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CALENDAR

September 5—Recommendations mailed to all Chapter Presidents. Read carefully to entire Chapter at first regular meeting.

September 15—Chapter officers shall meet and make plans for college year. The exact date of the meeting must be determined in consideration of date of college opening.

September 25—Chapter corresponding secretary shall send complete list of active chapter members, together with officers of chapter to the National Registrar.

October 1—Chapter Finance Monthly Report and Balance Sheet mailed to National Treasurer.

October 5—Chapter Panhellenic representative send to National Panhellenic Delegate report of conditions in college Panhellenic.

October 10—National registrar sends correct list of all active members with home and college address to all National officers.

October 10—Chapter letters mailed to Editor, Alumnae notes and letters sent to Alumnae Editor.

October 24—Founders' Day celebration. Alumnae unite with nearest active chapter in celebration.

November 1—Chapter Finance Report due.

November 1—LAMP subscriptions sent to business manager of LAMP. Additional number taken for chapter.

November 5—Corresponding secretary shall send to her chapter, Big Sister letter setting forth plans for the year.

November 19—Record of pledges, names, addresses, etc., send to the registrar.

December 1—Monthly Finance Report and balance sheet due.

December 15—Chairman of Social Service Committee submits report of social service work done and plans for winter to National Social Service Chairman.

January 1—Measure yourself in relation to that which your fraternity and college expects of you. Measure your chapter in relation to the purpose and principles of your fraternity.

January 1—Monthly Finance Report and balance sheet due.

January 15—Reports to National Officers and all standing committees, sent to Grand President.

January 25—LAMP material due.

February 1—Alumnae dues sent to Grand Treasurer. Save postage by sending at once.

February 1—Finance and Balance sheet due.

February 10—Send mileage for delegate to National Convention to Grand Treasurer.

March 1—New subscriptions to LAMP, send to Business Manager.

March 1—Finance and Balance sheet due.

March 1—University registrar sends grades to scholarship committee.

March 1—Lamp material due.

March 5—Annual dues from Alumna chapters mailed to Grand Treasurer.

March 5-15—Fraternity examination period—send all examination papers to chairman by March 10th.

April 1—Finance Report and balance sheet due.

April 23-30—Officers of active chapters to be elected.

May 1—Finance Report and Balance sheet due.

May 1-10—Installation of active chapter officers. Report the result to secretary and registrar with summer addresses.

May 10—Lamp material due.

May 15—Elect convention delegate and alternate and report same to National Secretary.

May 15—Chapter Panhellenic representative shall send to National Panhellenic delegate a detailed report of Panhellenic conditions in her college.

May 15—All unpaid per capita chapter dues must be paid and forwarded by chapter treasurer to Grand Treasurer.

June 1—Finance and Balance sheet due.

June 15—See that second semester grades have been sent in to scholarship committee.

June 15—Annual report of chapter on uniform blanks shall be sent to Grand Secretary. Annual reports of National Officers and all National Committees sent to Grand Secretary.

June 25—LAMP material due.

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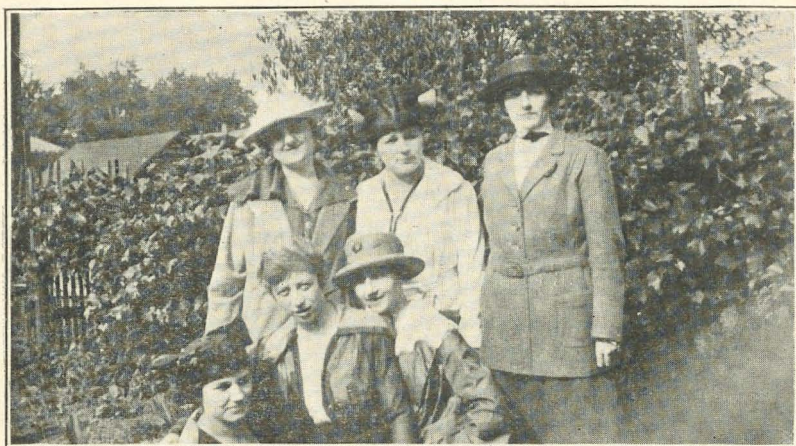
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Top Row—left to right—Mrs. Carl Malott, Miss Railsback, Arema O'Brien
 Lower row—Ruth May Railsback, Rennie Sebring Smith, Anne Younger



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Minutes of Grand Council Meeting

AREMA O'BRIEN'S HOME, COLUMBUS, OHIO

June 10 to June 16

FIRST MEETING HELD JUNE 10 AT 2:30 P. M.

THE meeting began with a prayer by Miss Sebring-Smith. The minutes of the last convention, beginning June 26, 1916, were read. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the discussion of various points in these minutes be dispensed with until after the reading of the Council minutes for 1917. Miss Amanda Thomas (Theta) and Mrs. Florence Hart McClain (Theta) arrived. The minutes of the Grand Council of Delta Zeta for July 9-14, 1917, at Railsback's bungalow, were read. The provisions for putting out the bulletin relative to the LAMP and the secret bulletin issued were discussed. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the question of the secret bulletin be dispensed with until after the reports of the Business Manager of the LAMP. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the tablet at Miami be dispensed with for the duration of the war. The secretary was asked to report as to the information in the *World's Almanac*. It was moved by Miss O'Brien that the Grand Secretary be authorized to write to the *World's Almanac* as to the incorporation of material regarding Delta Zeta. The motion was seconded and carried.

Mrs. Myrtle Graeter Malott brought up the discussion of the Ways and Means Committee. Miss Sebring-Smith reported that the only Ways and Means Committee is royalty on pins. Mrs. Malott recommended that the receipt system be explained. The receipt system was deferred until later. There followed a discussion of the motion that we limit the number of chapters in small colleges to the present number until the number in larger universities has been increased half the number and then keep that ratio. Miss Sebring-Smith contended that the recommendation be con-

sidered. The question of clerical expenses of the various officers was to be brought up at the time of the reading of the respective reports. The statement was made that the report blanks of chapters had been typewritten at a saving of twenty-two dollars. Miss O'Brien moved that the chair appoint a person to go over the Big Sister and chapter reports for change and supplement, to be brought up at the Wednesday meeting. Anne Younger and Amanda Thomas were appointed as the committee.

There was a discussion of *Baird's Manual* and *Banta's Greek Exchange*. The motion was made that *Baird's Manual* and *Banta's Greek Exchange* be ordered for the ingoing chapters by the Grand Secretary. The motion was seconded and carried. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Secretary buy and have on hand a set of symbols for initiation.

The President presented the conditions of the offices of Delta Zeta, namely, that Madeline Baird (Theta) is acting as Registrar and Myrtle Graeter Malott (Delta) as Treasurer, *pro tem*.

There was a discussion of the power of the Grand Council relative to appointment of these offices. In view of the fact that there is no meeting of the general assembly, it was moved, seconded, and carried, that the Grand Council of Delta Zeta ratify the appointment of Miss Railsback as President, of Madeline Baird as Registrar, and of Mrs. Myrtle Graeter Malott as Treasurer, to hold office until the next National Assembly.

Reports of the Grand Officers of Delta Zeta

The report of the Grand President was read and approved.

The total expense of the office was \$222.46. Balance due \$16.

The report of the Grand Vice-president was deferred.

The report of the Grand Secretary was deferred.

The report of Arema O'Brien, Editor of the LAMP, was read and accepted.

REPORT OF MADELINE BAIRD, BUSINESS MANAGER OF THE LAMP

Total receipts	\$775.02
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Total expenditures	438.54
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Balance	\$336.48
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Expenses for Spring Issue	\$161.67
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Balance	\$174.81
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The report was accepted.

The report of the Registrar followed.

Balance on hand \$126.01. One hundred and ten certificates would not be enough certificates for next year. It was moved, seconded, and carried, that the report be accepted.

SECOND SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—MONDAY 8:00 P. M.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Myrtle Graeter Malott read the report of the Finance Committee. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the report be accepted and that a vote of thanks be extended to Mrs. Malott **for her untiring efforts.**

The report of the Extension Chairman was read. It was moved, seconded, and carried that we improve the extension system by appointing a member of each chapter—*alumnæ*—working in conjunction with the Extension Chairman for the collection of extension funds from every *alumnæ* member of Delta Zeta.

It was moved that the meeting adjourn.

THIRD SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—TUESDAY 8:00 A. M.

The meeting was called to order.

The story of the baseball game of Sigma Chapter was read and enthusiastically enjoyed.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that in view of the fact that Helen Lane (Alpha) suggested a reappointment, that a new Extension Chairman be appointed.

Hilda Eulensline of Beta was appointed chairman by the chair.

Suggested members of the working committee were:

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Omicron—

Pi—Marguerite Berner—

Rho—

Sigma—Catherine Winters, 609 Middle St., Baton Rouge, La.

Tau—Helen Collins,

It was moved, seconded, and carried that the clerical expense of all the Grand Officers of Delta Zeta be allowed, subject to the approval of the Grand Secretary and the Grand President.

There was a discussion of the necessity of having the Registrar at all Grand Council and National Assembly meetings. No action was taken but the matter was left to the Grand President.

The report of the Grand Secretary was read and approved.

The report of the Historian was read and accepted. The report showed the following chapters incomplete: Epsilon, Lambda, Mu, Xi, and Omicron.

A discussion of the history followed. In assisting Mrs. Stephenson, Martha Louise Railsback was to follow up the Epsilon history, Arema O'Brien, Xi Chapter, and Myrtle Graeter Malott, Lambda Chapter. It was moved, seconded, and withdrawn that Mrs. Stephenson be given the authority to complete the history and have it printed. The discussion followed as to the form of history. It was moved by Miss O'Brien that Mrs. Stephenson be authorized with the help of the Grand President to complete the history with all expediency. The motion was seconded and carried.

The report of the National Panhellenic Convention delegate was read and accepted.

The report of the Songbook Committee chairman was read. Miss Railsback explained the reason for the songbook representatives being present at the meeting. A previous meeting had been planned, but it was postponed. The expenses of the Songbook delegates were to be paid by the Songbook treasury. General discussion followed by Anne Youger. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the report of the Songbook Editor be accepted. The final report was to be deferred until the arrival of Alma Miller (Delta), the former songbook Editor.

The report of Arema O'Brien, delegate to the Editors' Conference of N. P. C., was read and accepted.

FOURTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—TUESDAY
AFTERNOON 2:15 P. M.

The afternoon was given over to the reading of chapter reports. Miss O'Brien read Alpha, Beta, and Delta Chapter reports. An informal discussion of the report of the latter chapter followed. The report from Epsilon Chapter was discussed.

Theta Chapter report not in.

Iota Chapter report was read and accepted. It was noted that the chapter stood at the head in scholarship.

Kappa Chapter report not in.

Discussion of scholarship followed. A motion was made that the Scholarship Committee of Delta Zeta compile statistics relative to the standing of Delta Zeta in relation to the other fraternities in different colleges. The motion was seconded and carried.

The report of Lambda Chapter was read and accepted.

The Mu report was read and accepted.

No report was received from Omicron Chapter. A wire was sent for the report from Xi Chapter.

The meeting adjourned for a picnic at Olentangy Park with forty-one Delta Zeta girls present. A theater party followed.

FIFTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—WEDNESDAY
MORNING

The meeting was called to order by the Grand President. The minutes of the second, third, and fourth sessions were read and approved.

Sigma and Tau Chapter reports were read and approved.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Secretary write to Banta for the Grand Council showing their appreciation of his willingness to coöperate in the Wisconsin fraternity problem.

An oral report from Gamma Alumnæ Chapter was given by Arema O'Brien and Madeline Baird. The chapter has adopted a French orphan. Three big offices of college organizations in the city of Columbus, Ohio, are held by Delta Zeta girls, namely by Mrs. Campbell (Epsilon), Mrs. McClain (Theta), and Miss O'Brien (Theta).

The representatives from the Auld Company appeared. The Burr, Patterson representative came, and after a conference with him the meeting adjourned to meet at the Chittenden Hotel for luncheon.

Covers were laid for twenty-five members of the fraternity including the grand officers, members of the Columbus active and alumnae chapters, several representatives of Delta Chapter, one from Epsilon and one from Omicron Chapter. After a very delightful luncheon, Miss O'Brien as toastmistress called on the Grand President for a talk. Miss Railsback made a talk in which she emphasized the need of system, sacrifice, and coöperation for the betterment of the fraternity. Miss Pratt, the representative of Omicron Chapter, was called upon and also Mrs. McClain, the president of the Columbus City Panhellenic. The latest arrival at the Council meeting, Miss Alma Miller (Delta), former Editor of the Songbook, spoke regarding her past efforts and the future work necessary for the publishing of the Songbook.

A business meeting followed, during which the two remaining active chapter reports were read and accepted.

The new treasury system was briefly discussed and a few of its merits noted. The meeting adjourned for a session at Arema O'Brien's home.

SIXTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—WEDNESDAY
2:30 P. M.

The report of Delta Alumnae Chapter was read and approved.

The report of Theta Alumnae Chapter was read and approved.

There was a protest from Delta and Theta Alumnae Chapters and Zeta active regarding the raising of the Scholarship Fund. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Grand Secretary be advised to write letters concerning the protest of the chapters and stating the unconstitutional comment of the protesters.

Rennie Sebring-Smith gave a verbal report of Beta Alumnae Chapter. Extension was the special object of this group. The members sold clothes at a rummage sale. The chapter would be glad to supplement the work of the Extension Committee and to be used as an investigation committee. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the report be accepted. It was moved, seconded, and carried that all delinquent chapters be notified at once as to the delinquency of their reports.

Miss Railsback read the reports of the different chapters on patronesses. There was no support from Rho Chapter regarding this matter.

The subject of patronesses was opened for discussion. Mrs. Campbell suggested going over the reports of the patronesses, in order to bring out better coöperation with the patronesses. Miss Younger spoke also of coöperation and Miss Ruth May Railsback commented on the advisability of the usual calls on the patronesses. Miss Sebring-Smith stated that letters were written to all of the patronesses of Delta Zeta, but that few answers were received. Miss O'Brien spoke to the point that the patronesses were merely for social prestige. Mrs. Campbell spoke of the values of patronesses. Miss Thomas asked about the dropping of patronesses. Miss Sebring-Smith spoke as to the inadvisability of narrowing down their purposes. It was moved by Myrtle Graeter Malott that a committee be appointed to draw up a list of recommendations to patronesses. Bess Johnstone Luer (Delta) and Amanda Thomas (Theta) were appointed as the committee.

The cases of the girls expelled by Theta and Beta Chapters were discussed.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that the report of the Examination Committee be accepted and that a vote of thanks be sent to Mrs. Davis (Zeta) and her committee for their splendid work.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that a vote of thanks be extended to Burr, Patterson and Co. for the roses which they sent the Grand Council.

The Big Sister report was read and accepted as it was submitted by Mrs. Nettie Wills Shugart. The report was to be referred to Mrs. Campbell.

It was moved that the meeting adjourn.

SEVENTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—WEDNESDAY
8:15 P. M.

The report of Eunice F. Story, chairman of the Extension Committee, was read. A notice was made of the engagement of Miss Story to Roland Leonard Eaton. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Grand Secretary write congratulations in response to the announcement of the engagement.

Miss Pratt asked about extension in Boston University.

Miss Sebring-Smith asked for other possible methods of approach to Rhode Island College and Randolph-Macon.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that congratulations be sent to Mrs. Martha McGinniss Brown regarding her marriage.

The report of Florence Drury was given on the Wisconsin chapter.

A letter was read from Edna Thoreen regarding the Illinois chapter.

Miss Younger also reported on the situation at Illinois University.

Miss Railsback reported on the University of Wisconsin.

Miss Railsback asked for the report on the North Dakota chapter.

The petition from Oregon State Agricultural College was deferred until the arrival of material.

The petition from the State College of Washington was presented. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the expenses of Mildred French to Pullman, Washington, be allowed. It was moved, seconded, and carried that a vote be taken at this time to signify the standing of the Grand Council. The affirmative vote for all of the following was reported: Martha Louise Railsback, Rennie Sebring-Smith, Arema O'Brien, Madeline Baird, Myrtle Graeter Malott.

The Wittenberg chapter petition was presented. A motion was made to table the petition of this chapter. The motion was lost for the want of a second.

The motion was made that a note be mailed to the chapter stating that it was impossible at this time to entertain a petition from Wittenberg on account of the requirements Delta Zeta has concerning the qualifications of colleges. The motion was seconded and carried.

Mrs. Campbell gave her report on the statistics of fraternities as discovered from the chapter reports. The report was approved. It was moved, seconded, and carried that a vote of thanks be extended to Mrs. Campbell for her splendid work.

It was moved that the meeting adjourn.

EIGHTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—THURSDAY

8:15 A. M.

The minutes of the Wednesday meeting were read and approved.

The petition of the Oregon State Agricultural College was read by Miss Amanda Thomas. It was moved that a vote be taken of the Grand Council members present. The motion was seconded and carried. The affirmative vote of the following members was taken: Martha Louise Railsback, Rennie Sebring-Smith, Myrtle Graeter Malott, and Arema O'Brien.

There was a discussion of the duties of the committees. It was moved, seconded, and carried that the committee on the Installation of Officers in Active and Alumnae Chapters and Uniform House Rules and By-laws, be withdrawn.

There was a suggestion of the need of a committee on the house and business management. A general discussion of the need followed.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that a committee on house and business management be appointed, the naming of the committee to be left to the discretion of the Grand President.

It was moved by Miss O'Brien that the exchange editor be discontinued from the Editor's staff, and that the Grand Council work in coöperation as an exchange editor.

There was discussion as to the change in the constitution. There was a question as to the inconsistency of a three-fourths' vote. The motion was made that the national constitution, Article 9, Section 4, take precedent over the local constitution, Article 7, Section 8. It was moved, seconded, and carried that all changes in the constitution be referred to the time of the next convention. The report of the Songbook Committee was given. There had been seven original songs handed in, twenty other songs not original, seventeen Alma Mater songs, and thirty songs from the old Songbook. The total number of songs was seventy-nine. Miss Alma K. Miller spoke to the point of making our Songbook one that would last and be popular for many years.

It was moved that the Songbook treasury be left as it is. The motion was lost for the want of a second.

There was a discussion of the pin and contract as offered by Auld.

It was moved that Burr, Patterson and Co. remain the official jeweler. It was taken by consent that the Secretary confer with the company as to the best price possible for the pin.

The meeting adjourned but planned a meeting at Mrs. Campbell's home after the Panhellenic reception in the afternoon.

NINTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—THURSDAY
7:00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by the Grand President. We were led in prayer by Anne Younger.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A report on patronesses was made and accepted. It was moved, seconded, and carried that a letter be sent by the Grand Council to the patronesses of all chapters thanking them for their help in matters concerning Delta Zeta.

The chapter problems were taken up. The report of Alpha Chapter showed that their problem was that of the lack of unity.

Mrs. Zora Johnson Sorenson (Theta) suggested that some definite purpose be given to each chapter of Delta Zeta.

Ruth May Railsback (Delta) reported that Delta Chapter reserved Saturday night of each week as a time when all girls in the chapter came together for a social time.

Miss Sebring-Smith reported that the lack of unity in chapters is due to quarreling over finances, and that this subject should be speedily dispensed with in fraternity meetings.

Mrs. Malott reported that Delta Chapter held a senior session before each fraternity meeting talking over problems of the fraternity which were to be discussed in the following meeting.

Mary VanMeter (Theta) spoke of the uncordiality toward non-fraternity girls. The question of keeping in touch with the alumnae was discussed.

Beta's problem was the increasing of their number of members, probably by more strenuous rushing.

The subject of discipline was discussed. It was suggested that discipline could be maintained by beginning with the freshmen and with their organization.

Iota's problem was that the lack of a chapter-house complicated entertainment and hindered the opportunity of getting well acquainted. It was suggested that Iota Chapter have a chapter-room where the girls could come together for social as well as business sessions.

Miss Sebring-Smith spoke of the problems of Xi Chapter.

Rho reported that \$100 had been taken from the chapter treasury.

Improvements—see Mrs. Campbell's report.

The following committee was appointed for recommendations: Marguerite Loos (Theta), chairman, and Hadel Ecker (Alpha). Panhellenic conditions were reported.

The recommendations of N. P. C. were discussed.

Panhellenic reports from Mu, Beta, Lambda, and Kappa Chapters were read.

There was a general discussion of Panhellenic and of the calendar.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that the Business Manager of the LAMP write to all chapters concerning the taking of the LAMP for the university libraries.

It was suggested that the Fraternity Girl's Symphony be published in the LAMP.

TENTH SESSION OF THE COUNCIL MEETING—FRIDAY MORNING

7:30

The morning was given over to the discussion of the budget and financial system.

The Council meeting then adjourned for a week-end house party at Buckeye Lake.

Respectfully submitted,
RENNIE SEBRING-SMITH, *Grand Secretary*.

Officers at Meeting

Martha Louise Railsback, Grand President
Rennie Sebring-Smith, Grand Secretary
Mrs. Myrtle Graeter Malott, Grand Treasurer
Arema O'Brien, Editor of the LAMP
Madeline Baird, Registrar and Business
Manager of LAMP.
Anne Younger, Songbook Editor

Visitors at the Council Meetings

Amanda Thomas (Theta)	Marie Smith (Theta)
Mrs. Florence Hart McClain (Theta)	Ruth Murray (Theta)
Mary Van Meter (Theta)	Helen Murray (Theta)
Henrietta Jettinghoff (Theta)	Lucille Pence (Theta)
Ruth May Railsback (Delta)	Marguerite Loos (Theta)
	Alma Miller (Delta)

Mrs. Helen Kaetzel Nixon (Theta)	Mrs. Rhea Van Meter Riggle (Theta)
Margaret Castle (Theta)	Ruth Colton (Theta)
Mrs. Gretta Tully Swickard (Theta)	Mrs. Zora Johnson Sorenson (Theta)
Mrs. Grace Johnstone Luer (Delta)	Julia Christman (Theta)
Anne Young (Theta)	Harriet Fischer (Theta)
Mary Young (Theta)	Ethel Schofield (Theta)
Mrs. Mary Dranga Campbell (Epsilon)	Hazel Ecker (Alpha)
	Mrs. Marguerite Hanna Pope (Theta)
	Ina Pratt (Omicron)

Report of the Grand President

FOR THE YEAR 1917-1918 FROM JULY, 1917, TO JUNE, 1918

To the third Grand Council meeting of Delta Zeta, the Grand President submits the following report:

The duties of the Grand President have been those usually devolving upon such an officer. Owing to the fact that the war had necessitated my moving so far from the center of our country and having no opportunity for close communication with any officers of chapters, it has been unusually difficult to conduct the business of my office.

I have advised with all active and alumnae chapters, instituted a round robin letter among chapter presidents, and have by means of correspondence kept in close touch with all committee chairmen.

As a result of a ruling of last Council meeting of Delta Zeta, that the annual reports from active chapters be uniform, blanks were sent out from my office for this purpose.

Several chapter difficulties have been settled, two expulsions made, and one resignation accepted from our membership.

Letters have been mailed to all Big Sisters with whom I have advised on chapter improvement and on the matter of the relationship of patronesses to the chapters.

My office has supplied many copies of the ritual and has other new ones on hand typewritten.

The usual correspondence with deans of women and with chaperons has been carried on.

Magazines sent to the Exchange from other fraternities have been in turn mailed to our various chapters.

Approval was sent from my office for a gift of twenty-five dollars to Nu Chapter in assisting them through a critical financial situation the first of the collegiate year and for the loan of \$100 to Epsilon Chapter for assisting in refurnishing their house after their fire.

I attended the N. P. C. convention in Chicago in October as a visitor. As business arrangements prevented my attending as official delegate during the entire session, Delta Zeta was officially represented at this congress by our most able National Secretary, Rennie Sebring-Smith, acting as official delegate, and by our Editor of the LAMP, Arema O'Brien.

On my way to San Diego, California, the last of November, I visited Zeta Chapter for one day.

A great deal of time has been devoted to extension work especially with our petitioning group at North Dakota and at the State College of Washington at Pullman, as well as with the University of Illinois.

Upon the resignation of Janet Cameron as Registrar, I appointed Madeline Baird from Theta Chapter. She has most ably filled this office as well as that of Business Manager of the LAMP.

It has taken a great deal of encouragement to persuade our National Treasurer to continue in her office to the end of this year when her resignation was formally tendered.

Much correspondence has been carried on with Florence Drury relative to our prospective chapter in the University of Wisconsin, for this chapter was installed June 8. We are indebted to Esther Mooney of Delta Chapter for the original steps, to Florence Drury, to the Extension Chairman in the central district, to Leta Browning of Alpha Chapter who officially visited them and encouraged and aided the group, and to our most able Secretary and Editor.

The Grand President would like to take this opportunity to express her deep appreciation to all officers, committee chairmen, alumnae, and active members who have so generously assisted in conducting the affairs of our fraternity through one of its most trying years.

RUNNING EXPENSES OF OFFICE FROM JULY, 1917, TO JUNE, 1918	
Stenographical work	\$ 73.25
Telegrams	18.40
Telephones	5.30
Postage	80.91
Expressage	25.00
Supplies	19.60

Total	\$222.46
Paid up to date	\$206.34

Due to date	\$ 16.12
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Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA LOUISE RAILSBACK.

Report of Grand Vice-president

To the Grand Council of Delta Zeta:

As Vice-president I have tried to keep in close touch with the two eastern chapters of Delta Zeta, Beta at Cornell and Epsilon Alumnæ at New York. I have done all I could to help them in their problems and only regret that the war has so limited my sphere of activities that I have been unable to travel to other chapters.

On February 3, 1917, at the request of the President, Miss Railsback, I finished a collection of the by-laws and house rules of all chapters. These were sent by Miss Railsback to all the grand officers for criticisms and suggestions.

As chairman of the committee on programs for alumnæ chapters, I submitted on March 24, 1917, a report prepared with the help of my committee, Elenor Edwards, Elisabeth Stephenson, and Beulah Greer. This report was published in the LAMP. But war came soon afterward and I feel that most of the alumnæ have felt it best to devote their time to active war work.

On August 7, 1917, I appointed Marguerite Luckett, Sabina Murray, and Adelaide Mifflin on the Loan Fund Committee. We have studied the Loan Fund rules of other fraternities and find the provisions of all similar. We, therefore, submit as a working basis for the present, the following rules.

1. That the money be lent preferably to undergraduates, but that graduates be considered in case of surplus.
2. That money be lent upon the recommendation of the dean of the college concerned and the president of the local chapter of Delta Zeta.
3. That the Loan Fund Committee with the Grand President as *ex officio* member, select the girls to whom money is to be lent, and decide the amount to be lent, with regard to the number of candidates and the merits and exigencies of the individual cases.
4. That a note be demanded, without interest, payable two years after the girl has left college, to be renewed with or without interest at the discretion of the Grand President.
5. If the girl dies while note is still due, it may be dropped at discretion of Grand President, and the contract considered void.

As to whether we are to lend our principal or only the interest, that is as yet a matter we have not considered, because our funds are so small. We have two sources of income. A certain per cent from each pin is set aside for this fund. Miss Putnam reports that we have about \$100 now. We lent in the fall of 1917, \$100 to Epsilon active chapter. This was done by Grand Council when the Epsilon house was burned and the girls were in need of help. The money has not as yet been returned. Each alumnae chapter was asked to give \$25 to the fund. But, because of the enormous demands this year, only two chapters have been able to respond, Delta and Theta Alumnae at Lincoln and Omaha, respectively. They have our heartiest thanks. We have, then, only about \$250 in our fund and the interest upon this would be slight.

My expenses as Grand Vice-president have been as follows:

FOR 1916-1917		
Printing	\$ 2.00	
Postage	4.57	
Stationery	1.48	
Total		\$8.05
FOR 1917-1918		
Telegrams	2.15	
Postage	2.19	
Stationery48	
Total		\$ 4.82
Total for 1916-17		8.05
Total for 1916-18		\$12.87

Respectfully submitted,

May 19, 1918.

ERMA LINDSAY LAND.

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Report of the Grand Secretary

To the Grand Council of Delta Zeta:

It has been with a great deal of effort and even sacrifice of pleasure that the work of the Grand Secretary of Delta Zeta has been done. Almost every Sunday and every rest day from the duties of my office have been days of hard work for Delta Zeta. However, there is the compensation of being allied with a fraternal movement which I am so thoroughly convinced is at this time of especial importance in its training for leadership as well as teaching our individual members the lesson of working with one's fellows. I have no regret or complaint to offer. My only regret is that I have not been able to do a greater service for Delta Zeta.

Of the larger things taken up from this office other than answering many, many letters which must be answered often in great detail, has been the attending of the N. P. C., and the installation of Sigma and Tau Chapters. The report of N. P. C. and of Sigma Chapter have previously been given. Tau Chapter report will be given at the close of this session.

TOTAL EXPENSES FROM JULY 7, 1917 TO JUNE, 1918	\$119.38
July 7-August 7	22.45
August 7-October 8.....	17.32
October 8-November 30	17.47
November 30-February 23	31.84

Total	\$ 89.08
Received from Grand Treasurer	89.08
February 23-June	32.96
French Folio	1.25
Stamps	18.87
Telephone	2.60
Carbon paper	2.50
Stationery	2.50
Sorority Handbook	1.50
Telegrams	3.45
Express29

Balance Due	32.96
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Total Expenditures	\$122.04
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In conclusion, I wish to state that working for Delta Zeta, in view of the fact that I consider the grand officers the most har-

monious working group of women engaged in any particular work, has been an especial joy.

My one desire is that by some manner of means we can promote in our chapters this same kind of harmonious fellowship.

In consideration of the rapid growth of Delta Zeta and the peculiar condition of our times, it seems that we as grand officers of the Delta Zeta Fraternity must be more loyal to our office than ever before. We must band ourselves as a group of women who stand as the officers of a representation of a large group of women; we will be sincere in all our efforts for the good of Delta Zeta and its individual membership; we will promote constructive policies and efficient business methods.

Respectfully submitted,
RENNIE SEBRING-SMITH, *Grand Secretary.*

Send Register Slip to Registrar

TODAY

Don't forget to do it!

Report of the Editor of the Lamp

JULY, 1917, TO JULY, 1918

To the Grand Council of Delta Zeta:

Since last Council meeting we have put out three issues of the LAMP. The Secret Issue was published in August, 1917. This contained the reports of officers and committees and the minutes of the Grand Council meeting. This issue was sent to all members, active and alumnæ. For this additional expense incurred by the increased circulation we wish to acknowledge the receipt of \$50 from the Grand Treasury. In passing I wish to say that the Editor has received many encouraging letters from members concerning this Secret Issue saying they were glad to get the "inside business of Delta Zeta." The next issue constituted the Holiday Issue, combining the November and January issues. This LAMP chiefly told of the Panhellenic Conference and the Installation of Sigma Chapter. On account of the added expenses due to war conditions, the March issue was not published; instead a Spring Issue was published combining the March and May issues. It was thought best to get out one big issue instead of two small issues. The spring number was chiefly devoted to war and war activities. The pictures of Alpha babies also appeared in this issue and we wish to thank Faye Bunyan Black for seeing this page through financially. In this issue two chapter letters were missing, Mu and Omicron.

I have found the calendar, as it appears in the LAMP, a great help to me in my work. I have sent no postal cards telling chapters, date of material due this year and up to the present issue only two chapters have failed to get their letters to me on time. I heartily endorse the calendar and recommend that the Council go over it at this meeting and arrange it for the coming year.

On account of there being no March issue I received several inquiries from subscribers not receiving their LAMP, but I am sure it will be all right with all subscribers when they realize why there was no March issue but a Spring Issue instead. This number, the Grand Council Number, makes our fourth issue this year.

I will not go into the financial details of the LAMP, for the Business Manager's report will show this. However, I wish to say that Mr. Banta has used us very squarely and that I always

receive courteous and prompt attention from his company. He has done everything he promised, even allowing your Editor to indulge in her hobby, namely making up the paged dummy.

The Editor wishes to thank the members of the Grand Council for their help and assistance and the Business Manager of the LAMP, also members of the Standing Committee who have helped in many ways with articles. She also wishes to say that Georgia Saylor, the Alumnae Editor of the LAMP, has done a fine piece of work. Her spirit and coöperation have been a great help.

I have a suggestion to make that the treasury of the Grand Council give a stipulated sum yearly to the LAMP. We would not be so financially cramped and could get out a better journal if this were done.

I attended the Editors' Conference at the Panhellenic conference at Chicago in October and I got a great deal from the meetings, as to copy, proof, methods, etc. At this conference a committee was appointed to work on the coöperative Panhellenic magazine idea and I wish to read their report.

A PANHELLENIC MAGAZINE

Last fall at the meeting of editors in Chicago the Editor of the *Alpha Phi Quarterly* presented the idea of a Panhellenic magazine which was received with much interest, and the meeting voiced the wish that a committee be appointed to present the plan to the fraternity world. To that end a committee composed of Miss Frances G. Perkins, Alpha Phi, Miss L. Pearle Green, Kappa Alpha Theta, and Miss Elizabeth Corbett, Kappa Delta, was appointed. Owing to the press of other duties the committee has delayed the report, but it is hereby submitted to the fraternities represented in the National Panhellenic Congress with the request that it be given early publicity.

Our country is at war. Among other lessons that the American people will learn before our boys come home are those of thrift and efficiency. It is to be hoped that we shall learn to apply these lessons to every phase of life. College women should be leaders in these movements and be ready and willing to make such sacrifices as they may require. Fraternity women must carefully scan their own organizations and see if they are slackers in this respect. Already many have given up their conventions, their formal parties, are limiting decorations at banquets, and carefully watching to see that the larder is Hooverized. Quarterly editors, too, have carefully studied the situation and have improved and pruned and omitted material till they feel that they have struck rock bottom in economy without destroying entirely the value of their publications. That we must carefully avoid, because without convention the quarterly be-

comes the main dependence of the fraternity and must be maintained in its efficiency.

Is it not possible to maintain, nay increase the efficiency of the fraternity publication and at the same time effect a great saving in time, which we all need; labor, which is scarce; and material, which is high? Listen to the plan.

There are in National Panhellenic Congress eighteen national women's fraternities. This organization has brought these fraternities in such close touch and worked so long to procure similarity of aims that, practically, we have eighteen large groups of college women fired with the same inspiration and working for the same great ideals. For certainly, each of us is ready to admit that, though results are not obtained in exactly the same way, each fraternity has the same high and noble ambitions expressed by truth, loyalty, education.

Eighteen magazines express these great ideals over and over again, and when we run out of ways of expressing them ourselves, we turn to the publications of our sister fraternities and copy their ideas in our exchanges.

Why, if we are all working for the same ends, as we most certainly are, can we not be big enough to unite in one publication, the best we can make it, edited by a board representing in turn all eighteen fraternities, this board employing and paying competent professional or semi-professional women journalists to write and procure the best literary articles we can get from the whole world of fraternity women?

What shall we gain by this? We shall save the time of many weary editors who now seek and write articles for eighteen quarterlies. Of many weary exchange editors, who laboriously seek through rival editions for material, which is printed and reprinted in magazine after magazine. We shall save the time of printers, which is needed in important government work and will be more and more needed as the war goes on.

We shall save the labor of three-fourths of the people now employed on fraternity magazines, which may be devoted to government service.

We shall save materials—especially paper, we shall save postage, ink, and office supplies now used in bringing to completion eighteen separate and distinct publications all devoted to the interests of one group. All the points might be much further developed, but the idea is merely to make them suggestive enough so that each reader for herself may develop the problem.

What shall we gain beside this saving of time, labor, and materials? A bigger, better, and broader medium for our great ideals. By pooling interests we can afford to employ the best talent in the field and that means efficiency. With the best intentions in the world, amateurs that we are, we can make small claims for the literary value of the articles offered in our publications. They may be and often are inspiring and helpful but they may be much more than this if we have trained people to seek material and put it in shape.

We can afford to have illustrations which many of us are at present omitting partly or entirely, and we shall here avoid the great expense of duplication which occurs each time for instance that a fraternity puts in a

new chapter and in writing the account has plates made for views of the campus. They are never used but once and never by another fraternity although another fraternity the next month desires just such illustrations.

This brings us to objections—of course there are some. Are we to lose the personals of each fraternity? The chapter letters? By no means. If we have not already outgrown this department and it is not for us to say that we have, each fraternity may retain an editor who will prepare this department. When the Panhellenic magazine is bound there will be included with the general literary division, for each fraternity its own department of *alumnæ* news and active chapter letters, illustrated if you please, and charged to the various fraternities, while the general division is pro rated. Nothing will be omitted except much exchange stuff which will be limited entirely to material from men's fraternity magazines.

Yes, it means complicated bookkeeping and a good business manager. It means some sacrifice on the part of the individual fraternity, but it also means that we have outgrown the narrowness of the separate fraternity, that we can see the vision of the greater fraternal ideal, and that we are willing as college and fraternity women to forget petty things, obliterate lines, and help our government and our great, strong body of college fraternity women by adopting this great Panhellenic idea of a common magazine.

Will you support this movement or are you going to take the narrower view and stand out for *your* fraternity magazine? Let's hear your views in your next edition.

FRANCES GAY PERKINS, *Alpha Phi*
L. PEARLE GREEN, *Kappa Alpha Theta*
ELIZABETH CORBETT, *Kappa Delta*.

I should like to have this taken up by the Grand Council and have round-table discussion concerning it.

In November I went to Baton Rouge where I helped install Sigma Chapter. We can all be proud of this chapter and personally I look for them to do big things.

As inspector I have not visited Beta or Xi this year, for as a war measure it was thought best not to visit chapters unless it was absolutely necessary.

In closing I wish to say that my family and I consider it an honor to have the Grand Council meeting at our home and you are more than welcome. I know that I also voice the sentiment of Theta (active) and Gamma (*alumnæ*) Chapters in welcoming you to our city and in our joy in having you with us.

EDITOR'S EXPENSES FROM JULY, 1917, TO JULY, 1918

LAMP

Stamps, supplies, telegrams, etc.....\$ 14.60

Extension

Baton Rouge Installation, Petitioning group at Wittenberg College 86.97

Grand Council

Stamps, supplies, telegrams, telephones, paper, etc. \$ 14.65

Panhellenic

Editor's Conference to Chicago 31.30

Total \$147.52

Respectfully submitted,

AREMA O'BRIEN, *Editor.*

Financial Statement for Delta Zeta Lamp, July 6, 1917, to June 10, 1918

Balance on hand June 6, 1917 \$ 88.12

Receipts

From Grand Treasurer for Secret Issue..\$ 50.00
From advertising 61.00
From active chapter subscriptions 415.15
From alumnae subscriptions 160.75

Total receipts 686.90

Total receipts to date \$775.02

Expenditures

Supplies\$ 4.25
Printing contracts, letters, etc..... 10.25
Postage 19.70
Telegram27
To Georgia Saylor, Alumnae Editor..... 4.50
To Arema O'Brien, Editor..... 14.60
Secret Issue of LAMP, August, 1917..... 255.37
Holiday Issue of LAMP, January, 1918..... 129.60

Total expenditures to date \$438.54

Balance on hand, June 10, 1918 \$336.48

Outstanding bills

George Banta Publishing Co. for Spring
Issue of Lamp, June, 1918..... \$161.67

Money due the LAMP

Kappa Chapter advertising (1916-17 account)\$ 2.50
Theta Chapter advertising (1916-17 account) 13.50
Alpha Chapter subscriptions (1916-17 ac-
count) 5.00
Epsilon Chapter subscriptions (1917-18)..... 15.00
Zeta Chapter (1915-16 account)..... 22.50
Zeta Chapter subscriptions (1917-18)..... 21.00
Omicron Chapter subscriptions (1916-18).... 55.50
Rho renewals due before summer issue
(1918) 18.00

Total money due to date \$153.00

Respectfully submitted,

MADELINE BAIRD, *Business Manager.*

Report of Historian

UP to the present time there are on hand histories from the following chapters: Alpha Beta, Delta, Epsilon (incomplete), Theta, Zeta, Eta, Kappa, Lambda (incomplete), Mu (incomplete), Nu, Xi (incomplete), Omicron (incomplete), Pi, and Rho. Details of founding of new chapters are in my hands also.

Upon receipt of first draft of history from Grand Council last summer, while waiting for histories of Epsilon, Zeta, Theta, and Kappa, which did not arrive until January of this year, I revised and typed the material passed upon by Grand Council. Since January, because of physician's orders, I have not done any work upon the history.

Beside the above revision I collected during the months of September and October data concerning most of the colleges where we have chapters.

Will the Grand Council consider the advisability of publishing in the LAMP from time to time the history of Delta Zeta as I have written it? We can there see how it looks in print and if we should have Mr. Banta print *The History of Delta Zeta*, some arrangement might be made whereby the type might remain set up for the later publication of the history.

Since no very great change has been made in the history since it was submitted to the Grand Council last year, it seems unnecessary to submit it again this year.

What I lack and long for greatly is consultation with some other Delta Zeta girl who has literary judgment and sympathy with my work. Unfortunately there is no one here who fills the bill. Personal conferences are what would help most; written criticisms are disappointing in that the reader does not get a meaning which I have wanted to bring out and which personal discussion would bring out, and a clearer mode of expression would result.

I should be very glad to have the Grand Council decide upon someone to take my place who could bring the history to a more speedy conclusion.

With every good wish for a successful Council meeting,

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH COULTER STEPHENSON.

Report of Registrar

MARCH 20, 1918, TO JUNE 10, 1918

Received from former Registrar	\$107.61
From sale of registers and certificates.....	21.75
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Total receipts to date	\$129.36
Expenditures	
Stationery	\$.75
Postage	2.20
Supplies40
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Total expenditures to date	\$ 3.55
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Balance on hand, June 10, 1918	\$126.01
Outstanding bills	
To Rennie Sebring-Smith for engraving 200 certificates	\$ 6.00
Material on hand	
Certificates	110
Registers	42
Supplements	30

Respectfully submitted,

MADELINE BAIRD, Registrar.

How I wish that I might talk to each of you personally about the vision which I see for the future of Delta Zeta. We are growing steadily and rapidly. The old methods for keeping the records of our membership have been outgrown. We are no longer a small family and in order to keep our bonds as closely drawn as possible there must be a central clearing house for information about each member. We are going to have this information complete and correct and that is where you can help. Yes, I mean YOU, dear reader. This is an individual responsibility. Kindly fill out the blank herewith and add as much additional information about yourself as possible, both while in college and out. Write a whole volume if you like. Tell us about your work, your home, your husband, your children, etc. And remember to send us future details as they occur. Now don't say, "Oh, they know all about me so why send all this" or "I filled out some such blank as this before." Or even some may be so modest as to think they will let someone else report for them. Now the Government is constantly urging us to save in every way, and you will be doing a part of your bit by sending a prompt response and thus

save for us time, effort, and postage. If I have to write a personal letter to each of you it would require thirty dollars to buy the stamps.

Fill out this blank or send the desired information on postal or in a letter to MADELINE BAIRD, REGISTRAR

We are going to have a 315 West Ninth Ave., Columbus, Ohio. we can get the material compiled. This will be the best directory

ever published (business of blushing to cover our modesty). The Registrar

NAME (in full)
Last name first. If married give husband's name and initial.

personal experience. Two Delta Zetas lived, nearly every day for ten weeks and she didn't know it until several months later. She owned a directory

too, as STREET listed every page of it but it was not complete. Do you want to be left out of this coming directory? No, of

course not. Well then get your pen and write at once. Please write CITY printer name and address. STATE to be in our

correct recording.

MADELINE BAIRD, Registrar

YOUR OCCUPATION

BUSINESS ADDRESS (if different from above)

CHAPTER DATE OF INITIATION

YEAR OF GRADUATION

If not a graduate, to what class did you belong? (as "ex-'12")
REMARKS:

Please see that your name and address are just as you wish them to appear in the directory. If more than one address is given, indicate how you wish your mail sent.

save for us time, effort, and postage. If I have to write a personal letter to each of you it would require thirty dollars to buy the stamps alone. Are you surprised? Yes, Delta Zeta has been growing.

We are going to have a new directory this fall, as soon as ever we can get the material compiled. This will be the best directory ever published (business of blushing to cover our modesty). The Registrar realizes the importance of a reliable directory from a personal experience. Didn't she pass the place in Chicago, where two Delta Zetas lived, nearly every day for ten weeks and she didn't know it until several months later. She owned a directory too, and had consulted every page of it but it was not complete. Do you want to be left out of this coming directory? No, of course not. Well then get your pen and write at once. Please write plainly, printing name and address if necessary to insure its correct recording.

MADELINE BAIRD, *Registrar*.

Report of Treasurer

BALANCE SHEET FOR DELTA ZETA FRATERNITY FOR PERIOD ENDING JUNE 4, 1918

ASSETS

Furniture and Fixtures	\$	45.00
Delta Zeta Binders		185.63
Notes Receivable		
Epsilon Chapter		100.00
Accounts Receivable		
Active Chapters		138.59
Alumnæ Chapters		10.00
Alumnæ Dues		1208.50
Pin Rebates		99.00
Cash on Hand		380.84
Advances to Account Traveling Expenses		160.00
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		\$2,327.56

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	\$	\$	00.00
Extension Fund	125.00		
Loan Fund			12.00
Surplus			2440.56
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	125.00		2452.56
			125.00
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			\$2327.56

EXPLANATION OF ITEMS IN BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Furniture and fixtures consists of a typewriter bought by the fraternity for use of Grand President.

Two hundred sixty-nine dollars and sixty-three cents was paid for Delta Zeta binders for the chapters. Eighty-four dollars has been received from the chapters in payment. Four chapters have not as yet paid and twenty-three binders are yet to be distributed.

The \$100 was loaned Epsilon Chapter because of a fire in fall of 1917.

At time of this balance sheet \$138.59 was yet to be received from active chapters, Alpha, Mu, Nu, and Omicron, and five dollars each from alumnæ chapters, Zeta and Iota.

And now please note the appalling sum due to Delta Zeta Fraternity from alumnæ, \$1,208.50. That is according to the card catalogue given me by your former treasurer. The catalogue is not up to date and this amount will be increased considerably as soon as I can learn the names of all

alumnæ who owe just one dollar a year to the fraternity. Alumnæ, please remit without further notice.

The \$99 is the rebate due Delta Zeta from Burr Patterson on ninety-nine regulation pins sold from February 1 to June 1, 1918. This goes to our Loan Fund.

The \$380.84 is the actual amount of cash on hand at the time I received the books.

The \$160 was an advance to Grand President for traveling expenses.

LIABILITIES

We have at this time no outstanding accounts.

The Extension Fund owes to National Treasury \$125, which amount had been forwarded to defray extension expenses.

There is at this time in treasury \$12 for the Loan Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRTLE GRAETER MALOTT,
Grand Treasurer.

BALANCE SHEET OF DELTA ZETA FRATERNITY FOR AUGUST 21, 1918

ASSETS

Furniture and Fixtures	\$ 45.00
Delta Zeta Binders	185.63
Notes Receivable	
Epsilon Chapter	100.00
Accounts Receivable	
Active Chapters	45.50
Alumnæ Chapters	10.00
Alumnæ Dues	1,178.50
Pin Rebates	00.00
Cash on Hand	310.63
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	\$1,875.26

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	\$ 00.00
Extension Fund	\$233.63
Loan Fund	131.25
Surplus	1977.64
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	\$1875.26

EXPLANATION OF ITEMS IN AUGUST 21 BALANCE SHEET

Furniture and fixtures, Delta Zeta binders, and notes receivable are same as explained in June balance sheet.

Forty-five fifty is still due from Alpha active and five dollars each from Zeta and Iota alumnae.

Thirty dollars has been received since June 4 for alumnae dues leaving a balance of \$1,178.50 still due.

Cash on hand is \$310.63. Since June 4, 1917, I have received:

By Loan Fund	
Rebate on Pins	\$105.00
Donation	14.25
By Extension Fund	
An Alumna Initiation	15.00
Tau Chapter	110.10
Extension Fund Chairman	30.93
By Fraternity Dues	
Active Chapters	93.09
Alumnae	30.00
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	\$398.37

DISBURSEMENTS

To Extension	
Tau Chapter	\$167.67
Pittsburgh Inspection	59.28
Denver Inspection	27.71
Washington Inspection	10.00
To Fraternity Dues	
Council Meeting Expense	171.12
Examination Committee Expense	32.80
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	\$468.58

LIABILITIES

There are no accounts payable.

Extension Fund now owes \$233.63 to the fraternity.

\$119.25 has been added to Loan Fund by rebates and donations so it now has \$131.25.

Respectfully submitted,
MYRTLE GRAETER MALOTT,
Grand Treasurer.

Report of Chairman of Finance Committee

IN August, 1917, forty binders with fillers were purchased in Denver, Colorado, for a uniform system of bookkeeping for the chapters of the Delta Zeta Fraternity. These forms were selected after a year of study of advanced methods used by other organizations. The last of August and first of September were spent in sending a complete binder and letter of explanation to each of the chapter treasurers. All chapters did not respond to the urgent letters and entreaties to cooperate. The following is a chart which shows the months for which chapter reports have been received, not all of which were received on schedule time.

			Surplus or Deficit
	Assets	Liability	
Alpha	\$152.66	\$ 6.00	\$146.66
Beta	237.04	72.00	165.04
Delta	39.66	22.50	17.16
Epsilon			
Zeta	103.35	130.39	27.04
Theta	285.33	76.59	211.74
Iota			
Kappa			
Lambda	76.75	20.63	56.12
Mu			
Nu	71.46		71.46
Xi	41.20	9.00	32.20
Omicron			
Pi	111.50	56.00	54.50
Rho			
Sigma	71.57	124.00	52.43

DISCUSSION OF REPORTS

ALPHA—Because of university ruling Alpha uses only voucher checks and monthly statements and not complete system. Reports have been received quite regularly and show a surplus.

BETA—No reports were received until February. Then all delinquent reports for the year came in. Beta has had more voucher checks sent to her and her reports show a surplus.

DELTA—Reports have been received regularly and more forms have been sent. Delta does not seem to be able to get much of a surplus but does not fall in debt.

EPSILON—One report was received in October. No response after that, though several letters were sent.

THETA—It was a long time before any reports were received, but now splendid reports showing a surplus are received.

IOTA—Regular, splendid reports with fair surplus are received.

KAPPA—Absolutely no report whatsoever until June. All delinquent reports for the whole year are promised me this month.

LAMBDA—Regular, prompt reports with fair surplus are received.

MU—At first regular reports were received, but owing to sickness and death in the treasurer's family the last reports have been neglected.

NU—Splendid regular reports are received. As Nu does not run a house and has very little expense she shows a large surplus in comparison with her needs.

XI—Fair reports with fair surplus. More forms have been sent.

OMICRON—No response whatsoever and do not receive answers to letters.

PI—Splendid reports with good surplus are received.

RHO—No reports received. In May received a letter saying that last year's treasurer did not get started but next year's would.

SIGMA—Good reports received but chapter bought furniture for which they are still in debt.

ZETA—Of all chapters, Zeta has been the most prompt. Her reports come in splendid condition, though she seems to have a great deal of difficulty in meeting expenses. I have not discovered the cause. More forms have been sent.

DISCUSSION OF SYSTEM AND RECOMMENDATIONS

In May a request was sent to each chapter, Alpha excepted, since she does not have a complete system, requesting each treasurer to give her idea of the system. Nearly every chapter replied that it required too much time for the average college girl. It would not if completely and thoroughly understood. The best remedy for that would be a thirty-minute conference with each treasurer, which is impossible, I suppose. I have had such a conference with two treasurers. On further investigation I find that the amount of time required is large because the treasurer's reports do not balance and she has to trace out her error. Therefore the

system is not at fault, and it seems to me all the more reason that such a system of checking should be used. Several chapters, Zeta and Pi especially, have felt that the extra work was well worth the time.

Delta recommends an assistant treasurer to take money and write receipts, so that only the posting of books is left for the treasurer. The assistant treasurer would become treasurer the following year. The idea is a good one but I should recommend that it should be a local one and each chapter adopt it or not as she sees fit.

Epsilon and Kappa cannot get coöperation. Epsilon has always had three distinct treasurers or managers and three sets of books and Kappa would not combine fraternity duties with those of rent and board. The inefficiency and undesirability of such a system is readily seen.

Lambda recommends that the checks be made smaller as the bank objects. The checks are of uniform width but are a little longer to fit the binder. Many and varied are the checks received each day in a bank and ours, if folded neatly, should cause no extra inconvenience.

In summarizing, I should say the main objection from all chapters was the amount of time required. This I feel sure can be adjusted next year as it should take no treasurer any longer than two or three hours monthly to post her books and send in her report. Almost any treasurer can do it in two hours' time, which means in a month of four weeks, five days each, six minutes a day must be given over to the financial side of Delta Zeta. With as many personal conferences as possible and more coöperation the difficulty can be overcome.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRTLE MALOTT,

Chairman of Finance Committee.

Extension Fund Report

MAY 25, 1918

Balance on hand July, 1917\$ 83.69

RECEIPTS

Alpha 23.00

Beta 12.00

Delta 31.00

Epsilon 1.00

Zeta 1.00

Theta 5.00

Kappa 2.00

Lambda 5.00

Mu 12.00

Xi 10.00

Iota Alumnae Chapter 1.00

Loan from National Treasury 125.00

Total\$311.69

DISBURSEMENTS

Clara Belle Hoffman, Ext. for Rho 5.29

Helen Lane, postage for committee 10.00

H. E. Clingman, stationery for Eastern Ext. Chairman 8.25

Rennie Smith, installation trip to Baton Rouge 74.75

Singmaster Printing for Ext. Printing 6.75

Arema O'Brien—Baton Rouge 77.62

Mrs. C. E. Shugart—Baton Rouge 25.00

Edna Thoreen—Illinois Ext. 10.45

Myrtle Malott—Baton Rouge 19.30

Margaret Taylor—Baton Rouge 25.00

Leta Browning—Wisconsin 17.00

Florence Drury—Wisconsin 5.00

\$284.41

Balance on hand May 25, 1918

\$ 27.28

HELEN A. LANE, *Chairman.*

Delta Zeta Examination

AVERAGES BY CHAPTERS

Chapters 1916-1917

Pi	99.34
Rho	99.00
Xi	97.05
Epsilon	96.54
Mu	96.28
Delta	95.60
Iota	94.36
Lambda	93.75
Kappa	92.88
Zeta	92.60
Theta	92.36
Alpha	91.73
Beta	91.15
Nu	90.00
Omicron	84.35
GENERAL AVERAGE	93.79

Chapters 1917-1918

Sigma	98.58
Epsilon	97.50
Xi	96.65
Zeta	96.76
Pi	96.46
Lambda	95.81
Iota	95.75
Beta	95.30
Rho	94.77
Delta	94.62
Kappa	94.58
Alpha	93.51
Theta	91.77
Mu	90.81
Nu	90.80
Omicron	90.16
GENERAL AVERAGE	94.61

Respectfully submitted,

FAYETTE DAVIS, *Chairman*,

MARY HELEN CAMERON,

ETHEL KING BATES.

ALPHA CHAPTER

Average—93.51

Pledges

Ruth Wilkinson	100
Dorothy M. Bertch	100
Mary Jo Gregory	100
Shirley Simonson	99
Agnes Wolfstein	98
Margaret Finley	97
Ruth Switzer	95
Hilda Manley	94
Mary Frances Trauter	92
Elizabeth Lyman	92
Margaret Birchard	70

Freshmen and Sophomores

Margaret Henderson	100
Dorothy M. Bertch	99
Ruth Wilkinson	99

Mary Frances Trauter	99
Hortense Wilkinson	97
Hazel Brandenburg	96
Pauline Holt	94
Miriam Weber	94
Margaret Finley	90
Shirley Simonson	88
Ruth Allen	82
Elizabeth Lyman	81
Mara Scott	78

Junior

Merle McDonnell	99
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Seniors

Ernestine Cookson	98
Mary Willey	94

BETA CHAPTER

Average—95.3

Pledges

Constance Stone Fender	100
Dorothy Stewart	99
Marcelle Pendery	98
Idella H. Pforr	98
Constance Huhn	82

Freshmen and Sophomores

Helene Gerber	98
Marcelle Pendery	98
Constance Stone Fender	97
Constance Huhn	94
Elizabeth Blake	93
Madeline Guffanti	92
Dorothy Stewart	92
Idella H. Pforr	88

Juniors

Marie Clark	100
Marita Oelliers	100
Dorothy A. Balliett	99
Ida Raffloer	99
Dorothy Chapman	98
Agnes Diel	98
Cecelia Coad	95

Seniors

Margaret Chapman	95
Margaret Luckings	90
Margaret Low	89

DELTA CHAPTER

Average—94.62

Pledges

Mary H. Stevens	100
Marietta Clearwaters	98
Helen Hendricks	97
Irene Caldwell	97
Enid Barracks	96
Ruth E. Robertson	96
Valeria Mohler	96
Nora E. Miller	95
Doris Lalley	94
Meda Estelle Dodd	93
Lucille Washburn	91
Pauline Edwards	91
Norma A. Terrill	90
Valeria Johnson	86
Kathleen Crowder	80
Ruby Foster	71

Freshmen and Sophomores

Marietta Clearwaters	99
Ruth E. Robertson	99
Doris Lalley	99
Nora E. Miller	99
Bertha Brown	99

Irene Caldwell	98
Leora Hahn	98
Helen Hendricks	97
Valeria Mohler	97
Valeria M. Johnson	96
Esther Mooney	96
Marion Thrush	96
Meda Estelle Dodd	95
Lucille Washburn	95
Ruby Foster	95

Juniors

Tressie Jeffries	100
Ethel Martin	99
Pauline Edwards	97
Ruth Miller	95
Vesta Gregory	92
Kathleen Crowder	91

Seniors

Gladys Yarbrough	95
Hazle Spore	94
Ruth May Railsback	93

EPSILON CHAPTER

Average—97.50

Pledges

Hester M. Fredenberg	100
Josephine Stengel	100
Dorothy Simering	99
Alma Davis	99
Helen Wortman	97
Dorothy Hope Hodges	97
Luella Agger	96
Leah Yenne	95
Frances Fields	90

Freshmen and Sophomores

Charlotte B. Wheeler	100
Luella Agger	100
Eva Glen Alsmann	99
Ruth E. Simering	99
Helen Wortman	98
Harriet Current	98

Fern Riley	97
Dorothy Simering	97
Josephine Stengel	97
Helen R. Craft	96
Emma Kathryn Schmidt	96
Leah Yenne	96
Dorothy Hope Hodges	94

Juniors

Blanche Penrod	100
Grace Esther Mason	100
Mabel Robbins	99

Seniors

Elsie Calvin	98
Jane Durrenberger	97
Hazel Peake	96

ZETA CHAPTER

Average—96.76

Pledges

Sadie Phyllis Rothholz	99
Besse Ertel	98
Myrtis J. Downing	98
Josephine Graves	98
Florence Snow	98
Gertrude E. De Sautelle	96
Dorris E. Nichols	93

Freshmen and Sophomores

Sadie Phyllis Rothholz	99
Mabel MacAdam	99
Vernice Wolfe	99
Roma J. Mitchell	99
Ruth Ellinghusen	97
Florence Snow	97
Myrtis J. Downing	96

Besse Ertel	95
Gladys Enyeart	95
Vinta Harrell	95
Hazel Stewart	91

Juniors

Nina Hull	98
Gertrude E. De Sautelle	94

Seniors

Mary Alice Davey	98
Blanche Higgins	98
Esther Ellinghusen	98
Josephine Graves	98
Vesta Mawe	96
Grace Nichols	94

THETA CHAPTER

Average—91.77

Pledges

Helen Crooks	100
Amy Dunn	98
Anna K. Young	98

Fay E. Parmenter	98
Frances Brandt	93
Carolyn Trebel	90
Dorothy Boyd	88

Winifred Dickson	85	Elizabeth Joyce	80
Elma Vollrath	83		
Ruth Colton	76		
<i>Freshmen and Sophomores</i>			
Marcia Abbott	96	Marion Poppen	98
Wilma L. Trappe	96	Helen A. McKinney	98
Mildred M. Foureman	94	Margaret Neff	96
Ernestine Hunter	85		
		<i>Seniors</i>	
		No papers received.	

IOTA CHAPTER

Average—95.75

<i>Pledges</i>		<i>Juniors</i>	
Frances Garriss	97	Myrna Boyce	99
Edythe Saylor	92	Edythe Saylor	98
		Geneva Wiles	97
		Helen M. Holmes	97
<i>Freshmen and Sophomores</i>		Lucile Matyk	95
Bess Goodykuntz	97	Ethel Boyce	95
Ethel Verry	96		
Frances Garriss	95	<i>Senior</i>	
		Bernice Cole	91

KAPPA CHAPTER

Average—94.58

<i>Pledges</i>		<i>Juniors</i>	
Frances Parker	100	Catherine Parker	98
Marie Parker	100	Frances Parker	98
Verne Hall	100	Viola Rawls	98
Ruby Hutchinson	99	Consuelo Welty	97
Catherine Parker	95	Beatrice Fryer	96
Frances Broocke	90	Dorothy Morehouse	72
Grace Davis	70		
<i>Freshmen and Sophomores</i>		<i>Seniors</i>	
Frances Skagerlind	100	Mabel Kennedy	98
Alice Parchman	100	Virginia F. Smith	98
Verne Hall	97	Christine Pollard	98
Carlotta Elliott	97	Martha R. Johnson	95
Frances Broocke	91	Esther Campbell	95
		Pansy Hutchinson	88

LAMBDA CHAPTER

Average—95.81

<i>Pledges</i>			
Celia Lorange	100	Edith Wakefield	99
Dorothy A. Gleason	100	Marjorie Teasley	98
Norma West	99	Verna Davidson	98
		Lyle Hoag	95

Freshmen and Sophomores

Dorothy A. Gleason	100
Marjorie Teasley	99
Norma West	99
Pearl Parkhurst	96
Ruby Parkhurst	95
Leah McIntyre	93
Celia Lorange	90
Ada Robertson	86

Juniors

Norma West	100
Evalene Kramer	100
Edythe Wilson	95
Lenore Edgerton	86

Seniors

Frances Keneaster	97
Edith Parkhurst	93
Leona Mae Hoag	90



MU CHAPTER

Average—90.84

Pledges

Miriam F. Tilley	100
Margaret L. Stein	98
Dorothy Stemm	92
Lisette Reinle	90
Mary M. Watts	87
Mildred Sellars	80
Phillis Vanstrum	80
Helen Day Atkinson	78
Elizabeth Walter	78
Margaret Pope	78
Elizabeth McMillan	76

Sophomores

Birdie Fowler	100
Bernice Hutchinson	98
Helen Shea	96
Gladys Gerrish	96
Marion Boyd	84

Juniors

Helen Harris	97
Mildred Swanson	97
Dora McKinlay	95
Carolyn Tilley	94
Wilma Walton	86
Beatrice Whittlesey	76

Seniors

Elsa Jaeggi	98
Eleanor Jennings	97
Helen Nutting	96
Margo Sheppa	96
Edith Ueland	96
Mary Esther Hamilton	96

Freshmen

Margaret Pope	100
Lisette Reinle	98
Mildred Sellars	96
Miriam F. Tilley	94
Margaret Stein	91
Elizabeth Walter	91
Dorothy Stemm	90
Elizabeth McMillan	90
Helen Day Atkinson	89
Mary M. Watts	85
Phillis Van Strum	84

NU CHAPTER

Average—90.80

Pledges

Helen M. Boyer	92
Gladys Roberts	85

Freshmen

Moree Ring	92
Helen M. Boyer	92

Sophomores

Naoma Robbins	96
Mary Jane Ellis	90

Seniors

Florence M. Sharer	95
Marian Mowry	94
Esther Baflard	87
Irene Anderson	85

XI CHAPTER

Average—96.65

Pledges

Charlotte Walker	100
Margaret E. Huenefeld	100
Ruth Seifried	97
Frances Ruthledge	97
Louise Lilly	90
Arlie M. Daniels	90

Juniors

Catherine Coldewey	100
Katharine Kreidler	99
Charlene Culbertson	99
Marjorie Miller	98
Katharine Jamieson	98
Arlie M. Daniels	98

Freshmen

Charlotte Walker	100
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Seniors

<i>Sophomores</i>		<i>Seniors</i>	
Elaine De Beck	100	Alene Mossmyer	97
Mary Elisabeth Kramer	99	Madge Elsinger	96
Katherine Keating	98	Adeline Seifried	95
Louise Lilly	97	Louise Dohrmann	94
Catharine Swing	97	Marjorie MacNaughtan	94
Frances Rutledge	96	Vivien Millar	93
		Grace M. Seifried	92

OMICRON CHAPTER

Average—90.16

Pledges

Gweneth Morgan	99
Isabel Porter	99
Margaret Boyd	99
Marie Frederick	99
Ethel Stewart	98
Elsie Jane Neff	98
Nell Goslin	97
Bess Davis	96
Dorothy A. Vogeley	94
Pauline Scanlon	88
Ida A. Kirch	86
Elizabeth Richardson	77
Margery Kinkaid	73
Elizabeth Hulton	70
Catharine Luther	70

Freshmen and Sophomores

Henrietta Yates	95
Angelyn Rea	83
Margaret Boyd	80

Juniors

Helen P. Rush	100
Dorothy Jean Wigman	100
Elizabeth Elma Perkins	97
Sadie Kirch	95
Marion E. Clark	93
Edna June Gray	71

Senior

Margaret H. Ralston	97
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PI CHAPTER

Average—96.46

Pledges

Juanita Claire Slinyard	100
Mildred Kesler	100
Gladys M. Stubblefield	100
Camilla Darnall	100
Ada Spencer	100
Lucy Palmer	98
Hazel Bacon	98
Elizabeth Yates	95
Pauline Burner	92
Maud Marie Leonard	90
Alma Tool	80

Ada Spencer	98
Lois Maurine Pickett	96
Marguerite Burner	95
Hazel Bacon	95
Maud Marie Leonard	94

Juniors

Esther Ferne Culp	100
Gertrude M. Snook	100
Ella M. Snook	100
Gladys M. Stubblefield	99
Mary Wallace	97

Freshmen and Sophomores

Ermine Stevenson	100
Lucy Palmer	98
Catharine Wilson	98

Seniors

Vera Bacon	93
Helen Coleman	92

Average—94.77

RHO CHAPTER

Pledges

Jean Marie Wallace	99
Kathryn Willis	99
Maybelle Walker	99
Juneta Van Burg	99
Lyndall May Monroe	98
Lois Mildred Hagan	98
Belle Hayes	94
Ida Best	93

Belle Hayes	99
Kathryn Willis	99
Martha P. Ford	95
Lyndall May Monroe	92
Melva John	87
Florence Kellogg	86

Junior

Ruth Casey	84
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Seniors

Grace Stueland	100
Jean Marie Wallace	99
Ida Best	99

Charlotte Thompson	95
Florence H. Gustafson	95
Helen M. Fry	90
Lillian Eloise Gardner	86

SIGMA CHAPTER

Average—98.58

Pledges

Catherine Winters	100
Alys Louise Sutton	100
Ella May Atkins	100
Oma Atkins	100
Anna Belle Atkins	100
Mildred Tucker	100

Mabel M. Miller	100
Gladys Bacon	100
Gladys Means	100
Thelma Wilson	100
Amy Davidson	100
Irma Scott	100
Persis Means	100

Augusta Walsh	99	Oma Atkins	99
Josie Burris	99	Belle Atkins	99
Edith Barrett	99	Persis Means	95
Earle Hope	99		
Opal Kearby	97		
Laura Powers	97		
		<i>Juniors</i>	
		Thelma Wilson	100
		Gladys Bacon	100
		Edith Barrett	98
		Gladys Means	92
<i>Freshmen and Sophomores</i>		<i>Seniors</i>	
Earle Hope	100	Irma Scott	95
Alys Sutton	100	Catherine Winters	93
Opal Kearby	100	Mildred Tucker	91
Amy Davidson	100		
Laura Powers	100		

Songbook

THE Songbook is a reality. In a few months from now with the coöperation of all, a fair sized package will come *humming* to your door. One way that will make it come sooner is to send all material in *at once*. I am sorry some is still due, I know you will bear with me if I have to ask some of you more than once but some get lost before they ever reach me.

Another way everyone can help is to send two dollars with name and address to the Songbook Editor, Anne Younger, Chalmers, Ind. This amount covers all expense, that is, the book comes to you with postage prepaid.

I want to thank you all for what you have done for it certainly is appreciated. Anyone who has an original or knows of any original songs will be doing the Songbook Committee a great favor if they will let us know.

Songbook subscriptions due.

ANNE YOUNGER, *Songbook Editor*.

Grand Council Frosted with Funnies

WE all know the Grand Council as a serious, august assembly. We love them because by their ability they govern this fraternity of ours. Nevertheless they see as many humorous things in life as we—many amusing things this week in Ohio.

It seemed to be a query why the Grand President and Grand Secretary should come from Chicago to Columbus in a stateroom while two ordinary delegates came through with no money, even riding all day with only one meal. That didn't seem like our Grand President and Secretary to be so extravagant. Finally this solution was found to be true. The train was very crowded and all that was left was one upper berth. Very much abashed the Grand Secretary said there wasn't room for her up there after the Grand President got in. Even our grand officers are very polite, all showing due respect to the Grand President.

Another curious thing that caused much amusement was the bold face that Delta Chapter put on. She had many delegates there but they all came dead broke. You see the three cent law just went into effect.

One of the grand officers whose home had been in the South for a few months and who had been married two-thirds of a year was still quite fond of her husband, Carl. I suppose he was jealous of the Delta Zeta Fraternity because they were taking his Myrtle from him. I heard much talk of a southern drink called "absent." As I understood some had tasted sparingly of it. This fond husband was going to send the Grand Council a big taste. Providence certainly stepped in, because I have since learned it is a deadly poison.

This is a secret so be careful. One of the delegates had been told where she was to stay but had never seen the place. About midnight she was driven to the home of Mrs. Campbell, who is assistant superintendent of the blind institute. This delegate was led through marble halls, up broad stairs, and shown to a spacious room with all modern conveniences. When the door closed she turned to her friend who had been there before and with wonder and fear asked if they were in Buckingham Palace.

The only stunt given by those attending Grand Council meeting was a mock Council meeting. For this purpose people were carefully selected as to size, voice, clothing, and ability to talk. The meeting was called to order by an exact counterfit president. She called upon the Grand Treasurer for a defense of her financial system. We learned that by actual figuring it only took so many minutes per day, per week, per month, etc. The Editor of the LAMP with her glasses astride her finger, as usually worn, took the notes carefully. The Grand Secretary *pro tem* after cleaning her white shoes during the discussion as she had seen the real one do, with hands in her pockets gave a short, effective address on borrowing clothes. She spoke at length on the idea of keeping one's clothes in their proper place. This talk was occasioned by the delegates being appointed daily to go to the Grand President's and Secretary's room and separate their clothing.

A. Y.

WRITE TO REGISTRAR TODAY

Trenches Dig For Women

Extracts from an Address by Miss Harriet E. Vittum, of Chicago, at the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Committee, Ohio Branch, Council of National Defense, June 6, 1918

THE women of America must realize that we have only just begun. We would willingly go side by side with our boys to the end, but this we cannot do. We have our trenches here and must as definitely enlist for service. We must "go over the top" not once but again and again and again.

We have already done some things toward food conservation and production. But in Poland there are no children left under five, few under eight years old. Yet there are men in America with sons in France, who insist upon having their bacon for breakfast, and women with sons in France, who will not use wheat substitutes. This, in spite of the fact that it is generally known that the Italian army fought for two days without food and was beaten only because it had to fall back to the bread line.

We have done something for the Red Cross, but still many of us "haven't time," though nurses are dressing the wounds of our sons with mud and moss or washed-out bandages that may cause infection. We are not knitting because the weather is too warm, though boys froze their feet in the trenches last winter for lack of stockings.

And there are other trenches in which we have done almost nothing. These have to do with women in industry, with the maintenance of social service agencies, with health and recreation.

We must stand guard over our child labor laws and those protecting our women workers. England at first forgot the human element, and, in her great need for munitions, worked men and women fifteen to eighteen hours a day. Her output decreased until she couldn't get a decent day's work from anyone. She has now the most stringent labor laws in the world. France in the midst of war has had to revise her labor laws again and again. The wonderful efficiency of Germany and France at the beginning of the war was due to the fact that they had prepared for war in times of peace. Now in times of war we must be mobilizing an army of industry for peace times—an army which shall be efficient, healthy, and happy.

Our agencies for social service must be maintained. "Our America is safe, we know now, in the hands of our foreign-born men. Are their families safe in our hands?" Even as the men have donned the same uniform and gone out each to do the same things for his country, so we must go with the uniform of American citizenship and carry to foreign women in their homes American ideals and language and customs.

The government has called upon the best architects and sanitary experts to build its cantonments. But tens of millions of children grow up in rooms without light and air. Only one city, Grand Rapids, Michigan, and one state, New York, have a real housing law. We cannot have an efficient army for peace in the future unless we demand legislation to secure as decent living conditions for our children as the government demands for our army.

Milk, not beer, or tea, or coffee, is the only proper food for children. This we have taught the tenement woman for years, but now the price of milk makes it prohibitive. Means must be found to bring it within the reach of all. Every woman, rich and poor alike, must learn the lesson of better food and better health.

Our public schools must truly become the backbone of democracy. Mr. Prosser, of the Society for the Promotion of Industrial Education, says that at the beginning of the war Germany had 40,000 trained welders. After three years of war, she has 60,000, recruited from crippled soldiers trained in her public schools. The United States has between 10,000 and 12,000 welders and only half of them trained. Does that account for part of our slowness in ship-building? If so, it has been a costly mistake. We must have vocational training and vocational guidance, so that every child may be fitted to earn his living most efficiently and most happily.

Recreation has appeared as a new problem, because America is the only nation trying to keep its people clean morally while at war. As the government controls the camp, it asks us to keep our communities clean. Every city and every small town has its girls to protect. In some way, we must make of every girl and every home a constructive force for clean living. We must give them a vision of life that will make them ready to receive their men who come back from the largest vision of life that the world has ever known.

For all this work, we *must* have money. We shall have to give and give and give. We need expert leaders for social service to take the place of those who have gone into Red Cross or war work attracted by larger salaries. We *must* maintain our hospitals. All warring countries prove that war has increased the amount of civilian sickness. We must build hundreds of new hospitals to care for the sick and crippled and insane men who come back.

We *must* give for child welfare. England in spite of the war has lowered her infant death rate. New Zealand, with the lowest infant mortality, has not increased her death rate. America, three thousand miles away and almost untouched by the war, has allowed her infant death rate to increase. One baby out of three dies needlessly. We must save 100,000 babies this year from needless death.

We *must* have training courses in schools for social workers. All warring nations report a great increase in juvenile delinquency. Cook County, Illinois, the home of the juvenile court, has an increase of 34% at the end of the first year of war. Trained workers must be had. Untrained workers are dangerous.

This is our job here at home. If we do it as well as the men do theirs at the front we shall have learned, at the end of the war, a new American language, shall know all women as sisters, shall have a new vision of American ideals, shall be one—even as now our men are one.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Miss Vittum gave the address at the Panhellenic luncheon when Panhellenic was in session at Chicago last October.

Tau Chapter, University of Wisconsin

AT last our dreams are realized and we are the proud possessors of a chapter at the University of Wisconsin. It is unnecessary to devote any space to comments on the history of the university for its reputation has spread from coast to coast and any fraternity is proud to have on its chapter roll a group from Wisconsin.

The later years of Delta Zeta have been so absorbed in strengthening our already existing chapters and in rejecting or granting petitions to anxious groups that our eyes were not turned to this particular university. It remained for Esther Mooney of Delta Chapter in her unassuming manner to discover this group through a friend of hers in the university just at the time when the girls were desirous of petitioning a national fraternity. So Esther went to Madison to visit these girls. It was a great delight to her when she learned that Delta Zeta was recommended to this group by the dean of women. Thus the work of petitioning began. The first two weeks of December Esther spent with these girls, assisting and encouraging them in their preliminary steps.

Our most capable extension chairman of this district, Florence Drury of Indianapolis, began correspondence with the group and in February sent Leta Browning, an alumna of Alpha Chapter who lives in Battle Creek, Michigan, to officially inspect this group. The same report came from her that the group was composed of representative girls who would be a creditable addition to any fraternity.

To some of us who were suspicious as to the possibility of a strong chapter in a university with thirteen existing fraternities, Leta presented the following convincing argument: that there were over 2,000 girls, all fraternities were overcrowded, some having fifty members and several using annexes to their houses. The fraternities in bidding new members were confined almost entirely to sisters and relatives making it almost impossible for girls to be taken in who were not in some way "related."

So there seemed to be ample room for Delta Zeta. Leta reported that she felt that she had had opportunity to really know the girls for she was with them when they tore up their rooms, selected their new quarters, and heard them discuss "new pros-

pects" among the girls. So as Leta said, "What more could be said?"

Toward the last of April material began coming in to our office and the formal petition finally arrived. Word came to me from our National Secretary that she had sent out the petition material and hoped to have the votes in by the last of May as the group was most anxious to be installed immediately after the close of college. I was very dubious over the possibility of installing a chapter in such post haste, but Miss Sebring-Smith assured me by wire that if I left the matter to her, she would "put it through."

Put it through she did, but I travelled from California to Indiana in wild suspense not having heard yet the result. But we who have seen our Secretary with hands in her pockets, beginning an argument on some weighty subject, have grown to realize that she will accomplish what she has attempted.

The details of the trip and of our visit in Madison are included in another report, so I will not dwell on that. Despite the fact that we conducted our installation services during the week of final examinations, we were able to become fairly well acquainted with our new sisters.

They are girls of pleasing personalities, of splendid families; are representative girls on the college campus and have proven in every way worthy of the best Delta Zeta has to offer them, and so to our newest chapter, Tau at the University of Wisconsin, we extend our heartiest welcome and we are confident that each member of this new group will live up to our expectations.

MARTHA LOUISE RAILSBACK.

Report of the Installing Officers for Tau Chapter of Delta Zeta, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin

ON the evening of the sixth of June, the following left Indianapolis for Madison: Martha Louise Railsback, Rennie Sebring-Smith, Florence Drury, and Ruth May Railsback. We were met in Chicago by Anne Younger. This group made quite a merry party and I am glad to state that we had a most enjoyable trip. We arrived in Madison via Northwestern at 12:55, June 7. We were met at the station by Helen Collins, Goldes Kischel, and Gladys Marquardt and were driven at once to the Delta Zeta

rooms. After a conference with Mrs. Rosenberry, dean of women, at which time we were given a brief outline of fraternity conditions and the statement of the recent turmoil which has resulted from several of the prominent girls of the leading fraternities withdrawing from their respective fraternities and petitioning that fraternities be abolished at Wisconsin. After securing the signed permit from the registrar, we proceeded with the pledge service.

This service was held at the home of Thelma Jones. The girls who were formally pledged to membership in the Delta Zeta Fraternity were Nina Mann, Gladys Eugenia Marquardt, Helen Collins, Thelma Jones, Annette Walker, Goldes Kischel, Margaret McMeans, Frances H. Latimer, Dorothy Smart, and Mildred E. Chichester.

At seven-thirty, Florence Drury met with the pledges to discuss finances, and to complete the plans for Saturday's work. They discussed briefly the cost of installation, the amount of money left in their own treasury, local dues, pledge fees, etc. A committee was appointed to formulate a tentative budget for the next year. Arrangements were made to help the girls hunt houses for next year.

They looked at and discussed Delta Zeta jewelry. Following this conference, Anne Younger gave the pledges their fraternity examination.

Saturday morning the Grand President held individual conferences with the girls of the chapter; a few details of these were as follows:

Frances Hamilton Latimer, freshman, Mellen, Wisconsin. She reported to be specializing in history. Said she had been interested in Delta Zeta through a personal friend of Esther Mooney, namely Elva Allen who might be known as the real founder of Tau Chapter of Delta Zeta but who left college on account of health and grades. Frances is a daughter of a wealthy lumber merchant. Is able and courageous as well as refined and cultured.

Mildred Chichester, freshman, Great Falls, Iowa. Clever, witty, most attractive. Much interested in music. Member of girls' glee club.

Annette Walker, sophomore, Grand Junction, Colorado. attended Colorado College. Interested in Delta Zeta by Helen Collins. Very affable, popular with everyone she knows.

Nina Mann, junior, Lake Benton, Minnesota. Transferred from Pomona College, California. Attractive, tall, capable. Member of several Social committees.

Margaret McMeans, junior, 2407 Rock Island St., Davenport, Iowa. Transferred from Smith College. She anticipates taking summer school work. Is majoring in English. Showed an understanding of the fraternity situation. Very athletic. A willing worker with a great deal of executive ability. Is a member of the Woman's Athletic Association, of the Pythian Literary Society, of the Junior French Club, House Representative of the Self-government Association, freshman and sophomore basketball team, sophomore hockey team, chairman of sophomore party committee.

Gladys Marquardt, junior, 527 Jackson St., Wausau, Wisconsin. Father was former mayor of Wausau. Is now secretary of the County Council of Defense. Gladys contemplates specializing in Social Service work. She is good looking, pleasant, well mannered, and interesting. Is a member of the Consumers' League and the Women's Suffrage League.

Goldes Kischel, sophomore, 507 South 2nd St., Wausau, Wisconsin. Good appearance, faithful worker. Will succeed in what she undertakes. Is a translator of Spanish and German.

Helen Collins, senior, Stevens Point, Wisconsin. Capable, leader of the group. Has splendid executive ability. Member of the *Cardinal* staff, of the Literary Society, Y. W. C. A., Publicity and Membership Committee of Consumers' League, Press Club, Social Committee of Senior Class, House Committee of Barnard Hall, Skii Club. Father is a well-known author and educator.

Dorothy Smart, sophomore, Davenport, Iowa. Her father is superintendent of schools in Davenport. Dorothy has inherited a great deal of his executive ability. She has a pleasing personality and an effective manner. Makes a good impression wherever she is. Decidedly a leader. Hopes to be a private secretary.

Thelma Jones, junior, Madison, Wisconsin. Fine character, splendid personality, quantity of ingenuity. Has many friends in Madison. Is assistant in biology.

The theme of the discussion led by Miss Railsback in these conferences was the relations of the group to the university and to Delta Zeta.

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS AT UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

1. Kappa Kappa Gamma
2. Delta Gamma
3. Gamma Phi Beta
4. Kappa Alpha Theta
5. Pi Beta Phi
6. Alpha Phi
7. Delta Delta Delta
8. Chi Omega
9. Alpha Chi Omega
10. Alpha Xi Delta
11. Alpha Gamma Delta
12. Achoth
13. Alpha Omicron Pi
14. Delta Zeta

Respectfully submitted,

RENNIE SEBRING-SMITH, *Grand Secretary.*

The Madison Trip

DID I want to go to Madison to the installation? Who didn't want to go after reading and hearing all about the wonderful girls and the college?

Friday morning, June 7, 1918, about seven-thirty you could have seen these people just inside the gates at the Monon station in Chicago: Miss Martha L. Railsback, Grand President, Miss Sebring-Smith, Grand Secretary, Miss Florence Drury, Miss Ruth May Railsback, and Anne Younger. It was a most happy meeting, even so much so that someone seemed to have forgotten her treasured baggage. Finally at eight o'clock with all baggage rescued we boarded the train for Madison.

The trip was uneventful except for a few remarks here and there about some of our good train neighbors. Yes, and it seemed as if the temperature had dropped a few degrees and we were beginning to feel the cooling lake breezes.

We were met at the station by two of our "new sisters to be" and driven to their temporary home. From here we were driven around the campus. I wish every one of you could have been with us and have seen the lake, Lake Mendota, as we saw it. On either side of the street leading down to the lake are fraternity houses.

Think of such an ideal location. The campus is back up from the lake on a hill. It is divided into two parts, upper and lower. They say it is easy for strangers to find their way after they get the situation clearly in mind but at first it is baffling.

About three o'clock we went out to the home of Thelma Jones where we pledged ten of the finest girls you ever saw. They were so enthusiastic about it all and so eager. Then we walked back to our rooms passing near another part of the world called Little Italy. Once in our rooms again we felt as if we couldn't move for the day had been so full. That evening the examination was held by Ruth May Railsback and Anne Younger. Miss Railsback and Miss Sebring-Smith had personal conferences with all the girls.

Saturday was just as busy a day as any before. Again we had a most wonderful drive around the lake. About four the initiation began at the hotel ending with a delightful war dinner. I say this to assure you our new Delta Zetas are patriotic as well as everything else. Sunday morning three of us left and at noon the others left. Thus it is that another chapter is added to Delta Zeta history.

I wish I had the words at my command to tell you of these dear, wonderful girls, so new as Delta Zetas and so true, who are going out into the world to carry the message of our fraternity. They love us all because we wear the diamond and four pearls and we love them for the same reason. They know that our best wishes are for them, dear sisters of the north.

Editorials

THE lateness of reports reaching the Editor made this issue a few weeks late, but for next year we start on a new policy. The LAMP will be published regularly and will not wait for material which is late. We must be prompt and get our material to the Editor on time. In September all officers, both national and local will receive printed instructions as to material for the LAMP. Please read them carefully. These are busy and strenuous times and we must all assist in getting our work done efficiently.

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THE November issue of the LAMP is going to be a big and interesting issue. The following things will be in it:

Service roll complete to date (Zeta has twenty-four stars in her roll. Can any chapter beat that number?)

All announcements of engagements, marriages, and births since the Spring Issue.

Pictures of our new Tau sisters and their campus.

Pictures of Delta Chapter babies.

Pictures of grand officers and a short account of each.

Beside these enumerated there will be many other interesting articles. Of course, you can't miss it. If you haven't paid your subscription do it today so you will be sure and get a copy. Extra copies are forty cents. This next year is going to be the biggest year in the existence of our fraternity and the only way you will know what is going on is by reading the LAMP. Subscribe today.

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YES, these are busy times but not too busy to do your Delta Zeta work. If you can't find time to do some Delta Zeta work you are a *slacker*. Keep up your interest and enthusiasm in Delta Zeta. We all must work together as never before; we must mean something to our fraternity and it must mean something to us. Did I hear you say it didn't mean anything to you?

Shame on you. Come on, let's go back to initiation night. What are you thinking about? Yes, you thought it when the "diamond and four pearls" was pinned over your heart. "Am I worthy of this pin and can I always keep the flame bright," Yes, your fraternity means a lot to you and your duty is to make a firm resolution to keep those pearls white and to keep the flame ever growing brighter. These are dark times for all of us but we must do our Delta Zeta work so that we can make this big sisterhood of ours mean more and more, not only to us but to the world. We must help lead in the light of love which now seems to be hid by the cruel cloud of war. *Don't be a slacker but be a Delta Zeta.*

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Please send all names of Delta Zeta men in service to the Editor.

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RESIGNATION OF HAZEL PUTNAM

Miss Hazel Putnam has resigned her office as Grand Treasurer. She wrote our Grand President during the year that on account of numerous other duties she felt that she must give up the treasurership but Miss Railsback begged her to keep her office until Council meeting, which she consented to do. At Council meeting her resignation was accepted. Miss Putnam, or "Puttie" as some of us call her, was elected Treasurer two years ago at the Lincoln convention. She has been an efficient Treasurer and we are sorry to see her leave Grand Council.

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OUR NEW TREASURER

Myrtle Graeter Malott (Delta) was appointed Grand Treasurer by Miss Railsback and the appointment was ratified by the Grand Council. Mrs. Malott is the originator of the finance system and has acted as the chairman of the Finance Committee. Delta Zeta is greatly indebted to her for our efficient financial system which she worked out for us. Mrs. Malott attended the Lincoln convention but at that time was Myrtle Graeter. Everyone at convention learned to know and love Myrtle and I am sure all will be happy to know that she is our new Grand Treasurer. Myrtle was married last October to Mr. Carl Malott (Acacia). Mr. Malott is now in service at Camp Taylor.

OUR NEW REGISTRAR

Madeline Baird (Theta) has been appointed Registrar, taking the place of Miss Janet Cameron who resigned. Miss Baird is also the Business Manager of the LAMP and we are sure she will be a success in her new position. She is a very competent and thoughtful woman and we are sure you would all like her if you knew her. In the Autumn Issue you will see her picture, as well as the pictures of the other grand officers. Hope you will like us!

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THIS IS PATRIOTISM

If it is ever a question whether you or the flag must perish, you will instantly choose that it shall not be the flag.—WILLIAM T. SHERMAN.

There is no greater sign of general decay in virtue in a nation than a want of zeal in its inhabitants for the good of their country.—JOSEPH ADDISON.

The most substantial glory of a country is in its virtuous great men; its prosperity will depend on its docility to learn from their example.—FISHER AMES.

Our flag is the symbol of sovereignty, the emblem of the love of country. It ought to float wherever the spirit of this great country is at work.—ABRAM S. HEWITT.

No man can suffer too much, and no man can fall too soon, if he suffer, or if he fall, in defense of the liberties and constitution of his country.—DANIEL WEBSTER.

A man's country is not a certain area of land—of mountains, rivers, and woods—but it is principle; and patriotism is loyalty to that principle.—GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS.

Are we to be eternally ringing the changes upon Marathon and Thermopylae, and going back to read obscure texts of Greek and Latin of exemplars of patriotic virtue? I thank God that we can find them nearer home, in our own country, on our own soil.—EDWARD EVERETT.

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Think Before You Speak

"There is so much bad in the best of us,
And so much good in the worst of us,
That it hardly behooves any of us,
To talk about the rest of us."

DID you ever happen to stop and think about this? Perhaps if you had, you wouldn't have remarked, "How hateful," "How despicable," and various remarks against certain individuals. Everyone has faults, we ourselves have. So is it right that we should so severely criticize others?

Surely, since we are not perfect, we should not expect others to be. We might learn and profit by the faults of others. Let us not look for the faults, but for the virtues. We seem to forget that there is a positive, as well as a negative side, to criticism.
—*University Kansan.*

The Fraternity and The Undergraduate

The boy in your high school or in your home is about to enter college this fall. Neither he nor his high school principal nor his father knows a great deal about fraternities, and yet in all probability the fraternity question will come up for solution by him almost upon his entrance to college. He should have a chance to learn something of fraternities beforehand so that he may decide the matter intelligently.

We have published a book by Dean Thomas Arkle Clark, of the University of Illinois, entitled *The Fraternity and the College*, and are about to put on the market a second book entitled *The Fraternity and the Undergraduate*. These books give the information to fathers, freshmen, and high school principals which they should have in advance.

Dean Clark has probably had the widest experience on the fraternity question of any University authority in this country. His opinion is valued most highly by all thinking fraternity men. He has been broad-minded enough to see both sides of the question, and he presents his views with humor and sympathy.

These two books should be in every high school library because of their instructive qualities. We especially call the attention of the librarians of all high school libraries, of all high school prin-

cipals, and of all parents of prospective freshmen, and of the freshmen themselves to these books. The price of each is \$1.25, postage paid and they may be secured from the GEORGE BANTA PUBLISHING COMPANY, Menasha, Wisconsin.

Our Chance to Sacrifice

"Inside the steel ring about Belgium a whole people of seven and a half million imprisoned bodies and sorely beset souls has made constant, universal, terrible sacrifice for nearly four years to maintain a spiritual and (to the extent possible in the face of machine guns at street heads and in open places) a physical resistance to the German juggernaut. The Teuton government in Belgium has kept up, ever since the days of the invasion, a persistent attempt to break down this resistance by brute force, insidious intrigue, and open invitation to an easier life.

"But the Belgians have chosen suffering and sacrifice rather than surrender of national and personal honor.

"The French morale, after an inconceivable sacrifice of men, money, and material, was never higher than now. England has given most of its best and is now giving the rest and living a life of repression quite beyond our present understanding. Italy is living on polenta and fagiolini. All these people are making the superlative sacrifice. Our opportunity is beginning.

We must try to put ourselves somewhere near them in this common opportunity and need for individual repression of luxury and comfort. We are with them heart and soul and Army and Navy in this great struggle against darkness and catastrophe. But we must also be with them as individuals, as a hundred million earnest and eager individuals committed to go the limit."—Vernon Kellogg, *North American Review*.—*Food Convention Notes*.

SEND SERVICE ROLL

to Editor---all Delta Zeta husbands, brothers,
fathers and sweethearts

Dr. Benton Head Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Paris

PRESIDENT R. M. HUGHES of Miami University has received from Dr. Guy Potter Benton, former president of Miami but now president of the University of Vermont, the following letter, telling of Dr. Benton's work in France:

On Active Service with the American Expeditionary Force,
September 30, 1917.

My dear President Hughes:

When I reached Paris last Monday morning I little dreamed of remaining here. It was my hope to be relieved from administrative work for a year by service to our soldiers at the front. The above clipping from the European edition of today's *New York Herald* tells briefly of my appointment as General Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association in the second largest city in the world.

When I told the General Staff here that I wanted to be of service to our boys in the trenches just before they should go "over the top," they told me by caring for the thousands of American soldiers who come here every week "on leave" that I would be rendering them a far greater service by keeping them fit to "go over the top."

This task makes every other I have previously attempted seem puny by contrast. It is one of the big undertakings of this great world war. When my commission was given me Thursday noon by Mr. Carter, chief of the Y. M. C. A. War Work Council in France, he said he was sending me out "without staff, sandals, or instructions" but with the assurance that he would stand behind me with unlimited funds to prosecute this stupendous responsibility and that I might organize as large a staff as I should need to do the work efficiently.

The authorities have rented an entire building for headquarters in which they tell me I will have an office suite of twenty-two rooms available the tenth of October. I want to organize an Activities Department to place men at all the stations to meet trains and to help soldiers find their proper trains at hours of departure. We have already leased two large hotels to be conducted by the Association—one for officers and the other for enlisted men. The latter at which I am living, accommodates 400 men.

We propose to have a Travel Department to escort soldiers about the city to the places it will be profitable for them to see. Then we shall organize theater parties to conduct them to proper places of amusement. Then I want also to erect information bureaus in different parts of Greater Paris. I hope later to establish American cigar, news, and candy stands in all our hotels and later still we shall try to put on high class cabaret shows.

For two days I have been negotiating with the city authorities for the use of ground, rent free, at some central point for the period of the war. I am to have a second interview with the Paris Director of Public Works

on Tuesday. He gives me ground to hope he will make the needed concession. It now looks as though I might be granted a plot in the Garden of the Tuilleries. If we can secure a proper site we shall erect a Y. M. C. A. hut costing \$100,000, similar to the one erected for American soldiers in St. James Park London. This will give us a large café, a dormitory of 100 beds, and a large hall for week day amusements and Sunday religious services. In the hut I trust we shall be able, in addition to all else, to put in a real American soda fountain.

You see we want to keep the soldiers occupied every minute they are here with legitimate activities so we may send them back to camp as clean as when they came. I wonder if I can "pull off" this gigantic enterprise. May I not have your prayers and those of all Miami friends for divine guidance? I cannot accomplish the desired results without the help of the Holy Spirit. It is patriotic Christian service of the highest type I am seeking to render.

Affectionately yours,

GUY POTTER BENTON.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. Benton is Grand Patron of Delta Zeta.

ACTIVE WOMEN

Many of our university women are taking courses in business in downtown business colleges. Responding to the call of the Government for women trained in stenography, typing, bookkeeping, and other commercial activities, many Ohio State women have enrolled in the downtown schools, where they are preparing themselves to be of service to the nation's business.

There is nothing but applause due the women who, finding spare time on their hands, take this means of bettering themselves and helping to fit themselves to enter fields formerly held by men. We have seen this spirit in almost every field of activity, in the business world, in journalism and elsewhere. In fact, rarely is a place vacated that some woman does not offer herself for the work.

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Chapter Letters

DELTA—DE PAUW UNIVERSITY

Dear Sisters in Delta Zeta:

Commencement is over and all but our five noble seniors bid farewell to De Pauw until next October. We regret very much that Gladys Yarbrough, Leota Deam, Hazel Spore, Helen Hendricks, and Ruth May Railsback will not be with us next year, but we feel assured they will lend a greater service toward the culmination of justice in this world crisis.

On Saturday June 5 we had initiation for Norma Terrill, Enid Barracks, and Mary Stevens, after which we served dinner at the chapter-house. Although observing Hoover's rules in regard to quantity and variety we had our usual alumnae banquet on the following Tuesday evening. The saddest part of all was the fact that our Grand President was unable to arrive until the next morning, but Anne Younger, our big sister, was there with all her cheer and enthusiasm. Although not the usual number were present, nevertheless we spent a most enjoyable time.

Each girl in our chapter was urged to spend at least two hours a week in Red Cross or French Relief work. The girls have willingly complied with the suggestion and three of the girls, Bertha Brown, Pauline Edwards, and Tress Jeffries, were awarded service pins by the University for the completion of fifty hours' work.

Since we are going to have the same system of rush as last year the Cornell plan, and since we gave up our spring house party, we are planning some rush parties this summer, which we hope will be successful. We wish the utmost success in rushing, and all other matters toward the upbuilding of Delta Zeta to all our sister chapters.

Fraternally yours,

TRESS JEFFRIES.

EPSILON—INDIANA UNIVERSITY

Dear Delta Zeta Girls:

I'm sure that I couldn't have picked a more depressing day to write to you, and if I've absorbed some of this weather, you'll forgive me, won't you?

I suppose that we are doing just about what everyone else is now—lamenting the departure of our seniors and friends, knitting, war work, etc. We are planning a dance for next week, which I hope will liven things up a bit. You see, we are the only fraternity which hasn't danced this year. But our dance must be very simple. Our expenses are

limited by the university to thirty dollars and our music must be university talent. We also have a new rule that we must quit dancing at half past ten o'clock.

We are very proud of our showing in athletics this year. Dorothy Simering is captain of the freshman baseball team and Luella Agger is on the same team. Emma Schmidt and Mabel Robbins represent us on the freshman and sophomore teams. Dorothy is a splendid athlete, having made 700 of her 900 points on a sweater in her freshman year. Emma and Mabel get their sweaters this year. Luella is chairman of the Woman's Athletic Association War Garden Committee. Luella and Dorothy are on the first swimming team and Mabel is on the second team. All three will enter the meet.

Blanche Penrod has just returned from a very delightful trip to Lawrence, Kansas, where she attended the national convention of Theta Sigma Phi. She is president of the journalistic sorority this year and is also managing editor of the *Indiana Daily Student*. We have four girls reporting on the *Student* this year, more than any other organization.

When I consider the adverse circumstances with which we have had to deal, such as losing our home and having so few older girls back, I feel that Epsilon Chapter has had a very successful year.

With best wishes to every Delta Zeta,

EVA GLEN ALSMAN.

IOTA—STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

Dear Delta Zeta Sisters:

In the midst of the rush that comes at the end of a last semester, we are trying, between examinations, to find a house for the coming year. Everything is, of course, very uncertain now. Many of the girls are not sure of returning but we confidently expect to be together in a chapter-house in September.

At our Founders' Day banquet, held at the Hotel Jefferson on May 20, we were looking back over the past year, feeling that our chapter had accomplished a few things to be really proud of. One of our girls, Bernice Cole, was honored this spring with Phi Beta Kappa and our pleasure over that has not yet worn off. A few days later, nominations were announced for staff and circle, an organization of twelve seniors whose purpose is to aid the dean of women, and in the list were the names of three of our girls, Geneva Wiles, Lucile Matyk, and Edythe Saylor. The best part of it, however, was that all three were not only nominated, but elected. Edythe Saylor, too, has just been made president of Woman's League, and Bernice Cole appointed the student Y. W. C. A. secretary, for next year. With all this, we felt at our annual banquet that we had sufficient cause for self-congratulation.

Without a house, the matter of entertainment has been quite a difficult subject this year, but we have managed to have a great many good times. With spring came the long-awaited for opportunity for picnics. We held a particularly enjoyable one early in the season near little Dutch Hall,

set deep in the woods along the river. I am afraid that some of us who thoroughly delight in a tramp of several miles on country roads, appreciated it far more than the others, but at least the bonfire, good supper, and sunset on the river, made up for the long, dusty walk. Among other affairs, we had a very pleasant party at the home of Jane Roberts. Two of our alumnae surprised us agreeably by coming, when we had scarcely heard they were in town, Alice Hatcher and Mary Dunn. Then May 31, our patronesses, gave a dinner for the chapter at the home of Mrs. Ensign, entertaining with a cordiality that we certainly appreciated.

Before long, we shall hold initiation for our pledges. Of course, according to our requirements and custom we have not a great many, but we are extremely proud of those we have been fortunate enough to gain: Marguerite Roberts, Dorothy Banks, Leone Barngrover, Agnes Johnson.

We hope that the next Delta Zeta LAMP may give an account of what Iota is doing in its own chapter-house, and that all the other Delta Zetas will have as bright plans as we with our new sisters, shall hold through the summer for the coming year.

IOTA CHAPTER.

KAPPA—UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

Dear Delta Zeta Sisters:

This year is almost gone, but it has been a most wonderful year for us. We started with only twelve active girls and now we have a chapter of twenty-five girls and seven pledges.

I might just as well start right in and tell you about all the things the girls of Kappa have done during the past year for I know that is what you are most anxious to know.

Francis Skagerlind is chairman of the Y. W. C. A. finance committee and a member of the first cabinet. Alice Parcheman has just been elected junior representative of Women's League next year. Zenith Jones, one of our new pledges, is secretary of the Athena Debating Society, and Dorothea Jackson, another pledge, is a member of Mask and Quill, the honorary literary-dramatic fraternity. Harriet Crowder and Beatrice Fryer are members of the second cabinet of the Y. W. C. A. Marian Jackson, a pledge, is secretary to Miss Coldwell, dean of women. Christine Pollard made Sigma Xi, the honorary science fraternity.

Dorothy Morehouse just left for Washington, D. C., to go into war service in the Sergeant General's office. Helen Schumaker is already in war service in Washington, D. C.

We have six members in the Athena Debating Society: Pansy Hutchison, Alice Parcheman, Frances Skagerlind, Carlotta Elliott, Kirsten Larsen, and Zenith Jones.

Pansy Hutchison is president of the Spanish Club and chairman of the hiking committee. We have three girls in the honorary Women's Athletic Association: Frances Skagerlind, Carlotta Elliott, and Alice Parcheman.

Between banquets, parties, dances, picnics, and studies we have very little time to even get enough sleep. Next week we are giving a banquet for the mothers, a farewell breakfast for the seniors, and a shower for two of our girls who have just announced their engagements, Christine Pollard and Esther Nelson. With all these things, and with examinations staring us in the face you can hardly expect us to write readable letters.

Three of our girls were nominated for offices in the Athena Debating Association last night: Frances Skagerlind for president, Zenith Jones for vice-president, and Carlotta Elliott for treasurer.

This letter is late and I am sorry, but will do better next time.

Yours fraternally,

CARLOTTA ELLIOTT.

LAMBDA—KANSAS STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Dear Delta Zetas:

A very successful year has just closed for Lambda Chapter. We have worked hard all year, and welcome a pleasant vacation. The last three months of our college life have been filled with many interesting events, April 26 the annual formal party was given. In accordance with the time, it was very inexpensive. It was given at our chapter-house. The decorations were carried out in old rose and Nile green. Little Arline Wilson, one of our "little sisters," gave a beautiful little solo dance, the "rose dance." The last thing in the evening was a special favor dance. Large baskets full of tiny ribbon balls were passed, each guest receiving one. In the middle of the dance a shower of rice fell on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haege (Margarite Collins). Their marriage which they thought they had so cleverly kept from the family was suddenly announced to all the guests. This was a complete surprise to them because their balls had been filled with cotton!

May 29 initiation was held for four girls, Pauline Parkhurst, Lyle Hoag, Alpha Babb, and Edith Wakefield. Pauline Parkhurst is an alumna from Kansas State Agricultural College finishing with high honors, being a member of Omicron Nu. She is the fourth Parkhurst Delta Zeta from Lambda. On the evening of the twenty-ninth of May, we gave a dinner party for our senior members, Frances Kneaster, Edith Parkhurst, and Leona Hoag. The rooms were decorated in college colors, and the table was presided over by a toastmistress. We regret to lose these faithful girls. They have been a great help to the chapter, but we know they will always be interested and enthusiastic workers for Delta Zeta.

I want to tell you of our plans for 1918-19. From present appearances it will be a wonderful year. Our housemother, Mrs. Qullenberger, has decided to return to us next fall. This makes us very happy, and then too we have a lovely new home just three blocks from the college and an ideal fraternity home. The inside finishing is beautiful. We intend to house ten or twelve girls at the house. We are very happy over the prospects for the coming year.

The *Royal Purple* yearbook which was published in May was very good. Delta Zeta was well represented. Next year we are going to make a special effort in class activities. This year, however, we have a fine start.

We have done a little social service work the last year. The chapter gave a knitted quilt to Red Cross. Each girl made five blocks. Then too, because of the nearness to the fort, we have the unusual opportunity of rendering services to the Y. W. C. A. Association by furnishing numbers for Y. M. programs. Several of our girls have gone over a number of times. Truly, we hope for a great year next year and wish success to every chapter in Delta Zeta.

Fraternally yours,

ADA ROBERTSON.

XI—UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Dear Delta Zeta Girls:

This year certainly will be a hard one on Xi Chapter as far as losing girls through graduation is concerned. Eleven go, that is, counting seniors and postgraduates. Just imagine losing eleven girls at one time. It's terrible, but they can't stay in college forever, I suppose. Alene Mossmyer, Marjorie Mac Naughten, Louise Dohrman, Madge Elsinger, Kathryn Heard, Adeline Seifried, Grace Seifried, Vivien Millar, and Agnes Westerlund are our seniors, and Norma Rost, who has been taking postgraduate work, will also leave us. Dorothy Smith, who has directed the affairs of the chapter through the past year, and who with this trying work on hand has won the Armstrong-Hunter Scholarship, leaves us too, wreathed in laurels and degrees. I wish they were all just freshmen.

Xi Chapter has been gaining quite a few honors in the past week. Katherine Kreidler has been initiated into the "Mystic Thirteen." Sounds rather scary, doesn't it? Well, it is just an honorary fraternity that makes everyone want to be represented among its members. Elaine De Beck has been elected associate editor of the *Cincinnatian*, our yearbook, besides being made a director of the bookstore. This last position requires no work except that of attending the directors' meetings and receiving for this the sum of two dollars. It is a very nice honorary position. Catherine Swing has been elected as the sophomore representative to the Woman's League and we all know she will be a good worker.

The undergraduates are going to give a farewell party to the seniors at Catherine Coldewey's summer home on the Little Miami River. The weather is so terribly hot right now that I suppose the party will be held for most of the time right in the river. Of course the next few weeks are filled with all sorts of class days, picnics, graduation and—anticlimax—Examinations! I hate to mention them, but they are uppermost in the minds of all.

I should just love to tell you how pretty all the girls will look and how well they will carry off their honors at graduation, but I shall just leave that to your imagination, for I know the same thing is happening in all the chapters.

Best wishes to you all for the coming year,

CATHERINE COLDEWEY.

PI—EUREKA COLLEGE

Dear Sisters in Delta Zeta:

I wish you might each one have been here in Eureka for commencement week. We have all enjoyed ourselves so much.

For the first time since May festivals were organized four years ago, we had lovely weather. We opened the day (Thursday) with a May breakfast on the campus. Twenty-five girls wound the May Pole and it was lovely. In the afternoon the orchestra from the University of Illinois gave a program. Mrs. Mable Corlew-Smidt also gave three numbers.

At half past seven o'clock we started the *Messiah* with a chorus of 250 voices. The soloists were Rollin Pease, Bass, John B. Miller, tenor, Mabel Corlew-Smidt, soprano, and Lucile Stroud (of our own college), contralto. It was even a bigger success than the oratorio of last year.

Friday brought with it the usual thunder-storm but by afternoon the sun was shining again. However, the pageant which was to have taken place out of doors had to be held in the gymnasium. The history of Illinois from 1818 to 1918 was portrayed. It was both pretty and interesting.

Saturday was "Stunt Day." Each of the five classes participated. The preps gave a war pantomime and it was very well done. The freshmen "took off" the sophomores. It surely was interesting to see ourselves as others see us, also somewhat embarrassing in some instances.

The sophomores gave an Hawaiian program, the juniors "took off" the seniors in Hades, and the seniors gave a one-act play. The whole affair was a success.

Sunday closed the festivities with the commencement exercises. We had the privilege of having Pres. C. T. Paul of the College of Missions in Indianapolis give the address on "The New Age and the New Leadership." Few of us had ever heard anything that equalled it. Surely no graduating class ever went forth more inspired than the one to which that was addressed.

After a week of vacation Eureka is to hold a summer session for six weeks. About 125 have signed up so we expect to have quite a successful summer.

Student song-fests, cross-country hikes, tennis, and swimming parties are being arranged for each week, so it all bids fair to be most pleasant.

Several Delta Zeta girls are to be here this summer and if any of the rest of you should be in Eureka at any time we promise you a most hearty welcome and a good time.

Sincerely yours,

JUANITA STINYARD.

RHO—UNIVERSITY OF DENVER

Dear Sisters in Delta Zeta:

College is nearly out. Of course we are glad because we have all worked hard this semester and need a rest. That is not sarcasm. It is true, for the most of us. But when we think of examinations we are not

quite so glad. The weather is too beautiful now to stay indoors and study. We spend all the time we can on the campus. "Exams" last a week and two days. I have nine to take and I surely will be glad when they are over. But you all have troubles of this sort too, and I guess you would like to forget them as we would.

February 2, we initiated our five lovely pledges that Helen told you about in the last letter. They have been splendid members so far and I think they are *all* coming back next year. Then on May 3, we initiated two other girls, Juneta Van Burg and Lois Hagan. That makes twenty active members. But six of these are seniors, and a few others do not expect to be back; so there will not be very many of us to start things next fall.

We have decided to have meetings every two weeks during the summer, so the girls here in Denver can keep in touch with each other, and it will be easier next fall if we have plans already made. We are planning to do some summer rushing too. About two weeks ago we gave our annual reception for high school seniors. We had some lovely girls there that we want to rush this summer, so we will have a good chance with them next fall.

We have one pledge, Maybelle Walker, who is an adorable girl. We were sorry that we could not initiate her with the others, but about a month ago she came down with pneumonia. She was very ill. We are glad to have her back in college again, but she is so busy making up work and getting ready for finals that she thinks she had better wait till fall to be initiated.

Next Friday the university has its annual May Day celebration. Each class chooses its May Queen. Then the boys compete in athletic contests to win the honor for the representative of their class. The sophomore queen is the prettiest this year. I hope her heroes win the crown for her. You see, I am a sophomore. If it does not rain, the dances by the girls' gymnasium classes will be given on the campus.

Today we decided that we would forget our work for a little while and have a "weinie" roast Saturday evening. I think it will be fun.

Helen told you that Eleanor Lowe was the editor-in-chief of the *Kynewisbok*, our annual; do you remember? Well, it is about the finest one that was ever published. It is bound in khaki and is dedicated to the boys who are represented by the 410 stars on our service flag. We are all very proud of Eleanor.

This second semester the university has been organized as a Reserve Officers' Training Corps. All the boys wear uniforms and drill *hours* every day. It makes us girls feel as if we were going to West Point. To keep pace with the boys, the girls have done systematic gauze work in our Science Hall gauze room.

Rho Chapter sends love and best wishes to all the other girls. Good luck to you all in examinations. They will all be over when you read this but you will know that we thought about you.

Yours in Delta Zeta,

GRACE C. STUELAND.

Alumnæ Department

DELTA ALUMNÆ—LINCOLN, NEB.

Greetings to all from Delta Alumnæ.

We have met regularly once each month during the year. Now doesn't that sound *report like*?

Our summer meetings are more social, or get-together affairs than otherwise. Our May meeting was at the home of Iva Swenk at which time officers were elected: Mrs. J. R. Davis, president; Edna Matthews, vice-president; Iva Swenk, secretary and treasurer; and Nettie W. Shugart and Venus Leamer, chapter editors.

At that time we did not know that Venus was so soon to become the bride of Lieut. V. G. Tyler of Camp Dodge. Their marriage took place at Des Moines, and Venus' uncle, pastor of one of the churches of Des Moines, performed the ceremony. A little cousin carried the ring in a rose. Venus cut the wedding cake with a sword to carry out more fully the military idea. Until Lieutenant Tyler leaves for over seas Venus will remain at Des Moines.

Another of our girls, Vivian Knight, was married July 6 at Camp Dodge to Lieut. Henry Harper. After ten days at Des Moines Mrs. Harper returned to Lincoln and Lieutenant Harper leaves at once for over seas.

Our July meeting was with Nettie W. Shugart. The girls worked on napkins for the active chapter. Each alumna monogramming and hemming one. The napkins themselves are the gift of Mrs. Davis to Zeta. Each active girl has bought and is hemming one napkin to be given the chapter in the fall. In this way a full supply will be theirs without any heavy expense.

A picnic of active and alumnæ girls was given at Capitol Beach the latter part of June. A royal supper and a good time was had by all. Thirty-one were present.

On Saturday, July 20, the active and alumnæ girls held their usual midsummer luncheon at the Lincoln Hotel. At that time we had as honor guests, Vivian Knight Harper, our latest bride; Grace Burrett Sluyter from New York City, who is visiting her parents and sister in Lincoln; Miss Ruth Stine of Rho Chapter, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sanborn, who was also our guest on this occasion; and Josephine Graves, who graduated from Nebraska University the day before.

The decorations were military, with tiny soldiers for place-cards, a cannon for a centerpiece, and at each end of the table a miniature army camp. The central feature of the decorations was a service flag suspended above the table. The stars, twenty-four in number, were arranged in a

Delta Zeta monogram and represent the husbands, brothers, and sweet-hearts of members, now in service. The flag was presented by the alumnae to the active members to hang in the chapter-house, after the stars had been claimed by the wives, sweethearts, and sisters present. The stars were named, and if members were *not* present they were claimed for them by members present who have no soldier, so that at the close every Delta Zeta in the room was standing, in response to her own or a sister's soldier. Each honor guest received as a souvenir a doll dressed in a way to suggest its owner: Mrs. Harper's as a bride; Mrs. Sluyter's as a Red Cross worker; Miss Stine's as a traveller; and Miss Graves's as a graduate in cap and gown. They were very cleverly dressed by Dorothy Davis whom we are counting on as our first Zeta daughter.

It seems good to have so many of our alumnae back for the summer, though a number who have been here all year are gone. Effie and Ella Noll and their mother are spending the summer in Estes Park. Vesta Mawe who graduated in June, together with three other Lincoln girls, is spending the summer in Chicago attending the twelve weeks' summer school of Chicago University. Vesta's mother is chaperoning the girls and they write of the charming apartment in which they are living out near the lake, the home of a university professor and his wife who are having their vacation in the far West. With their wonderful lake breezes the heat which we Lincolmites are experiencing is unknown to them. Marguerite Beezley, too, is in Chicago, also Bertha Wiese.

The annual camping trip at Oakwood Lodge up the Blue River at the close of the university year was a wonderfully jolly time. Several of the alumnae who were to drive down for the last day were unable to do so because of heavy rains. From the coats of tan on the girls and the blisters on their hands from rowing we need no further proof of their good time.

So many things to write about suggest themselves that lest we be claiming more than our share of space in the LAMP for our letter, we will wish you all a pleasant, unsorrowsed summer.

Sincerely,

NETTIE WILLS SHUGART,
VENUS LEAMAR TYLER.

ZETA ALUMNÆ—SEATTLE, WASH.

Most of us have been so busy during the past months that we have scarcely found time to give to our alumnae chapter. Still, there are always the faithful few and we have succeeded in having our monthly meetings regularly.

Our May meeting was not held in Seattle as usual. Two of our girls, who have been teaching at Redmond for the past year, asked us over there to spend the day. We left here early in the morning and crossed Lake Washington on the ferry. There we had to go about eight or ten miles in a stage. I am afraid we did not get much business done, for we were too busy exploring the country.

Our last meeting was held in Woodland Park. We took our lunch and knitting and went out there to spend the afternoon. Only a few of the

girls could come since so many of them are working this summer. It seems so different from other years for even those of us who are teachers have found some kind of work to do. Next month we are planning to have our picnic in the evening in order that more of the girls can be there.

Did you know that the alumnae girls had given a prize to the girl in the active chapter who had made the best grades for the past year? The girl to win it was Frances Skagerlind. We were surely glad to give it to her for she had excellent grades.

About two weeks ago Annah Shelton entertained for her sister-in-law who is visiting her from the East. We enjoyed meeting Mrs. Shelton and little "Sonny," too. Wherever we go these days we always take our knitting.

The fact that so many of our girls are out of town this summer makes it hard for us to get together and do things. Several of them have gone camping. Clara and Hilda Knausenberger are attending summer school at Reed College, Portland, Oregon. We are hoping though that when fall comes we can have better meetings. We will have a larger chapter too, for we have six new members.

BETH E. TANNER.

KAPPA ALUMNÆ—SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Kappa Alumnae of California have started the new year by making dresses for French babies under the auspices of the University Red Cross. We started the work at one of our regular meetings and have been speeding it along at some extra informal gatherings, held whenever two Delta Zetas can assemble.

Although this work has prevented any embroidering for our active chapter, we have had the extreme pleasure of presenting our girls with a silver loving-cup in honor of their attainment of first place in campus scholarship. The cup is to bear the name each year of the girl whose all around average is highest, and is to be on exhibition whenever the chapter is first in scholarship. We sincerely hope that it never need be moved from the library mantel.

This week Delta Zeta alumnae are arranging the menu for the annual Bay Cities Panhellenic luncheon to be held at the Twentieth Century Club. With Mrs. Dorothy Porter Miller as chairman, we are sure to do our part well, and the guests are certain to enjoy a splendid luncheon. Kappa Kappa Gamma is in charge of the program and the affair promises to be an interesting one for Greek-letter women.

Hoping that we may have more activities and accomplishments to report in our next letter, we are, with best wishes to all our sister chapters.

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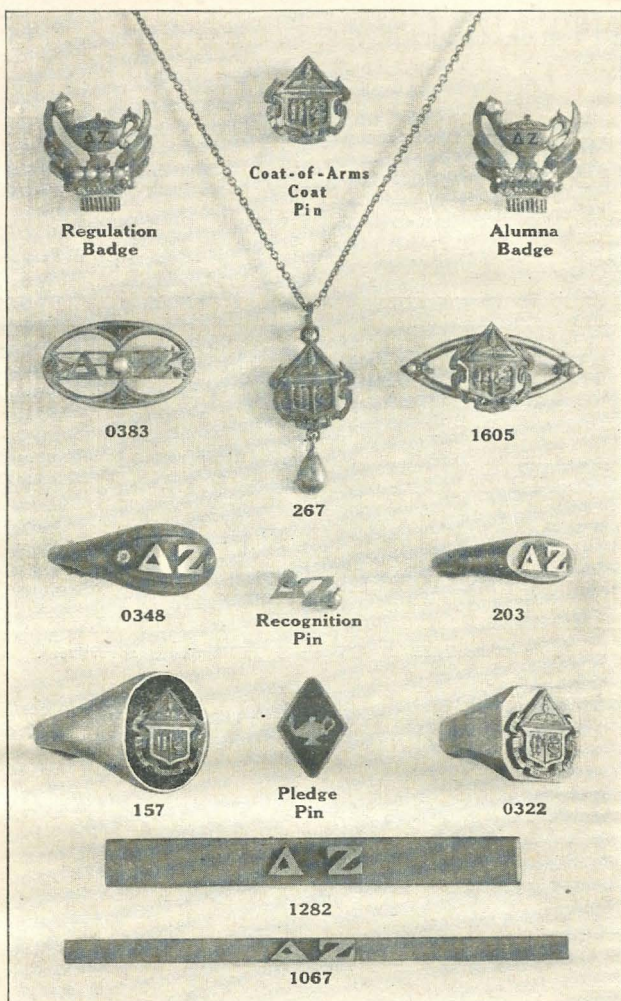
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