

Our Christmas dance this year was held at the Lassen Terrace, and was very successful. Gamma Phis presented their dates with stockings stuffed with candy and toys. We also brought toys to be distributed to needy families in Wichita. We announced the selection of our Joe College, who this year is Delta Upsilon Butch Bright. Butch is a senior, and is engaged to Susie Corrigan.

We were naturally very happy when, three days later at the Delta Upsilon fraternity Christmas formal, it was announced that sophomore Sandy Mueller is the DU sweetheart. This is the second consecutive year that the Gamma Phis have been so honored.

Recently there was a Red Cross blood drive on campus, and the Gamma Phis were recognized as the sorority which gave the most blood.

NANCY BOMAN

BETA PSI—Oklahoma State U.

Beta Psi began the second year in their new chapter house on the Oklahoma State University campus. During formal rush week the chapter had



Amy Jo Sobba
Kansas State
Kappa Delta Pi



Loysanne Slaughter
Texas Tech
Junior Council



Sue Holliday
Indiana U.
Union Board Member

Gamma Phi Beta's traveling secretary, Miss Judy Conklin, as their guest. We hated to see her go at the end of rush, but our 26 new pledges showed signs that we would have a successful year. Two more pledges have been added to our number since rush.

The thirteen neophytes used the Student Union Fair to raise money for their project during the week before the November 1 initiation. The egg-throwing booth also brought them the grand prize trophy in competition with all other living group entries.

Pledges took a short sneak to return to help with homecoming decorating. With the entry "A Whale of a Tale—A. and M. to U." Gamma Phi walked off with a trophy for best women's living group house decoration, \$150 for having the best house decoration for all living groups, and the biggest homecoming honor on campus, the Sweepstakes trophy for best of show in house decorations and floats. Background music for the bubble-blowing, 35-foot high whale was provided by a tape recording of "A Whale of a Tale" by folk-singing Delta Tau Delta Johnny Lewis. All of the boys who helped create the whale from thousands of gray-sprayed paper plates were guests at a special "thank you" dinner at the chapter house.

The pledges entered their skit in the freshman talent show. Although they didn't walk away with first place with the skit, our entry in the contest was one of three finalists for freshman queen.

The annual Fiesta was held November 2 at Camp Redlands. Gamma Phis and their dates dressed in fiesta costumes for the dance held each fall and the dates received crested blankets for favors.

Our Founders Day fell on OSU's first day of Greek Week honoring the Greek system of living. Special services were held in the house honoring our founding and Gamma Phis took part in the various activities of Greek Week.

The alumnae chapter in Stillwater has been very active in helping our group this year. They have sponsored many activities including a benefit bridge tournament at the house. Active of Beta Psi provided a style show from a local dress shop while refreshments were served to the guests.

Tinsel and Christmas tree added decoration at Christmas time. The chapter held their Christmas dates in the chapter house and entertained their dates with Christmas stockings filled with small gifts. Big and little sisters had their own Christmas party before we scattered for the Christmas holidays.

Gamma Phis at OSU are hoping for success in the all campus show, Varsity Revue, during spring semester. Gamma Phi boasts the director of the show, a member in the Varsity Revue girls chorus line, and two members in separate individual acts.

Beta Psi is celebrating our year on the Oklahoma State University campus!

DONNA BOTTOMS

BETA OMEGA— Arizona State, Flagstaff

Beta Omega chapter of Gamma Phi Beta found the first week in September very busy while preparing for pre-school rush. As a result of the hard work put in by our rush chairman, Judy Ray, we again pledged 13 very outstanding pledges.

On September 22 the chapter held a Mother-Daughter ceremony after which was held Pledge Presents, an occasion where all the fraternity men on campus are introduced to our new pledges.

Also during September cheerleading tryouts were held and four out of the seven cheerleaders selected belong to Beta Omega chapter. They are: Judy Ray, Elaine Martin, Pat Sturm, and Petey Lloyd. Paula Farney was chosen as an alternate. New pom pon girls chosen to the squad are Gloria Jaroscak, Karen Howard and Joan Harsch.

Homecoming brought a whole new flurry of activities for Beta Omega. Our chapter took second place in the Homecoming float contest, with the theme, "The Beauties of a Sweetheart State." Ann Burnett was our candidate for Homecoming Queen. Dee Ann Stoleworthy, a new pledge, was elected as a Freshman Homecoming Attendant.

October 14 to 20 was set aside as Gamma Phi Beta week. The following girls were initiated into Beta Omega chapter: Jan Cox, Barbie Dirst, Judy Loken, Judy Odle, Mary McWilliams, Andrea Wisniewski, Diane Dooley and Jeane Hanley. The activities during the week included a breakfast for

the new initiates, an all Gamma Phi picnic, and an inspiring talk from Mrs. Tinsley.

The Sunday morning after Mom and Dads' Day on October 27, a breakfast was given in honor of our parents at the Flagstaff Country Club. November 1 was the date for our annual Halloween party for all the girls and their dates. Gamma Phi celebrated Founders Day with a tea and the candle-lighting ceremony. Many of our alumnae attended. November 18 to 21 marked the visit of Mrs. Tillotson, our Province Collegiate Director. We enjoyed having her with us so much and profited very much from her visit.

The Christmas spirit dominated our December activities. Decorating the chapter room is an event always eagerly anticipated. This year's party on December 18 was no exception. Gamma Phi Beta also gave a party for the children at South Beaver school. Two more outstanding honors were awarded to Beta Omega girls. Ann Hondrum and Judy Grangaard were chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. On January 11, Beta Omega enjoyed its annual winter formal, Club Wintertime.

Honors:

Mary Cay Armer: AWS Council.

Sans Cameron: Synchronized Swimmers, Student Court Secretary.

Jane Chambers: Senior Class Senator, Chairman of Senate Judiciary Committee, President's Committee, *Who's Who* Committee, Tri Beta, Anthropology Club, Homecoming Flapper Day Chairman.

Jan Cox: Omicron Kappa Gamma, Rodeo Club, Bowling League.

Barbie Dirst: Cardinal Key Secretary, Honor Convocation, Frier Scholarship.

Diane Dooley: Rodeo Club, Bowling League.

Eileen Dziolak: Spurs.

Kathy Fahrendorf: Spur treasurer, Delta Psi Kappa treasurer, Greek Week Chairman.

Judy Grangaard: Honor Board, ASASC Treasurer, President's Committee, Esquire Escapades, Master of Ceremonies for the Panhellenic Fashion Show, *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Jimmy Ruth Hamilton: Axer's Alley Policies Committee, Sigma Pi Sweetheart.

Linda Hansen: Rodeo Club.

Ann Hondrum: ASASC Secretary, Honor Board Co-Historian, Honorary 3-Year Membership Award for Shrine of the Ages Choir, Kappa Delta Pi, Alpha Psi Omega, Playmakers, SNEA, *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Gloria Jaroscak: Pom pon, Guys and Dolls, Director of Central Secretarial Pool, Orchesis.

Judy Jasper: Spurs, Lumberjack Staff.

Luella Johnson: Omicron Kappa Gamma, Dorm Christmas Decorations Committee.

Petey Lloyd: Cheerleader.

Judy Loken: Mom and Dads' Day Co-Chairman, Club Wintertime Chairman, Gamma Phi Beta Outstanding Pledge, Student of the Week, SNEA.

Elaine Martin: Cardinal Key President, Vice President Dorm Council, Panhellenic Vice President, Cheerleader, National Comptroller of Cardinal Key.

Mary McWilliams: Spurs.

Pat Nagle: AWS Judicial Council.

Susie Nichols: Tau Beta Sigma, Lumberjack Band, Majorette, Cardinal Key, Student Senate, Junior Class Senator.

Judy Odle: President of Spurs, Lumberjack Band, Tau Beta Sigma, Guys and Dolls.

Judy Ray: Panhellenic treasurer, Sorority Dorm treasurer, Head Cheerleader.

Lois Schlag: Sigma Epsilon Sigma, Vice President of Sigma Epsilon Sigma.

Karen Shultz: Spurs, Senate Secretary.

Dee Ann Stoleworthy: Freshman Homecoming Attendant.

Sharon Super: SNEA.

Sue Taylor: Senior Class Secretary, Chairman of Gamma Phi Homecoming Float, SNEA.

Janet Thielke: SNEA.

Andrea Wisniewski: Halloween Party Chairman, Sigma Epsilon Sigma.

Paula Farney: Cheerleader, P.E. Majors and Minors.

Joan Harsch: Pom pon girl.

Karen Howard: Pom pon girl.

Susan Quinn: Omicron Kappa Gamma.

Pat Sturm: Cheerleader, P.E. Majors and Minors.

Sara Redman: AWS President, Cardinal Key.

KAREN SHULTZ

GAMMA BETA—Gettysburg

Gamma Beta has enjoyed another happy, busy, and prosperous year. Early in the second semester we initiated sixteen wonderful girls. The first major event on campus in which we participated was the Interfraternity—Panhellenic Sing. Dressed in black skirts and white blouses with red and white checked headbands we sang, "Little Wheel A Turnin' In My Heart." Although we didn't place in the competition this year, we were all proud of a job well done. In the spring Gamma Beta was honored to be host for the Province II Conference. We enjoyed many discussions and meals with other Greek letter chapter representatives of the Province, and we were delighted to receive the \$150 conference scholarship improvement award. The last event of the spring semester was our annual Mother's Day banquet at which Gamma Beta sisters enjoyed fun and fellowship with their parents. Soon we were bound for home to enjoy that long-awaited summer vacation.

September found us back at Gettysburg ready and eager for the hectic excitement of rush week. During rush we held open houses, rotational and preferential parties, tea, and our final rush party. The theme of our final party was "Teahouse of the Crescent Moon." An Hawaiian background featuring a beach mural and other appropriate decorations and music set the mood. The sisters were dressed in sarongs with leis around their necks and flowers in their hair. Our rush week proved to be a huge success, and we proudly pledged fourteen fine girls. A few weeks later another girl was pledged. Our pledge class of fifteen girls includes: Diane Bradley, Danielle Drusdow, Joan Finkenstadt, Gracye Heffie, Mary Hurth, Ruth Jansen, Carole Johnson, Karen Kevra, Sharon Lace, Christine Marshall, Connie Patrono, Pamela Peterson, Susan Rhoades, Barbara Shirtz, Marsha Whipple. After rush we also initiated two second semester pledges.

In the fall we had our Father's Day banquet on October 19 at Lincoln Logs. All the pledges and their parents were introduced at this annual affair. In the week preceding Father's Weekend we had Slave Days. During these days the sisters and pledges hire themselves out to fraternities to do such jobs as serving dinner, washing cars and windows, ironing, or cleaning the houses. Besides making quite a sum of money on this project we also had a good time working together for the chapter. Of course we are always working on our magazine drive for extra funds. Also this year instead of sending Christmas cards within the sorority, sisters and pledges are saving the money that they would ordinarily spend on cards and stamps for our treasury.

After pledging we had many dessert dances and coffee hours with fraternities. Sisters and pledges both participated in inter-sorority sports events, and we tied for first place in badminton and bowling. The pledges surprised the sisters with a "come as you are party" and presented each sister with a crescent shaped jewelry pillow for her Gamma Phi pin. The sisters entertained the pledges at a formal dance at which the pledges and their dates were presented. The theme of the Pledge Dance, which was held on December 6, 1963 at the Lambda Chi Fraternity house, was "Rome—Old and New." The last week before Christmas vacation was "Pixie Week" for us. Each sister and pledge had a secret pixie to whom she wrote a little poem and gave a gift each day. On the last day of the week we had a Christmas party at which presents were given to pixie sisters and their identity was revealed by a final poem. After the party we went caroling with our brother fraternity Lambda Chi Alpha.

There were quite a few individual honors earned by Gamma Betas this past year. Jean Smith was elected secretary of Woman's Student Government. Toby Jo Orem was the first co-ed to be elected president of the Student Senate at Gettysburg College. Lynda Engel was made president of the Student Union Board. Beauty is also well represented in Gamma Beta. Sue Cunningham, Toby Jo Orem, and Gussie Demchik were on the May Court. Janet Patterson was crowned Homecoming Queen of 1963. Jane Uhlig was on the IFC Court and was a candidate in the "Beauty and Beast Contest."

This past year has been filled with fun, learning, activities, and new experiences for us Gamma Betas, and we are anxiously awaiting the excitement of the new year.

BRENDA BEAN

GAMMA GAMMA— U. of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Following the February 1963 initiation of 15 new members, we went right to work in the Spring rush and our act for Peak Night, an all-school variety show. The Gamma Gammas had a wonderful time doing excerpts from "The Sound of Music." Later in the spring, in two large school dances, Gamma Phi Beta received top honors. At the Panhellenic Ball, Gamma Gamma received the scholarship trophy for the second year in a row and at the formal Military Ball, Gamma Phi was represented by Queen Jane Eberhardt and Attendant Lynn Korchunoff. The rest of the semester was rounded off with work on a booth, by a committee headed by Lynn Jaros and Joanne Kohlhaugen, in the University Campus Carnival; a service project in an inner-core Church; a Spring Dinner Dance where Judy Kubnick received the Most Active Award and Dodo Rozanski received the Alumnae award.

A summer get-together occurred at a June 19th picnic with the alumnae in Mequon. Our Chapter was honored in July when Lynn Korchunoff won the Miss Wisconsin title in the Miss Universe contest.

September brought all undergraduates back to school except Linda Guthrie who went to spend a year in Puerto Rico as part of the People-to-People Program. Fall formal rush was exciting and new with the use of the new Greek Week Program and the new Student Union. Gamma Gamma pledged 12 outstanding girls who elected Mary Ferry as their president.

Working with a fraternity on a float and practicing for Loud Crowd where a western cheer won Gamma Phi 2nd place kept us busy with Homecoming activities. Homecoming elections at U.W.-M. are held for the King and the Court by classes; Gamma Gamma was proud to have two representatives in Senior Jane Sibilsky and Junior Mary Jackson. Founders Day was enjoyed by all the actives, pledges, and alumnae at a banquet at the University Club. Because of the untimely death of President Kennedy, the Panhellenic Ball, under the chairmanship of Mary Jackson, was postponed from November 23, 1963, until January 11, 1964. December found the Gamma Gammas working on ice sculpture and their voices for University Sing in the University Winter Carnival, caroling with a fraternity at the County Institutions, and exchanging gifts. Mary Jo Swanson was chosen chairman of Chatter Date, a Panhellenic Rush Function, for the second semester.

MARY JACKSON

GAMMA DELTA—U. of Wyoming

Rush Week was very successful for Gamma Delta. We were honored to have Judy Conklin, our Traveling Secretary, with us. She did so much to make the week well worth remembering. Nineteen wonderful girls were pledged: Lucile Bradshaw, Carol Fronk, Pamela Greathouse, Mary Jo Hager, Nita Jones, Mary Kramer, Alice Lantz, Laurine Love, June Morgan, Kathy Parsons, Glenda Peterson, Mary Rissler, Diane Sawyer, Kathy Schrack, Diane Sedgwick, Sharon Shifflett, Pamela Vaupel, Patricia Wallace, and Alice Zotti. Everyone got acquainted on a week-end retreat to the Snowy Range where pranks, games, hiking, and discussions were the order of the day.

Homecoming and its activities were next on our agenda. Posters, name tags, and "rambling" were used to gain support for our queen candidate, Bonnie Smith. Elaine Woods directed us in "Elijah Rock" for the Iron Skull Homecoming Sing. Many fun-filled hours were spent working on our float. "Twas the Knight Before Homecoming," which was entered in the parade honoring Dr. Samuel H. Knight of the Geology Department.

The following girls were initiated in October: Shirley Burks, Gay Turner, and Carole Hansen. In a special ceremony Miss E. Luella Galliver, Dean of Women, was initiated later the same day. The Cheyenne-Laramie alumnae held a delicious brunch afterward in honor of the new initiates.

Open Rush began in October and lasted until Christmas. We pledged the following girls during that time: Sandy Duncan, Trudy Edmunds, Judy Gilmore, Joyce Ota, Pamela Pickinpaugh, Linda Reynolds, Susan Stone, Marjane Turner, and Leilani Womack.

The most thrilling event of the year has been the building of our house. Ground-breaking took place last May, and construction has progressed at quite a pace in spite of the contrary Wyoming weather. The Alumnae have done so much to get everything we wanted in the house and yet keep down expenses. We are truly grateful to them.

Activities throughout the semester included parties and exchange dinners with the fraternities, Rowdy Nite free-for-alls, a party given by the pledges for the actives whose mid-semester grade average was higher, the annual Christmas Party with Kathy Parsons as Santa and mother-daughter exchanging of gifts, ushering at the University Theater productions, and basketball and volleyball teams.

The long-awaited pledge dance was held the week before Christmas. The decorations, which included a huge, angelhair-draped tree, were in keeping with the holiday season. The pledges had really outdone themselves on both the banquet and the dance.

Those receiving honors this semester include Jan Jacksa, secretary of Sigma Nu Sweethearts; Cherie Domsalla, Sigma Nu Sweetheart; and Mary Ellen Bates, Little Sisters of Minerva.

MARTHA L. DOUGHERTY

GAMMA ETA— Long Beach State College

September 1963 marked Gamma Eta's second experience in fall rushing. Sixteen new fall pledges were ribbon pledged on Monday, September 23. Two fraternities, Tau Kappa Epsilon and Phi Kappa Tau, came to serenade in honor of our fall pledge class.

In honor of all of our wonderful alumnae of Long Beach and our Spring Pledge Class a swim party was given at Linda Hollenbeck's house on Sunday, September 22. This proved to be a wonderful way of getting better acquainted with our new fall pledge class.

Gamma Eta also received a wonderful house mother named Mrs. O'Neil. The Long Beach alumnae were at work and purchased more new furniture for our chapter house.

Summertime also meant traveling time for some of our members. Marylou Puopolo visited Hawaii and Karen Lindgren traveled to South America. Beth Holde and Margi Miller have gone to the University of Hawaii for the coming school year. Carol Coulter left during the summer as an exchange student to Denmark.

Special recognition was given Angela Ernst and Nellana Tapp by the Sigma Pi Epsilon fraternity for their help with rush activities. The fraternity presented both Angela and Nellana with heart necklaces.

October fourth marked the event for Sorority Presents at the Lafayette Hotel in Long Beach. Mrs. Beatrice Hill Wittenberg came as Gamma Eta's honored guest of the evening.

Also, in the month of October Mrs. Tillotson, our Province Collegiate Director, came for her official visit.



Gamma Phi Betas attending Long Beach State College Fall Presents included Grand President Beatrice Hill Wittenberg. From left are: Mrs. Hindley, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Wittenberg, Nancy Crawford, Mrs. Lawson, Miss Neil and Lucy Fully.

Homecoming came next on the agenda and Gamma Eta won second place for outside house decorations. Our theme was "Dream On."

December activities included the annual Christmas party at the chapter house, caroling at the fraternity houses, and our Crescent Dinner Dance, held this year at the Hacienda Country Club in San Pedro. The alumnae of Long Beach held an open house on December 26 for all Gamma Phis in the area.

Very busy Gamma Phis in campus activities include Pat Metzger chosen Justice for the S.B. Court and President of Shell and Oar, Kathy Desmond was elected President of the Sailing Club, and Angela Ernst is secretary of Panhellenic. Shell and Oar selected new girls for membership including Ruth Ann Covington, Sonja Anderson, and Joan Leininger.

KAY ST. JOHN

GAMMA THETA—U. of the Pacific

Last spring, Gamma Phi Beta held its first rush in a room used by the president of the University for entertaining. Both the new actives and the pledges had a big job ahead of them—that of establishing Gamma Phi on the U.O.P. campus. We also had to set up our rules and traditions. We participated in Mardi Gras and attended exchanges with fraternities and the men's dormitory. The highlight of the semester was our pledge dance, *Hernando's Hideaway*. We also stressed academics and were proud to have six girls on the Dean's List, with a 3.5 or better grade point.

In September, the Gamma Phis officially moved into Manor Hall, a dormitory given us by the administration until our own house is built. After a successful rush, we settled down to the business and activities of the new school year. The two biggest events were Homecoming and our fall pledge dance, *Peppermint Lane*. We also had a Dads' weekend, which included a barbeque, football game, and pizza party. One Sunday afternoon, the Gamma Phis visited Preston School of Industry (a boys reform school) with Delta Upsilon fraternity. We gave entertainment and a party to the boys there. Our annual Secret Santa Christmas party was held in December and was highlighted by the presentation of the housemother's pin to Mrs. Ethel McCoy.

Individual Honors:

Paula Anderson—Dean's List, Spurs.
LaDean Dalke—Dean's List.
Terri Fowler—Dean's List.
Robyn Glasgow—Spurs, WRA Treasurer.
Susan Griffith—Ethics Chairman, SCA; Tickets Chairman, AWS Winter formal; Outstanding Pledge.
Caryll Haydn—Homecoming Princess.
Sally Johnson—Dean's List.
Carole Lewis—Secretary, Alpha Lambda Delta.
Nancy MacAllister—Sports Editor, Pacific Weekly.
Carol Pope—Dean's List.
Nancy Stutzman—Dean's List, Secretary to PSA Supreme Court.
Carol Deetis—Charm, Inc. representative at Univ. of the Pacific.

SUSAN GRIFFITH

GAMMA KAPPA—Kearney State

The Gamma Phi Betas who will help govern Kearney State College and the offices they hold are: Fran Johnson—College Women's League president.

Jeanne Boardman—Cheerleader.
Sheryl Olsen—Head Cheerleader.
Marilee Helms—Cheerleader.
Vicki Livingston—Cheerleader.
Janyce Francis—Panhellenic Rush Chairman.
Fran Johnson—Student Council Representative.
Betty Jo Gillespie—Student Council Representative.
Vicki Livingston—Freshman Class Secretary.

The new pledges to the Gamma Kappa Chapter are: Jeanne Boardman, Fullerton; Penny Christensen, Kearney; Kristi Cottrell, Kearney; Colleen Davis, Kearney; Dixie Denman, Alda; Cheryl Drew, Funk; Betty Jo Gillespie, Kearney; Pat Ground, Burbank, California; Susan Kincaid, Kearney; Janette Kruse, Hildreth; Vicki Livingston, Kearney; Joy Renter, Grand Island; Lynda Richman, North Platte; Pat Schnase, Kenesaw; Sandra Schmidt, Lodgepole; Carol Wade, North Platte; Nancy Wilson, Kearney; and Sue Zikmund, Kearney.

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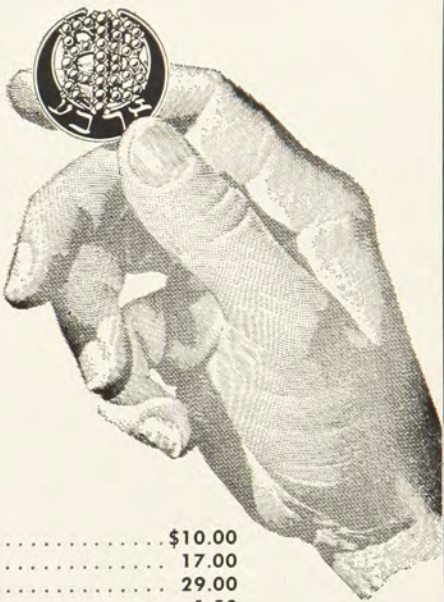
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By *September 15*, send eight college calendars on Form #G1-241b to Central Office and one to Province Collegiate Director.

By *October 1* unless otherwise notified, send Grand President business for consideration at fall council meeting; include business for consideration of convention, in fall preceding convention.

Immediately after pledging (immediately after opening of college if pledging is deferred), send lists of chapter members and pledges (new and holdovers) to Central Office and Province Collegiate Director on Form #G1-241c and Form #G1-241d.

By *February 15*, send list of chapter members and pledges (new and holdovers) to Central Office and Province Collegiate Director on Form #G1-241c and Form #G1-241d.

By *February 25*, send Grand President business for consideration at spring council meeting.

Not later than *March 20*, send name and home address of new Membership Chairman to Central Office.

As soon as information is available, send eight lists of new chapter officers to Central Office and one list to Province Collegiate Director on Form #G1-241e. Send name and home address of Magazine Chairman to International Magazine Chairman.

By *May 15*, send to Central Office list of chapter members (undergraduate and alumnæ) who have passed away since preceding May 15.

By *July 1*, send list of graduates (include members who have dropped out of college) with home addresses to Central Office and Province Collegiate Director.

Notify Central Office promptly of marriages, including the following information: (1) maiden name, (2) husband's name, (3) old address, (4) new address, (5) chapter, (6) college numeral.

Send to Central Office, in odd years, acknowledgment of volume of bound copies of *THE CRESCENT* as soon as it is received. Use postal card in volume.

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

By *10th of each month* Statement of Income and Expense (Form GL-250f) for previous month due *DIRECTOR OF FINANCE*, at her home address.

By *November 1*, annual audit due *DIRECTOR OF FINANCE*, at her home address.

By *December 1*, due Central Office: first installment of International dues, \$7.50 for bound *CRESCENTS* and subscriptions to *Banta's Greek Exchange* and *Fraternity Month*, and Convention Entertainment Tax.

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:

Within one month after official release of data, send to International Scholarship Chairman and Province Collegiate Director on Form #G1-290b, N.P.C. comparative rating, academic honors, individual grade averages, etc.

PLEDGE DIRECTOR:

Prior to pledging, order Pledge Manuals from Central Office.

Immediately after pledging, order song books from Central Office.

By *March 15*, send Pledge Manual revisions to International Chairman of Publications.

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By *October 1*, for December issue; *January 1*, for March issue; *February 20*, for May issue; *June 15*, for September issue; glossies, features, honors due Editor, Mrs. Marek.

By *January 1*, chapter letter due Mrs. Marek for March issue. Do not send chapter letter for other issues.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN:

Immediately after each formal rushing period, rushing reports due International Membership Chairman, State Membership Chairman, Collegiate Vice President and Province Collegiate Director on Forms #G1-275a and #G1-275b. Report on Form #G1-275c is due the International Membership Chairman. Continue to report each subsequent pledge.

Order supplies (recommendation and investigation blanks, file and acknowledgment cards, post rush reports) early each spring for following fall from Central Office. Specify quantity and form number.

PUBLIC RELATIONS CHAIRMAN:

Send list of chapter and individual honors and activities to the International Public Relations Chairman with carbon copy to Province Collegiate Director four times yearly—by October 1, December 15, February 15 and May 15. Include publicity clippings for International Scrapbook.

HISTORIAN:

Mail typed annual history to International Historian with one carbon to Province Collegiate Director before close of college year.

ALUMNÆ CHAPTERS

By *October 1*, unless otherwise notified, send Grand President business for consideration at fall council meeting.

By *October 1*, alumnæ chapter letters for December *CRESCENT*, including glossies, due Alumnæ Editor, Mrs. T. R. Naglestad. At the end of each chapter letter include name and telephone number of member in your chapter whom alumnæ new in the community may call.

By *January 1*, feature articles, glossies and newspaper clippings for March *CRESCENT* due Editor, Mrs. Marek.

By *January 1*, send to Central Office Alumnæ Chapter Payment Report, Form #A-225a, covering philanthropy, alumnæ, and convention entertainment 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 *February 20*, alumnæ chapter letters for May *CRESCENT*, including glossies, due Alumnæ Editor, Mrs. T. R. Naglestad.

By *February 25*, send Grand President business for consideration at spring council meeting.

By *March 15*, send 1 copy each of the Alumnæ Chapter President's Report and membership list or directory to the Alumnæ Vice President and 1 copy each to Province Alumnæ Director.

Not later than *March 20*, send name and address of member responsible for rushing recommendations during the summer to Central Office.

As soon as information is available, send seven lists of new chapter officers to Central Office and 1 each to Province Collegiate Director and Province Alumnæ Director on Form #A-222b. Send name and address of Magazine Chairman to International Magazine Chairman.

By *May 1*, send to International Historian 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 May 15. Include married and maiden name and Greek-letter chapter.

By *June 15*, feature and glossies for September *CRESCENT* due Editor, Mrs. Marek.

HOUSE CORPORATIONS:

By *November 1*, annual audit due Director of Finance.

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Beatrice Hill Wittenberg
International Grand President
Grand Council

President's Page

WELCOME to our newest members—the Gamma Phi Beta initiates of 1964!

If you follow the signs of the weather and watch the flights of the birds, you know that March is here. We know it in the sorority world, too, because March is synonymous with initiation. It is that time of the year when the names of hundreds of young women from all sections of the country are being added to our rolls, and when the privileges, joys, and responsibilities of membership are being accepted by them.

With the pinning of each new badge has come the excitement of possession, and the wonderment of its symbolism.

An explanation of this symbolism cannot be given in a few words. Some of the answers can only be found through actual experience. We have attempted, however, through our pledge education program to impart an understanding of some of our basic tenets. We have offered to each initiate a happy experience in group living while in college, followed afterwards by a lifetime association in our international organization. We have stressed the importance of academic excellence; the development of leadership potential; the promotion of cultural interests and social graces; the adherence to high standards of moral conduct; and the cultivation of everlasting friendships.

But for those of us who have worn the badge for several decades we know these basic tenets are not the whole answer. We know there are intangibles—spiritual values—which are found in our ritual and which also play an important role. From the beginning, our history gives evidence that our Founders recognized their importance, as did our leaders of a later date.

In the Spring issue of *THE CRESCENT*, dated more than fifty years ago, Lindsey Barbee, Grand President and Edi-

tor, printed an editorial which was directed to new members. Her message is as meaningful today as it was when it was written. Expressed in her inimitable way, she has said what I would like to say to the initiates of 1964. The editorial is reprinted here so our current initiates may read the message which came from the pen and the heart of a revered member of the past.

"It's a symbolical thing, this pin you've given me to wear," said the freshman as she stood idly by the window, "but I wonder if I quite understand all that Gamma Phi Beta expects of me—all that I should do to bring her honor."

The senior arose, took a small glass prism, held it in the sunlight, and immediately the room was filled with rainbow rays!

"Upon your college life," she said, "has been shed the strong white light of sisterhood; this light must be refracted into the seven beautiful hues that make up the perfect whole. There will be the *ray of patience*—patience in the solving of your own particular problems, patience with the shortcomings of those who have chosen you to be one of their number. There will be *cheerfulness* through all the little trials and tribulations; *helpfulness* for all—not only your sisters but those outside your circle; *unselfishness* in your daily tasks and daily duties—for the true Gamma Phi Beta will efface herself in service for others; *charity*—toward all—for who are we that we should judge? *Endeavor*—endless endeavor—for your chapter, for the greater life of the sorority and for humanity. Lastly, there will be a true and tender *love* that will grow deep and strong enough to love and pity all the world. And then—Gamma Phi Beta will be satisfied."

BEATRICE HILL WITTENBERG
Grand President