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September 15-October 1-Send all changes in officers and in officers' addresses to Central Office. Note names and addresses of new National and Province officers, and new personnel and location of Central Office.

October 1-5-Corresponding secretaries send reports to Central Office.

October 10—Send names and addresses of chapter members, college and alumnæ, to Central Office for LAMP mailing list.

LAMP letters due at Editor's mail box. Remember changed address. Chapter

treasurers send monthly per capita tax to Central Office,

October 24-FOUNDERS' DAY. College chapters celebrate with nearest alumna chapter or in other fitting manner.

November 1-5-Corresponding secretaries prepare and mail to Central Office, report of chapter statistics for past month.

November 10-Chapter treasurers mail to Central Office, monthly per capita tax.

November 15—If you did not receive your LAMP, notify Central Office NOW, ful studying now won't bring in so many mid-term "smoke-ups." Faith-

December 1-5—Corresponding secretaries send Central Office monthly statistic reports. LAMP letters mailed now will reach the Editor in good time.

December 10-Chapter treasurer gladdens Central Office with monthly per capita tax.

December 15 and on-Home for holidays. Did you send your Christmas gifts for the school at Vest in good time? And your greeting to Dr. Benton?

January 1-Every Delta Zeta resolves to be a better little girl in 1927: get all dues paid and every report in on time.

January 10-First payment of monthly per capita tax for year 1927.

February 1-LAMP letters fill the Editor's mail box.

February 1-5—Chapter corresponding secretaries send full statistical reports to Central Office.

February 10-Chapter treasurers send full per capita tax even though it is a short month. February 14-Nice time to call on all patronesses and resident alumna.

March 1-5-Chapter corresponding secretary makes another report to Central Office.

March 1-15-Diligent study for fraternity examinations.

March 10-Chapter treasurers think "the new treasurer will do this next month" as they make out monthly per capita tax checks.

March 15-FRATERNITY EXAMINATIONS.

March 24-31-Election of chapter officers. Don't forget to elect Big Sister now too.

April 1-8—Installation of newly elected officers. New corresponding secretaries send in perfect reports to Central Office. New LAMP editors write careful letters and mail

April 10-New chapter treasurers remember to send per capita tax exactly on time.

April, last week-Time for first spring parties, steak fries, etc.

May 1-Chapter corresponding secretaries now feel perfectly at ease making out monthly statistic reports for Central Office.

May 10—Chapter treasurer does not forget to send per capita tax even though she has bad case of spring fever.

May 15-Names and home addresses of all chapter members due at Central Office.

June 1-Alumnæ chapters sigh with satisfaction when sending in annual dues, mileage tax, and names of new officers.

June 1-5-Chapter corresponding secretaries send reports in spite of warm weather.

June 10-Chapter treasurers write last per capita checks for the year; then give the books to auditors.

June, last week of college session—Chapter corresponding secretaries send lists of graduates, with any honors, to Central Office. Also mame of rush captain. Also wish the Executive Secretary a pleasant summer while they have a happy vacation. Chapter historians make annual report to Central Office. COMMENCE MENT! Good luck, and a happy summer.

September 10-The Editor will be looking for your LAMP letters!

Delta Zeta Camp

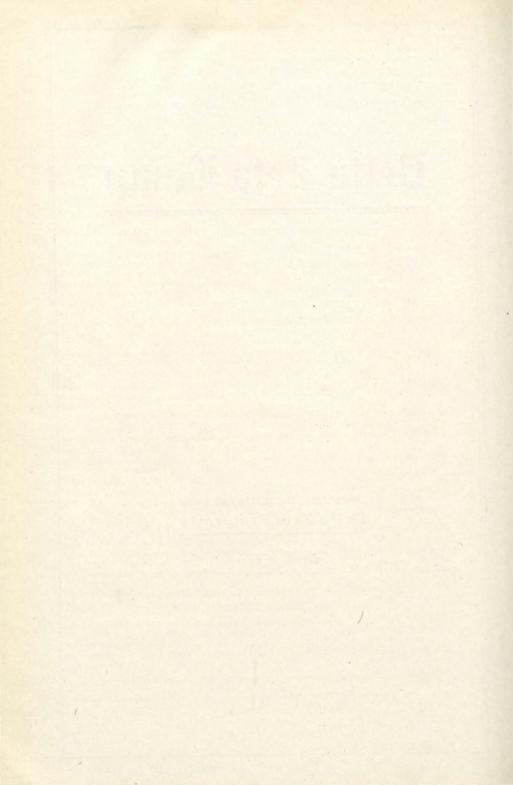
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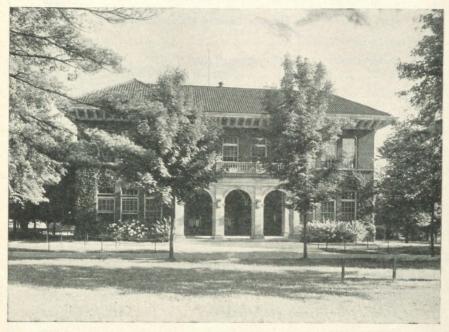
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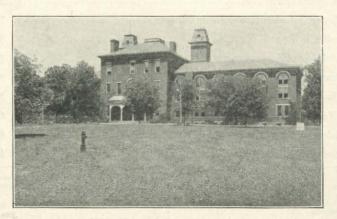
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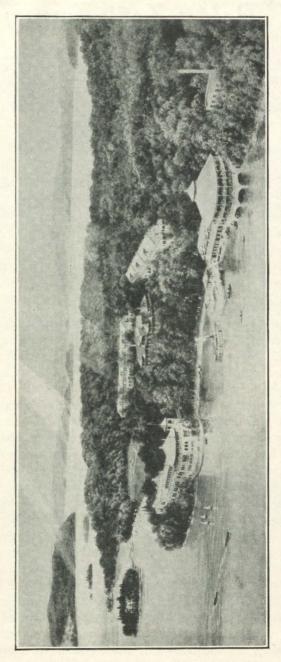
THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF DELTA ZETA extends to every member GREETINGS

and

A CORDIAL INVITATION

to the Twelfth National Convention Bigwin Inn, Lake of Bays, Ontario the second week of July, 1928

N ACCORDANCE with the wish of the 1926 Convention, the I committee appointed at that time, to investigate suitable places for the 1928 meeting, centered its attention on securing a place in the South or Southeast. Attractive meeting places seemed to be White Sulphur Springs, Virginia; Asheville, North Carolina, and others in that vicinity. After much correspondence with these various places, the Council was compelled, with some reluctance, to abandon the idea of Convention at any one of the really adequate places, because the late dates of closing for so many of our colleges would necessarily make our convention so late that the desirable places south, that were cool, could not offer us sufficient conveniences or accommodations. We feel very happy, however, and very fortunate, to be able to offer you, for 1928 Convention place, Bigwin Inn, on the Lake of Bays, Ontario. Other organizations which have met at Bigwin Inn have unanimously and enthusiastically recommended it to us; and the management is already evincing a splendid courtesy and helpfulness that assures us every convenience and perfect ease of mind. The time of the convention is the second week in July, 1928. With so fortunate a prospect for the convention from every standpoint—delightful quarters, convenient date, interesting trip and scenery, novelty of location—our most successful convention is a certainty; providing that to all the above factors we can count on YOU!



BIGWIN INN, BIGWIN ISLAND, LAKE OF BAYS, HUNTSVILLE, ONTARIO, CANADA

EDITORIALS

Heartiest congratulations and warmest greetings are extended to you; we too feel the pride which now is yours, in the privilege

To our Seniors of 1927! that has come to you—that high privilege of stepping into the world's work, buoyant with youth and hope, and warmed and encouraged by the faith you have in yourselves and in humankind.

We say this number of The Lamp is dedicated to the seniors. It is as truly addressed to all who, four years, have followed your college life with keen interest, honest pride, and sometimes with wondering not unmixed with doubt, as you faced and decided this or that issue of college and fraternity life. With satisfaction these older sisters may now see from the chronicles of your achievements and your plans for the future, that you have not failed to catch that vision of the goal common to us all—the development of a womanhood which is ready and adequate for the demands of today and tomorrow.

It is impossible to escape the realization from the records of these seniors, that most of them have pursued in college a course definitely planned as preparation for some vocation later. The college girl of today no longer returns to her home to be supported by its breadwinners. She says instead, "I have my living to make"—and we find her in almost every field of service which is known and filled by her brothers.

The world is waiting for you, girls of 1927! It has need of the very best you have to bring. Your trained minds, your deft hands—these it must have; and these you must have, for they are the tools for that "living." But how much more, does it behoove you to bring your finest convictions, your highest courage; tenderness, womanliness, hearts of faith. Whatever shall be your chosen vocation, let it be for you not merely a means of earning a living; if it be not also a manner of life, then your reward will be niggardly, your achievements narrow, passing.

It is significant that we call this "commencement" time. The boundless opportunities of the world lie just over the threshold

across which you are stepping. May you lose not one which will add to the richness and fullness of your lives!

To you, Seniors! Hail and Godspeed!

Even the gayest "butterfly" in our chapter somehow feels, when the cum laude and magna cum laude lists are out, that high rank in scholarship has beyond the peradventure of a doubt, a distinction equalled by few, if any, other honors of college life.

In the first place, it shows a recognition of "first things first," and the consistent attempt to live by that principle. For, present alarms notwithstanding, the true raison d'être of all school life is scholarship. Without this basic principle, our costly and elaborate educational system would have no justification for its continuation. The demonstration of its claim for furthering scholarship must be made by its students; its honor students are its triumphant vindication. These are the true "sportsmen" of learning; they have played the game with all their might, faithfully, and in accordance with the rules.

Again, there is inherent in scholastic honors a quality which is almost unknown to most triumphs, whether of college or later life: triumph solely on merit. Here if anywhere is triumph without "pull," without favor or backing, not based on strife, without competition as generally understood. Here is an honor which can be won with cleanness of conscience, purely through personal endeavor, and strict faithfulness to one's own tasks. It may be accepted without regret for the knowledge that it meant the defeat of some other; it need carry no envy, no tears of jealousy. It is that odd race in which every runner may win if he will. Here is a contest in which every entrant may win a place and high prestige!

Who is there who does not feel, when all is said, that scholastic honors are the most significant, most uncompromising, most impartial and most appropriate of all honors to be gained in college? Whether the recognition be that of membership in some nationally known society such as Phi Beta Kappa, or of a purely local nature, is of small matter. The essential point is that the individual shall be conscious of the effort, and of the return which it has meant to him personally. The recognition by others is simply the corollary, the visible symbol of his intangible possession. It is a great pleasure to show in this LAMP some of the Delta Zetas who have won signal honors in scholarship, and a privilege to offer to them, on behalf of the whole fraternity, our sincere congratulations.

Surely the girls going from our college chapters this spring have much to contribute to Delta Zeta as alumnæ. Whether they begin at

Rushing Season, Alumnæ! once to share the responsibilities and the opportunities that they as alumnæ may know, will depend, to a large extent, on the ability and interest

the alumnæ chapters (and alumnæ association officers) show as "rushers." The younger girl may hestitate to take the initiative in joining alumnæ chapters, or in "taking hold" after she has joined; if you let her enthusiasm wane before you approach her about alumnæ work you may lose her. Remember how 'way back, you yourself thought that those four years in the active chapter were the biggest part of your Delta Zeta life, and how you expected to find any later contacts a mere shadow, without substance or burning interest? And how you laugh now to think of the little, little you guessed as to the beauty and variety of alumnæ friendship and service? Pass on to these new little sisters the invitation to come and be one of you. See; it is like learning of Delta Zeta all over again, and this time with a depth of meaning to which the former experience was but a prelude of preparation.

Go back for Commencement, if you can; urge the seniors to join their nearest alumnæ chapters next fall. Write that chapter about them, if it isn't in the town where you are to be; and be on the lookout for the girls who come, from other chapters, to your chapter for the year or to live. Are you still a Delta Zeta? Then rush for her. Remember again that most Delta Zetas are alumnæ; and that the number of alumnæ, both actual and proportional, increases faster than the number of actives. You are an undergraduate only a short time at best; but you are a Delta Zeta all your life! Tell them so!

In a tiny pool one could jump over, I saw reflected all the sky:

I wondered how should one rightly measure this lovely water, By the earth that holds it, or the heavens it holds.

-Anon.

Pen-Portraits of My European Trip

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is a letter from Mrs. Gertrude McElfresh, Beta, to the girls of Chi chapter, and appeared in the latest issue of the *Chi-ogram*. Because it is so vivid and colorful, it is shared with all Delta Zetas, with thanks to Chi for passing it on.)

DEAR SISTERS:

MY TRIP to Europe.

a big assignment! What it was a joy from beginning to end. A college friend, Mrs. Harry Buxton of Corvallis, was an ideal "pal." We traveled independently, and thereby saved one-fourth of the usual expenses! Language difficulties, money exchange, customs, pensions-nothing daunted us. Truly, my dears, it really is not hard to travel on one's own in Europe. Courtesy begets courtesy everywhere.

DREAMS COME TRUE

How many dreams came true in a short three months. Ocean voyages (and not seasick were we), including three days of real storm—being aliens—doing beautiful and sunny England, wherein are my "dream ruins" at Kenilworth, my "dream castle" at Warwick, and my "dream cathedral" at Chester. Of each, my diary says, "I'm satisfied if I never see another."

England is lovely, lovely, beyond all imaginings; Bonnie Scotland is "nae sae bonnie" as I had anticipated; France and Belgium fit into the picture; Holland is picturesque beyond description—every windmill a thrill; Germany gave me my Perfect Day on the Rhine: Switzerland has real mountains more numerous and closer together than ours-hence soulstirring scenery; Italy-ah, words fail me at thought of Northern Italy. Small wonder that Italians are amorous, romantic, sentimental, and artistic! Stresa, on Lake Maggiore, is the chosen site for my second honeymoon. I'm offering to say "Yes" to the man who will take me back to the most beautiful spot in all the world.

My Own Prospectus

Nine days on the Atlanticlanded at Plymouth-first night at Exeter-then came Salisbury. Warwick, Kenilworth, Stratfordon-Avon (intellectually, my most satisfying day), Liverpool, Chester, English Lakeland (haunts and homes of Wordsworth, Ruskin, Coleridge, Dryden, etc.), lovelier than lovely, and such names: Lakes Windermere, Ulswater, Coniston, Grasmere. Derwentwater-Glasgow (ugly, grimy city of drunkards) —the Trossachs, a charming bit of wild country, full of "Lochs" -Edinburgh, queen city of the world (I stayed three days!)-Stirling, picturesque village, birthplace of my father, in land of Rob Rov-Galashiels, where my "pal's" rich "in-laws" live on an estate called Fairnilee (had my first and probably last ride in a Rolls-Royce), servants doing forty-ninth year, two gates, with porter's lodge at each, gardens so vast that we walked nearly three hours, of my one day, and saw only part of them, "tea," of course (read story books for the rest). Big Thrill. 'Tis a shame Myrt missed it. Then on to Durham, York, and London, dear old London, for nine days-a "topping" sight-did everything of course. And now, hold your breaths-by airplane to Parisloved it, except when the engines missed a beat right over middle of the Channel-en route two hours, fifty minutes-clear daywonderful experience.

PARISIAN POINTS

Paris? I tried not to be carried away, but it got me—yes, it is the most beautiful city in my world—I'm its slave for life—living now just to return and stay for weeks. I had a hat made to fit my "covered wagon," bought everything except clothes, and yet came away happy. Stylish French women wore black from tip to toe—skirts longer than ours—no rouge—red, red lips—and only half, or less, were bobbed.

THE I.F.U.W.

Belgium—Brussels for a day
—Antwerp—then The Hague

for a memorable day—Amsterdam for five days as delegate at I.F.U.W. (twenty-seven countries, latest count)—Lasting Impression: university women of different countries are not so different after all, and it is they who are destined to bring World Peace. International understanding is their aim, and, as the dear little Irish delegate said, "Through the women understanding comes."

Pictures—On Earth and On Canvas

Germany-with fields full of women doing men's work-mowing large fields of grain with hand sickles-pitching haybareheaded and barefoot-with the men sleek and fat and idle, except over the steins; to Cologne for a most magnificent cathedral -up the Rhine, with its Lorelei, its castles, its lore-to "Alt Heidelberg"-and into Switzerland, where the sunshine ended and clouds hung low five-sixths of the time (you know now why I must return to "Swisse")-at Lucerne for a boat trip to Wilhelm Tell's chapel-to Interlaken, for proof of how effectively the Jungfrau can hide herself-to Brieg, and over the Simplon Pass-a gorgeous trip, like unto Mt. Hood Loop road-to Then Stresa-Italian border. how my heart flutters! On to Como, Milan, with its most exquisite of all cathedrals and De Vinci's "The Last Supper" painted on a plastered wall—to Venice, and now words fail me. When my swain tires of Stresa, he may take me, happily, to the city of gondolas, nightly serenades, Florian's for the best ices in the world and shops that fascinate and bewilder.

Florence, with art galleries beyond compare, was next. In the Pitti Gallery I found my love, and before it I stood in awe and trembling—such is the effect of its radiant beauty—Murillo's "Madonna and Child." I'd go all the way to Florence again for it alone.

Rome called for a week—and got it. Such marvelous days of living over history, literature, and religion. St. Peter's cathedral, largest in the world, is more of an art museum than a church. And the Vatican—the world's greatest treasury of all that is beautiful—1,000 rooms—of course we couldn't see all, but we sat in awe in Michelangelo's Sistine Chapel, saw rooms done by Raphael, and others. You must experience an "original" to appreciate the meaning.

Vesuvius, Monte Carlo, and Home

Naples—hot, dirty, unsanitary—lovely in location—Pompeii with its marvelous excavations (I actually saw the House of Glancus, and narrow stone streets grooved deeply by chariot wheels, and petrified bodies in just the positions of having thrown them-

selves to the ground when that fall of sixty feet of white, hot volcanic ash covered them in a terrifyingly short time). Old wicked old Vesuvius is nearby, smoking away (she is a rounded cone, about the height of Mary's Peak). I didn't care to ascend her-most tourists do. Amalfi. for a world-famed drive along rugged shores of the Mediterranean-Sorrento-Rome again -Genoa, for "Campo Santo," most interesting cemetery in all the world-French Riviera, including Monte Carlo (no, I did not gamble-wasn't even tempted-disgusted to find threefourths of gamblers feminine. Nice-a lovely place, an Atlantic City under blue skies of Italy-Marseilles-Paris again-Cherbourg, from which I sailed home on September 4, tired but happy and absolutely certain that the best place of all to live is our own United States. Each day of the summer I was more and more grateful for my American citizenship. I know now why this is called "The Land of Opportunity."

Only five and a half days on ocean coming back—large, fast boat.

AFTERTHOUGHTS

British Museum in London ranks first; Mona Lisa, in the Louvre, in Paris, is just as mystifying as a picture could be, and I loved the Winged Victory and the original Venus de Milo;

Art Museum at Brussels is a little gem, just of itself; Westminster Abbey was disappointing in all respects except The Poets' Corner—it is so cluttered with memorials that you cannot see the Abbey itself; Notre Dame, in Paris, had to grow on me, but I came to love it; of course we did churches, cathedrals, galleries and museums everywhere.

In the Grand Opera House, we heard *Thais*.

Yes, we ascended Eiffel Tower, by elevator—almost 1,000 feet—and I was afraid.

The Church of the Madeline in Paris is my bestest love, probably because of the Grecian architecture.

I wish you nothing better for future plans than a summer abroad. Please let me help you with practical suggestions or in any way. May Joy go with you!

Best love to all,

GERTRUDE McE.

Charity is the temple of which justice is the foundation—but you cannot have the top without the bottom; you cannot build upon charity; you must build upon justice.

—Ruskin

SENIORS OF 1927

"Dear Editor," writes The Lamp correspondent from the Detroit Alumnæ chapter, "I like to know about folks, especially folks who

"Dear Charlotte: How are these?" Grace have some special relation to me. I know there must be other sisters just as curious as I am, and since I parted with the essentials of my own autobiography at your request, I'd take it as a special favor if you would try to give us in

tabloid, similar facts about all the rest of our Delta Zetas. Of course, if this is asking too much, you can squelch me, but I think it is a good idea."

Or words to that effect: as you can see for yourself in her real letter.

Now all year long we have been introducing to you just as many sisters as we could get to speak for themselves or put up with what we had to say about them, but we do think maybe the rest of you, as well as Charlotte, will enjoy knowing about these seniors of 1927. It is to be regretted that some chapters were unable to supply pictures, with data, for this issue, but there are enough to show us that our undergraduate members have been up and doing and to indicate that they are finding and pursuing with success, interests that will help to make them young women of charming personality and sincere service to their many communities.

Phi Beta Kappa, Theta Sigma Phi, Mortar Board, in Epsilon's Seniors

dent of the chapter, speaks for herself. Look at this: vice-president of Mortar Board; vice-president of Pleiades; W.S.G.A. Council, '25-'26, '26-'27; and social chairman, '26-'27; W.A.A. basketball head, '26-'27; hockey head, '25-'26; W.A.A. sweater winner; chair-

man of senior breakfast committee; captain of Memorial Drive team, '25-'26.

IRENE BEATTY returned to us in January from Hollywood, Florida, where she was teaching. Irene is majoring in home economics and is a member of the Home Economics Club. She has already taught home economics



Jimmie Stengel Jo Hardiman

Mildred Pleasant Delores Hey

"T" Harr Dotty Dodson

Helen Hart Edith Williams

Mary K. Lynch Irene Beatty

in high school and after graduating plans to start many more of the "sweeter sex" on the right road to matrimony—culinary achievement.

"JIMMIE" STENGEL is pint size, four feet ten inches to be exact, and lives for June and "Freddie." "Freddie" is a Sig Chi and the chapter highly approves of him. "Jimmie" is a graduate of Philadelphia Normal School and will receive a B.S. in education this June. She is interested in dramatics and is a member of Theta Alpha Phi, honorary dramatic sorority.

"Edie" Williams is the "big sister" of all the freshmen by right of being the real sister of "Geva." She attended Franklin College in '21-'22, and is an affiliate from Psi chapter. Edith has taught history and English in high school and is majoring in those subjects. She is also interested in dramatics, both directing and acting phases.

"Jo" HARDIMAN is "what gentlemen prefer," a striking blonde, and is the Delta Zeta candidate in the campus beauty contest. She attended Western College for Women, '23-'25. She is a Spanish major and after graduating plans to teach Castillian Spanish to the little "Greasers" in Mexico.

MILDRED PLEASANT is all that her name signifies. Her favorite pastime is analyzing her sisters, since she is a clinical psychology major, and an expert in her line. "Mid" is a member of the psychology club, co-ed rifle team '24-'25; was on the *Arbutus* staff, '25-26; on the *Daily Student* staff four semesters, and is secretary of Theta Sigma Phi, honorary journalistic society.

Mary K. Lynch says: "I'm an English major and am going to teach English and history if I can secure a school." Mary K. is a member of the English Club; Panhellenic representative, '26-'27, and our rush captain, '26-'27.

Delores Hey is our jeune fille française. She attended Franklin College from '21 to '23, and is an affiliate from Psi chapter. She taught three years in the grades and is now majoring in history in preparation for teaching medieval history in high school.

Helen Hart is small, auburnhaired, and has "It." She was on the *Student* staff, '25-'27; publicity chairman of W.S.G.A., '26-'27; is president of Theta Sigma Phi; editor of the *Ivory Sheet*, a razz paper published on the night of Junior Prom, and is to be chief toastmistress at Matrix Table, a banquet for the outstanding co-eds and women professors on the campus.

EDITH CUMINGS is our Phi Beta Kappa and we are duly proud of her. She is a talented musician, a French major, is working for special French honors, and hopes to study abroad next year. One can see that Edith's students are going to know their French verbs and tenses after passing through her classes.

"DOTTY" DODSON PARKER deserted the staid Epsilon chapter house between semesters for the unsettled course of matrimony. "The man" is Carl Parker, a Sig

Pi. "Dotty" is a talented musician and was a member of the English and Outing Clubs, but now most of her time is taken in keeping "Sig," the white Angora kitten, spotlessly clean. "Dottie" is still attending classes, however, and will receive her A.B. in June.

Alpha Proudly Graduates Ten

MILDRED MORNINGSTAR Was our chapter editor this year. So it is only fair that now someone else should tell about her. She has been one of our most active girls. In her sophomore year she was elected to Cwens, sophomore honorary. She is a member of Liberal Arts Club, and of Ye Merrie Players, the Miami Dramatic Club. Work on the Student staff helped prepare her for the work of being editor-in-chief of the Recensio, our college annual, in her junior year. This same year marked the other two biggest honors that have come to "Mid" on the campus: membership in Mortar Board, and election to Phi Beta Kappa.

ALICE SHEPHERD has been pledge captain this year and a mighty fine one, too. Helpfulness has been the keynote of her college activities. She has served as chairman of the Big Sisters of the Y.W.C.A.; as a member of Student Senate, Student Council, and Y.W. Cabinet. As a sophomore she was one of the Podacs, a sophomore organization for

good fellowship. Alice is a member of Liberal Arts Club and was president of Panhellenic Council. Her general worth on the campus, and the regard in which we all hold her, is again demonstated in her election to Mortar Board

MARIA BICKHAM was president this past year. Possibly the trip to Convention helped make her such a good leader for us; at any rate, she has been a real "Prexy." Maria has had diversified activities, being a member of Liberal Arts Club, a Y.W. Big Sister, one of Ye Merrie Players, serving on the Junior Prom Committee, and a member and one-time secretary of Kappa Delta Pi. Alpha believe that most good things come in twos, and why shouldn't we, when Maria has just recently been elected to Phi Beta Kappa!

MARY FRANCES ROWLEY is that little girl who is so pretty no one could help loving her. "Mafie," too, was a Y.W. Big Sister, and twice held class



Mildred Morningstar

Lucille Irish

Alice Shepherd Thelma Baldwin

Maria Bickham Ruth Warner

Mary Frances Rowley

Mary Louise Clendenin

Margaret Hayden

Dorothy Spence

offices: vice-president sophomore year and secretary in her senior year. She is a member of Liberal Arts Club, of Lambda Tau, an honorary literary society; of the staff of the *Student* and of the *Recensio*, and this year she made what most everyone loudly acclaims was the prettiest Prom Queen Miami has ever had. We are going to miss Mafie.

THELMA BALDWIN is our auburn-haired sister who likes to argue on deeply social and sociological matters. She is a Y.W. Big Sister, a member of Alpha Kappa Delta, honorary, and made a great cheer leader for the girls' indoor track meet.

RUTH WARNER'S quiet, sincere smile wins you right away. Here is a girl who will "be content in work, to do the thing we can and not presume to fret because it's little." Ruth is a member of Y.W. Cabinet (vice-president). She, too, was one of the Cwens at the time when the meeting to make it National was held here.

LUCILLE IRISH, tall and fair, came back to us after a little leave of absence to try her hand at the pedagogical steering wheel. Lucille has been almost a Big Sister right in the chapter this year. She is another of our Y.W. Big Sisters and a member of the Madrigal Club.

DOROTHY SPENCE, Xi chapter

sent us one of our seniors; no, undoubtedly that is a misprint—they only "lent" her to us. Now she is one of our very own. Dorothy is Thelma's companion in those sociological matters. She has been social chairman of Bishop Hall this year and president of the Classical Club. She, too, is a member of Alpha Kappa Delta, the sociology honorary.

Mary Louise Clendenin, our glowing-haired "Weezy," will go back to the Bluegrass when she leaves us. Mary Louise has a positive genius for friendship, both in her group and on the campus at large. The only activities I could persuade her to menother than these were being on the freshman hockey team, and serving on the committee for the Sophomore Hop.

MARGARET HAYDEN is one of Alpha's town girls. Margaret is interested in music and has been a member of the Madrigal Club. I think the chapter letter tells you something else in which she has been quite interested, too-in fact, it does seem that the majority of these seniors are about to take the M.R.S. soon after that A.B. Alpha doesn't care because she knows that thereby she is sure to gain ten ardently grateful "brothers" who'll agree that Alpha training makes the ideal wife!



BETTY ELKINS



MARY JACKSON



IRENE BARNER



EUNICE WALKER

Lambda's Six Seniors

BETTY ELKINS: Freshman Commission; Ionian Literary society; W.A.A.; Prix; "Xix," junior and senior honorary society; junior and senior Home Economics Association representative; President, 4; Big Sister captain; Y.W.C.A. Cabinet.

Mary Jackson: Eurodelphian society, College string quartette, College salon orchestra, college orchestra, class secretary, 3; Mu Phi Epsilon.

IRENE BARNER: Big Sister captain, Newman club, Presi-

dent, 3; Y.W.C.A., Campus Chest, and Freshman reception.

EUNICE WALKER: W.A.A.; Women's K. fraternity; Baker literary society; Purple Pepsters; hockey team; senior basketball captain.

Lambda's two remaining seniors (not shown) are:

Bernice Eckart: Aggie Pop; Y.W.C.A., Women's honorary society of Hays College, Campus Chest, and Big Sister.

RUTH JOHNSON: Y.W.C.A., Aggie Pop, Big Sister, May Fête.

An Even Dozen

All the major honor societies of the University of California campus are represented in Mu's group of eleven seniors this year—Prytanean, Pi Lambda Theta, Theta Sigma Phi, Phi Beta Kappa.

Geraldine Warford, San Franciso: Letters and Science; Y.W.C.A. Finance Committee (1); sophomore tennis team; Sophomore Labor Day luncheon committee; Y.W.C.A. Social Service Work (2); Partheneia (2); Prytanean finance committee (3); Junior Prom decorations committee (3); Student Advisory Work (3); Permanent Senior Ring committee; Senior Formal committee; Education Club (4); Secretary of Junior Women's banquet committee.

Bernice Eileen Grant, Cloverdale: Letters and Science; transfer from Mills College in 1924; Sophomore Labor Day lunch committee; Senior Assessment committee; Extravaganza Properties committee (4).

ELAINE RYAN, San Francisco: Letters and Science; Prytanean; Theta Sigma Phi; Crealtus; Sophomore Hop committee; Junior Formal committee; author of the Junior Farce, '27; chairman of Senior Women's Entertainment; editor of Blue and Gold joke section (4); Pelican Art Staff (4); author of 1927 Extravaganza (4); Sub-Chairman of Prytanean Fête reception committee (4); Sub-Chairman of Senior Selections committee.



Idamae Hazelton Marion Edwards

Rosabelle Graham Alice Nelson

Helen Rohl

Martha Kate Powers

Bernice Grant
Ethel Sweeney

Geraldine Warford Frances Probert

Elaine Ryan Mary Greenburg

IDAMAE HAZELTON, Sanger: Letters and Science; Y.W.C.A. Work (1); Rifle Club (1); Senior Extravaganza (4).

Rosabelle Graham, Dinuba: Letters and Science; Partheneia costume committee (1); Junior College (2); Dramatic Society; Student Body play; baseball team; swimming team; soccer team; Art Club Studio; Junior Prom arrangements committee; Junior Formal decorations committee; A.S.U.C. elections committee (3, 4); senior adviser.

Marion Justine Edwards, Oakland: Letters and Science; Prytanean; Mortar Board; Sigma Delta Pi; El Circulo Cervanteao; vice-chairman of Deputations (2, 3); Partheneia (1, 2, 3, 4); Social Committee (2, 3, 4); senior adviser (3, 4); captain of advisers (4); Welfare committee (4); Women's Executive committee (4); Prytanean Fête committee (1, 2, 4); subchairman of costume committee; Senior Week committee.

Frances Mary Probert, Berkeley: Letters and Science; University News Bureau (2); Junior Day committee; Amendment Ten committee (4); secretary of Permanent Organizations committee (4); Newman Club executive committee (4).

HELEN MARIE ROHL, Sacramento: Letters and Science; Sacramento Junior College (1, 2); Partheneia (3); Partheneia

music committee (3, 4); Treble Cleff (3, 4); Junior Farce; Junior Prom committee; A.S.U.C. sales committee (3, 4); Prytanean Fête committee (3); A.S.U.C. Store Board (4); Senior Assessment committee; Senior Extravaganza; Senior Pilgrimage; California Music League; Deputations.

ETHEL A. SWEENEY, Fresno: Letters and Science; Fresno State Junior College 1923-25; treasurer of Associated Women Students; executive committee of Associated Women Students; swimming team; basketball team; soccer team; hockey team; Art Club; College Day committee; Rifle Club (3); Y.W.C.A. (3); Junior Formal decorations committee; Education Club (3).

Martha Kate Powers, Fresno: swimming team (1, 2); canoeing team (1, 2); Y.W.C.A. (3); Junior Prom committee; Junior Farce; Senior Week committee.

Mary Greenburg, composer of music for 1927 Extravaganza.

ALICE CECILE NELSON, Fortuna: Letters and Science; Phi Beta Kappa; Pi Lambda Theta; Pi Delta Phi; Masonic Club; El Circulo Hispano-America; Daily Californian (1); Partheneia (1, 2); Women's Senior Formal committee; Senior Extravaganza Publication committee; Senior Women's banquet committee (4).

At Lombard

Frances Bjorling: Winner of Townsend Oratorical Contest, 1926; Professional Fine Arts Sorority; honorary social science; Commencement Play (3, 4). Frances is taking her degree

dent this past year, and has been a mainstay all through her four years with us.

HELEN McGIRR: Helen is one of our few out-of-town girls, living at Lombard Hall, the



Helen McGirr

Frances White

Frances Bjorling

in oratory and gives her commencement recital in speech, April 28.

Frances White: Glee Club; class vice-president (3); W.A.A.; hockey and basketball teams. Frances was our presi-

girls' dormitory. She was treasurer of the Hall in her junior year, and we were proud to have her serve as president this past year. She was also vice-president of the French Club, and won her W.A.A. membership.

Omicron Claims First President of "Cwens"

Venus Shakarian: Here is a girl whom you would never pass by even upon a casual glance. It is not only for her unusual good looks (Venus is Armenian by parentage) but the impression of alert, gracious intelligence is one that you cannot miss. She has a host of honors and activi-

ties, but it will suffice to list: varsity basketball, three years; tennis champion (3, 4); swimming champion (3, 4); member of Red Cross lifesaving corps; sweater president of W.A.A. her senior year. She is a judge of the Senior Court, member of College Association Cabinet, and honorary usher. Class committees and offices have taken some of her time, and she is a member of both Cwens, honorary sophomore society, and Mortar Board. In connection with Cwens, which was originated at Pitt and numbers Delta Zetas as part of the founders, it is interesting to note that Venus was president when Cwens became national in 1925.

VIRGINIA RUMBLE is chiefly interested in musical activities. She has been a member of the

EMILY THURBER is the second one of the Class of 1927 to wear a W.A.A. sweater. She served two years on W.A.A. Board, and one on W.S.G.A. Commission. Debating is her delight, and she is a member of the debate team, as well as of the honorary debating society, Delta Sigma Rho. She is a member of Cwens, and of Phi Alpha Theta, honorary history fraternity.

MARGARET MOORE, who has just retired as president of Omi-



SENIORS AND OUR TWO MORTAR BOARD MEMBERS

Margaret Moore and Venus Shakarian

Glee Club for four years, and also of the Pitkin Club. In the latter club she was a member of the Club Quartet the last two years, and secretary during this past one.

RUTH SCANLON is a cosmopolitan at heart as well as a member of the International Cosmopolitan Club. She is a member of the Y.W. Cabinet, being its vice-president this past year. Then, too, she has been Virginia's partner in the Glee Club and the Pitkin Club Quartet.

cron, is one of those people whose place is so hard to fill. Four years a member of the W.A.A., in class teams in hockey and tennis; three years in W.S.G.A. Commission and as honorary usher; on the *Pitt Weekly* during sophomore and junior years, and manager of the girls' organizations for the 1926 *Owl*, college yearbook; serving on Y.W. Cabinet these last two years, and as a delegate to the national Y.W.C.A. Conference in Milwaukee last December; mem-



Alice Flaat Hazel Gunderson

Alice V. Johnson Gertrude Thompson

Emma Morud Karleen Home

Ruth Germo Blanche Whittemore

ber and officer of the Pitkin Club, and its delegate to Eaglesmere Convention in 1926; honorary captain of Battery B, and of the 1926 Military Ball; member of Student Relations committee two years, and judge of the Senior Court this year; Omicron's

delegate to 1926 Delta Zeta Convention; finally, elected to Pi Lambda Theta and to Mortar Board—does this not sound like a full and satisfying college life? Omicron will miss Margaret, but it is proud to have sent her out as one of its alumnæ.

Upsilon Up-to-Date

Gertrude Thompson: Dakota Daily Student staff, reporter; associate editor Campus History, 1926; Glee Club.

BLANCHE WHITTEMORE: Zeta Phi Eta, national dramatic fraternity; Kappa Psi Omicron, local literary fraternity; Women's Senate; W.A.A.

HAZEL GUNDERSON: Nu Delta Pi, local honorary home economics fraternity; Penates, local home economics fraternity; Spanish Club; Glee Club.

ALICE FLAAT: Pi Lambda Theta, national honorary scholastic fraternity; Glee Club; Dakota Daily Student staff, reporter.

EMMA MORUD: Women's League Board; Y.W.C.A. Cabinet; Lake Geneva delegate; Glee Club; Oratorio Society, musical group; W.A.A.

KARLEEN HOME: Kappa Psi Omicron, president (3); Y.W.C.A. treasurer (2); social chairman (3); Geneva delegate (2); Forensic Board, secretary (4); Geography Club; Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Varsity Women's debate team (4); 1927 Dacotah staff; Dakota Daily Student staff (2, 3); Carney Song committee (4); Panhellenic (3, 4).

ALICE V. JOHNSON: Senior Glee Club (2, 3, 4); Spanish Club.

RUTH GERMO: Collegiate Players; Quo Vadis (local, like Mortar Board); Dakota Playmakers, secretary (4); Kappa Psi Omicron; Geneva Delegate (2); Dakota Daily Student staff (1, 2, 3); Women's editor (4); Spanish Club (1, 2, 3); Journalism Team (2); Matrix, vicepresident (3); Carney Song committee (3); chairman, Junior Prom committee; editor-in-chief, Matrix Campus History (3).

Kappa Delta Pis at Franklin

HELEN HEITMEYER came to us in her junior year, from the Western College for Women. She was a member of the Chapel Choir and the Girls' Glee Club in her junior year, secretary of the Senior class, and a member of Eta Sigma Phi. CLEO ROGERS has been one of our quiet workers within the chapter. She is a member of Eta Sigma Phi.

IRENE CRIBBS is the athlete of our Senior class. She made her W.A.A. membership in her freshman year, and in both junior and senior years was president of the association. Two years on the varsity basketball team, and a pioneer in the Rifle

popular as treasurer, since both the Y.W. and Psi chapter cast her for that rôle. She is a member of the Socratic Club, which is being installed as a chapter of Kappa Delta Pi this month; one of the Senior Board, our senior representative on Panhellenic council, and a member of the Almanac (yearbook) staff.

DOROTHY BEST: Psi chapter won't seem the same without



PSI SENIORS OF 1927 Helen Heitmeyer, Irene Cribbs, Katherine Boyd, Dorothy Best, Hope Babcock, Cleo Rogers

Club are to her credit. Back in her freshman days she was class secretary, and in 1925-26 she was vice-president of the girls' dormitory.

KATHERINE BOYD is a member of the Rifle Club, of the Franklin staff, and of Theta Alpha Phi. She is taking part in the Senior Week plays.

HOPE BABCOCK served on the Y.W.C.A. Cabinet in her junior and senior years, and seems to be

Dorothy Best. She is one of the most active girls that both Frank-lin College and Psi chapter have ever claimed. In her first two years she won an envied place as a debater, being a member of the debate team; but since then she has been occupied with more serious matters than argument! She has been a member of Pi Kappa Delta all four years, serving twice as officer; she is a member of the Dramatic Club,

and has a leading part in the Senior Play. She is president of Kappa Delta Pi; a member of the *Franklin* staff, secretary of Student Council, one of five campus leaders (the student body voting), and was elected to Franklin's local scholastic honor

society, Alpha. Our confidence in her has been shown by her being chosen as our delegate to both Province and National Conventions, and by her election to the highest office we could give her, that of our chapter president.

Editor-in-Chief and Three Presidents

Bell: When the VIRGINIA rain is pattering down, Ginnie is blissfully content if she can curl up on a nice comfy couch with a good book, dreamy music coming over the radio, and a dish of fudge within easy reach of a lazy She is cuddly, very soquite worshipful. ciable and Certain figures loom very large on Ginnie's horizon, and her thoughts and deeds include them. but she does it all with such a wide-eyed adoration and pretty sincerity, that we can but marvel at such devotion, long to shake her and rather like it. Y.W.C.A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Y.W. banquet committee; soph-senior party committee (2); I.C.S.A. (3, 4); chairman of decorations for Junior luncheon: decoration committee for All College Night (3).

MARGARET HEALY:

"Don't let them say I'm quiet,
For I'm really not," says she.
"You know I'm bold and forward,

And just full of gaiety. I'm not a shrinking violet, Don't call me sweet and shy, I have quite a different nature Than the one you know me by."

Newman Club (1, 2, 3, 4); president of Newman Club (4); delegate to Newman Club convention (3, 4); president of Panhellenic (4); Senior Knocks committee; Presidents' Club (4).



GRACE KOHL Our President

GRACE KOHL:

Grace has two constant companions—
An overstuffed notebook
And Obadiah.
The notebook contains

Her literary gems, uncut or polished,

Which we predict will be well-known some day.

But just what is in Obadiah Nobody knows.

Y.W.C.A. (1, 2, 3, 4); Round Table (3, 4); Oracle Literary Board (3); Press Board (2, 3); Fortnightly reporter (2, 3); editor-in-chief of Fortnightly (4); Senior-Soph Party committee (2); Student Industrial Commission (3, 4); Presidents' Club (4); delegate to Delta Zeta, 1926, convention; president of Alpha Zeta (4).

ELSIE MOSER:

There's really very little
That Elsie cares to eat;
She shudders when you mention
milk,
And swoons at seeing meat.

Perhaps there is some fairy dell A bower of blossoms fair,



LUCY NIEBRUGGE

Where she can sip ambrosia, And dine on nectar, rare.

Y.W.C.A. (3, 4); I.C.S.A. (3, 4); Cercle Française Litteraire.

LUCY NIEBRUGGE:

Pricking, stitching, coloring,
Drawing bunnies and eggs,
Pricking again.
Sewing marvelous landscapes,
And pricking.
Thus kindergarten lore
Is poured into Lucy's receptive

soul, And with her Becomes an art.

Y.W.C.A. (3, 4); I.C.S.A. (3, 4); Senior committee for arrangements (4); French Club (3).

EMILY VUILLEUMIER:

She's a member of the Math Club,

In that subject she delights, Takes the square of a hypotenuse From the dizziest of heights.

But that is not her only line; In art she ranks quite high; And her posters in Adelphi's halls

Have appealed to every eye.

Curie Chemistry Club (2, 3, 4); Poster Club (3, 4); swimming (1); member of Art Board of 1927 Oracle (3); Math Club (1, 2, 3); Y.W.C.A. (1, 2, 3, 4); I.C.S.A. (1); Le Cercle Française (1, 2, 3); Le Cercle Française Litteraire (4).



Christine Anderson Mildred Cowgell

Ann Williams

Robbie Finney Mary Bell Smith

The Last of Alpha Theta's Charter Members Graduates

Alpha Theta will be four years old this May. The very last of her charter members is graduating this year: Mildred Cowgell. We'd not have had Mildred with us if she had not been out trying her hand at cultivating the younger generation's mental garden for one year. Alpha Theta really feels that you won't blame us for being a bit proud of the fact that for three years we hold the scholarship cup here (thereby winning the Delta Zeta cup at last Convention!); that we have had a member in Mortar Board every year, and, although Phi Beta Kappa was only installed last year, so that Ann Williams is our first one, some of our charter members who have already graduated are also Phi Beta Kappa eligibles, and we are just as proud of them.

Statistically:

MILDRED COWGELL, Livermore, Kentucky: major subject—English; Beauty Contest (2); Kentucky Favorite (girls in feature section of annual) (4); Panhellenic Council (1, 2, 4); Kernel, University of Kentucky weekly publication, staff (3, 4); rifle team (2); Home Ec Club (1); English Club; Panhellenic (1, 2, 4); House Manager (4).

ROBBIE L. FINNIE, Paducah, Kentucky: Major subject: English; Randolph Macon (1, 2); W.S.G.A., vice-president (3); W.S.G.A. Executive Council; Glee Club (3); Philosophian Literary Club (3, 4); English Club; chapter editor (4).

MARY BELL SMITH, Nicholasville, Kentucky: Major subject: romance languages; Romance Language Club; recording secretary (4).

ANN WILLIAMS, Clinton, Kentucky: Major subject: art; Mortar Board, vice-president (4); Y.W.C.A., first cabinet (4); Philosophian Literary Club (1, 2); Philosophian secretary (3); Philosophian president (4); Kernel staff (4); W.S.G.A. Executive Council (3); Attendant to May Queen (3); Kentuckian (annual) staff, assistant art editor (4); "Kentucky Favorite" (4); Phi Beta Kappa (4); president (4); delegate to National Convention, 1926.

CHRISTINE ANDERSON, Lexington, Kentucky: Major subject: English; Philosophian Literary Club; English Club; corresponding secretary.



ALPHA KAPPA SENIORS Glenevieve Watkin

Heloise M. Little

Marie Branch

Glenevieve Watkin, Φ K Φ , Φ B K, Π Λ Θ ; Bernice Widrick, Π M E, H Γ , Women's Honorary Chemistry: Irene Follett, Φ K Φ , H Π T, Θ Σ Φ .

Ada Robbins X H Σ, Honorary Economics Helen Henderson

Ethel Slater

Eight Honor Societies Represented in Alpha Kappa Graduating Class

Alpha Kappa's seniors of 1927 have indeed brought distinction to the chapter. Among them are members of the following national honor societies:

Theta Sigma Phi-1.

Eta Pi Upsilon, senior women's honor society—1.

Phi Kappa Phi—2.

Eta Gamma, honorary chemistry—2.

Chi Eta Sigma, honorary economics—1.

Pi Mu Epsilon, honorary mathematics—1.

Pi Lambda Theta—1. Phi Beta Kappa—1.

The individual activities are:

Marie Branch: English major; chapter vice-president; member of English Club; large cabinet of Y.W.C.A. (1).

IRENE FOLLETT: English major; chapter president; Theta Sigma Phi; Eta Pi Upsilon, senior women's honorary; Phi Kappa Phi; associate editor of *Daily Orange*; associate editor of *University Handbook*; secretary and vice-president of English Club; advertising staff of *Daily Orange*; publicity chairman of W.S.G.A.

HELEN HENDERSON: public school music; recording secretary; University Chorus; Sophomore class executive committee; large board of W.S.G.A. (4); Women's Congress.

ELIZABETH LEMMERZ: history major; Women's Day pageant (2); committee of W.S.G.A.; social service committee of Y.W.C.A.

HELOISE M. LITTLE: English major; member of Women's Congress; English Club.

VIRGINIA MOORE: public school art; corresponding secretary; Daily Orange (2, 3); editorial staff of University Handbook; social service committee of Y.W.C.A.; Fine Arts League; Women's Day pageant (2); Panhellenic representative (3).

EDITH MORTON: home economics; guard, Eta Gamma, honorary chemistry; Y.W.C.A. (1, 2, 3); Economics Club; history committee of W.S.G.A.; Women's Cosmopolitan Club.

HARRIETT PLUMLEY: oratory; recording secretary (3); Women's Congress; Large Board of W.S.G.A.

Add Robbins: economics major; secretary (3), and president (4) Economics Club; Women's Congress; Chi Eta Sigma, honorary economics.

ETHEL SLATER: business administration; chapter treasurer; Women's Congress (3); Outing Club (1); Large Board of W.S.G.A. (2).

GLENEVIEVE WATKIN: Latin and history major; university chorus (1); Women's Glee Club (2, 4); large board of W.S.G.A.

(2); associate editor of 1927 Onondagan; secretary Classical Club; Phi Kappa Phi; Phi Beta Kappa; Pi Lambda Theta.

Bernice Widrick: mathematics major; Pi Mu Epsilon; Eta Gamma; Student Volunteers; university chorus.

Three Phi Beta Kappas at Maine

Alpha Upsilon parts with three Phi Beta Kappas on Commencement Day this year, two who are taking the degree of bachelor of arts, and one with a master's degree. The chapter has been very happy to have Emily Pendleton, last year's president, in college this year, working for the master's degree which she is to receive in June. Emily was elected to Phi Beta Kappa in her senior year, and was awarded a scholarship which enabled her to continue her work this year.

Annette Matthews and Amy Adams are Alpha Upsilon's other two wearers of the key of knowledge; from all reports Annette's younger sisters are determined to keep up the chapter's reputation of Phi Beta Kappa honors in Alpha Upsilon every year!

AMY BELLE ADAMS: varsity hockey (1, 2, 3, 4); Campus reporter (2, 3); athletic editor Campus (4); Athletic Board (2); manager of girls' baseball (2); Women's Intercollegiate Poetry Prize (2); Contributor's Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Glee Club (2); Y.W.C.A. Cabinet (2, 3); All-Maine Women (2, 3, 4); treasurer Outing Club (3); vicepresident Outing Club (4); Phi Beta Kappa; Phi Kappa Phi. "Versatile" spells Amy. The fairies showered abundant gifts upon this senior, as witness her many varied interests. Poet, hockey player, artist, student-



Muriel L'Vesta Varnum

Edith Charlotte Merchant

Margaret Julia White



Annette Matthews

Emily Pendleton

Amy B. Adams

we are at a loss to place her in her proper setting. There is only one thing that she does not like, and that is—elocution. In fact, she much prefers fancy dancing. She is also very fond of mountain climbing, and likes the wide open spaces.

ANNETTE SUSAN MATTHEWS: Campus reporter (2, 3); 4-H Club (2, 3); house secretary (3); Phi Sigma; Phi Beta Kapua; Phi Kappa Phi. Here's our Bobbie, the little meek freshman of 1923, who was thinking of a perfectly proper course in history. But alas! since then she has bobbed her hair and taken to nursing wasps and mice. She spends her noon hours anywhere but at the dinner-table and her greatest pastime of the afternoon is playing with the mice at the mouse lab.

EDITH CHARLOTTE MER-CHANT: varsity hockey (2); baseball (2); track (2); house president (4); natural history group; 4-H Club; Phi Sigma. Enter Edith, the snowshoe queen. Edith has quite a silver collection, most of it being cups which she has won at various winter carnivals. In the summer time she dons her huge straw hat, takes out her butterfly net, and indulges in the art of "aphididean."

MURIEL L'VESTA VARNUM: Latin Club (2, 3, 4); varsity basketball (2); class basketball (2, 3, 4); hockey (2, 3); Glee Club; house president (4). This is Muriel, our agile jumping center. She insists that "longevity" applies to her height. If this is true, she will have the longest, happiest life of any of us. Her aim after college is Alaska. Whether the natives would appreciate Latin or French is a question, but she thinks it worth the experiment. She might in-

troduce hockey and fudge-making for "recreation."

Margaret Julia White: Campus Board (3); Spanish Club (3, 4); French Club (2, 3). Early or late, morning or night, Peggy may be found plugging away either in her room or at the library. It is a well known

fact that this fair co-ed has taken the standard library course ever since she entered Maine. We wonder if there's a reason.

What time of day does Peggy like best? Why "Dawn" of course!

[Editor's Note: The reason seems to "Dawn" upon us!]

Showing Sigma's Seniors

Marie Louise Gross has been one of our most loyal workers within the chapter. As vice-president, this year she has helped our pledges to find the meaning of fraternity and especially of the Delta Zeta fraternity. Marie Louise is a member of the Newman Club, and in her sophomore years served as its president.

Nora Norris has interests just as versatile as vou'd imagine from her merry name. All her four years she has been a Y.W.C.A. worker; the first three years she hiked with the Hikers' Club; as a sophomore and junior she sang in the Chorus, and for the last three years she was numbered among the "bog-ologists" in the Biology Club. It is no wonder that having lived these various rôles, she should also be a member of the Dramatic Club.

Fannie Day Booth has for the past two years been a member of the Co-ed Honor Council. During all four years she has been numbered in the Semi-Chorus as well as with the Y.W.C.A. workers. Her other honors include serving as junior Co-ed president, and being a member of Delta Gamma Delta, our intersorority organization.

CAMILLE LANGTON has come back to graduate from Louisiana State University, after wandering away from us to widen her college experience at the University of Missouri. She is a member of Semi-Chorus and Biology Club, and serves on Sigma's building committee.

VERA BOOZE is another who left us for awhile but decided to come back and graduate with her own sisters. She lived in Virginia during her sophomore year and attended normal school there. Vera's interests are primarily musical. She belongs to Semi-Chorus and to Chorus, and was one of four Delta Zetas to become charter members of Sigma Alpha Iota when it was installed at Louisiana State University this past winter.

CAROLYN SHOLARS, although she has been here but for two years, has been as busy as a bee,



Carolyn Sholars Marie Louise Gross Hattie Vera Booze Camille Langton Nora Norris Fannie Day Booth Margery Stewart Edna McLean

with the reward of as much "honey" as any industrious worker could wish. Aside from being a member of the Y.W. Cabinet, president of the senior Coeds and a member of the Honor Council, she has been part of almost every "writing" activity on the campus: Scribblers, Theta Sigma Sigma (petitioning the national Theta Sigma Phi); society editor of the Reveille: feature editor of Gumbo, and associate editor of the Purple Pel, our humor magazine. We are glad she left Newcomb for 115!

Edna McLean, who has been telling The Lamp about Sigma this year, is another of our literary lights. She, too, is a member of Scribblers; and of the staff of Purple Pel, and the Reveille. Interpretative dancing and athletics were earlier interests, winning her a place in W.A.A., and in Panhellenic she has served Sigma for three years. This year she has been on Y.W. Cabinet, and she is our second member of Theta Sigma Sigma, and Delta Gamma Delta.

Margery Stewart, who is retiring president, has been active in Y.W. Cabinet for her entire college life, in her junior year being honored by its presidency. She is a member of Cosmopolitan Club; of Mu Sigma Rho, our scholastic honor society, and a member, and the president, of Blazers, senior women's honorary society. We are indeed proud of Margery.

ELIZABETH (LIB) McGUIRE will leave a great vacant place at Louisiana State University. Class president in her freshman and sophomore years, she has held also the offices of treasurer and vice-president of Student Government; been on W.A.A. Executive Board; and held practically all the honors possible in athletics-she has won her W.A.A. sweater and blanket: was twice tennis champion; twice won honors in W.A.A. track meets, and was a member of all varsity sport teams for all four vears. In addition to this she was twice voted the most popular girl, twice the best all-round girl, and four times Louisiana State University's best co-ed athlete. She is renowned as being twice elected co-ed cheerleader

What Alpha Sigma Seniors Have Been Doing

MILDRED BRANTLEY, A.B. in Education; Larger Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. (2); Glee Club (1, 2, 4); Education Directorate (3, 4); chairman Junior-Senior banquet (3); president of Press Board (4); Senate of C.G.A.

(4); class president (4); Torchbearer (4); Senior Play; Junior Minstrel (3, 4); Maid of Honor in Coronation (4); Junior Play (2); Commencement Play (1); May Day Festival (1); senior chairman of Song Festival (4);



Mildred Brantley Elizabeth Carlmel Mildred Harris
Helen Little Blanche Curry Helen Sutton
Mildred Bullock Esther Maud Saunders

president Polk County Alumnæ Association (4); member of Chi Delta Phi.

MILDRED BULLOCK, B.M.; vice-president class (3); class soccer team (3); fire captain Reynolds Hall (3); class baseball team (3); Usher Committee (3); Freshman Advisory Council (3, 4); Flambeau staff (4); Florida Intercollegiate Press Association (4); fire chief (4); Senate (4); Coronation (4); Certificate in Piano (3); Sponsor to Union Confederate Veterans' Reunion (4).

BLANCHE FOGARTY CURRY, B.S. in zoölogy; Freshman Commission (1); secretary of C.G.A. (2); class hockey team (2); Spirogira (2, 3, 4); life saver (2, 3, 4); vice-president Y.W.C.A. (3); class parliamentarian (3); class treasurer (4); class cheer leader (4); Panhellenic Council (3, 4); Odd Demonstration (4); Torchbearer (4).

ELISABETH GOODSON CARL-MEL, A.B. in English; Larger Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. (2, 3); assistant chairman of finance (3); Smaller Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. (4); chairman of vespers; Blue Ridge (3); Spirogira (2, 3, 4); Home Economics Club (4); chairman Florida Delegation at Blue Ridge (3); Odd Demonstration (4); Coronation (4).

MILDRED STUBBS HARRIS, A.B. in English; Y.W.C.A. Commission (1); Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. (1, 2, 3, 4); class hockey team (2); class treasurer (2, 3); Blue Ridge (2, 3); secretary of Y.W.C.A. (3); delegate to National Convention of Y.W.C.A., Milwaukee (3); Spirogira (3, 4); campus social committee (3); Torchbearer (4); president of Y.W.C.A. (4); Judiciary of C.G.A. (4); Senate (4); Home Economics Club (4); Odd Demonstration (4).

HELEN LITTLE, A.B. in English; Odd Demonstration (4).

Mary Helen Sutton, B.S. in zoölogy; Glee Club (3, 4); fire captain of Jennie Murphree Hall (4); Odd Demonstration (1, 2, 3, 4); Junior Minstrel (1, 2, 3); Coronation (4); Scientific Society (4).

ESTHER MAUD SAUNDERS, A.B. in commerce; Finance Committee (2, 3); junior usher (3); chairman of auditing committee for C.G.A. (4); Senate of C.G.A. (4).

Chi Seniors Lead in Publications

Mabel Brown, past president, is our artist. She has been on the *Orange Owl* staff for four years and was editor of the coed issue of the *Owl* this year.

She is a member of Hammer and Coffin, a humorous honorary, and was on the publicity committee for the Y.W.C.A. Mabel is exceptionally talented in artis-



Mabel Brown

Idamae Schloth

Wildes Edwards

Floreine Knebel

tic circles and it is certain that we couldn't get along without "Mabs."

IDAMAE SCHLOTH is our debater, having participated in Women's Varsity Debate for two years. She was vice-president of Zeta Kappa Psi, a national honorary in debate for women. Idamae was section editor of the *Beaver* for one year and was a member of the Madrigal Club for three years. She is also a champion swimmer and was captain of the junior swimming team.

WILDES EDWARDS is our oldest graduate and we sure hate to see her leave us. "Bill," as she is called, has been historian, vicepresident, and secretary of National Collegiate Players and is an assistant in dramatics in the public speaking department. She was also vice-president of Delta Psi Kappa and was secretary of the Physical Education Club. "Bill" is very active in athletics, has been on class teams, and is an all-round girl. She is a member of Temenids, an Eastern Star organization, and has been our house treasurer for two years.

FLOREINE KNEBEL was our social chairman for the house this past year. She was on the *Beaver* staff for two years, was a representative for the Chamber of Commerce of Oregon Agricultural College. She was also on the Greater Oregon Agricultural College Committee and was our secretary for one year.

Ten Texas Treasures from Alpha Psi

Alpha Psi is losing ten girls this year; that is, we have ten seniors. However, they have done such good work that they deserve to receive the "skin you love to touch" (together with that coveted B.A. degree). Here is a list of the seniors with their activities since they first came to Southern Methodist University: Nelva Boren: B.A. in Spanish; W.A.A. (2, 3, 4); Pep Squad (2, 3); Y.W.C.A. (2); Messiah Chorus (3); Creation Chorus (4); Spanish Club (3); Education Club (4).

INEZ COPE: B.M. in voice; Y.W.C.A. (2); Music Club (2, 3); Junior Arden Club (2); secretary Junior Arden Club (3); Honor Council (3); Honor Council committee (4); Panhellenic Representative (2, 3); Messiah Chorus (3); Creation Chorus (4); Senior Day committee.

Marie Friend: B.M. in organ; Junior Arden Club (1, 2, 3, 4); Bach Club (2, 3); Panhellenic Representative (3).

LUCY GILLEAN: B.A. in sociology; Y.W.C.A. (1); W.A.A. (1); Epworth League vice-president (2); Epworth League president (3); Epworth League chairman of recreation (4); delegate to Methodist Student Federation (2); second vice-president Methodist Student Federation (3); Junior Arden Club (2); vice-president Junior Arden Club (3); president Junior Arden Club (4); delegate Student Conference at Memphis (3); delegate to Student Conference at Milwaukee (4); Senior Day committee.

ELIZABETH KIMBALL: B.A. in English; transfer from Baylor; assistant in English; Education Club.

Mary Lamar: B.A. in Latin; assistant in English (2, 3, 4); English Club (2, 3, 4); Delta Alpha, honorary classical fraternity; Alpha Theta Phi, honorary scholarship fraternity.

Mary Roach: B.A. in education; W.A.A. (3); Pep Squad; Women's Self Governing Board; Education Club; Y.W.C.A.

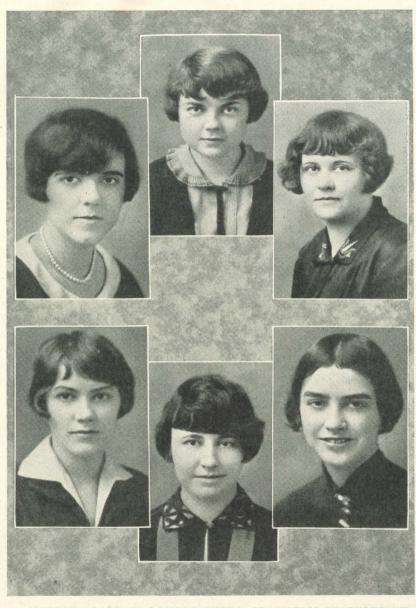
ALICE DARBY SMITH: B.A. in history; Woman's Athletic Association (2); Y.W.C.A. (1, 2, 3, 4); History and Political Science Club (2, 3, 4); Education Club (3); president Education Club (4); assistant in economics (4); Panhellenic representative (4); secretary Senior class (4).

CHRISTINE TAYLOR, B.S. in education; Education Club (3, 4); Psychology and Philosophy Club (4); Woman's Athletic Association (2, 3, 4).

MRS. A. C. WILSON: (See picture section) B.A. in history, economics and German; History and Political Science Club (2, 3); secretary-treasurer History and Political Science Club (4); Education Club (4); Y.W.C.A. (2, 3).

Iota True to Traditions

VERA HOOD, Independence, Iowa: Freshman Commission, Y.W.C.A., Cosmopolitan Club, Hesperia (literary society), University Players, Casts of If and Romeo and Juliet, member of



MORTAR BOARD, PI LAMBDA THETA, DRAMATICS FEATURED BY IOTA SENIORS OF 1927

Vera Hood Independence, Iowa

Marion Church Mason City, Iowa Helen Cole Woodbine, Iowa

Ruth Tamisea Missouri Valley, Iowa Lois Cobb Boone, Iowa

Margaret Triplett Storm Lake, Iowa executive staff for many productions during two years, including: He Who Gets Slapped, Hell Bent fer Heaven, Romeo and Juliet, The Tempest, etc., director of plays at University high school, produced Adam and Eva and Dulcy; Organized "U Hi Maskers," an honorary dramatic organization.

HELEN COLE, Woodbine, Iowa: President Iota (3); Mortar Board; Continuo; Pi Lambda Theta; Y.W.C.A. Cabinet; Panhellenic Council; accompanist, University Glee Clubs and Chorus.

Lois Cobb, Boone, Iowa: vice-president of Hesperia; Y.W.C.A.; Morrison Club; W.A.A.A.; debate squad; Apprentice Players, *Craig's Wife* cast; Women's Forensic Council.

Marion Church, Mason City, Iowa: Glee Club; Y.W.C.A.; corresponding secretary of Iota chapter.

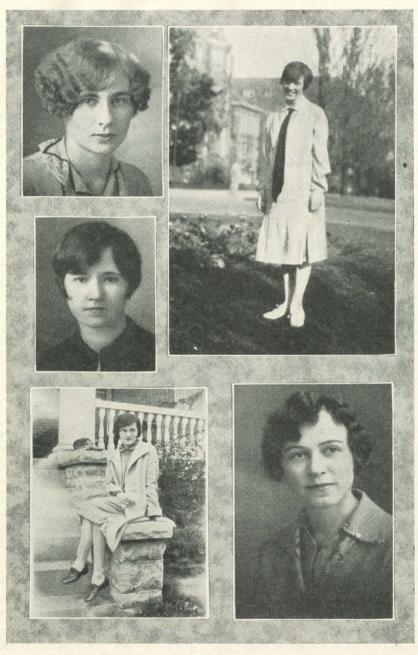
RUTH TAMISEA, Missouri Valley, Iowa: president of Iota (4); president of Mortar Board (4); Sigma Delta Phi; Freshman Commission; president Hesperia Literary Society; University Players; cast of Beggar on Horse Back; University Theatrical Board; Intercollegiate Debate Teams of '25 and '26; vice-president of Y.W.C.A.; treasurer of Women's Forensic Council; secretary of Women's Panhellenic Council; Student Council.

MARGARET TRIPLETT, Storm Lake, Iowa: Hesperia; Y.W.C.A.; Council and Cabinet; P.E.O.; *Frivol* Art Staff; Art Club; Board of Education Certificate.

Mortar Board

Mortar Board, which chooses its members on the basis of scholarship, activities, and service, is represented by fourteen members of our 1927 graduates, four "singles" and five "doubles." From Alpha we have Mildred Morningstar and Alice Shepherd; Ohio's second quota comes from Theta, with Ruth Lloyd and Mildred Worley. Adding Ann Williams, of Alpha Theta, and Thelma Harr, of Epsilon, seems to give Gamma Province the lion's share of these notables. Omicron is proud of her two

members, Margaret Moore and Venus Shakarian, because the Mortar Board chapter at Pitt represents nineteen N.P.C. organizations, and has but nine members. Over in Delta Province we find Iota with Helen Cole and Ruth Tamisea as charter members of Mortar Board which recently took over the older organization of "Staff and Circle." Ruth was president during the past year. Kappa chapter's two, Jean Wallace and Amelie Nichols, were both at Convention, and Amelie has a



PHI BETA KAPPAS FROM THIS YEAR'S GRADUATES
Alice Nelson, Mu
Alma Wood, Alpha Tau
Edith Cumings, Epsilon

Blanche Stevens, Zeta

reputation on the campus at Washington for being an inveterate Convention-goer, because of the frequency with which she attends Y.W.C.A. conferences.

Traveling down the coast we meet Glenna Travis at Omega and find Marion Edwards at Mu, thus completing the four-teen.

Thirteen not Unlucky for Phi Beta Kappa

If you are statistically inclined, you may take your own little eversharp and count up the honors listed here and there in the senior lists; but perhaps you are one of those who must read as she runs, and for you this list has been made. How do you like it?

Phi Beta Kappa
Maria Bickham, A
Mildred Morningstar, A
Edith Cumings, E
Blanche Stevens, Z
Alice Nelson, M
Maybelle Pillar, P
Ann Williams, A @
Glenevieve Watkin, A K
Susan Cobbs, A \(\mathcal{E}\)
Alma Wood, A T
Amy Adams, A Y
Annette Matthews, A Y
Emily Pendleton, A Y

Phi Kappa Phi Amy Adams, A Y Annette Matthews, A Y Glenevieve Watkin, A K Irene Follett, A K

Mortar Board
Mildred Morningstar, A
Alice Shepherd, A
Thelma Harr, E
Mildred Worley, ®
Ruth Lloyd, ®

Helen Cole, I Ruth Tamisea, I Jean Wallace, K Amelie Nichols, K Marion Edwards, M Margaret Moore, O Venus Shakarian, O Glenna Fisher, Ω Ann Williams, A Θ

Theta Sigma Phi Helen Hart, E Mildred Pleasants, E Rauha Laulainen, r Elaine Ryan, M

Kappa Delta Pi
Irene Follett, A K
Maria Bickham, A
Dorothy Best, Ψ
Katherine Boyd, Ψ
Hope Babcock, Ψ
Maxine Dannenbaum, A Λ
Ruth Martin, A Λ
Dorothy Doxsee, A P

Kappa Beta Pi (Legal) Florence Pollock, A H

Pi Lambda Theta
Edith Cumings, E
Alice Nelson, M
Margaret Moore, O
Alice Flaat, Y
Glenevieve Watkin, A K

The musical honoraries, Mu Phi Epsilon, Sigma Alpha Iota,



Alice Etting Elizabeth Stafford Luce Wilma Perry
Flora Louise Scott Frances Fitzgerald Janice Betz
Lola Eberly Florence Flodein



Ethel Wilson Arts Ruth Martin Arts Helen Grainey Arts

on Alice Marshall
Arts
in Lavalette Brant
Betty Westhaver
school of Law

Eva K. Waterhouse Business Admin. Maxine Dannenbaum Arts Grace Milledge School of Nursing

Lila M. Ready Music Nadine Robinson Arts Phoebe Gaumer Arts

Phi Beta, show seven members' reported; and the science of homemaking has its four representatives in Omicron Nu and Phi Upsilon Omicron. The histrionically inclined are evenly divided with two in Theta Alpha Phi, and two in Zeta Phi Eta. Chi Delta Phi, which is not represented on a large number of our campuses, is reported only from Alpha Sigma and Alpha Omega, with three members. The local societies which correspond

to the various national organizations give us almost the same numbers as those shown above; and unquestionably as much ability and pride may be found represented in them, as in the national societies. In a later number of The Lamp these organizations will be presented to you, and at that time, too, the reports which could not be made until after elections held later in this college year, will be added to the data available now.



SENIORS OF ALPHA IOTA

Top row: Hilda Haase, Beata Giddings, Jean Alelavan, Gladys House.
Bottom row: Mildred Burton, Dixie Wheatley, Frances Johnson (president this year),
Elizabeth Collins, Marjorie Hull.

Commencement Customs



CORNELL
This Portico is the Center of Spring Day Doings

Women's Day at Syracuse University*

ONE of the loveliest traditions of Syracuse University is Women's Day, which is celebrated every year in the month of May. From early morning until late in the evening the day is one of festive and picturesque carnival. A May morning breakfast held on the old stone bridge in the castle

*This article was written by Miss Marguerite Woodworth, Gamma Phi Beta, assistant dean of Women of Syracuse University, and published in a small volume of Syracuse Songs, 1926.—RUTH FLICK, A K

grounds begins the day. The first strawberries of the season served with cream, crisp bacon, rolls, and hot coffee are served to all who come. If the day is warm what color one sees—green linen smocks, watermelon-colored sweaters, blue jersey suits, and occasionally a dashing yellow gown or a striped dress like a peppermint stick of candy. It is a carnival of color.

All through the morning athletic contests are held on Hendricks Field. In the afternoon a large pageant is held—one year it was Robin Hood. Always there are hundreds of fairy and elf-

like dancers, music and pantomime. The presence of the May Queen, who is elected from the Senior class, with her court of attendants, is a distinctive feature of the pageant.

The day closes with the beautiful and symbolic Lantern ceremony which takes place on the sloping hillsides of Crouse College. The seniors, wearing their caps and gowns and holding lighted lanterns, form the numerals of their class. They sing the women's Alma Mater as the juniors, gowned in white, come in, and, taking the lanterns, form the numerals of their class. The juniors sing the lantern song and at the close of the ceremony all the women students together sing the Women's Day hymn, "These are Thy gifts we lay them on Thine altar."

The Candle-Light Service

Graduation is a great thing in a college student's life, as everybody knows. The Music Department, headed by Professor Stopher, furnishes a beautiful part of the graduation exercises at Louisiana State University. The Candle Light Service is always given the Friday night before the real graduation day—on Monday.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever." This service is one of the most impressive and beautiful of Commencement Week. No lights are used except flickering candle light. On the stage are the girl chorus dressed in white and the Glee Club. The orchestra is just below. In the front seats of the audience section are the cap-and-gowned graduates. When the Alma Mater is sung, you can imagine the way the graduates feel. Oh! how lonesome and homesick to think of leaving!

The program after this is really a concert and Professor Stopher certainly can direct one! There are no talks—just beautiful music. And when the audience leaves it feels that it has witnessed a real farewell and a loving remembrance is fixed in the mind for many, many months.

President's Reception and College Sing at Franklin College

The most interesting, or perhaps we should say the most active, evening for seniors during Commencement Week is the night of the alumni banquet, college sing, and President's reception. The banquet is usually held at the Baptist Church, but the other two affairs are held on the campus.

Immediately after the banquet the seniors in their caps and gowns assemble with the rest of the student body to sing for the last time together the praises of their Alma Mater. After some twenty minutes of lusty song, the College President holds an informal reception in honor of the newly acquired alumni of the institution. The campus, for the only time during the year, is lit by Japanese lanterns and the old fountain, usually "waterless" because of the cost of upkeep, throws its water over standersby at too close a range. It's a happy time, yet a sad time; but how we all love it!

May Day at De Pauw

Probably May Day at De Pauw is not so very different spread in the gymnasium, and there amid gay spring decorations a delectable breakfast, always featuring strawberries, is served. Before the meal is ended, the first of the really exciting incidents has taken place: Mortar Board has "tapped" its choice of members for the coming year, and the honored junior girls, wearing the Mortar Board of the seniors who have "tapped" them, appear among the other students



DELTA'S 1919 SENIORS, MAY DAY

from the observance of it in other colleges, but nevertheless it is very dear to all adherents of the Old Gold. It is an all-day holiday, and the occasion for many reunions at fraternity and sorority houses.

The opening event is the May Day breakfast served by the W.A.A. If the day is fair (as of course we always pray for it to be) this is held on the campus; if it rains, then the tables are to the accompaniment of congratulations and much elation on the part of interested friends.

A May Day Fête, including the crowning of the May Queen; athletic events for both men and women students, and a play in the evening, by Duzer Du, De Pauw chapter of National Collegiate Players, are inevitable parts of the program. A special edition of the college paper comes out; graduating students

of the music department will probably appear in concert—a general air of festivity and happiness prevails.

May Day at De Pauw! It is a time to remember always with a wish that one might go back and live it over one extra time.-Perhaps the accompanying picture will serve too as the Magic Carpet for those members of Delta who were undergraduates in 1919. Here are the seniors of that year, with the house mother and mascot, the chapter dog. La, la! Only two short college generations ago-but observe how passé are the skirts and coiffures of other days. Pauline Edwards Dodd, who spares this picture from her scrapbook, will welcome an "I remember too" from some of the girls whose addresses are now unknown to her.

Reading from left to right: Ruth Miller Clearwaters, Crawfordsville, Indiana: Pauline Edwards Dodd, Kansas City, Missouri; Esther Mooney Stumbo, Smalley, Kentucky; Enid Barracks Bundy, address unknown; Ruby Foster Clearwaters, somewhere in Illinois; Mrs. Kimball (chaperon); Marion Thrush Weathers. Auburn. Indiana; Marietta Clearwaters Zechiel, where, oh where?: Kathleen Crowder McIntosh, New Concord. Ohio: Ruth Robertson, Greencastle, Indiana, and Lucille Washburn Brown, St. Elmo, Illinois. We were rather proud of ourselves, for Pauline was a

member of Mortar Board, Ruth Robertson was our Phi Beta Kappa, and Ruth Miller wrote the words and music of that song which seems to be part and parcel of every Delta Zeta, the Rose Song, beginning "Washed by the dew."

Yes, May Day at DePauw is one of those days you don't forget.

P.E.D.

Some Traditions of Kentucky Commencement

There is one bright day in Kentucky when freshmen, sophomores alike cast envious eves upon superior seniors. This particular time is that appointed for the annual senior Sunrise Breakfast given by President and Mrs. Frank Le Rond McVev. Especially distinctive is the fact that the delightful affair is given in the sparkling early hours of morning in a completely natural setting-that of the attractive lawn of the "President's-Houseon-the-Campus." In the crisp freshness of a sunny June day, hundreds of seniors gather on Kentucky bluegrass for a truly fond farewell.

Moving Day is eagerly anticipated by a throng of students at the University of Kentucky. At this time, freshmen leave their verdure behind; sophomores acquire a higher rank, and juniors assume the time honored dignity of seniors; while, alas, poor seniors are wont to accustom them-

selves to falling heir to "alumnæ-ship."

In a huge bonfire, freshmen boys and girls burn caps and armbands of traditional Kentucky "Blue and White," symbols of "first yeardom," and discard forever the signs that are customarily associated with the neophyte of college.

For the last several weeks of school, all students enjoy the newly gained freedom of advancement. Sophomores realize the meaning of "upper classmen" for the first time, and juniors feel the thrill of being designated as seniors.

Our Senior Breakfast

Alpha Lambda's most firmly fixed senior tradition is its Senior Breakfast. "Breakfast" sounds like mere eating, but this is more; it is Delta Zeta senior week concentrated into a few hours. In the gayly decorated rooms the seniors are each toasted by a close friend or a "daughter" until the very air is full of happiness. Each senior also has a present and, most important of all, everyone eats the most delicious breakfast of the year.

PATIENCE CAIRNS, A A

Alpha Pi's Annual Play

Rather low causes often lead to quite admirable ends. Thus with the Alpha Pi's Delta Zeta play. Not that the cause was really low, but in 1924 the girls of the chapter felt themselves

rather embarrassed financially and in search of means for obtaining money hit upon the idea of giving a play—not such an original idea, but—A coach was secured and all the necessary business attended to in due order, and in the spring of 1924 the Delta Zetas staged their first play.

All the parts in this first play were taken by girls, and we are afraid some of the gallant and dashing young lovers afforded more comic relief than was intended. At any rate, the play, which was given in the college auditorium, was a decided-even a "howling" (for it was a funny play) success. The "low" object had been attained. Alpha Pi girls had made money-more than they dared expect. But the seed of the admirable end had been planted. This first play was repeated twice in different parts of the city.

Encouraged by success, and instilled with the ideal of better amateur productions, elaborate plans for the second annual play immediately started. Tryouts were held and the most capable boys in the city were given parts. Advice and assistance was offered by the Little Theater of B'ham. The city's best theater was secured, extensive billboard and newspaper advertising was done, and gradually, with the new purpose of holding high "Delta Zeta" the Howard chapter has seen her fourth annual play



SCENE OF THE ENTIRE CAST OF THE FOURTH ANNUAL PLAY OF ALPHA PI CHAPTER Reading from left to right: Christine Bomar, Sammie Hoover, Mitchell Burns, II K A, Addilee Mattison, Frances Bohannon, Thomas Ingram, Sigma Nu, Mardis Howle, Sigma Delta Chi.

come through with flying colors. Our presentation this year, which was the fourth, was *The Intimate Strangers* by Booth Tarkington, an excellent comedy success.

Alpha Pi thinks she has a unique custom that not only makes money for her but makes her known and alive in the eyes of the city. It is an outlet to much enthusiasm and business ability.

BLANCHE MARTIN, A II

Two Interesting Customs at Alpha Psi

Our most interesting customs are Piker's Day and Senior Recognition Day. On Piker's Day all the seniors dress up in *outlandish* costumes and play all day. At chapel period they put on a program for the benefit of

the school at large. In the afternoon there is always a baseball game between the seniors and the faculty. Of course, no senior would think of attending class on Piker's Day. Senior Recognition Day, on the other hand, is quite one of the most impressive and dignified of occasions. The seniors, in cap and gown, march to McFarlin Memorial Auditorium and take their places. The juniors carry the daisy chain and surround the seniors. there are addresses by the president of the class, the president of the university and the class sponsor. A banquet or dinner usually closes the day. This year the Mothers' Club is going to march with the seniors. Each mother is to be dressed in white and walk by her son or daughter.

RUBY MAE HARBIN, A W

THREE FRIENDS

By LILLIAN GARD

FAITH met me with a smile a while ago,

Laughed at my fears and cheered my heart aglow.

Hope took a brush and painted all my woes

With rainbow brightness—blue and gold and rose.

Then someone took my pack of dusty care

And whispered, chumlike: "You and I will share."

Then I was brave again—for Love was there!

—Ladies Home Journal

WHAT IS GOING ON AT VEST?

[In this department we hope to try in each issue of The Lamp to show something of the work that is being done at the Delta Zeta Center, at Vest, Kentucky. Mrs. Kirven will share with us her reports, the stories and pictures that come to her as chairman of the National Social Service Committee of the Fraternity.—G. M.L.]

A LL Delta Zetas will be interested in this letter from our teacher, Miss Haass.

Vest, Kentucky, February 20, 1927

MY DEAR MRS. KIRVEN:

I am enclosing a copy of our vesper service program which we had this evening, just at dusk. We have one every Sunday, and it helps the girls so much, to think on better things. Perhaps you might like it for publication. A committee of three girls always prepares the program and then the chairman leads the service.

We are planning an evening of stunts before the school is over, just for Kirven Hall girls and are giving a prize for the best stunt. They are most enthusiastic over it, too.

Tomorrow we have a patriotic program in school but it will consist chiefly of debates by students.

With our lovely spring weather, we began to beautify our hill-top a bit. We have set out roses and vines, and would set out more but a snow storm stopped us for a few days.

The community boys and girls are giving us some silver-leaf maple trees to plant in front of Kirven Hall and nothing less than a real peach and apple orchard would satisfy for our "back yard." We could get them very

reasonably here, and the men say they will plant them—of course they will do anything for the Center. What do you think about it? I should be so interested in trying it.

The girls have been responding so splendidly since I have been helping them, but I wish there was more time of leisure to draw them out and really



Margaret says to Ethel, "We might as well have a chance as the big girls."

help them to lead. But this will hardly be possible so long as there is so much housekeeping and, in mountain vernacular, "ginning" for them to do. For one person to oversee everything, too, takes time for detail, that ought to be spent where it is most needed-on the girls and community. The other teachers here feel that if they teach, that is their share, so that has left everything else to me, with as much teaching as they have-so I could not do some things this year that I wished, but keep hoping that next year's girls will have more chance. I wonder what you think about it.

Mrs. Kirven, I haven't any good picture available and cannot think of a thing to tell about myself that would interest the Delta Zetas.

Cordially yours,
MARIE HAASS

VESPER SERVICE, FEBRUARY 20, 1927 Opening Chorus—Brighten the Corner

Prayer—Leader

Bible Story—Story of Ruth, by Mary Belle Collins

Victrola Music—Joy of the World Song—Count Your Blessings, by Edna Smith and Mabel Bolen

Songs by Chorus—Love Divine, The Old Time Religion, Sunshine in My Soul

Benediction

Your gifts at Christmas were appreciated. You will never know what gladness and happiness you are giving these people. The committee did not ask all the chapters to send Christmas gifts but is dividing calls throughout the whole year, as under a new plan we are distributing gifts throughout the year. We have

asked several chapters for groceries and other supplies which they have kindly sent. Once a chapter was asked to send a few small rag rugs. When these arrived the girls in the dormitory were delighted with them. There was one which was the favorite so the girl who keeps her room the neatest for one week is awarded the honor of having this rug in her room the following week. I will tell you an interesting little story connected with this. It happened that the girl who was awarded the rug for one week was much distressed one night when one of the girls became ill and they started to carry the sick girl into her room. She screamed and ran into her room ahead of the others. grabbed the rug off the floor and then allowed them to enter. When questioned she said, "I didn't want this pretty thing the Delta Zetas sent us ruined,aren't they nice sending such pretties to the likes of us?"

Did you know this?

There are 5,000,000 American men and women and 2,000,000 American children of school age isolated and all but forgotten in the foot-hills and coves of the Southern Highlands of the United States.

Plans for next year are now underway. School begins the middle of July. This year we are fortunate in that in



This shows about one-half the mountain height. Buildings of our Center at top of picture.

addition to our teacher the county paid the salary of two teachers, and Mrs. Lloyd, of Caney Creek Center, kindly offered to pay the salary of the fourth. Our teacher was also the director. It does not seem right that we should expect Mrs. Lloyd to continue paying the salary of the fourth teacher. This is our center and it is necessary that we have the four teachers in order to continue to be an accredited twelve grade school. With our present budget I am afraid we cannot assume this, but if each

month seventy-five different Delta Zetas would send one dollar apiece we could do this. What a nice thing to do on your birthday, say!

I am giving you the expenses for this year to date. Our budget from the national treasury is \$1725 a year.

Expenses from July, 1926, to May, 1927

Groceries\$	619.93
Salary of teacher	
Screens	25.68
Laundry	4.00
Carpenter work	56.10
Roofing (the old one	
leaked)	95.60
Supplies for dormitory.	19.15
Office expense for chair-	
man	33.10

\$1621.31

The committee has also spent \$166.56 of gift money on the center.

Arema O'Brien Kirven, Chairman

IF YOU LET THAT \$30.00 BARGAIN ESCAPE YOU, YOU MAY FEEL LIKE 30 CENTS AFTERWARD! HOW MANY ALUMNÆ CHAPTERS IN THE 100 PER CENT PAID-FOR-LIFE BY JUNE FIRST?

The Garden

They wonder why I sit apart and stare And stare at nothingness, and sometimes smile With strange naïve delight. A garden lies Beyond their hum of rising talk-beyond The full crescendo of their laughter, and If they would listen they might hear, with me The soft white whirring of the butterflies. When I am tired-dully tired as Today—I like to press my face against The wet, uneven bark of trees-and crunch My fingers in the earth around the dark Cool lilac roots. I like to lie quite still And hear the wild thrush ring his smooth, clear tones Like pebbles polished by the sea; to watch The tall grass running—running in the wind; And let my thoughts go vagabonding through The crooked paths.

And still they wonder why
I sit apart and stare at nothingness
And sometimes smile with strange, naïve delight.

Dorothy Mumford, Alpha Zeta, '29

COLLEGIATE, COLLEGIATE

No more Latin, no more French,
No more sitting on the hardwood bench.
But I can't typewrite, I can't teach;
Wish I could cook; wish I could preach!
But now that I have my little degree,
Now that I am a learned A.B.,

WHAT'LL I DO?

-The Palm of Alpha Tau Omega



Wanted: Words to This Music!

For all the would-be or should-be songwriters of Delta Zeta, here is a proposition that should receive some attention. We have the tune—you get the words! This music was written by Virginia Smith of Kappa chapter, and needs to be used; a song without words doesn't fit our

needs. Send your words to Central Office in plain envelope, marked: "Words for Virginia Smith's Tune." If Virginia and the songbook folks can agree on the best words, we'll have a new song in time for the first rush party—providing you give them something on which to agree.

Your Province President will tell you about the Convention in your Province; ask her.

Face to Face with Interesting Alumnæ

MELVA GRACE JOHN, Rho, '20

Melva Grace John received her A.B. degree from the University of Denver in June, 1920. Of all our Delta Zetas on the campus during those four years I believe Melva was by far the most active. Her activities included Delta Zeta. Kedros (senior women's honorary), Rilling Athletic Club, Biological Club, Big Sister Council, Y.W.C.A., Forty Immortals, basketball, and assistant in the library. She received her major in mathematics, and three minors-in English, biology, and psychology. She was known and well liked by a large number of fraternity and nonfraternity women on the campus. It was quoted of her in the junior-year Kynewisbok-

There is nothing as queenly as kindness

And nothing as royal as truth.

In the years since her graduation she has been doing things and making friends just as she did at the University. While still in college, during the epidemic of influenza, she did some nursing and her work was commended by the doctor in charge. She believed that was the thing she wished to make her life work.

In the fall of 1920 she entered the Mayo Hospital at Rochester, Minnesota, to begin her training. During the three years there she proved her ability, especially in the operating room. Melva John was one of three girls to graduate with honors. Leaving many friends she departed for the Emergency Hospital at Washington, D.C., where she was supervisor of the operating rooms. (See the March, 1926, issue of The Lamp.)

After nearly three years at the Emergency Hospital, Melva has taken a private case. Last summer she spent in Europe and plans to sail in June for another summer abroad. The rule of her life as I see it is like a familiar quotation, "—to make business a pleasure, and pleasure my business."

LYNDALL M. REED

PANSY HUTCHINSON, Kappa

Back in the year 1918 a small attractive girl who was well loved by her schoolmates graduated from the University of Washington. She had been a loyal Delta Zeta and a faithful worker and we all hoped and expected Pansy Hutchinson to make good.

Nine years later we see her as the same attractive lovely girl she was in 1918 but, oh, how she has broadened. Many students speak Spanish fluently because Pansy has taught them painstakingly in Vancouver, British Columbia, and Everett, Washington. Pan-



FACE TO FACE WITH INTERESTING DELTA ZETAS

Pansy Hutchinson Kappa Melva Grace John Rho and Washington Alumnæ

Florence Morehouse Alpha Kappa

Edith Finney Helen Musson Both of Alpha and Washington Alumnæ

Eleanor Strickler, Γ and Twin Cities Alumnæ sy's life has always been so full that she has not been content to rest in the summers but studied home economics at the University of Washington summer school, then after several years she was able to take her master's degree in home economics at Columbia University. Nor was this enough; she felt that she must have more, so she took a summer's course in art at Kennebunk. Maine. As a reward for this intensive study she is now teaching interior decorating and costume design at Iowa State.

This summer the girls that take basket weaving, batik work and rug weaving at Oregon Agriculture College will be very fortunate girls as Pansy is teaching six weeks there this summer.

Through all this she has been self supporting, which I think is one of the greatest accomplishments.

She is one of the rare individuals whom to be with is to feel as though she has given you something valuable to take away with you. Children love her and she can keep them fascinated for hours. She is supremely happy in her work; therefore it gives her many returns, not the least of which is new goals.

CLARA PENBERTHY WILSON, Kappa, '22

FLORENCE JOSEPHINE MORE-HOUSE, Alpha Kappa

She tells the editor: I am a native of Syracuse, having received my early training in the public schools of that city. I am a member of the class of 1924 of the College of Home Economics, Syracuse University. which has the distinction of being the first college of home economics in the country. I am proud to have received my training under Dean Florence E. S. Knapp, who for the past two years has held the office of secretary of state of New York State. Mrs. Knapp is the first woman to hold a high elective office in that state.

In college, I was a member of the local group known as Lambda Delta Sigma—which was inspected by Grace Mason in December, 1923. After Miss Mason looked us over our next problem was to prepare the petition to be presented to Delta Zeta. I was made chairman of the committee appointed for this purpose. The petition was granted and Alpha Kappa chapter installed April 12, 1924.

In the fall of 1924, I entered upon my duties as instructor in homemaking in the high school at Barker, Niagara County, New York, where I planned equipment and organized courses in homemaking, remaining there for two years.

This year I am teaching clothing courses in the homemaking department of the junior and senior high schools and in the continuation school at Fulton, New York.

Homemaking is the term applied to the four year state-aided course which leads to an academic diploma in vocational homemaking in New York State. This course aims to develop and train girls in the arts and sciences of homemaking.

The various courses in this homemaking curriculum include elementary and advanced courses in clothing and costume design, homefurnishing and interior decoration, foods and cookery. The elementary courses begin with the basic principles or elements of each particular branch of the work, the more advanced course proceeding farther into realm of art and science. courses, by means of the required home project-which is the connecting link between the home and the school work-and which consists of forty-five minutes daily of correlated work, assist in developing initiative and skill and winning the co-operation of the home-folks.

This feature of the course distinguishes it from the usual courses in home economics or domestic science. The supervised home project is the practical application of the principles learned in class.

In many instances the girls plan, prepare and serve meals, balanced, nourishing, and appetizing, to the family as a part of a project. In other cases the project may be the planning, making, remodeling and caring for the girl's own wardrobe, the redecorating of a room, or a millinery project—making hats for various members of the family.

Often the opportunity for a course in homemaking, in combinations with a girl's other subjects will help alleviate the drudgery of less pleasant subjects, and lay the basis for a happier attitude toward home duties which some girls take up immediately after high school. If this carries over into the later lives of the girls, the course has justified its being.

LILLIAN PRANCE, Alpha Eta

Who could be more interesting than one's own president? Lillian Prance is this person. I have had a rather hard time gathering this information though I've known Lillian intimately since years ago, so you see she possesses one of God's greatest gifts—modesty.

This is what I have dug up in the archives! Lillian started earning her daily wages as a psychologist in the Detroit Juvenile Court Clinic. Her work was psycho-analyzing wayward youngsters, and trying to make something out of them. She was so very successful, and her work so very greatly appreciated that she was granted a fellowship at Merrill-Palmer School in Child Habit Training. For the last three months Lillian has been a student again (with a monthly salary besides) preparing to establish a Child Habit Consultation Center at the Juvenile Court Clinic when she finished her course this June.

Lillian is certainly making her name, and how proud we are that she belongs to us.

CHARLOTTE SPRINGSTEEN,
Alpha Eta

ELEANOR STRICKLER, Gamma

Occasionally, haven't you experienced a feeling of homesickness, a longing to go back to the chapter where you spent some of the happiest years of your life? Fraternity sisters are our dearest friends and we love to know what each is doing after she leaves her Alma Mater. But good resolutions to write are often forgotten in a few years. An alumnæ letter is the most satisfactory means of keeping this close touch with the girls, especially with those who will get married and move far away.

The Gammaphone is the Twin Cities' offering to the alumnæ. Although it is still in its infancy, our letter has made a big hit with the girls and it is most gratifying to receive their enthusiastic replies.

Sincere appreciation for the success of our little paper, belongs to Eleanor Strickler and Helen Woodruff. It was their loyalty to the active and alumnæ chapters that prompted these two girls to offer their time and energy in getting out the *Gamma-phone*. Eleanor collects and com-

piles the material for Helen to mimeograph and mail.

When we hear of Eleanor taking but fifteen minutes off at her lunch hour and staying at the office until 6:00 P.M., we know we will soon receive another letter. She is the "Dapper Dan" of our chapter, her charming personality and vivacious manner make her very dear to us.

Helen gave up the presidency of our chapter to teach school in Chatfield, Minnesota. We lost the leadership of a capable girl but her interest and loyalty is manifested by the work she does on the *Gammaphone*.

MILDRED LOVE, Phi

"HELEN AND EDITH," of Alpha Delta

"Learning the wiles of a secretary" might be the title of a new book written by two former Alpha Deltas, now members of the Washington Alumnæ chapter. These girls are Helen Musson and Edith Finney. Helen was one of the best-loved and most dependable girls in Alpha Delta; she served as secretary and part of a term as president until illness in her family forced her to give up her duties. Helen is especially noted for her ideals and what's more, living up to them. Edith Finney served as vicepresident and president of the chapter and president of the Glee Club at George Washington. Both of them graduated in 1926, and in the fall, started their secretarial courses at the Washington School for Secretaries. Now they are learning all about how to soothe the "savage boss" and talk about speed—they're shorthand sharks. And just because they know how to type, they al-

ways seem to be put on every theater benefit committee the alumnæ chapter thinks up. The way of the "would-be" secretary is hard!

Mary Frances Blakeslee, Alpha Delta

Gamma Province Convention: Cincinnati: a day's pilgrimage to "Old Miami," in June.

Every "Lamp" Reader Her Own Editor

This page is for both the convenience and the reminding of all Delta Zetas who will serve as members of our Editorial Staff. Send in your items concerning Delta Zetas and their activities; as individuals, or as groups. Tell us about Delta Zeta gatherings everywhere; send us newspaper clippings; and whenever possible, send pictures.

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CARMEL LA TORRA

of Alpha Lambda chapter, is a member of the music faculty of the University of Colorado, and a concert pianist of growing distinction.

DUAL CAREER ENTIRELY FEASIBLE

This was the decision reached by a feature writer on a Dallas newspaper, after interviewing a number of college seniors in 'lexas colleges; who in their other rôles are active and successful wives and mothers. Mrs. A. C. Wilson, one of those featured, is a charter member of Alpha Psi chapter, and receives her Bachelor degree this year; besides finding time for much club work in addition to her home life.



ELIZABETH McGUIRE TWICE ELECTED COED CHEERLEADER at Louisiana State University, Elizabeth McGuire, a member of this year's senior class, was also twice elected the most popular coed, and twice the best all 'round girl.



ARLENE TURNBULL Elected to T A X



A A'S PRIZE WINNING FLOAT

On Colorado University Homecoming Day a silver loving cup was offered for the best float entered in the parade. Delta Zeta won the cup in a close contest with Pi Beta Phi, The accompanying picture shows the float with Betty Westhaver as Football King and Phoebe Rae Gaumer as "50 years victory."

WITH THE OTHER GREEKS

With the announcement of the choosing of Bigwin Inn as the location for Delta Zeta's 1928 Convention, Delta Zetas will feel an added thrill of anticipation from the knowledge that at least one fraternity found Bigwin so near its ideal as a place for convention, that it plans to return there for its next meeting! Delta Zeta is one of the three N.P.C. organizations who have already announced Bigwin as their choice for 1928 meetings; the other two being Alpha Phi and Zeta Tau Alpha.

Conventions in general are always of interest to us all. This summer shows the following conventions, according to the calendar in the *Greek Exchange*:

Pi Beta Phi, Breezy Point Lodge, Minnesota, in June.

Phi Omega Pi will meet at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, June 28-July 3.

During the same days, Beta Phi Alpha will convene at Madison, Wisconsin; Alpha Omicron Pi in Seattle; and Phi Mu will hold her Progressive Convention in her native state of Georgia, with headquarters at Macon. California, which had three conventions within one month last summer, will be visited by Kappa Delta, which is meeting at Asilomar in July. The Grand Hotel at Mackinac Island, which charms all with its loveliness and hospitality, will entertain Alpha Gamma Delta and Alpha Delta Theta in July. Alpha Delta Pi will try out that novel plan of holding convention on shipboard. Other meetings of interest to members of women's fraternities are the Theta Sigma Phi convention at the University of Minnesota; Phi Delta Pi at Salt Lake City; Tri Sigma in Buffalo. The LAMP extends wishes for happy times and successful sessions to all.

A new acquaintance among the exchanges we have received is the Silhouette of Alpha Delta Theta. The recent installation of Lambda chapter at George Washington University and Mu chapter at the University of California brings Alpha Delta Theta's chapter roll to twelve. Alpha Delta Theta holds her conventions annually.

Mu Phi Epsilon now operates a clubhouse at 57 West Seventy-fifth Street, New York City, which is maintained for those members of the organization who are continuing music study in the city. In case of vacancy it is possible for others than members to be admitted.

Phi Delta Pi was the only physical education sorority to be represented at the meeting of the Professional Panhellenic Association last fall, and is therefore one of the charter members of the Association. Phi Delta Pi meets for 1927 convention in Salt Lake City. Lauda Newlin, Delta Zeta, is secretary of the fraternity.

The Pi Beta Phi chapter at Iowa State College has received a gift of \$6,000 from Carrie Chapman Catt, an alumna of that chapter. Kappa Kappa Gamma sends out, each month, "members-at-large" letters, to the alumnæ members of the fraternity who are thus kept in real touch with the fraternity through the messages from the Council members and general news items given in these letters.

From the *Purple*, *Green* and *Gold* comes the following thought-inspiring paragraph:

Much has been said and written about the proper supervision of a fraternity chapter. District officers, central offices, traveling secretaries, and alumni and faculty advisers are the means most employed at present. The Caduceus of Kappa Sigma contains an account of the officers' dimer at the recent Interfraternity Conference, in which Arthur R. Priest, Phi Delta Theta, advanced one of the soundest ideas we have heard in many a day. Speaking of Mr. Priest, the Caduceus reads:

"He announced that Phi Delta Theta is endeavoring to raise in the next biennium an endowment sufficient to put a young alumnus in each chapter house, his expense to be defrayed partly from the endowment and partly from the chapter and its alumni. Such an alumnus will to a certain extent supervise the budget, the scholarship. and the serious purposes of the chapter, serving, we presume, in the capacity of a tutor-or fellow, as the office exists in colleges abroad. Mr. Priest said that in certain instances it was already being successfully accomplished."

We heartily endorse this idea, for we have had somewhat the same idea in our own minds. From the business side of running a chapter, a capable man could save a tidy sum each year in the administration of the house finances. From the standpoint of scholarship and "big brothering," the benefit would be of incalculable value. We maintain that no chapter can be good unless it has the close supervision of alumni, even if only from a handful of them. And this plan merely is an extension of alumni supervision in that there is someone who understands chapter problems at the house.

The universal dialogue of the day: "It won't be long." "It can't be, now," applies so well to that annual college epidemic, rush season, that we shan't even blush for resorting to its use. Apropos of the aforesaid a.c.e., the Alpha and Omega of what a National Council wishes would become the rushing standards of every chapter under its jurisdiction, has been ably expressed by Leulah J. Hawley, editor of the *Anchora* of Delta Gamma:

There is no chapter of Delta Gamma which does not know that its national council is sternly opposed to any form of rushing which is un-worthy of the ideals of Delta Gamma. Under no circumstances may there be any deviation from the well-marked path. Let your rushing be done with sincerity and dignity, speak well of your fellow Greeks, keep the spirit and the letter of the law, do not use undue pressure in pleading your case, treat with respect those you rush and those whom you rush against. It is better to lose many girls than to gain one by unfair means. And in your rushing look beyond externals. It is the sterling girl who makes the best Delta Gamma. Very often the girl who has been won from the very arms of all the other groups is the girl who proves the least desirable. Do not be moved by unsound reasons. The girl who is fully capable of being educated is the girl that Delta Gamma wants, for Delta Gamma stands for educated womanhood. The "popular" girl, the one who is the best looking, or who dresses the best, or has the most admirers is not often the girl of greatest depth of character. She may charm at the moment, but do her charms endure? The frivolous girl is not happy in Delta Gamma. The girl who is desired is the girl who can bring into her fraternity relationship something that will help us all to realize the finest ideals we have, who has a real capacity for making and keeping friends, who cares for the kind of self development that college offers, who likes to work for others and who values the interest and affection of her friends. Be careful in next year's rushing that you do not waste your time on the kind of girl who does not bear the "sterling" stamp.

The following timely article is found in the Alpha Gamma Delta Quarterly:

The custom of wearing academic gowns, caps and hoods dates back to about the twelfth century. In France, where the degree system probably had its inception, the wearing of the cap and gown marked the formal admission of the "licentiate" to the body of masters, and was usually followed by some festivity. The cold buildings of medieval times in which the masters were obliged to teach, required capes and hoods, which naturally were patterned after the flowing robe, the prevailing dress of the times. During this period the dress of friars and nuns became fixed, and since the scholars were usually clerics their robes differed little from those worn by the church orders. Hoods were originally fashioned after the monks' cowls, and like them attached to the gown and drawn over the head. Later, when the hood was displaced by the cap as a head covering, it was made separate. In its present form the hood is the most significant part of the academic costume.

The hood is of the same material as the gown, but differs slightly for bachelors, masters and doctors, that of the bachelor being three feet in length, the master's a foot longer, while to the hood of the doctor is added a panel usually edged with the lining color. Hoods are lined with the color or colors of the institution granting the degree. The color trimming or edging of the hood, which is of velvet varying in width from two to five inches according to the degree, indicates the department or faculty of learning. The color code used to dis-tinguish the different faculties is as

follows:

Arts and Letters—White. Theology—Scarlet. Law-Purple. Philosophy—Blue. Science—Golden Yellow. Fine Arts—Brown. Medicine-Green. Music-Pink. Commerce and Accountancy—Drab. Physical Education—Sage Green. Public Health—Salmon Pink. Engineering—Orange. Pharmacy—Olive Green. Dentistry—Lilac. Veterinary Science—Gray. Forestry-Russet.

Library Science—Lemon. Pedagogy-Light Blue. Oratory-Silver Gray. Humanics-Crimson. Agriculture—Maize. Economics—Copper.

The mortar board is an evolution of the skull cap worn by the ecclesiastics over the tonsured head. pointed shape which it later assumed developed into the modern tassel.

Caps and gowns have been used in this country from colonial times. Columbia University, or King's College as it was then called, at an early date adopted a local code. New York University, University of Pennsylvania, and others had codes in force before 1880. A few years later a student movement favoring the use of academic costumes began. The Yale Corporation was one of the first to be gowned, but the faculty of Harvard was not supplied until the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary in 1886. The democratic appeal in clothing all alike, in an outward equal fellowship, the improvement in the general effect of university functions, and the increased interest aroused in academic ceremonies as a result of the practice brought about the rapid adoption of the costume.

inspiring farewell word An seniors:

A CHARGE TO FRATERNITY

Fraternity men, you have your choice. You can go out from your college life and leave behind you every vestige of your fraternity alle-giance. You can forget the memories of chapter house life and of the comradeship of brothers. You can devote your lives to gain and gain alone, and your soul will warp and wither into mean ways and low selfishnessor, you can cherish those ideals of fraternity life and love, and live and give all the best of yourselves to You can serve and live on the heights of friendship. You can renew the happiest and most gracious hours of your youth. Hold to these ideals and though the years go by you will never grow old. There is the flame and fire of fraternity inspiration and of fraternity memory that will burn in your heart like a light on an altar.—Sigma Alpha Epsilon Record via Phi Kappa Tau Laurel.



Songs That Are No More

For 1927 Seniors—
"Father and Mother pay all the bills
And we have all the fun."

A Student's Prayer

Before Exams-

Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget! Lest we forget!

After Exams-

Lord God of Hosts was with us not, For we forgot! For we forgot!

-Exchange

And the Consequences as Related Back Home—

Interested Neighbor: I did not know your daughter's college course was finished.

Flunkee's Father: It's not finished, maybe; but it's ended.

(Of course no Delta Zeta has this dialogue in her home town!)

Since Umbrellas Are Passe

It rains

The rain falleth on the just and the unjust.

But the just will likely get wet quicker,

For the unjust weareth away the just's slicker.

Beware the Business Manager; and flee before her wrath—to pen and ink and that dotted line; for hear the

BU\$INE\$\$ MANAGER'\$ \$ONG

How dear to my heart
I\$ the ca\$h of \$ub\$cription,
When the generou\$ \$ub\$criber
Pre\$ent\$ it to view;
But the one who won't pay
I refrain from de\$cription,

For that one, gentle reader, That one may be you.

-Exchange

Timely advice is given in the Alpha Eta Chapter Chatter:

A bit of advice to our newly-weds. Don't send your hubby to the radio to take down a recipe unless you expect the following results:

Radio Recipe

A housewife asked her husband to take down a cake recipe via radio while she was busy getting dinner. Two stations were broadcasting on the same wave length and this was what hubby got: "Hands on hips. Place one cup of flour on shoulders. Raise knees. Depress toes and wash thoroughly in one cup of milk. In four counts, raise and lower legs and mash two hard-boiled eggs in a sieve. Repeat six times. Inhale one teaspoon baking powder and one cup of flour. Jump to a squatting position and bend the whites of four eggs forward and backward, overhead and in four counts make a stiff dough that will stretch at the waist. Lie flat on the floor and roll into a marble the size of a walnut. Hop to a standstill in boiling water but do not boil into a gallop afterwards. In ten minutes remove from fire and dry with towel. Breathe naturally, dress in warm flannels and serve with fish soup.

-Coyote Journal, Phoenix, Arizona Goodbye till fall!



PLEDGES

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29	Ella Anderson	Ac.	776 Sims, St. Paul, Minn.			
30	Dorothy Bradford	A.	Monticello, Minn.			
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30	Katherine Nelson	A.	Coleraine, Minn.			
Delta						
,20	Marihelen Paddock	L. A.	Darlington, Ind.			
	Esther Reynolds	Music	Ligonier, Ind.			
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	Izola Corrington	H. E. C.	Monte Vista, Colo.			
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'30	Gladys Schelly		Thornville, Ohio			
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'28 Helen Hamilton	Arts	Fisher, Minn.
'28 Nevada Windemuth	Arts	Enderlin, N.D.

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'28 Helen Buendert

'20 Lois Pearson '20 Minnie Harbison

Ruth Waterman

Harriet Stellwagen

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'28 Ione Hamilton

'30 Dorothy Bishop

Alumna-Miss Georgia Finley

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'30 Hazel Kline
'30 Editha Flannagan
'30 Nelle Johnson
'29 Gene Monroe
'30 Lorainne Ossian
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'28 Virginia Van Sant

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'29 Grace Eadie

'30 Rowena Lockridge

'30 Josephine Stevenson

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'30 Katherine Weinman

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'30 Ruth Eaton
'29 Helen de France
'30 Gertrude H. Kromer
'29 Winifred McClure
'30 Beatrice R. Mills
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30 Helen C. Sekey

'30 Lois Baldwin

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'29 Lorenda Dodge

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'30 Hollis Swingle Vivia Gambero Helen Jessen Higgins, Tex.
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1206 Downing, Denver, Colo.

Sigma

Tau

1818 Keves Ave., Madison 4228 Baring Ave., E. Chicago, Ind Elkhorn, Wis. Spring Green, Wis. 630 E. Gorham, Madison, Wis. Elkhart Lake, Wis. Madison, Ind. 4965 Ridgewood Ave., Detroit 2629 Dartmor Rd., Cleveland, Ohio. 316 W. Mills St., Madison 411 E. Liberty St., Monroe, Wis. Twenty-fourth St., Two Rivers, 1500 Thacker St., DesPlaines, T11. 5430 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Ill. 448 W. Gilman, Madison, Wis. 448 W. Gilman, Madison, Wis.

Upsilon

Grafton, N.D.
Hatton, N.D.
Grafton, N.D.
Oslo, Minn.
316 N. 5th St., Grand Forks,
N.D.
2024 University Ave., Grand
Forks, N.D.
Ardoch, N.D.

1428 E. 57th St., Chicago, Ill.

420 Castle Pl., Madison, Wis.

Chi

Portland, Ore.
Portland, Ore.
Portland, Ore.
Bend, Ore.
Bend, Ore.

Mildred MeDermott Vivian Schriver

'30 Ione Hische

'29 Edith Franks

'30 Jessie Knapp

'30 Dorothea Moore

'28 Alice Tiplady

'30 Virginia Vanderburgh

'30 Marie Johnson

'29 Agnes Carpenter

'30 Irene Ebeling

'30 Elizabeth Elich

'30 Ruth Evans

'29 Elizabeth Gregory

'30 Lois Iliff

'30 Mary McGraw

'30 Anne Meierhofer

'29 Mary Moorman

'29 Margaret Osborne

'30 Lillian Smith

'30 Dorothy Stevens

'30 Frances Anderson

'27 Sanford Banning

'30 Mary Burns

'30 Victoria Davis

'30 Etheline Dodson
'27 Victoria Williams

'28 Nan Young

'30 Althea Hoyt

'30 Helen Vogt

'30 Emma Wagner

'28 Ruth Niebrugge Harriet Stellwagen

Catherine Backus

'30 Marguerite Cornell
'30 Dorothy Haas

'29 Elizabeth Hamel

'28 Hilda Horney

'29 Shirley King

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Minonk, Ill.

McLeansboro, Ill.

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75 S. Division, Battle Creek, Mich.

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300 Third St., Ann Arbor
13943 Robson Blvd., Detroit
2122 Russell St., Detroit, Mich.
820 Lake Park Dr., St. Joseph, Mich.

'30 Loretta Mae Townsend

'30 Robin Townsley
'20 Betty Pulver

Alma Bretschneider

'30 Helen Heiler

'29 Frances Vincent

'28 Barbara Paton

'28 Marjorie Jones

Alaba Thata

'30 Lois Perry Brown

'30 Margaret Fry

'30 Elizabeth Graham

'30 Lulu G. Kendal

'30 Evalyn Laird

'30 Alma G. Lepper

'30 Leo Dale Smith

'30 Martha Duncan

'30 Elizabeth Hood

'30 Virginia McCoy

'28 Virginia Asbury

'28 Ethelyne Babcock
'20 Virginia Brown

'30 Bernice Conine

'30 Ethel Johns

'30 Ethelyne Mann

'30 Ellen Merrill

'30 Marian Minnes

'29 Thelma Pickles '30 Vera Powers

'30 Marie Shafer

'30 Rachel Stickney

M. Marion Parks Geneva Todd Florence Reide Etha Baldwin Myra Hall Clara Higel Theresa Lewis

'30 Elaine Boughner

30 Grace Dumman

'29 Annabel Fleaharty
'30 Io Garcia

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Owosso, Mich. Solon, Ohio.

1215 East Michigan, Jackson,

Lapeer, Mich.

1911 Austin, Ann Arbor, Mich.

1822 Grasmere, E. Cleveland, Ohio.

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Rochester, Pa. Clinton, Ky.

347 Linden Walk, Lexington

Latonia, Ky. Newport, Ky. Hindman, Ky.

1447 S. Limestone, Lexington

Flemingsburg, Ky. Maysville, Ky. Germantown, Ky.

Alpha Kappa

Erie, Pa.

Swissvale, Station, Pittsburgh,

Pa.

East Syracuse, N.Y.

Old Forge, Pa. Atlanta, Ga.

Watertown, N.Y.

Buffalo, N.Y.

Auburn, N.Y.

Watervliet, N.Y.

Utica, N.Y.

Drexel Hill, Pa.

Alpha Lambda

Alpha Omicron

Confluence, Pa.

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Roanoke, Va.

354 Front St., Berea, Ohio.

804 S. Delaware Ave., Tampa,

Fla.

'30 Josephine Holman '30 Margaret Horton

'30 Emily Johnson

'29 Mary Ida Jones '30 Rachel Peterson

'30 Othello Prather
'30 Ethel Quincy

'30 Charlotte Smith

'30 Dorothy Smythe

'30 Jacqueline Snyder

'30 Roma Story

'29 Katherine Williams

'28 Allene Coats

'30 Mabel Powell

Janet Smith Evelyn Eirich Lillian Hare Edith King

'30 Flora Sasnett

'30 Margaret McNeil

'29 Eleanor Rosen

'28 Elizabeth Reynolds

'30 Arey Kaufman

'30 Louise Knight

'30 Ursula Hendrix

'30 Fletcher Girandean

'30 Irene Shellburn

'29 Bethel Sprague

'28 Mildred Unland '28 Manette Jennings

'29 Ardis Malarkey

'28 Emile Collins

'29 Helen Cooley

'28 Mildred Godfrey

'30 Janet Henze

'27 Ruth Ives

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Fla.

609 Highland Ave., Roanoke, Va.

Oak Hill, Fla.

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Benson, N.C. Harrison, W.Va.

Alpha Rho

Alpha Sigma

Orange Park, Fla.

1421 Market, Jacksonville, Fla.

Kissimmee, Fla.

Monroe, Ga.

Corner of Edgemont and St Johns, Avondale, Jacksonville, Fla.

Marianna, Fla.

Marianna, Fla.

Monticello, Fla.

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Silver Creek, Neb.

Arlington, Neb.

Coleman, Tex. Austin, Tex.

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Calif.

Box 184, Pasadena, Calif.

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Calif.

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'28 Marjorie Kittle	155 S. Oakhurst Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif.
'29 Althea Martin	835 7th St., Santa Monica, Calif.
'28 Elma Marvin	1445 W. 5th St., Riverside, Calif.
'30 Elizabeth Palmer	120 Buffalo Ave., Santa Anna, Calif.
'30 Elizabeth Parkhurst	6142 Afton Pl., Hollywood, Calif.
'29 Helen Scheid	201 E. Lomita Ave., Glendale, Calif.
'28 Kathryn Smith	518 N. Wilton Ave., Whittier, Calif.
'28 Leela Stevens	1024 N. Kenmore, Hollywood, Calif.
'27 Margaret Rook	603 W. 58th, Los Angeles

Alpha Omega

'30 Gladys BondJackson, Miss.'28 Ella Bess HutchinsonJackson, Miss.'30 Olga LeBrancheJackson, Miss.'28 Claire SistrunkLamont, Miss.

Total number initiates to date, 1926-27-515.

ALUMNAE DEPARTMENT

Taking the Final Count

Soon after this issue of THE LAMP reaches you, the final count of wise ones who made the most of that "For Life for Thirty Dollars" offer, will be taken. We are trying to broadcast to every Delta Zeta: Will your name be there?

If Not, Why Not?

Thirty dollars-or such portion of it as you still owe-and you are square with Delta Zeta for the rest of your days; your conscience no longer troubled by bills, campaigns, drives, impassioned appeals to pay up, or an accusing look in the eye of your national treasurer or your old roommate, who did heed our call! Isn't it worthwhile? Wouldn't you like to feel that besides the selfish benefits of having THE LAMP for life, and of knowing your alumnæ dues are paid, you had also the more expansive feeling that because your money came into the treasury at this time, all the national projects we have undertaken will prosper just a little better, just a bit easier? That's worthwhile too; get the feeling once-you'll like it.

Seven Chapters Still Unrepresented

Seven chapters are still without representation in the Lifeline. This statement is of course made with regard to alumnæ only, since every girl initiated since the 1926 Convention has paid all her dues in full for life. Most of the unrepresented chapters are quite new ones, with very few alumnæ. How much easier, therefore, for those few to put their chapter 100 per cent forever! Had you thought of that, you girls of Alpha Gamma?—or you of Alpha Rho?

Delta Province Leads in Numbers

Irene Boughton is keeping a sharp eye on her province; she has counted up and finds that Delta Province has the largest number of life members. course, a great deal of that is thanks to Upsilon's splendid showing; but Gamma Province could soon come up to that record if Delta chapter makes another leap ahead. There's Alpha needing some additions, too. And at least two other chapters in this province should bestir themselves about their records, which are very poor considering the age and personnel of the chapters.

Chapters with Ten or More Life Members

Alpha Epsilon
Delta Lambda
Mu Psi

Pi Alpha Alpha

Tau Alpha Beta Upsilon

The comparative standings of the provinces, of the chapters, both active and alumnæ, will be prepared and presented at Province Conventions meeting after June 1.

Set Up Your Own Memorial to Your Fraternity Interest

You say you are proud to be a Delta Zeta. That's fine. But why not write your name where it will be incontestable proof of your enduring loyalty; where it will be a memorial to you and to your devotion to the fraternity which claims you? And where is that? On the dotted line! Turn to page 606. There you will find a blank form. The rest is up to you!

SEE PAGE 607 FOR LIFELINE TOTALS BY CHAPTERS UP TO MAY 20.

From the Chapter News Letters

Chi chapter celebrates its chapter birthday with a "Rendezvous," inviting back every alumna for a week-end of reminiscing with the old girls and getting acquainted with the present generation. For one night the members of the active chapter move out of the house, leaving it entirely to the alumnæ who are then free to imagine the "good old days" are verily upon them again. This year's program sounds most interesting; a buffet supper, to

which pledges, actives and alumnæ are invited, is followed by stunts from each group. At a business meeting that same evening the topics of discussion are. Building Fund, Organizing an Alumnæ Association, and Rushing. At the dissipated hour of II:00 P.M. (same evening) the alumnæ are allowed to hold a meeting exclusively by themselves, after which there is a cozy at which the Corvallis alumnæ are hostessses. We bet the rest of the evening is a typical slumber party-the kind where no one slumbers! However, next morning everyone is up in time for church, to which they go in a body, and the last formal event of the Rendezvous is the banquet at the Hotel Benton, Zelta Feike Rodenwald is chairman of the Rendezvous Committee-the program would have to be a good one!

Houses, houses everywhere! Iota, Gamma, Zeta, Chi, Pi, Upsilon,—all their newsletters are full of house corporations, house funds, and house plans. Wouldn't you like a picture of all these houses in some LAMP next year?

Gamma chapter's latest Gammaphone intrigues us with mention in several letters of Gamma's "Step-Out." Now the editor wants to be enlightened, and she feels sure that lots of the rest of you would like to know

what is a "Step-Out," too. And maybe some of you cooks would like to know how "Helen" makes chiffon pie that was so good it made her sisters' mouths water—as did ours in reading about it.

Passing Comment: (while editing)

It is pleasant to welcome Dayton chapter's first letter; and to have Los Angeles re-appear after a long silence. Such interesting folks as they must have, too! No letters were received this time from Ft. Wayne, Portland, and Pittsburgh. Will the former editors of these chapters please pass on to their successors the letters of instructions sent them, and ask that the list of new officers be sent the editor on blanks furnished?

BERKELEY ALUMNÆ CHAPTER In Spite of Rainy Weather

On March 12 the Berkeley alumnæ gave their annual party for Mu chapter seniors at the Women's City Club in San Francisco. There are eleven seniors this year, and although we are sorry to have them leave college life behind, we are so glad to have them become Delta Zeta alumnæ. We had an unusually large number of alumnæ at the party and were so glad to see some of the girls who seldom get to our regular meetings.

April 7 was the date of the senior banquet at the house and as we were to have alumnæ meeting there that evening we found a large representation of older Delta Zetas at the banquet. It was indeed lovely and I would like to enlarge upon it but I'm sure the active chapter editor will do that.

At this banquet the alumnæ always present the active chapter with a gift. This year we had a great debate as to whether we should give them some pretty decorative piece of furniture or whether we should let the amount of money we had to spend apply on a much-needed additional unit of furnace. We voted—and the practical girls won out—the money went toward the furnace.

We planned a most attractive bridge party to be held on May 6. This party is to be held mostly just for the enjoyment of getting all of our alumnæ and their husbands and friends together for an evening. We will take any money that we make and be very glad to get it, but we are not going at it in the grim determination to make a lot of money or die in the attempt.

Helen Myer Craig distributed our alumnæ paper, the *Daffy Dill*, at the meeting and we had lots of fun reading the news about everyone and often finding good "cracks" made at ourselves.

We have not had our election yet so our new officers have not yet "come into being." Those of us who are finishing our term wish all the rest of the old and the new alumnæ officers success and hope you will enjoy your work as much as we have.

DOROTHY E. MORTON, Editor

CHICAGO ALUMNÆ CHAPTER A New Recipe. Try It!

The Chicago Alumnæ chapter has had two meetings since its last report to The Lamp; one being held in conjunction with the Chicago Panhellenic Association, at its annual luncheon which was held March 19 at the Illinois Women's Athletic Club, and the other being a regular meeting. Delta Zeta boasted forty-three members present on the former occasion and thereby ranked first in the matter of representatives. Our retiring president and corresponding secretary acted as treasurers for this

Panhellenic meeting. All in attendance enjoyed the affair very much and are looking forward to its re-occurrence next year.

On Saturday, April 9, we met at the Cordon Club for luncheon, after which the regular business meeting and the election of officers took place. That being completed, the members visited the Art Institute and spent the remainder of the afternoon in appreciation of the many marvelous exhibits therein.

Next Saturday, April 23, the West Side Chicago alumnæ are giving a benefit bridge, the proceeds of which will be used to swell the coffers of our treasury. With the enclosed invitation* to inspire us, I think we shall make quite a success of it, don't you? You will hear more about it in our next letter.

HEDWIG V. DOWNS, Editor

R.S.V.P.

Come and Try This Recipe on Saturday, April 23

Mix in with a gathering of Delta Zetas a handful of their friends. Add thirteen cards apiece, and sprinkle liberally with conversation. Use one prize a table for spice, flavor with "eats," and you have our

WEST SIDE CARD PARTY

at

5944 West Ohio Street for the Benefit of Chicago Delta Zeta Alumnæ Chapter

Admission \$1. Games start at 2:30 promptly.

Bring your friends and help make this a success.

Peg Wilson-Austin 3052

CINCINNATI ALUMNÆ CHAP-TER

New Officers for Cincinnati Alumnæ

A complete change of officers took place at the election on April 16. Not that the old officers were inefficient-in fact, they had worked so hard and so well that most of them had served two terms and were ready for a rest. Mrs. K. I. Crawford was succeeded as president by Margaret Huenefeld, of whom you've already heard much and of whom you'll probably hear much more. The other new officers are Mrs. Walter Baude, vice-president; Betty Igler, secretary; Catherine Leyman, treasurer, and Marian McHenry, LAMP correspondent. If the chapter advances as rapidly under the new officers as it has done in the past, Delta Zeta can be proud of the Cincinnati alumnæ. Did vou know we have about one hundred members-some very interesting ones? For example, Margaret Huenefeld. Oh, yes, I told you you'd hear more about Marg. She has been big sister to Xi chapter, has assisted Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Lundy in the constitution revision, has been extremely active in the chapter's social and business affairs, is librarian in the Law College at U.C., and just recently she was initiated into Phi Delta Delta, an honorary law fraternity. You didn't know she was a lawyer? Oh my, yes.

Our Social Calendar

If this were an ancient history recitation I might mention the Xi initiation banquet on February 22. It was arranged by alumnæ under the direction of Margaret Huenefeld. (Again!) At that time, the alumnæ looked longingly at the new initiates, greedily awaiting their association with the alumnæ chapter.

While the Vagabond King was playing in Cincinnati, Miss Evange-

lene Edwards, a Delta Zeta from Washington and one of the solo dancers, was entertained with a luncheon at the Cincinnati Club. This luncheon was attended by the officers, committee heads and Mrs. Coleman. After the luncheon, Xi chapter entertained for Miss Edwards with a tea.

On April 23 we are giving a benefit bridge, and from all indications it can't help but be a huge success. Our prizes are being made by one of our members and a display of Caney Creek baskets and linens has been arranged.

You know, our meetings are held at the Delta Zeta house the third Saturday of every month, except in May. The May meeting is a picnic to which the actives from Alpha, Xi and Alpha Theta are invited.

Business and Pleasure Combined

Gamma province is to hold its convention in Cincinnati this year, and, though we realize the responsibility, we are looking forward to the task with pleasure, hoping that it will be as successful as the last one in Indianapolis. Some Delta Zetas are in for a real treat, for they are to be taken to Oxford where a sun dial is to be dedicated for the twenty-fifth amiversary of the founding of Delta Zeta.

New Prospects Ahead

While the active chapters, at this time, are wondering how they'll ever get along without the seniors, the alumnæ chapters are making plans to use these seniors. It is the new alumnæ members with their growing spirit, their new ideas and their enthusiasm that make us aspire to higher goals. It means a large and active alumnæ group made larger and more active. So—I'm sure that the Cincinnati chapter does not stand alone in the hopes they have which

the coming Commencement may make come true.

MARIAN McHENRY, Editor

CLEVELAND ALUMNÆ CHAP-TER

Since there are so many girls who find it necessary to work on Saturday afternoons, and can't come out to meetings, Frances Baker Schardt has invited us all to her house next week for an evening party, and each of us is to be responsible for getting two girls there who haven't made an appearance in years. So in that case, Frances may get as many as forty or fifty of us wished on her! At any rate, it will be quite a party, and some of us may have to take to the garage to make room.

Our hosiery campaign is going along nicely, although we can't tell just how much money we have made until the reports come in from Philadelphia, but the idea certainly is better than these run-to-the-ground benefits, and it's the easiest thing in the world to sell stockings. Just try it.

You might be interested to know what Panhellenic has been doing. They are going strong, too, and this year they have about \$800 in the treasury, the most they've ever had, for their scholarship fund.

The biggest thing in my mind, after all, is that the Cleveland alumnæ are certainly going strong—I'm sure we're the happiest group of any of you! And the one nice thing is that we get brand new girls out to each meeting who seem, and are, as enthusiastic as some of us old-timers. Now if that isn't unusual in a big city! Well, we're just ideal. So we, all in all, think that Cleveland's a pretty nice place to live in, 'cause everybody's happy.

Louise Davis, Editor

DAYTON ALUMNÆ CHAPTER Off for a Running Start

Already we have started to make money with which to pay our many obligations. Saturday, February 26. we arranged a benefit bridge at the East Oakwood Club, and think it was quite a success beause we had fifty reservations and cleared \$75.50. Josephine Jones Israel was chairman of the party and was assisted by Gladys Wilson Miller, Dorothy Switzer, Mary Frances Tranter Kling, Mary Licklider and Winnifred Carter. We gave decorated candles for prizes: also a painted card table as a door Our president, Merle Mc-Dowell Blaik, and the entire chapter, helped make the party a success.

At Christmas time we were found rummaging our attics in search of clothes and toys to fill the Chistmas box. Dorothy Switzer got the things together, saw that they were packed, and sent them off to Vest.

Mrs. Myrtie Harch Lloyd was chairman of Dayton and Montgomery County for the Doll Messengers of Friendship project last fall. Our fraternity was the first organization in Dayton to donate and dress dolls.

The first Saturday of each month we have a luncheon and bridge, also a business meeting, generally at the Women's Club or Grey Manor down town. We are all interested in the chapter and will welcome out-of-town Delta Zetas to the meetings.

WINNIFRED CARTER, Editor

ALUMNÆ PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde King announced the arrival of Billy Burton on December 13. They are living at 725 Buena Vista Avenue West, San Francisco. Mrs. King was Marjorie Miller of Alpha, '22.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Dodson (Margaret Anderson, Alpha, ex-'24), are now living at 6847 Dartmouth Street, Forest Hills, Long Island. Besides Nancy, there is now Betty Louise, who arrived last October.

Mrs. Earl Blaik (Merle McDowell, Alpha, '18), spent the fall with her husband in

Madison, Wisconsin, where he assisted Coach Little during the football season.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Canby have a daughter, Joanne, who was born last fall. Mrs. Canby was Margaret Hubbard, Alpha, ex-'23, of Piqua, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Coulter (Ruth Allen, Alpha, '19), have moved from Dayton to Richmond, Indiana. Their address is 322 North Tenth Street.

Nancy McClure, Alpha, ex-'21, conducted a ten-week tour of Europe last summer.

DENVER ALUMNÆ

Hope Chests

We of Denver are just starting over again with a lineup of brandnew officers. We had our election at our March meeting and elected Marv Carey president. Mary, although I've known her but a short time, impresses me as a most efficient young person. I have a feeling I'll hear the cracking of the whip if my letter isn't ready on time. With her, Elvie Hubbard, the joyful, is serving as vicepresident. Gertrude Thomas Scribner is writing most interesting minutes as secretary, while our new treasurer, Miriam O'Brien McNerny, is discussing budgets until we all feel that our money troubles will soon be over.

Speaking of money makes me think of the hope chest we have filled and on which we are now selling chances. It is chuck full of lovely things and we hope to realize a large amount on it. For several weeks we met on Friday afternoons at different girls' homes and sewed. We worked hard, but had lots of fun, too. As a result there is much hand embroidery as well as lovely silks and linens in our chest. I feel sure it would delight any woman, be she bride or not.

Our April meeting was at the home of Margaret Bonney Horton, and was not only one of the largest meetings we have had recently, but also one of the most interesting. Our guest of honor was Edythe Wilson

Thoesen, who is particularly beloved of the Denver alumnæ. After our short business meeting, Margaret presented our guest with a basket of most interesting tissue-wrapped, pinktied parcels which the Delta Zeta "aunties" had smuggled in earlier in the evening. It was most exciting, as everything from tiny pink shoes to the necessary soft pink blanket was unwrapped and passed around for all to see and admire.

Our president is planning one particularly interesting new thing. She is inviting two active girls from Rho to each of our alumnæ meetings. We hope in this way to become better acquainted and feel we may be of greater help to each other.

MILDRED BOATMAN FINLEY, Editor

EXTRA! Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Thoesen are rejoicing over the arrival of Robert Wayne Thoesen, May 4.

DETROIT ALUMNÆ CHAPTER Society, Sales and Suggestions

Spring always makes one hopeful, so I shall tell you first of our future plans. Very soon we shall be entertaining the seniors from the active chapter at Ann Arbor. This is a vearly custom which has been established and we are looking forward to the event with much pleasure. Some of us who just can't get out to Ann Arbor, at least feel that we know the grand old seniors. Then Jean Macauley is going to entertain the Detroit Alumnæ chapter at a bridge at her home after the April business meeting.

Now for the glorious past! Our bridge party at the Belcrest was a huge social success. The room was filled to overflowing, as no one disappointed us even though the weather was abominable. The favors were adorable little pearl-drop perfume holders. And the lunch was delicious.

Now comes the big event-which was our rummage sale. It was held in the same little church, in the same slum district, and we had the same customers as our last sale. One girl was even accused of being a dealer rummage sales, and therefore should give this certain colored person a reduction on a ten-cent pair of co-operation of the shoes! The whole chapter was wonderful-we were overwhelmed with contributions and every girl was there to sell for an hour at least, and some stayed the entire four hours. You would have thought they were all born salesladies selling the most priceless and costly materials. The honors for the best Delta Zeta saleswoman, however, go to Norma Bowbeer, who was made head of the rummage millinery department. Time after time when the customer seemed undecided about a model-out certain would Norma's little pocket mirror, the hat would be given a deft tilt and the sale was "cinched." Another outstanding saleswoman was a girl from the active chapter at Ann Arbor, Marion Daniel, by name. She seemed to be having the time of her life. All in all we did have heaps of fun, besides making our little "pile." here's some advice-if you want to make money and have loads of fun, have a rummage sale!

We have been holding our meetings at different places, and days, and hours, to see which would bring out the biggest crowd. We held our last meeting at Lillian Prance's home on a Wednesday evening. It was pouring rain so it is rather hard to tell whether that caused the depletion in the ranks or not. Two actives from Alpha Eta were in town so we had them as visitors at our meeting. We certainly enjoyed having them.

The Alpha Eta alumnæ received their yearly issue of the Chapter

Chatter, edited by Alfreda Barth Kessler, Alpha Eta, and it surely was full of news of the old ones!

We have a new addition to our chapter. Lyda Rideout Kern has returned to Detroit. We hope we may help her bear her great burden of sorrow—the loss of her husband.

I wonder how a suggestion for THE LAMP would fit here? Well. I'll say it; if it's out of placesquelch me thoroughly! How would it be to know the life position of each alumna and the life ambition of each active? That is, to have a rather statistical report showing how many Delta Zetas of Portland Alumnæ chapter, for instance, are stenographers, how many are art directors. how many school teachers, etc. Then total them and find what Delta Zetas are doing collectively. I know I am awfully curious! Is anyone else?

CHARLOTTE SPRINGSTEEN, Editor

PERSONALS

Lillian Prance, Alpha Eta, president of the Detroit Alumnæ Chapter, received a fellowship at Merrill Palmer School, Detroit, for one semester. She is taking a course in child habit training to prepare her to establish a Child Habit Consultation Center at the Juvenile Court Clinic.

Lucille Chalmers, Alpha Eta, is an instructor of mathematics at Detroit City College, and is a patroness of one of the college sororities.

CHANGES OF ADDRESSES

(Active) Mary Dunnigan, Alpha Eta, 3029 Montelair, Detroit.

(Inactive) Mrs. Charles Horr, 11331 Dexter Boulevard, Detroit.

(Active) Mrs. William Graydon Booth, Alpha, 3310 Rochester Boulevard, Detroit.

INDIANAPOLIS ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Beautiful State Luncheon

In March we were the hostesses for the State luncheon and dance, and we feel gratified indeed, for we feel that it was a huge success. Can you picture a lovely ballroom, a mass of flowers, smilax and lighted tapers, with about 250 Delta Zeta girls from our Indiana colleges, seated at tables of eight, all looking their very best? Wouldn't you think this a sight worth seeing? It was lovely—lovely in every respect.

Mrs. Thomas Grinslade, president of the Indianapolis alumnæ, introduced the speakers, who were the presidents of the four Indiana chapters, Miss Sabina Murray, our executive secretary, and Mrs. E. R. Cumings, from Epsilon chapter.

The subject of Mrs. Grinslade's introductory speech was "On the Gang Plank." Miss Murray developed the idea further with "The Three-mile Limit." Mrs. Cummings pepped things up with "Full Steam Ahead"; then the active chapters responded. Thelma Harr, from Epsilon chapter, used "At the Wheel" for her subject. Margaret Johnson, from Delta, spoke on "On the Upper Deck." Pearl Bartley, from Alpha Nu, summed things up with "Ship Ahoy! Land!"

The stunts from the active chapters which took place immediately after the luncheon were really delightful. Alpha Nu represented passengers on a boat; Psi represented an English family on board; Delta dressed as "gobs" and put on a very clever sailor dance, and Epsilon dressed as pirates, danced a very roguish dance which was the essence of cleverness.

The dance which followed in the evening was also a very brilliant affair, but this must conclude my discourse on our big annual event.

We are getting ready for election of officers, and before long you shall know all about them.

Good luck and good wishes!

MARY SMALL ALLEN, Editor



Lillian Lewis Lincoln Alumnæ Panhellenic Rep.

Dora Kronegg Lantz, Zeta, Asst. to Dean Amanda Heppner

Daisy Hoover Pres. Birmingham Alumnæ Chapter

Ruth Davidson,

A, Kansas City Chapter,
who represented Δ Z in
a play presented by City
Panhellenic

Iva Nelson Olson Pres. Twin Cities Alumnæ

Patricia Black, youngest daughter of Faye Bunyan Black, A, pres. of Kansas City Alumnæ Chapter

KANSAS CITY ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Many Things Happening to Us

We are so very happy to add two brand-new names to our list. They are Dorothy Simering Buschell, Epsilon, and Blanche Baird Holtgren, Lambda.

Our March meeting as usual was at the Kansas City Athletic Club, but our April one was the grandest of the year for Mrs. Black, with Lenore Edgerton as co-hostess, graciously entertained us at Mrs. Black's home with a lovely bridge luncheon. We only wish we could make you see and taste the loveliness and deliciousness of this affair. It was without equal and the very nicest meeting of the year. We were delighted to have Mrs. Henderson of St. Louis as our guest.

We had fourteen Delta Zetas at the dinner for Portia Cooper. We were so delighted to know her and only so sorry her stay here was so brief.

One of our girls, Ruth Davidson, represented Delta Zetas in helping the Panhellenic Association put on a stage show for the Woman's Chamber of Commerce Exposition the last part of March

At present we are thrilled over our plans for a large spring card party, at which time we are fondly hoping to reimburse our depleted treasury to the extent of paying off all our obligations. May 6 will be the date and at present we plan to hold it at the Woman's City Club. As you perhaps can surmise the Kansas City alumnæ will be quite busy till after that time.

PAULINE EDWARDS DODD, Editor

PERSONALS

Grace Eliza Baker, Lambda, was married to Mr. Charles Earl De Claspel on Wednesday, the sixteenth of March, at Baldwin City, Kansas. They will be at home after April 1 at 690 South Rice Street, Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Black, who fell at Christmas time

and so severely crushed her elbow at her home in Cincinnati, is now rapidly regaining the use of it again.

Mrs. Black visited the Alpha Phi girls recently and brought us a most delighted report of them and their house.

LINCOLN ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Parties and Blue Prints

The last alumnæ meeting was held March 19 at the Lincoln Hotel. The birthday luncheon was held at the Lincoln Hotel in the Garden Room. There were about fifty-four alumnæ and active girls present. The tables were decorated in our colors. Between courses Betty Luce and Lola Eberly favored us with musical selections. Mrs. Nettie Shugart gave the candlelight service with the assistance of six active girls, representing the charter members. We were glad to see so many alumnæ back and enjoyed singing Delta Zeta songs.

The new house is the chief topic of conversation with us. The old houses on the lots where we are to build are being torn down now, and very soon we will see the beginning of our new home. It is to be of gray, rough stone brick, and it will be of the Engglish type. Most of the new houses on the campus are made of red brick, so ours will be a little bit different. There are so many things to do and think about in building a new house, so you can imagine how busy the Lincoln alumnæ are.

Our news letter, which we have been sending out to all Zeta alumnæ, is meeting with promising success. Of course it can be improved yet, but you don't know how glad we are to hear from the different girls.

The Panhellenic banquet which I spoke about in my last letter will be held on May 4. Lillian Lewis and Mrs. E. W. Lantz are on the committee arranging for the affair. The Lincoln Panhellenic Board has passed a new rule: sororities are to have but

one down-town party a year, and "open house" is to be dispensed with.

Agnes B. Anderson, Editor

NEW ADDRESSES

Mrs. Roy S. Cram (Edith Frease), 625 North Forty-first Street, Omaha, Nebraska. Mrs. Leslie R. Gregory (Margaret Andersen), 236 Kennedy Avenue, Louisville, Kentucky.

Mrs. W. A. Royce (Phyllis Langstaff), 1022 Oakland Street, South Bend, Indiana. Lila Belle Love, 115 Wilson Street, Greensboro, North Carolina.

MARRIAGE

Ruth Schad, Zeta, to Lawrence Pike on March 30, 1927. They will be at home at the Oikema Apartments, Lincoln, Nebraska. Ruth was a member of Theta Sigma Phi, Gamma Alpha Chi and Chi Delta Phi. Mr. Pike is affiliated with Sigma Delta Chi.

LOS ANGELES ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Is This a Delta Zeta Monopoly?

The Editor has asked me to tell you about the interesting Southern California Delta Zetas. She wouldn't give me the space for a news item on all the hundred, even if I could get them in a quiet place long enough to get the story. Therefore, I shall tell you about only a few at this time.

Of course teaching is the great profession for women, so this will be a listing of the Delta Zetas in the Los Angeles city high schools and in the institutions of higher learning. Just a few weeks ago Lucile Goodykoontz, Iota, told the readers of the Los Angeles School Journal about her advertising classes at Jefferson High School. Vesta Mawe, Zeta, is commercial teacher at Polytechnic High School, where Effie Mae Morrison, Sigma, and Martha Krogman, Zeta, are in the physical education department, Esther Ellinghusen, whom you will remember as the efficient chairman of Post-convention, is doing very successful adjustment work at LaConte. Vivian Olson, A1pha Iota, and Gladys Marquardt, Tau,

are in the social science department. Lois Litchfield Stone, Lambda, is teaching the youth of Los Angeles to be well dressed. Alice King White, Alpha Iota, is teaching English, and Ruth Capitol, Alpha Iota, is in the mathematics department. James, Alpha Tau, is also a member of the Los Angeles city high school faculty. In the corrective speech department we find Rose Pipal, Alpha Alpha. Sarah Stoneham, Alpha Iota, is supervisor of nutrition in the elementary schools. We have three Delta Zetas in Los Angeles universities. Mrs. Gertrude York Christy, Alpha Iota, is in the home economics department of the University of Southern California. Margaret Jones. Kappa, is in the same department at the University of California at Los Angeles, and Eileen Taylor, Mu, is in the Spanish department.

The social committee has finished the plans for a very interesting program for the ensuing year. You see, we begin our year with the spring. On May 14 the alumnæ chapter will entertain the Alpha Iota and Alpha Chi seniors at a luncheon and musical at the Alpha Iota house. Marian Zook will be the chairman of the hostesses. The June meeting will be a matinée at the Mission Play at San Gabriel. Leona Reschke will be the chairman of this meeting. I hereby invite all Delta Zetas in Los Angeles to our parties. Won't you call Rose Pipal and get an individual invitation?

GLADYS MARQUARDT, Editor

TWIN CITY ALUMNÆ CHAPTER A House for Gamma

The most important business of the Twin City Alumnæ chapter occurred at the meeting March 8—the Gamma alumnæ became incorporated then for the purpose of building a house which will be ready for the girls

August I. Those of us who are not Gamma alumnæ gave our advice, sought and unsought, and acted as witnesses to the signing of the papers.

On March 22 we elected officers for the year. Iva Nelson Olson, former alumnæ editor, is our new president. She and Eleanor Strickler. new vice-president, are two of Gamma's founders,-they live up to that honor as well as being very active alumnæ and I know they will see that our alumnæ organization carries on efficiently even though Helen and Mildred are to leave us this coming summer. With Margaret Conway again as treasurer and Flossie Scott as secretary (she had practice while she was active in Upsilon), Iva and Eleanor will have able helpers so our chapter ought to progress as much as it has this past year.

Apologies are usually not heart-felt nor taken as sincere—but I shall have to add how sorry I am that this letter cannot be better. When I was a teacher, I thought I was busy but it was in a different way than the busyness in nursing. But I shall endeavor to have more news for next time and perhaps a snap or two of our two cities.

ALICE S. DE BRUYN KOPS, Editor

NEW YORK ALUMNÆ CHAPTER Reminiscences

Even a New York winter must come to an end, and the time has arrived for that last letter of the season. Looking back, it seems hard to pick out any particular high-spots; there's a luncheon and a bridge to remember, and the Panhellenic ball, and the rest we will call just meetings. But perhaps it is at the chapter meeting that we enjoy to the fullest our Delta Zeta companionship. One of the strange things about this chapter is that each meeting seems to call forth a distinctly different group. Of

course there are some who always come, but there is hardly a time when we do not discover to our great delight that this friend or that who rarely can attend a meeting, has suddenly appeared for this one. Then the locality of the home where we are meeting, and the time of day, seem to discourage or encourage certain of us. In a big city this is inevitable, I guess, and while we wish that all of us could come every time, we don't know how to prepare a program that will insure that. Do you?

If chapter letters should really tell the things that have been most in the minds of their members, then I cannot close this letter without mentioning our sorrow at the loss of one of our dearest sisters. On February 5. only a few weeks after her marriage, we learned of the death of Marion Schaaf Beaver. This has been not only the first break in our ranks, but a personal grief to many of us. Marion's devotion and loyalty to Delta Zeta were known to all of us, and I believe that anyone who has been at all connected with the chapter during the last few years will think of her as one of our most active and interested members. We know that her many Delta Zeta friends join us in extending sympathy to her family.

VIOLET M. IRONMONGER, Editor

SEATTLE ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Convention Coming

We of Seattle chapter are bending all our efforts at the present writing toward our Province Convention that is to be held in Seattle this June 16-18. We are expecting a good number and as this is the first time that we have been hostesses we are anxious that everything be just right so we are all pulling hard for that.

Since my last letter we have had a beautiful tea for our active sisters. So many of us that have small families find that it is very hard to get out to the house and meet the girls as we should so a tea of this kind helps bring us all together and we enjoy the social part of it too.

We also had a very nice evening bridge party for all the Delta Zeta girls in town and incidentally there was a good deal of reminiscing done by girls that had not seen each other for a long time.

Perhaps some of the girls in other parts of the country would be interested to know that the girls that are married in the city get together every two weeks all year. We have a luncheon and while some sew, some exchange recipes and household helps while others of us take care of our small children and still others are able to play bridge. We all enjoy these meetings and I think they do a great deal toward holding us all together.

Next time I'll tell you more about our convention and let you see what we girls of the West can do toward entertaining.

CLARA PENBERTHY WILSON,

Editor

WASHINGTON ALUMNÆ CHAPTER

Successful Ventures

Since our last letter to you we have had the benefit performance at Keith's Theater, which I told you about in the last letter. It was a great success and a very good show—the success part, of course, means we cleared \$40. It turned out so well, that the alumnæ chapter and Alpha Delta are going to have one together soon.

Our February meeting was held at Melva John's apartment. The hostess for our March meeting was Helen Musson, Alpha Delta, and as our meeting came on St. Patrick's Day, Helen carried the refreshments out in very attractive Irish style. At this meeting we decided to give Alpha Delta and her new pledges a supper.

The supper was held on Sunday, April 2, with about fifty Delta Zetas present. We had lots of fun. The supper was "progressive"—first we went to Annette Ladd's home and had salmon loaf, peas, salad, coffee and rolls. Then we "progressed" up the street about a block to Dorothy Douglas Zirkle's, Beta, home for the rest, which consisted of Delta Zeta roses in the form of raspberry ice served with cake, candy and nuts.

We are all looking forward to meeting and having our National President with us, as she is coming Easter to inspect our chapter and Alpha Delta.

Since this is the last letter I write to The Lamp, I want to say how much I've enjoyed writing to all Delta Zetas and wish the new editor for next term a most successful year.

MARY FRANCES BLAKESLEE,

Editor

Engagements

Delta—Eleanor Chase has announced her engagement to Jean Toy, a Delta Upsilon from Purdue University.

Helen English, '25, has announced her engagement to John Hoadley, a Phi Gamma Delta of Indiana University. Helen is now secretary to Rev. Clarence Flynn of the M. E. Church, of Bloomington, Indiana.

Epsilon—The engagement of Frieda Mary Stengel, '27, and Frederick James Truesdale, Sigma Chi, of the University of Pittsburgh, has been announced. The wedding will take place in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, June 22. They will live in Steubenville, Ohio, where Mr. Truesdale is employed as an electrical engineer.

Zeta—Wilma Perry, '27, to Paul Treadwell, Pi Kappa Alpha.

Eta—Evelyn Warner, '27, to Howard Bonnett, Zeta Chi.

Iota—Helen Cole, '27, to Wallace Longworth, Phi Beta Pi.

Lambda—Bernice Eckart, '27, to James P. Murphy, Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Betty Elkins, '27, to Walter Herman.

Mary Jackson, '27, to Rhyne Benninghoven, Kappa Sigma.

Levange Levitt, '27, to Albert Bachelor, Phi Sigma Kappa.

Mu—Anna Sample of Mu chapter is engaged to Sonny Waldman.

Upsilon—Karleen Home, '27, to Arnold Rosaan, '27, Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Gudrun Hulteng, '18, to C. W. Letich.

Ruby Pederson, '26, to Glenn Parsons.

Winifred Fitch to Dr. Arthur Bradky.

Psi—Dorothy Best to Earl Dean Rich, Phi Delta Theta.

Cleo Rogers to Herbert Moore, Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Alpha Beta—Irene Jones, ex-'28, to Walter Bradish, '28, Acacia, of Jacksonville, Illinois.

Martha Clark, '25, to Harlan Curry, Phi Sigma Kappa, LaGrange, Illinois.

Alpha Iota—Hilda Haase, '27, to Walter P. Hurst of Stanford University.

Dixie Wheatley to William Friend, Kappa Sigma.

Alpha Kappa—The engagement of Mabel R. Perkins, x-'28, to Robert W. Grunert, has been announced. Mr. Grunert is a Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Bernice Widrick, '27, to Kenneth Eastwood.

Florence Morehouse, '24, to Everett E. Enos, Acacia.

Alpha Lambda—Evelyn White to Fay Randall Olmstead, Denver, Colorado

Lila Ready, '27, to Carl Eckland, Boulder, Colorado.

Ruth Martin, '27, to L. F. Siemerling, Dodge City, Kansas.

Alpha Rho—Betty Allen, '27, to Roscius Doan, Alpha Tau Omega.

Helen Neiderheisen to Franklin

Roberts, Delta Tau Delta. Alpha Upsilon—Edith Merchant, '27,

Alpha Upsilon—Edith Merchant, '27, to George W. C. Turner, Alpha Gamma Rho.

Alpha Phi—Esther Liebig to Laurel H. Turk, Mt. Vernon, Missouri.

Marriages

Alpha—Marian Parker married Richard Merriman recently. They are at home at 10202 Wilbur Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Beta—Clara Reubel was recently married to Herman Philipp. Home, 151 East Eightieth Street, New York City.

Delta—Dorothy Power, '21, to Eugene Hudson, Kappa Sigma, March 18, 1927.

Epsilon—Alice Vannatta to Kenneth L. Sherrill, February 12, 1926. Their home is at Riverdale, Illinois. Gilberta Wray, '20, to Marshal Williams, Sigma Nu.

Lambda—Glea Pate to Blaines Pinny. Mu—Dorothy May Cooper to Hugh LaBonnty, January 3, 1927. Home, 1401 Hyde Park Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois.

Nu—Alice McCreary to Russell Malcolm, April 16, 1927. Home, 1413 West Main Street, Galesburg, Illinois.

Ludella Malcolm to Forrest Keller, February 11, 1927. Temporary address, Wyanet, Illinois.

Omicron—Elizabeth Seville to Louis Stevens, February 14, 1927.

Pi—Lucille Anthony to Ralph Finley, March 14, 1927. Home, Eureka, Illinois. Sigma—Martha Carolyn Gordon to Mr. Cocke, December 25, 1926. Home, 2555 Jackson Avenue, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Tau—Colleen Bodenson to Leslie Arthur Drew, September 1, 1926.
Home, 7423 Rogers Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Jessie Rutherford Frederick to Mr. Fett, October 16. Home, 4954 Winona Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

Alpha Alpha—Marjorie Farmer to John Jolly, February 5, 1927. Home, 1739 Shore Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Alpha Zeta—Helen Jean Ross to Ernest King, February 26, 1927. Home, 680 East Twenty-first Street, Brooklyn, New York.

Alpha Theta—Margaret Wayne Wooton, '26, to James Thomas Higgins, Pi Kappa Alpha, November 19, 1926. New address, Elsiecoal, Kentucky.

Alpha Iota—Maude Starchy to W. Clarence Wright, 213 Broad Street, Mt. Holley, New Jersey.

Alpha Kappa—Inez Hodge, x-'28, to George Woodward, March 19, 1927.

Alpha Sigma—Ursula Hendrix to Clarence Singletury, Marianna, Florida.

Births

Alpha—To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. King, a son, Billy Burton.

Epsilon—To Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lundy (Grace Mason), a daughter, Margaret Felicity, April 3, 1927.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wharton (Elmira Case), a son, John Lewis, February 16.

Zeta—To Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Kirsch, a son, John Kelly.

Eta—On February 22, 1927, a daughter, Katherine Ann, was born to

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Truesdail (Dorothy Painter, '22).

To Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lawson (Lelia Huckleberry), a daughter, Phyllis Marie.

Nu—To Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bryngleson on March 21, a daughter, Helen Katherine.

On March 7 a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Payne.

Pi-To Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nixon, a daughter, Beverly Dee.

Tau—A daughter, Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cleary, January 17.

Psi—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kisky (Doris Gillaspy, ex-'27) announce the arrival of a son, Thomas David. Their home is in Hagerstown, Ind.

Alpha Alpha—Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McLaughlin have a daughter, Audrey Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Miller have a baby boy.

Alpha Gamma-A son was born to

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis on February 28, 1927. Mrs. Lewis was formerly Frances Pickens.

Alpha Theta—To Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kennedy (Ruth Beale), a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Morton (Jean Crow, '24), a daughter, Jean Crow Morton, February 25, 1927.

Alpha Iota—To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Princelau, Alameda, California (Emilie Rueger, ex-'25), a daughter, Phyllis Gale, December 17, 1926.

The common problem, yours, mine, everyone's Is not to fancy what were fair in life, Provided it could be—but finding first What may be—then find how to make it fair, Up to our means, a very different thing.

—ROBERT BROWNING

In Memoriam

"Love me no less, but mourn me not with tears; For Life grows old, but Death transcends the years."

Marion Schaaf Beaver, a member of Beta chapter, class of 1922, died February 5, 1927. Marion was one of Delta Zeta's most loyal and enthusiastic workers, both in Beta chapter, and in the New York Alumnæ chapter, where she had served in different offices from the time of joining until her death. Her death seems especially sad because of the untimely end to which it brings her married life, Marion having been married only last November to Mr. John Beaver.

Flo Easton Willey, Alpha, '14, died in Florida, March, 1927.

Jean Crow Morton, Alpha Theta, '24, died at her home in Elsie-coal, Kentucky, February 25, 1927. She is survived by her husband and the little daughter, Jean, who was born that same day.

Sympathy is extended to Ruth and Mary Scanlon, and Pauline Scanlon Gardescu, of Omicron chapter, in the recent loss of their father, who in his long career in the ministry had become nationally known and loved.

Margaret Felicity Lundy April 3, 1927

New Addresses

Alpha—Olive McCune, St. Regis Hotel, 82nd and Euclid, Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Raphael Isaacs (Agnes Wolfstein, '20), Simpson Memorial Institute, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Alpha—Mrs. Richard Merriman (Marion Parker), 10202 Wilbur Avenue, Station E, Cleveland, Ohio.

Beta—Mrs. Herman Philipp (Clara Reubel), 151 East 80th Street, New York City.

Pi-Gamma—Mary Arline Shields, 1603 Clay Street, Topeka, Kansas.

Gamma—Mrs. Harry E. Sletton, Elbow Lake, Minnesota.

Epsilon—Mrs. F. E. Ellis (Frances Hankemier), Route A, Box 185, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Epsilon—Mrs. Earl Glenn (Mary Easley), 29 Claremont Avenue, New York City.

Epsilon-Mrs. K. L. Sherrill (Alice Van Natta), Riverdale, Illinois.

Zeta—Mrs. Dean Eastman, Hot Springs, South Dakota.

Zeta—Mrs. Walter Hughes, 128 North 31st Avenue, Omaha, Nebraska.

Eta—Marian Burns, 2502 North Thirty-fourth Street, Kansas City, Kansas.

Theta—Betty Morris, 1471 Tenth Street, Canton, Ohio.

Theta—Mrs. Arthur W. Raymond, 121 Wilson Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Iota—Mrs. William James Berry (Mildred Freburg), Accotink, Virginia.

Lambda—Mrs. Cecil J. Buster (Ella Wilson), 720 Kearney Street, Manhattan, Kansas.

Lambda—Mrs. Carl Hultgren (Blanch Baird), 3218 Linwood Blvd., Kansas City, Missouri.

Lambda—Ila Knight, 715 West South Street, Salina, Kansas.

Eta-Lambda—Barbara Murray, 302

South Thirty-sixth Street, Billings, Montana.

Mu—Mrs. Phillip Case, 1207 Lincoln Avenue, Burlingame, California.

Mu—Mrs. Marie Farley Graham, 420 Haas Street, San Leandro, California.

Mu—Hazel Fulkerson, 1048 Maryland Avenue, Schenectady, New York.

Mu—Mrs. Ralph LaRue (Arline Rich), 157 Sunny Side Drive, Riverside, California.

Mu—Anna Sample, 1306 North Van Ness, Fresno, California.

Mu—Uarda Wise, 556 Ninth Street, Fortuna, California.

Omicron—Mrs. Troy Russell, 323 Independence Court, Sharon, Pennsylvania.

Rho—Vera Anna Tufford, 221 West Eleventh Street, Pueblo, Colorado.

Alpha Gamma—Mrs. Mary Louise Ikerman Walker, 509 Lapsley Street, Selma, Alabama.

Sigma-Gamma—Helen Converse, 1212
Fifth Street S. E., Minneapolis,
Minnesota.

Tau—Mrs. Jessie Rutherford Fett, 4954 Winona Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

Upsilon—Ellen Quam, 2127 Walnut Street, Bellingham, Washington.

Upsilon—Helen Stegenga, 5421 Harper Avenue, Hyde Park Station, Chicago, Illinois.

Phi—Gertrude Calhoun, Omak, Washington.

Kappa-Phi—Mrs. Phoebe Jane Sutton Wright, 2822 Thirty-second, South, Seattle, Washington.

Chi—Mrs. Harry Lynch (Ellen Futtrup), 102 Main, Post Presidio, of San Francisco, California.

Chi—Mrs. Christine Riddell Sarsfield, Centerville, Washington.

Psi—Mrs. Estelle Bovard Threlpeld, 310 North Seventh Street, Mt. Vernon, Illinois. Alpha Alpha—Mrs. C. A. Manning (Mildred Wiltrout), 601 South 117th Street, Escanaba, Washington.

Alpha Epsilon—Mrs. Byrl Cogburn, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

Alpha Zeta—Florence Cuneo, 232
Washington Avenue, Brooklyn,
New York.

Alpha Zeta—Mrs. E. L. King (Helen Jean Ross), 680 East 21st Street, Brooklyn, New York.

Alpha Eta—Mary Dunnigan, 3029 Montclaire, New Fairview Station, Detroit, Michigan.

Alpha Eta—Dorothy McNeil, 1208 Oakland, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Alpha Eta—Mrs. Walter Remley
(Joy Carpp), 5707 McPherson
Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

Alpha Iota-Lorraine Brown, 1119

West 28th Street, Los Angeles, California.

Alpha Iota—Margaret Ethel Smith, 516 North Street, Sanger, California.

Alpha Lambda—Laeta Bartlett, 631 University Avenue, Boulder, Colorado.

Alpha Lambda—Edith Milledge, Hereford, Colorado.

Alpha Nu-Margaret Davis, 403 L. W. West, South Bend, Indiana.

Alpha Nu—Harriet Kistner, 410 East Forty-sixth Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Alpha Nu—Eldena Stamm, 451 North Emerson, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Alpha Sigma—Helen Ames, Loughman, Florida.

Alpha Omega—Mrs. Buford Fillingame, 155 Wacaster Place, Jackson, Mississippi.

Where Do They Live?

Epsilon—Bertha Reinhart, 1135 Leonard, Apt. 84, Detroit, Michigan.

Mu—Elizabeth La Barthe, 2727 Russell Street, Berkeley, California.

Mu—Pearl Soderberg, 1122 West Minnehaha Parkway, Richfield, Minnesota.

Chi-Margaret Pratt, 296 East Fifteenth, Portland, Oregon.

Upsilon—Marguerite Kops, 28 West Twelfth Street, New York City.

Upsilon—Mrs. Carrol Hays, Santa Clara, Oregon.

Alpha Epsilon—Elizabeth Cole, Carlyle, Kentucky.

Upsilon—Adah Jorandby, 215 Kingwood, Brainard, Minnesota.

Psi—Helen Beatty, North Vernon, Indiana.

Omicron—Margaret Chapman Hoffman, 1352 Perkiomen Avenue, Reading, Pennsylvania.

Psi—Mrs. F. D. Domermuth, Columbus, Indiana.

Lambda—Marie Gilmore, Tampa, Kansas.

Alpha Epsilon—Lattie McQuown Dawson, Merrison, Oklahoma.

Epsilon—Mary Baccus, Bloomington, Indiana.

Epsilon—Mildred Baccus, Kingman, Indiana.

Beta—Mrs. C. B. Allison, 11 Garden Street, Potsdam, New York.

Alpha Sigma—Olive Whaley, Box 725, Denoya, Florida.

Alpha Kappa—Lulu B. Fagan, 6 Park Street, Hornell, New York.

?—Mrs. Dezendorf (maiden name?), Brooklyn, New York.

N. B. Any member knowing the location of any of these "lost lifers" will confer a great favor by writing to Central Office. Please give any information you have—married name, husband's initials, etc., which may help to locate these people who have paid all or part of their life subscriptions.

This page is dedicated to the seniors of 1927 and to the summer's brides; but it is also generously shared with any others whose change in name, address, or occupation makes it applicable. And its proper use will be gratefully appreciated by your

CENTRAL OFFICE OF DELTA ZETA, 445 the Illinois Building, Indianapolis, Indiana.

On and after1927, please record me in the Delta Zeta files as
(Use this line to give your married name if you are Mrs.)
(Use this line to give your maiden name in full, your college chapter and class)
(Use this line to give in full the address to which mail shall be sent, 1927-
(And this one to give your former address, or your permanent one if the above is for business only or otherwise a temporary one.)

This additional space will serve to bring us any interesting news of yourself or other Delta Zetas; or use the blank on page 507.

BULLETIN BOARD

The new songbook has gone to the publisher, so the chairman writes us. All songs that are to be added to the book from now on will be chosen on the competitive basis. Submitted manuscripts should be sent to Central Office for the committee to consider. There will be a place in the back of the new book where additional songs may be placed. Undoubtedly a great many chapters who were indifferent to their earlier opportunities will want to be better represented in this new book when they once see it.

Gamma Province Convention will be of interest to many Delta Zetas because of its "Miami Pilgrimage." Business sessions are to be held in Cincinnati.

Don't YOU want Value Received for the money you pay for The Lamp? Keep in touch with the business manager, not the editor, whenever you move or are married, and she will see that you receive your magazine. It is her intention to see that each new subscriber or new initiate receives the next copy after her subscription reaches the office,

but sometimes that is so near to time of mailing the magazine that you cannot be added to the list until the *next* number. However, if there are extra copies on hand, after the regular subscriptions are cared for, she will be glad to mail you a copy upon receipt of postage.

National Council Meeting: The annual meeting of the National Council will be held at Troutdale in the Pines, Colorado, from July 6 to 8.

Alumnæ chapter election results should be reported in triplicate as soon as the new officers are chosen; to the Central Office, National Vice-president, and LAMP editor. All during the summer communications addressed to former officers will otherwise be going "round Robin Hood's Barn" to the new officers, or not reaching them at all.

Wanted, Oh! So Badly!!

Volume One, Number I, and Volume Two of The Lamp, for the Central Office. It is a real loss to Delta Zeta that she has

not even one copy of these numbers for permanent filing; surely some reader has saved her old copies and would be glad to make this gift to the fraternity if she but knew of the need. Won't each of you please look into your own files; chapter librarians, won't you see if there may be some numbers in your possession, and alumnæ presidents, won't you please ask at the next meeting, for help in securing these? Thank you!

A Word from Zeta, Too

Zeta chapter would like to have these numbers of The LAMP: Vol. 1, all; Vol. 2, all; Vol. 3, Nos. 1, 3; Vol. 4, No. 4; Vol. 7, No. 2. Zeta will be most grateful for any assistance in completing her files.

Why Not an Exchange?

Are there other chapters needing missing copies? Are there chapters or members with copies they would like to give to fill such requests? THE LAMP will be glad to act as a medium of contact for you. Until last July, Central Office kept on hand a number of copies of previous volumes of THE LAMP, so that such extra copies as were available could be supplied on request. A number of notices had been sent to chapters to urge their asking for numbers needed; and some wisely sent their lists in time, for now this supply no longer exists. Lack of space in the new office compelled the discarding of all extra copies, and Central Office regretfully announces that there are no LAMPS available farther back than the present volume.

Alpha Delta and Alpha Xi, We Congratulate You!

The winning, for the second year, of a scholarship cup leaves now for the slogan, "the third time is the charm!" since with most of these three years' winning means permanent possession. However, not that you shall always win, but that you shall always play your best game, is the thing greatly to be desired. Yet the awarding of these two cups may properly be a source of pride to both the chapter and the officers.

Most honorable mention is also given to those other chapters reporting first place for the past year or semester: Alpha Upsilon, for 1925-26; (these awards being announced only the following fall) Alpha Zeta for 1926-27; Alpha Iota first for semester ending June, 1926, and Iota, for first semester, 1927-28.

Later reports should add to this list if rumor may be trusted, and Mrs. Long will tell us all about that in the report of the Scholarship committee next fall. But—is there any significance to the fact that all of these chapters except one, are in the last half of our chapter roll? Epsilon, Mu, Pi, Chi—where are your firsts of yester-year?

Will each Delta Zeta who is planning to attend summer session at Columbia University this summer please send her name, and her summer address if known in advance, to Central Office? This information is wanted in order to make easier the gathering of all such members for getting-acquainted parties.

The Delta Zeta House at 212 Fifteenth Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, will be open for the summer quarter this year, and any Delta Zetas or their friends who expect to be at Ohio State may make reservations by writing to Amanda Thomas, Box 511, Columbus, Ohio. The room rent will

be the same as may be had at any place offering student lodgings, as there is one uniform rate, determined by the dean's office.

Mrs. A. W. RAYMOND, for Theta Company

Did You Get the "Directory?"

If you have been initiated since 1922 Convention, and did not get one of the new Directories, send your full name and correct address to Central Office. If you are an older alumna member and did not get that copy you paid for, the same advice applies to you. Of course if you forgot to order a copy—or if your full address did not come with the order—that is a different story! There will be a supplement this fall.

Rush Captains: 1927-28

In the hope of providing for better communication between chapters, with regard to girls whom one chapter may wish to recommend to another, and also to give to the general membership of Delta Zeta the names of the Rush Captains in order that they may "obey that impulse" and write about the girls they know and wish you to know, this list has been compiled from the election returns so far as they report the rush captains. Use it; its purpose is to serve!

Alpha—Helen Rawdon, 35 S. Professor St., Oberlin, Ohio.

Beta—Carlotta Denman, 139 N. Quarry St., Ithaca, N.Y.

Gamma—Lucille Munger, 1234 Sherwood Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Delta—Eleanor Cammack, East Washington St., Greencastle, Ind.

Epsilon—Helen Benton, 1715 West Main St., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Zeta—Arlene Turnbull, 619 Marshall Ave., Lincoln, Neb.

Eta—Mildred Maxwell, Columbus, Kan.

Theta—Adele Reber, 51 West Northwood, Columbus, Ohio.

Iota—Not reported.

Kappa—Elizabeth Horstman, Port Angeles, Wash.

Lambda—Grace Eadie, Kansas City, Kan.

Mu—Alice M. Byington, 607 Johnson St., Healdsburg, Calif.

Nu—Juanita Kelly, 194 Blaine Ave., Galesburg, Ill.

Xi—Esther Aneshansel, Westwood, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Omicron-Winifred McClure

Pi-Not reported.

Rho—Doris Kavalec, 1756 High St., Denver, Colo.

Sigma—Ertith Green, Rte. 3, Baton Rouge, La.

Tau—Margaret Olson, Madison, Wis. Upsilon—Valborg Oslund, B-2 Elaine Apts., Grand Forks, N.D.

Phi-Not reported.

Chi—Alice Quarnberg, Vancouver, Wash.

Psi-Mary Syms, Linton, Ind.

Omega-Not reported.

Alpha Alpha—Elinor Benneke, 2016 Jarvis Ave., Chicago.

Alpha Beta—Mira Voelkel, Pesotum, III.

Alpha Gamma-Not reported.

Alpha Delta—Helen Robb, 1770 Kilbourne Place, Washington, D.C.

Alpha Epsilon-Not reported.

Alpha Zeta—Alice Munson, 109-26 217th St., Queens Village, L.I., N.Y.

Alpha Eta-Not reported.

Alpha Theta—Jane Lewis, 218 Arlington, Lexington, Ky.

Alpha Iota—Helen Hessick, 200 Queen St., Inglewood, Calif.

Alpha Kappa—Mary Grant, Fair Haven, N.Y.

Alpha Lambda—Genevieve Johnson, 2035 Hudson, Denver, Colo.

Alpha Mu-Not reported.

Alpha Nu—Helen Kingham, 1540 Barth Ave., Indianapolis.

Alpha Xi—Adelene Austin, Adelene Apts., Birmingham, Ala.

Alpha Omicron-Alma Crowder,

Alpha Pi-Louise Bellsnyder, 405 S. Fifty-fourth St., Birmingham, Ala.

Alpha Rho—Helen Neiderheiser, 714 Rogers St., Bucyrus, Ohio.

Alpha Sigma—Mildred Bullock, Ocala, Fla.

Alpha Tau-Not reported.

Alpha Upsilon—Calista Sylvester, Jefferson, Me.

Alpha Phi—Mary Cushing, Concordia, Kan.

Alpha Chi—Vivian Meade, 1017 N. Edgemont, Hollywood, Calif.

Alpha Psi—Katie Blanche Masters, Lott, Texas.

Alpha Omega—Claire Sistrunk, Lamont, Miss.

Central Office Chit-Chat

Special Notices

Miss Lois Higgins, National Vice-President, will be "at home" (literally) after May 4, at 1524 East Fifty-ninth Street, Chicago. Yes, you have guessed it—she has bought a new home.

The Beta Province convention, which was to have been held this week-end, at Baton Rouge, La., was indefinitely postponed because of the floods.

How Many Delta Zetas Are Sending Money and Clothing to the Flood Refugees?

Did You Know That:

Iota made first place in scholarship on the Iowa campus?

Alpha Zeta, Alpha Delta and Alpha Xi all hold scholarship cups?

Eta chapter reported that Delta Zeta pledges were the only complete group to be initiated on that campus?

Alpha Nus have to build a new house, too, now that the University is moving to the other end of the city.

Alpha Alpha's new house is up to the third floor?

Gamma is building a house that will make you all want to come visiting?

Positively the last call for LAMP and LIFE DUES! Final Date May 31, 1927.

Remember—All officers of Alumnæ chapters must be in good standing, financially, both locally and nationally. That means they must have paid their alumnæ dues to the National, and to their local chapters. All ready, new officers, you can't enforce the constitution if you do not live up to it. Pay up!

Song Books will be ready next month—get your voices ready. All initiates of 1925-26, and 1926-27, please send up your present addresses to Central Office, if you will not be at the chapter house at the time they are ready. Will the corresponding secretary send me the list of 1925-26 initiates, so that I shall not miss any!

The Directories are out. Central Office sent out requests to the chapters some time ago, asking for lists of all girls initiated since 1922, since none of these members had had Directories. Only eighteen chapters responded. I want to thank these girls for the work, as well as their spirit of co-operation. If others who should have received the Directories, have not had them, perhaps it is because your chapter was not among the "eighteen."

We have had almost a hundred returned so far. Alumnæ do not keep us, or the chapters informed as to changes of address and name. If you are among those who should have received a DIRECTORY, please write us, enclosing six cents in stamps to cover postage. CENTRAL OF-FICE SPEAKING!

Supplies—Does your chapter need any? Send all requests in time to get your records in fine shape before the end of the year and Province conventions.

Dedication of Delta Zeta Memorial at Miami University, at the time of the Gamma Province Convention. Alumnæ, take notice!

Constitutions—The new ones are on the press, and will soon be available.

Be sure to send your summer address to Central Office.

Central Office thanks you all for your help this year. Good-bye till fall!

Delta Zeta News

Meet Mrs. Friedline, through the Colorado Springs paper.

The D.A.R. election in Denver was of unusual interest to the members of the Kinnikinnik and Zubulon Pike chapters, Daughters of the American Revolution, and Colorado Springs in general, with the naming of Mrs. Justus R. Friedline, of this city, state D.A.R. regent. The election was unanimous and was made at the close of the final meeting of the D.A.R. conference held at the Brown Palace Hotel.

Mrs. Friedline has been one of the most active workers of the Colorado Daughters of the American Revolution and has also taken a prominent place in national work. She served on the state D.A.R. board for eight years, as regent of Kinnikinnik chapter for two years and is one of its charter members. For two years she was chairman of the Americanization and Patriotic Education committee, and for three years served on the state resolutions committee, besides acting as state chairman of the national committee on better films. She acted as vice chairman of Manual for Immigrants and during the last two years has been vice regent of the Colorado society. Mrs. Friedline attended twenty out of the twenty-four state board meetings, a remarkable record, which has kept her in close touch with D.A.R. work. Last year, in the absence of Mrs. Herbert Allen Smith, she presided at the state conference.

Elizabeth Barnes, of Chi chapter, Corvallis, Oregon, is also breaking out in print.

Miss Elizabeth Barnes, assistant professor of public speaking at O.A.C., Corvallis, Oregon, was recently elected first vice-president of the national council of National Collegiate Players at their convention in Chicago.

It must be catching.

Lawrence, Kansas, March 15.—Mrs. John Griffiths, sister of Miss Esther Liebig, president of Delta Zeta (Alpha Phi chapter), whose engagement to Laurel Turk was announced Sunday, said today the announcement shows her sister's total lack of originality.

To elucidate:

Mrs. Griffiths attended Baker University; so did Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths pledged Delta Zeta; so did Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths taught school at Richmond, Missouri; so did Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths enrolled at the University of Kansas; so did Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths was given a fraternity pin; so was Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths returned the fraternity pin; so did Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths became engaged to a Spanish professor; so has Miss Liebig.

Mrs. Griffiths was married to the Spanish professor . . . and to complete the parallel, her friends add—

"So will Miss Liebig."—Kansas City Journal Post.

Mr. Laurel Turk is in the Spanish department of Lehigh University.

1927 Sorority Census

By OLGA ACHTENHAGEN

Editor of The Angelos of Kappa Delta

The twenty N.P.C. sororities include a total of 912 chapters and approximately 917 alumnæ associations. Inactive chapters total eighty-three, most of them having become inactive because anti-fraternity laws affected the institutions in which they were established.

The dates of founding listed below for Alpha Delta Pi and Phi Mu represent the organization of Adelphean and Philomathean, local societies at Wesleyan College, Macon, Georgia. It was not until 1904 that the two groups adopted Greek-letter names and a policy of expansion. Pi Beta Phi, originally the I. C. Sorosis, adopted her Greek name in 1883. The first society to

bear a Greek name is Kappa Alpha Theta; it is probably also the first to be definitely organized along the lines of the Greek-letter fraternities.

Statistics furnished below were supplied by the National Editors of the N.P.C. sororities in March, 1927.

	Number of	Inactive	Alumnæ	Years Since
Sorority	Chapters	Chapters	Associations	Founding
ΑΧΩ	. 49	0	57	42
Α Δ ΙΙ	47	5	28	76
Α Δ Θ	. 10	0	No. not sent	9
Α Γ Δ	. 37	I	39	23
А О П	. 32	2	34	30
A Φ	. 28	I	27	55
ΑΞΔ	. 42	0	41	34
В Ф А	. 13	0	13	18
Χ Ω	- 77	0	36	32
Δ Δ Δ	. 71	5	67	39
Δ Γ	. 41	12	35	53
Δ Ζ	. 48	0	21	25
ГФВ	. 33	I	50	53
КАӨ	- 55	9	49	67
Κ Δ	. 60	10	53	30
ККГ	. 57	9	79	56
Ф М	. 51	7	28	75
ПВФ	. 71	13	130	60
Σ Κ	. 38	I	35	53
Z T A	. 52	7	57	29

TABLES SHOWING COMPARISON

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Number of	Inactive Chap-	Alumnæ Asso-	Years Since
Chapters	ters	ciations	Founding
Χ Ω 77	ΑΧΩ ο	П В Ф130	Α Δ Π 76
Δ Δ Δ 71	Α Δ θ ο	ККГ 79	Ф М 75
П В Ф 71	A Ξ Δ ο	Δ Γ 73	П В Ф 60
К Δ 60	В Ф А 0	Δ Δ Δ 67	КАӨ 57
ККГ 57	X Ω 0	Z T A 57	ККГ 56
КАӨ 55	Δ Z o	A X Ω 57	А Ф 55
Z T A 52	Α Γ Δ Ι	КΔ 53	Σ Κ 53
Ф М 51	АФ I	ГФВ 50	Δ Γ 53
A X Ω 49	ГФВ 1	КАӨ 49	Г Ф В 53
Δ Z 48	ΣΚ Ι	A Ξ Δ 4I	Α Χ Ω 42
А Δ П 47	А О П 2	Α Γ Δ 39	Δ Δ Δ 39
A Ξ Δ 42	А Δ П 5	X Ω 36	Α Ξ Δ 34
Δ Γ 41	Δ Δ Δ 5	Σ Κ 35	X Ω 32
Σ Κ 38	Ф М 7	А О П 34	К Δ 30
Α Γ Δ 37	Z T A 7	Ф М 28	А О П 30
Г Ф В 33	КАӨ 9	Α Δ Π 28	Z T A 29
А О П 32	ККГ 9	АФ 27	Δ Z 25
АФ 28	К Δ 10	Δ Z 2I	Α Γ Δ 23
В Ф А 13	Δ Γ 12	В Ф А 13	В Ф А 18
Α Δ θ 10	ПВФ 13	Α Δ Θ	ΑΔθ 9

CHAPTER LETTERS

Alpha Province

BETA CHAPTER Cornell University

For the past few weeks life among the Betas has been comparatively uneventful—happy but even. The big"happy pledge days," a very goodlooking three-part mirror. Evidently they didn't think us vain enough—or was it that they wanted us to be humbled by reflection?



SNOW ON CORNELL'S CAMPUS

Too bad the picture can't show the loveliness of night lights on such a scene.

gest event was one that you have all had—initiation; so I shan't rave about it, though we didn't come down out of the clouds for a week. All of us old grandmothers and greatgrandmothers were as much thrilled as the "little ones." Even we juniors and seniors, hardened and calloused with age, were touched when, at the close of her speech, Mary Clark presented to the house, in behalf of all the pledges in memory of their

Coming—Cornell Capers

Spring vacation begins tomorrow. Even now the campus is practically deserted. Immediately after we come back, spring nonsense will begin. The main quadrangle will become the forum where popular professors make stirring speeches about nothing. There will be parades with fantastic costumes and much noise, and crazy performances by the architects and others. The senior men will don their

blazers. All this leads up to the exact. Really, though, we are quite grand climax, Spring Day, the one big peculiarly Cornellian tradition that has survived. The great day is coming at the end of May. About the time that you are reading this, then we shall be watching the grand circus, parade, baseball game, crew races, and later, some of us, dancing till 4:30 A.M. One week-finals. Betawishes you all good luck and a delightful vacation.

FLORENCE McClure, Editor

P.S. The weather played an April Fool trick, and now the campus looks like the enclosed winter scene.

OMICRON CHAPTER University of Pittsburgh

A Chapter Sanctum

DEAR SISTERS:

Omicron chapter is a whirling group nowadays, but there is a method in our madness. All of our



THE LONG AND THE SHORT OMICRON SENIORS Emily Thurber, Ruth Scanlon

wild efforts have come to a sublime climax, for at the University of Pittsburgh-that desert of houseless fraternities-we of Delta Zeta have rooms-a room and a half to be

proud of them. We have worked so hard to make them beautiful, and they are beautiful in our eyes. There is one large room, a sun-parlor and a kitchen which we may use on Monday nights. The pledges scrub, mop and polish and glory in their work.

Speaking of pledges, we have the dearest ones that any group could Of course, every chapter grows eloquent on that subject, but I want to say that we have nine of the most charming girls any group could Then, too, they represent all want. walks of college life. Two are in basketball-both on varsity, in factone in active Y.W.C.A. work, two in the Glee Club, and Helen writes delightful little squibs for the Pitt Weekly. On Friday when almost the whole group troops over to Pitkin Club, it looks like a young army

Shining Seniors

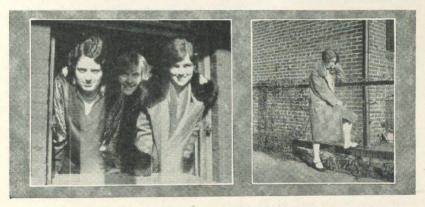
Omicron shines in honorary activities, too. Our president, Peg, besides being in Mortar Board, belongs to Pi Lambda Theta, is the chief justice of Senior Court, and a member of Student Relations Committee, Venus, too, is a member of Mortar Board as well as president of the Women's Athletic Association and a star on our basketball varsity. We are represented in the honorary history fraternity and the Spanish Club.

Our Auxiliaries

We have ever so many plans for the rest of the semester. We are very definite, however, in one planour Mothers' Tea. We hope to be successful in organizing a Delta Zeta Mothers' Club. In fact, you would think that we have a Mothers' Club now by the way our mothers have pitched together and helped us this winter. Not only the mothers but the grandmothers and fathers are interested and enthusiastic in our plans.



PLEDGES OF ALPHA DELTA Muriel Phelan, Laura Clark, Roselia Shaw, Caroline Blanks, and Mary Curran



ALPHA DELTA SENIORS

Vivian Robb, AA, '27

Hour Glass Honor Society; Treasurer, Senior class, Columbia College; Y.W.C.A. social chairman, 1925-26; discussion chairman, 1926-27, and delegate to Eaglesmere, 1926. Hockey, Varsity team, four years; hockey Varsity captain, 1924, and senior hockey team manager, 1926; G. W. Club, 1926-27. Panhellenic, 2, 3, 4.

Marjorie Mothershead, A Δ, '27 Debate, 1926-27; Glee Club, 1925-26-27, and Manager, 1926-27; Hockey, 1925; Treasurer, Teachers' College, 1926.

Martha E. Morgan, A Δ, '27 Panhellenic 2, 3, 4. Our President this past year.

Freeda May Davey, A A, '27 Hockey, 1923-24, and captain, '23. Y.W.C.A. Political Science Club.

"Wait and See"

"When we get our cathedral built," as we say at Pitt, we are going to have very nice quarters. Then we will be able to send a picture of our domicile and vie with the pictures of the gorgeous houses that are usually shown in The Lamp. In the meantime—

EMILY THURBER, Editor, pro tem

ALPHA DELTA

George Washington University Pledge Day, at Last!

When I was a goat I spake as a goat, I understood as a goat, I thought as a goat, but now our new pledges are passing through that stage of psychological developmentand surprises. They are bearing up nobly and we are very proud of them all, to wit: our musician, Laura Clark, I make her piay the "Volga Boat Song" every day; our cook, Caroline Blanks, who really invented cakes-her own remarkable methods at least; our student, Mary Curran, who went to the scholarship luncheon -of which further mention; our petite Muriel Phelan, and our attractive Roselia Shaw, who teaches other young minds when she isn't exposing her own to instruction at night. We acquired this choice selection of individuals at the end of February, when a prolonged rushing season ended with a few tense hours of wondering who "got" whom. We "got our goats" and we are beamingly self-satisfied.

Third Time Charms

For the benefit of those who simply can't wait to see what there is to say about the Panhellenic scholarship luncheon, I'll keep my promise. We regretfully saw our representatives—Olive Chace, Vivian Robb, and Mary Curran—set out

with the cup we won last year. Two or three hours later we fell out of the windows enthusiastically to meet that identical cup and escort it triumphantly to its apparently predestined place in our rooms. We are quite determined to win it again and permanently next year. And some ten other sororities are quite determined to take it from us. I hope the psychology of the situation favors us—I can't decide whether it does or not.

Merrily "Mump-ing"

G.W.U. was threatened recently by an epidemic. Medical authorities were, or should have been, seriously perturbed, for any contagious malady affecting so large and important a group of Washingtonians would very probably spread rapidly over the national capital and reach even our most eminent citizens-perhaps President Coolidge, eventually. All this stir was caused by a Delta Zeta. Anita Brown had the mumps. So far the epidemic has not been severe-only one case has been reported by reliable authorities. Another Delta Zeta has suggested a remedy in case mumps sweeps the city. Just let everybody come out and do his work as usual.

Parties and Promises

On Sunday, March 20, the active chapter entertained the alumnæ, patrons and mothers at tea. It was an unusual opportunity for all those we are interested in and those interested in us to get together, and we all enjoyed it.

The alumnæ gave a lovely progressive supper for us last Sunday, April 3. The attendance was noteworthy—it was the largest number of actives and alumnæ to foregather for social intercourse, or any other purpose since our chapter came into being. We had a good time, too. The "progressive" was illustrated by going

from the beautiful home of Annette Ladd to that of Mrs. Zirkle—and eating some more. The ices, molded into perfect pink roses, were quite too adorable to eat. (If the eyes are closed, the conscience feels better about it.)

Both the alumnæ and active chapters are looking forward to Mrs. Friedline's visit. She promises to come for Easter week. We are hoping the proverbial April showers will be unavoidably detained within the heavens.

BESSIE MCINTYRE, Editor

ALPHA ZETA Adelphi College

April Fool!

Well (big sigh), we thought spring had really come last week, so we all discarded our heavy coats and resurrected our old spring ones. It was so nice and warm that nearly everyone in college had that disease they call spring fever. But now you should see the ground—just covered with snow, and it all came so quickly. Not a single bit of warning! Should we protest?

But Not in Elections

While the weather was so wonderful, Adelphi's great political struggle took place-and Delta Zeta came out pretty well. Of the Student Association officers. Esther Ewart, '29, captured the vice-presidency on the first ballot. She also won her "A" for varsity basketball. Then, in the Junior class elections for next year, Alice Munson, '28, was chosen president, the second time she has occupied this office; Florence Cuneo was re-elected vice-president and Alice Underwood treasurer. Isn't that some walk-away for our "seniors-tobe"? We think it's fine and feel very proud of them.

In the Newman Club elections,

Florence Cuneo, '28, was elected president. The other club elections have not been held yet—so we can't give a final account.

Anticipation

We are all greatly excited and thrilled about Mrs. Friedline's anticipated visit to us. We are waiting anxiously—in fact we are too excited to write coherently about it. We'll tell you much more the next time!

Attention, Mrs. Long!

Our pledges are working like Trojans to help us keep the scholastic cup—so it won't be their fault if we lose it. Our average has gone up a trifle since we won it, and we all simply refuse to give it up. We can keep it—and we will!

These Help

Oh, yes, we have two darling new pledges, Harriet Stellwagen, '29, and Ruth Waterman, '30. Both are real Adelphi scholars and will help us loads in raising our average. Besides, they are all-round girls, peppy, etc.

Our bridge, April 21, is doomed to be a huge success. One of our girls is real good at palm-reading, and is sure to draw a big crowd. At least she does at college. And with Alice Underwood as chairman, everything should go over big!

Just now we are busy with midterms. But they will be over next week and then we hope we can all act natural. We'd hate to have Mrs. Friedline see us like this!

We hope you all have a lovely Easter vacation—rest up, because the hot summer months are coming.

ESTHER EWART, Editor

ALPHA KAPPA CHAPTER

Syracuse University

Initiation Ceremonies

Since our last letter, spring has come, and with it the gleam of eleven

new lamps for Delta Zeta. One doesn't have words to describe the feeling which our initiation always brings, but you all will understand that. However, banquets are not so difficult. Ours was held March 19 at the Hotel Syracuse. Besides our new sisters and alumnæ, our guests were Mrs. Meeker, Alpha Kappa's big sister, and Mildred Wade Lenning, of Alpha Lambda chapter.

Following the speeches, the junior cup, given to the most representative girl of that class, was presented to Mildred Brinker. "Brinkie" is a violin major, a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, of Morning Musicals and the varsity rifle team.



ALPHA KAPPA'S HONOR INITIATE Thelma (Dill) Pickles

This year we decided to give a miniature cup to the initiate who had excelled in both scholarship and activities. Thelma Pickles, '29, blushingly received it. She is a reporter on the *Daily Orange* and has made first cuts for associate editor of *Onondagan*. A Fraternity Girl's Sym-

phony was given to Ethelyn Mann, '30, for having maintained the highest scholarship among the initiates.

In honor of the initiates, Irene Follett, toastmistress, wrote the words of a song for which "Brinkie" wrote the music. As we sang it, each fraternity mother lighted for her daughter a tiny candle from the flame of a tall, white taper, a symbol of her new responsibilities and privileges in Delta Zeta. It was a lovely ceremony and a fitting conclusion to our banquet. But not the real conclusion, after all, for just then Janet Miller brought in a huge Jack Horner pie with floating ribbons of rose and green. The plum proved to be Bernice Widrick's engagement to Kenneth Eastwood.

Then we all hurried over to the Wieting Theater, where we saw Spanish Moon, a musical comedy written by one of our Syracusans and presented by Tambourine and Bones, men's dramatic society. The transformation of popular football heroes into pretty, peppy girls was only one surprise of the evening.

Shortly before initiation, the chapter entertained the pledges at the house very informally. Each group of roommates put on a skit in their room. Cora Dann starred as Little Eva in *The Origin of Halitosis*, and Edith Morton, chairman of the house committee, helped with true understanding in a take-off of our numerous cooks.

Panhellenic Lottery

According to our custom, having drawn Alpha Chi Omega's name in the Panhellenic lottery, we entertained the girls of that chapter on the evening of March 7. Following a musical program and skits, we danced to the music of our own Delta Zeta orchestra and the pledges served ices and cakes. Then each chapter sang its favorite songs and said "Good-night."

First Prize Winners

The evening of March 24 was an eventful one for Alpha Kappa. That night, the men's gym was the scene of the annual Military Ball which was in the form of a world cruise. Girls went in couples wearing costumes appropriate to the country of their choice. Thanks to the hard work and excellent ability of "Dill," Viola, and Kay, Delta Zeta won first prize for the presentation of the best skit. Amid cheers and laughter, they proudly bore to the house a five-pound box of "Fanny Farmers."

Did Miss Landrum See These?

Our new initiates have shown marked creative ability in the composition of their original songs, a requirement for initiation. Some even wrote the music, but sad to admit, they are not all singers. However, it was an interesting half-hour when each girl sang her song.

Congratulations!

Glenevieve Watkin, '27, has added Phi Beta Kappa to her numerous honoraries. Esther Allen, '28, has just been elected vice-president of the Syracuse chapter of Women's Cosmopolitan Club.

Two new pledges have been added since our last letter: Marion Knowles, Niagara Falls, New York, a freshman in public school music, on the freshman basketball team and active worker in Y.W.C.A., and Viola Pallaskay, '29, of Syracuse, a member of University Chorus, City Women's Club, and an A student in interior decoration.

RUTH FLICK, Editor

ALPHA MU CHAPTER St. Lawrence University

Additions All Around

Alpha Mu has been a busy place since our last letter. The greatest event was initiation, March 5. One of our initiates, Alice Lawrence, was absent because of illness, leaving three: Doris Fields, Elfrieda Peter and Isabel Rowley, of whom we are all the more proud because we feel that though we have not quantity we have quality. The other fraternities came in later, giving us some very delightful serenades. Of our alumnæ who were back were Mary Bayley, '23; Zelma Bancroft, '24; Inez Hodge, ex-'28; and Mildred Walls, '29, who is visiting us after her long illness.

We wish to announce the pledging of Alice Kinney and Margaret Mooney, both of '30. Also we wish to announce a new patroness, Mrs. Ralph Howard. One of the seniors, Esther Rowley, who finished her course in January, is engaged to Herbert Avres, ex-'28, now a student at Albany Business College. Inez Hodge, ex-'28, who visited us at the time of initiation, surprised us with an announcement of her marriage to George Woodward. We knew that she was engaged but we did not know that the happy event was to take place so soon.

"So Thoughtful," said the firemen

Alpha Mu chapter house suffered a narrow escape from being burned one evening just recently when a bundle of papers caught fire from the stove in the kitchen. We were having a little party which was going very nicely when one of the girls opened a door and saw one end of the kitchen in flames. We immediately called for help and the fire was soon put out with fire extinguishers by our neighbors before the fire department arrived. Our party was entirely broken up but we had some recompense in being able to treat the firemen to sandwiches we had made. We were very thankful that no more damage was done, though we did not intend to give our guests such a warm reception.

Parting Party Plans

At the instant of writing we are giving an informal costume party at which we anticipate a good time. Plans are being laid for a card party to be given immediately after the Easter recess. Our juniors have volunteered to take charge of a movie benefit to raise money to furnish the house with curtains. We have one more spring house party which will be a formal dinner dance.

With these few words as to our present, past and future, Alpha Mu will say farewell until next year.

CATHERINE LUKENS, Editor

ALPHA UPSILON University of Maine

Happy Initiation

The regular initiation of Alpha Upsilon chapter was held on March 3 at the home of Mrs. Warner Morse,



A T TAKES THE TRAIL Rozella Clapp, Katherine Grindal, Edith Merehart, and Calista Sylvester

one of our patronesses. Now we have ten new sisters of whom we are justly proud.

The next evening, March 4, the initiation banquet was held at Bangor House. Amy Adams, was the toastmistress. All of the initiates took various parts in Mossler, Dorothy gave an interesting talk on "The Ideal Delta Zeta Girl." Mrs. speech on "As a Delta Zeta Mother" was perhaps the best of the evening. Mrs. Morse has certainly been a real mother to us in many ways. For the last number on the program Lillian Varnum, '29, sang, "I Wonder if Ever the Rose," and performed the rose ceremony. Dorothy Mossler, Marjorie Bailey, Bernice Wentworth, Emily Pendleton and Louise Aver of our alumnæ were back for the banquet.

Anything in "A" Names?

Annette Matthews, '27, has been making people on the campus sit up and take notice lately. Sometime about the first of March she was elected to Phi Kappa Phi. Before the month was over she was also elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Besides these two honorary fraternities, she also belongs to Phi Sigma, the honorary biological fraternity. Annette is very modest and would like to keep such things a secret, but thanks to Amy, who is a member of each organization, we found out almost as soon as Annette herself. Annette has twin sisters here who are freshmen, and who promise to be as brilliant as she is. They have already received congratulations from Phi Kappa Phi on their high rank. Besides this they are both interested in athletics, and are both out for hockey and baseball.

We Enjoy a Visit or Two

During the last of February we had a very pleasant visit from Bernice Claire Bassett, a Delta Zeta girl from Delta chapter. At present she is doing social service work in Waterville, Maine, and as her work brought her to Orono and the vicinity she favored us with a visit. Before coming to Maine she spent several years in Japan. She told us many interesting things about her work there.

Two or three days before vacation Ruth Morse, '26, invited us up to her house to a birthday party. We were invited to a buffet lunch but when it was served it proved to be a regular feast. As Ruth has been teaching in Vermont, this is the first time we have seen her this year.

Other Activities

Edith and Kay are manager and assistant manager, respectively, of the "Maine Spring." Edith surprised us somewhat by appearing with a new frat pin the day after vacation. Although it has been kept a secret, she has been engaged to George Turner of Alpha Gamma Rho since late last fall.

Just now we are all excited about our formal, which is to be held at the Country Club on April 15. We are in hopes that our big sister and many of the alumnæ will be with us for the dance.

HELEN MOORE, Editor

Beta Province

ALPHA GAMMA CHAPTER University of Alabama

No Letter

ALPHA XI CHAPTER Randolph-Macon Woman's College A Write-up About Our Seniors

Isn't it hard to put one's thoughts into words! But if I must, I must, and I'll begin with Grace Milford, our chapter president. Grace came to Randolph-Macon all the way from Abbeville, South Carolina, with a bright, sunny smile and a cheery word for everyone. She was a Delta Zeta inheritance, for as you may remember, Helen Milford, '25, was also a Delta Zeta. Grace started on to work in school activities and in the fraternity as soon as she got here She made the hockey squad in her freshman year and played right wing for four years. Grace was a member of the freshman cabinet and of the Y.W.C.A. In her junior year she was vice-president of her class, assistant organization editor of the Helianthus, our college annual, and "K.S.B." And now that she is a senior, Grace is president of the chapter, business manager of the Helianthus, a member of the student committee, president of the Senior Club, and member of the senior council. Now, haven't we a right to be proud of Grace? Besides taking part in all these activities, Grace is a good student and has helped the Delta Zeta

scholarship record along.

Mary Crawford, that cute, slender girl with the adorable figure which we all strive to attain through strenuous dieting-and feet-oh! so tiny; but, gee! how they can dance! She's a peach of a girl! Mary tripped into Randolph-Macon from Covington, Virginia, in the fall of '23, where she immediately began to shine, and before long that D.Z. shine! four years she's taken the lead in her classes and every time her grades were read out in fraternity meeting the chapter average shot up like a thermometer on a hot day. Just recently she was elected to membership in Pi Gamma Mu, an honorary social science fraternity, being one of the seven seniors to achieve this honor. In Alpha Xi she has been a mainstay-always willing and ready when there is any work to be done. Her junior year she served as corresponding secretary and was G.O. this past year. Mary will surely be missed in Alpha Xi after she goes out into the world in June—yes, out into the world, but we won't say for how long!

Susie Cobbs is one of the most outstanding girls at R.-M. Her list of honors reads like a catalogue of all the honors to be achieved at college. Her freshman year she was chairman of the freshman cabinet of the Y.W.C.A. and also a member of the hockey squad. She has represented R.-M. in intercollegiate debates during her college career. For three years she has represented her class on the student committee of the Student Government Association. When she was a junior she was president of the International Relations Club, the only junior who has ever achieved this honor. During her senior year Susie served as house president of New Hall, which is third vice-president of the Student Government Association. She is also a member of Gamma Thirteen, a pep society, and Am Sam, a social society composed of the prominent girls in college. Recently Susie was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, which is proof of her high scholastic record and proof of her all-round ability. Susie is planning to go on with her work and we are expecting great things of her.

Words cannot express Elizabeth Pulliam! She's just "Liz" to us. She enjoys life in that good, old Southern way. She is never in a hurry and her witty remarks are drawled out with a slow, attractive smile. But when it comes to a fire drill, Liz is right there; for besides reveling in the excitement she is fire chief and must see it through. She was a member of the hockey squad in her sophomore and junior years.

When anything is happening at school Liz is right in the midst of it.

In direct contrast to Liz's slow drawl is Ellen Frazier's delightful, incessant chattering. Ellen has a charm all her own and no social occasion is complete without her and her comments on the happenings at college. The chapter is going to miss Ellen's vivacity and pep next year.

Elizabeth Bayer—that tall girl with curly, auburn hair and lovely brown eyes. Elizabeth is so sweet and kind to everyone. She was vice-president of the chapter this year and I know that she has been a wonderful example to the pledges.

We had our local Founders' Day banquet April 12, and according to our custom our beautiful Delta Zeta ring was presented to the pledge who made the highest scholastic average for this year. Adelaide Risdon won the ring and she can wear it until next year.

We are looking forward to Mrs. Freidline's visit, the last of April, with a great deal of pleasure.

EDITH FERRELL, Editor

ALPHA OMICRON CHAPTER Brenau College Conservatory Trimmings for Our House

There are so many really interesting things going on at a women's college, and especially at our house, it is truly a problem to know where to begin. The thing that really affects all of us, though, is our house. At least we are to have some lovely improvements on our home—at least, home for nine months of the year. We have a nice new lawn with stones all around it and a pretty little rose lattice at one end. Then we are to have a sleeping porch in the back part of the house, so that all of us will be the 100 per cent "health of the



FRANCIS HARVEY Bachelor of Arts Degree Executive Council '26-'27. Virginia Club

MARY GRANTHAM PECK

Bachelor of Arts Degree Assistant Editor of "Bubbles," College Annual '26-'27; Student Council '25-'26; '24-'25. Virginia Club.

ALPHA OMICRON

EVELYN FRITZ

Bachelor of Oratory Degree

President of Zeta Phi Eta '26-'27, treasurer '25-'26; chairman nominating committee of Student Government '26-'27; Cushman Club (honorary dramatic); Panhellenic; basketball '23-'24; '24-'25; '25-'26; '26-'27; Florida Club; Treasurer of Executive Committee of Endowment Fund '25-'26; '26-'27.

ELSIE KUCK

Bachelor of Oratory Degree

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President of Y.W.C.A. '25-'27; undergraduate representative '25-'26; President of Cushman Club (honorary dramatic club) '26-'27; Secretary '25-'26; Vice-President of Junior Class; Executive Council '26-'27; International Relations Club; Executive Committee of Endowment Fund; Volleyball '25-'26; '26-'27; Baseball '26-'27; Georgia Club, treasurer '26-'27.

ALPHA SIGMA CHAPTER Florida State College for Women Our Hall of Fame

This letter should be just about our seniors because a mere list of activities cannot really tell all the wonderful things about them. We think they are the finest group ever, and are so proud of them. They are Mildred Brantley, Mildred Bullock, Elizabeth Cartmel, Blanche Curry, Mildred Harris, Helen Little, Helen Sutton and Esther Maude Saunders.

Initiation News

A few days before initiation, the "old" girls entertained at a banquet for the pledges. The large room in the Ponce De Leon Grill was transformed into a rose garden, carrying out the Delta Zeta colors. At the close of the program, two of the pledges were honored. Flora Sasnett, of Jacksonville, was presented with a loving cup, having made the highest grades, while Arey Kaufmann was given a bar pin for obtaining the most points in activities.

On March 12, eight new, shining lamps made an appearance on the campus, the proud wearers being Louise Knight, Ursula Hendrix, Fletcher Girardear, Elizabeth Reynolds, Margaret McNeil, Arey Kaufmann, Flora Sasnett and Eleanor Rosen.

The following morning the initiates were honor guests at a breakfast at the Wisteria Tea Room, and so the ship of new Delta Zetas was properly launched.

On Activities

Many interesting events have happened since the end of the first semester. Freshman Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. has been tapped and Betty Schaeffer, president of the pledges, was one of the freshmen who was chosen.

Mildred Schwalmeyer has been elected advertising manager of the

Annual for next year, and Mary Carolyn Logan is the new house chairman of Bryan Hall. She is also a Phi Alpha Theta, national honorary history.

Two of our sophomores were installed in Y.W.C.A. Cabinet: Nell Wallis, as chairman of finance, and Jeannette Washburn, as chairman of vespers. Our seniors, Mildred Harris, the Y.W.C.A. president, and Elizabeth Cartmel, chairman of vespers, are two of the outgoing officers of the association.

Nell Wallis is also our new athlete. She has made her college letter in hockey, having made the varsity team. She is a member of the class baseball team also.

This year we have the presidency of Panhellenic. Doris Bartlett has been chosen to fill this office.

Our newest pledge, Agnes Crawford, from Tampa, is proctor of Gilchrist Hall and a member of the Even soccer team.

The Press Board is a very active organization on our campus. A short time ago the board edited the *Florida State News* for a day. One of our seniors, Mildred Brantley, was the city editor, while Nell Wallis was a member of the advertising staff.

College Happenings

The most successful annual minstrel that the Junior class has ever presented was given on March 5. This so-called minstrel was a musical comedy entitled Everything's Made for Love, and was written and staged by a member of the Junior class. Our girls taking part were Mildred Brantley, leading man; Eleanor Rosen, "Tillie"; Arey Kaufmann, member of the small chorus; Doris Bartlett, member of the large chorus, and Lily McDonald, leader of the orchestra.

Another important event happened in March, too. That was the senior tree-planting. Each year this custom of planting some valuable tree is performed by the Senior class. In this way the seniors leave a living and worthy symbol of their class.

On Class Day the seniors march to the ceremony by the side of the juniors who are to be cap-andgowned. A semi-circle is formed, the juniors standing in front of the seniors, and at a given place in the ceremony each senior takes off her And to all the seniors everywhere, Alpha Sigma sends congratulations and best wishes for success and happiness at the Commencement Time of life.

JEANNETTE WASHBURN, Editor

ALPHA OMEGA CHAPTER Millsaps College

Our First Milestone

April and roses! As I send in this letter to The LAMP I cannot



ARLETE TALBERT honor graduate of this year. Made college in three years with average of over 90 for four years' work. $X \triangle \Phi$, assistant to the dean.

SIDNEY BRAME and ELIZABETH BRAME Sister organizers of A Ω chapter

cap and gown and places them on the junior. The sophomores await the seniors with huge sheaves of daisies.

The exciting event of burning the senior books in secret occurs on this day. If the juniors discover this, then all is lost, but if the seniors are successful, the ashes of the books are presented to the incoming senior class president.

The class night play, which is given by the seniors, reviews the four years of their life at college.

Our Loss

We have lost one girl, not by graduation, but by marriage. Ursula Hendrix, '30, is now practicing her culinary arts.

help but recall that just one year ago Alpha Omega blossomed, amid the beauty of the roses of our southland, a new rose for Delta Zeta. Again the April roses blossom, and may we, as the season of the anniversary passes, pause a moment to pay tribute to the six girls who worked so strenuously for the blossoming of Delta Zeta's forty-eighth rose and fought so diligently for the placing of the chapter in a school which had not allowed a new sorority to enter for eleven years.

Elizabeth Brame, who started the group as a local, is still with us, our guide and inspiration and help at all

Sidney Brame has been our president for the past year and is always on the job as a worker for and in Delta Zeta. Lorene Hill stopped school and is teaching in Edwards, Mississippi, and this is a secret-she is expecting to be married in July and live in New York City, so here's a new member for you, New York chapter. Cathleen Car-Alumnæ michael has graduated and is teaching in Utica, but we feel that she is "of us" because she is close enough to come up to every party or anything special that we have. Dorothy Alford is also "of us" because she is taking a business course here and can come to chapter meetings and is a great help to us. Ann Sanderson deserted us this year and went to Mississippi State College for Women, but we love Ann heaps, anyway. These six-how we cherish them as beginners of our chapter here-and on this, the first anniversary of the chapter's installation, may we wish them every joy in the friendship of Delta Zeta's love and pledge anew ourselves to carry victoriously the banner which they raised for us.

The Second Six

Six seems to be our lucky number. We like the number six so well that after starting off with six like our beloved founders did way back in 1902, we took six pledges and started the fall of '25 out with six and started last fall out with six active members (which does not include Elizabeth, Dorothy and our bib sister, who are all extremely active), but the point is, six in school. But hark ye! We are six no more: we are ten, having initiated four out of our five grand pledges in March. (I can tell you how grand they are because I'm one of them.) Elizabeth insists that we should have had six pledges this year, but she condescends to say that our pledges are—oh, I mean were—so grand that they equaled six in worthwhileness, if not in actual numbers.

Thrills and to Spare

Well, I must tell you about our hectic period between pledging and initiation-yes, even it was in six parts. The pledge service was an inspiration of enlightenment for the new girls in the receiving. came the stunt night which pledges gave the actives. And I'll tell you right now, Alpha Omega challenges any chapter with pledges to get up as clever a stunt as our five did. The day before the stunt night, the actives received theater ticket reservations for the play, The Student Prints, presented by Alpha Omega pledges. On arriving, the older girls were escorted to the seat and row which their ticket indicated. The play, lasting for nearly two hours, was written by Marjorie Smith, and was a take-off on the Student Prince, which we had all seen a short time before, and the take-off was a scream from first to last. The older girls had been floating the sentiments that they were the original originators, because they had been getting so many compliments on their rush season parties, but they were squelched to the conclusion that the pledges were either born with some originality or else had absorbed a great deal from them, by the end of that play. But they regained their laurels, we must admit, when we announced that in conclusion the audience would now give us a style show, and we turned over the floor to them and took their seats. Imagine our consternation when Lee appeared and announced the first exhibit would be evening wear, and therewith Arlete appeared in a ravishing pair of pajamas and Elizabeth in a crêpe-dechine nightgown. They gave the famous scene from Macbeth, and when Elizabeth said, "All the perfumes of Arabia cannot sweeten this little hand," in the most dramatic way, Arlete said, "Try Ivory soap." Arlete draped in a skin rug, gave the latest style in Eden, and they had gobs more of various and sundry, clever fashions that they thought up and costumed on the very spur of the moment, so that we do hand it to them for originality. Then the older girls gave us a goat night. blindfolded us and drove us five miles out in the country to Dorothy's. If you've never ridden blindfolded around corners and up and down hills, try it and see how it feels, especially when you don't know where you are going. Then they had court and tried us for all the awful things that we had done since we had been pledges. Gladys got tried for growing up and Marjorie for chewing gum too fast and I for giggling all the time. Then we were given our punishment in accordance with our crime. And then we had eats-marvelous eats-six (blame Elizabeth) different kinds of sandwiches, divinity, date loaf, hot chocolate and candied nuts, and just lots of it. Believe me, our older girls know how to fix things to eat like they know how to do everything. And then, as a glorious climax to this scene of events came the solemn loveliness of initiation. I think it will suffice to say that we loved it and it will last always as one of the treasured memories of our life.

One for Say-rah!

Oh! I do wonder if I have made this letter too long, but please let me tell you just two more things and then I will stop. We were so absolutely thrilled over Sarah Newsom coming to see us. We feel as if Sarah is Delta Zeta symbolized, because Sarah was the first Delta Zeta that our girls had ever seen and she told us first about Delta Zeta. So that we feel as if we kind of belong to Sarah and she to us. It is a coincidence also, that this is the third spring that Sarah has been with us. So Sarah is another of our joys which come with roses and April.

And I must tell you about our three seniors, who graduate this year -Arlete Talbert, Ida Lee Austin and Ruth Connerly. Arlete Talbert, pledged in the first group of the local's pledges in the spring of '25, ranks very near the top of Alpha Omega's essential members. has been the chapter treasurer for the past year and her splendid work in keeping all the chapter's financial records is resulting in our making our first year a great success financially. She is the youngest girl to graduate from Millsaps in its history of co-education. Her birthday of last month gave her the dignity of eighteen years. She has made college in three years with an average of above 90, which makes her an honor student. She is also a member of Chi Delta Phi, national literary sorority, and Eta Sigma, local scholarship sorority. Ida Lee Austin has also made college in three years and her grades have been good. She has served as the chapter's editor for the past year and I am sure you are all acquainted with her through our letters. Ida Lee's chief campus activity is in the Girls' Glee Club, and she is an accomplished musician. Ruth Connerly has brought us laurels as our chapter's star athlete. She is of the basketball team which so victoriously won the state championship last year and is making such a splendid record this year. We shall miss these three girls tremendously next year, but as they all expect to teach, we just hope they will be teaching near enough to be with us occasionally.

"For to See and for to Know"

The present college excitement is that next week the Girls' Glee Club makes its annual trip through the state, putting on a program. Of the eighteen who have made the trip five are Delta Zetas, so you see we are They are Doris Comly, represented. Claire Sistrunk, Gladys Bond, Ida Lee Austin and Mernelle Heuck. And the main chapter excitement is that we are looking forward to inspection from Mrs. Smith, the middle of this month, at which time we plan to have our annual April Rose banquet and to go to province convention, which will be at L.S.U. the end of this month.

In conclusion, we wish Delta Zetas all over the land to join with us in sympathy for our beloved patroness, Mrs. Henry L. Whitfield, in the passing of her husband, Governor Whit-

field, which has thrown our whole state into great sorrow. Mrs. Whitfield has been exceptionally lovely to us and a help to us at all times. We attended, in a body, the funeral service of the governor which was held in the state capitol.

And now I'm through. I hope you like the new editor of the chapter. If the length of this letter has wearied you, don't forget that Elizabeth helped me with it and it necessarily had to have six paragraphs and six hundred or maybe six thousand words in it, though I imagine you think it is six million by now. The fact is that I'm quite sure that the only reason I got elected as editor for THE LAMP was that "Branch" has six letters in it. So vou see I'm bound to be lucky enough to get you to read my letters for the next year, with the magic six so much in evidence.

Love from us all, and especially we who have just been initiated.

OLGA LA BRANCHE, Editor

Gamma Province

ALPHA CHAPTER Miami University

Editorial Quivers

DEAR "Mrs. LAMP" AND READERS:

I sit me down in a convenient chair with a clutching fear around the vicinity of my heart because this is my first letter to you—and yet with a feeling of joy, for all my life I have wanted to write to you, and now I have my chance. But secretly I am scared to death for fear I will make some terrible blunder, so if I falter it is because I am fussed.

The queen of all the topics in my estimation is Alpha of Delta Zeta. So if you will promise to sit still with your hands clasped in polite but painful restraint, your eyes bright-

ened with anticipation, and your mouth watering with hope and expectation, I will try to tell you all the exciting news—and then it will be your turn.

Vacation and Other Spring Signs

After working hard for nine weeks on studies and activities, we all welcomed a few days' rest—spring vacation. Everyone to date has returned and each one has reported that she had a "keen" time, also managing to work in a lot of good "black" sleep. After such a change, we feel confident that we shall be able to make the remaining weeks of the school year count.

You know that we have ten seniors in the chapter rank this year, and

Cupid has been plenty busy, even before the usual spring rush. Our only complaint is that the chapter treasury is suffering from a number of huge damage suits against us after several poor masculines were badly trampled in the rush. Mary Frances Rowley, after gravely considering the matter, decided that Sigma Chi was the only thing for her, so Roger Hannaford turned out to be the lucky man. Ruth Warner could not resist the charms of one Beta, so now she is all Edward West. and everyone is happy. Margaret Hayden wrecked the meeting the other night by walking in with Paul Ruth's Sigma Alpha Epsilon pin, and, of course, congratulations were in Then secretly, girls, but don't let on I even mentioned it, I think Alice Shepherd has gone Delta Kappa Epsilon-at least everything is pointing in Daniel Brickley's favor. And try as we may, we can't keep Frank Fray, of Cleveland, Ohio, away from Dorothy Spence, who has just returned to school after a serious operation for appendicitis. Poor Frank lost pounds and pounds from worry during the critical period of Dot's illness. Judging from Mary Louise Clendinen's dreamy looks. we'd say she was smitten, too. But she refuses to divulge the name of the lucky man, so we must simply sit and bide our time. We're all wondering about Mildred Morninstar. but I dare not tell the name of her "boy friend," because he's a young and good-looking professor in the university, and he might flunk me in the English course I have under him if I give away his secrets.

Then, I must tell you about the new officers that have been elected to tend the Delta Zeta rose garden for next year. Adelaide Humphrey was elected president, and she surely does meet all the requirements, and

is O.K. in every way. Martha Craver, one of our capable next year's juniors, is vice-president, and we have every reason to expect big things of her. Helen Brunton, an able senior-to-be, is going to start wielding a mighty pen in the capacity of recording secretary. The money matters will be handled by capable Mary Wilcock, who is a whiz at math. Then The LAMP correspondent—well,



ADELAIDE HUMPHREY
President of Alpha Chapter, 1927-'28

er—I can't say anything about her, 'cause you see I am "it." Little Laura Willey, sophomore-to-be, about as big as a minute, will have her hands full as corresponding secretary, but we know her quality makes up for her quantity. Virginia Laferty, a junior, will act as chapter historian, while our meetings will be conducted according to Hoyle, or rather, according to Roberts' Rules of Order by the ever-watchful Erma Parker. Elinor Crawford and Geraldine Jones, who will both be worthy sophomores next

year, will guard our meetings from interruption; while last, but not least, the Sophomore class will be represented in Panhellenic meetings by competent Virginia Pearce. So here's to a bigger, better, grander, and more glorious year than we've ever had before.

CATHERINE ELLIS

DELTA CHAPTER De Pauw University

They Deserved It

After initiation for eight proud pledges on February 28, we spent most of our time practicing for the W.S.G.A. Showdown in which we gave a clever Dutch stunt. This over, there came the Indiana state luncheon and dance March 19, then back to Greencastle once more to books and activities.

Perhaps our greatest recent distinction came to us through the efforts of these pledges; they won the scholarship cup offered the group of freshmen having the highest average. We are certainly well pleased with them and hope this record will be continued.

Delta's May Queen

Edith Leavitt, '29, has been chosen queen for the May Day pageant; she is also a member of the W.S.G.A. Board, and is one of the three candidates for the junior ring which is annually given to the most representative girl in the Sophomore class.

Opal Williams, in addition to being a reporter on the *De Paww* staff, has been elected treasurer of W.S.G.A.

Interests Musical and Otherwise

As a result of our midwinter rushing we have two new pledges, Marihelen Paddock and Esther Reynolds. The latter is in music school and is a member of both the Girls' Glee Club and the American Guild of Or-

ganists. Miriam White, a newly initiated girl, is also a member of this guild.

In referring to musical talent, Grace McCullom, '29, plays the flute in the University Sextette and is instructor in the music school. (Grace has recently put on a Phi Gamma Delta pin.)

The Last Glad Days

Socially we have many things to look forward to; first, there is our chaperon's tea given for Mrs. Calhoun, then comes Mothers' Day, and finally Commencement. We are expecting a big homecoming this year and extend a hearty welcome to all Delta girls.

EMILOUISE GERHARD, Editor

EPSILON CHAPTER

Indiana University

Underclassmen Show Ability

Although our seniors comprise a third of our group, yet there are few things to tell about the rest of the chapter, for they step out quite frequently and "bring home the bacon."

Helen Benton, '29, was recently elected treasurer of the Association of Women Students, the new name for the old W.S.G.A. She has been nominated for secretary, and Mary Landis, '29, has been nominated for second vice-president of W.A.A.

Our athletic girls have been doing their share of honor-winning. Juanita Carnelley, Mary Melton and Mary Blankenship made the junior basketball team. Mary Landis made the freshman team, and was elected captain. She was also chosen for the varsity team.

Some of our girls have taken up politics as another interest. The College League of Women Voters was recently organized on our campus, and Helen Howard, '28, was elected vice-president, while Ruth



Ruth Troutman Evansville, Ind. Elizabeth Jones Connersville, Ind.

Irene Dreves Ellchart, Ind. Irene Brubaker Russiaville, Ind.

Margaret Johnson Fortville, Ind. Katherine Keller Brazil, Ind.



Dinwiddie, '28, was chosen chairman of the petition committee. Florence Kirlin, M.A., '26, an Epsilon alumna, is the state secretary of the Indiana League of Women Voters, and has interested the girls in this organization.

The freshman recognition list, chosen annually by Mortar Board on the basis of scholarship, attitude, and activities, contained the names of two Delta Zetas, Virginia Hoop and Mary Landis.

Rose Dinner Follows Initiation

Eight new Delta Zetas have been proudly wearing the lamp since initiation at the chapter house March 12. After the initiation services a rose dinner was given in honor of the new sisters.

We Thank You, Delta!

We are very proud of our new "big sister," Helen English, Delta, '25, who is now secretary to the minister of the First Methodist Church here. We might also add that Bloomington has offered her a Phi Gam pin as well as a group of "little sisters."

Delta Zeta on Faculty

Miss Georgia Finley, professor in the home economics department, is one of our initiates. It's surprising how many Delta Zetas have recently expressed a desire for a theoretical knowledge of the art of cooking and sewing.

The Undergraduate Press

Ruth Dinwiddie is an associate editor of a new literary campus magazine, *The Crimson Quill*, edited by the Writers' Club.

MARY LANDIS, Editor

THETA CHAPTER Ohio State University

Commencement week, with its rites and associations and festivities, is drawing near and Theta chapter is losing twelve girls. Of course we're glad they can go out into the world and become successful, but we regret to lose them from our midst. We really have fourteen who are to graduate, but two of them will remain with us to finish in the Law College.

Our graduating seniors are: Dorothy Bardo, our most outstanding student, who was freshman vice-president, a member of W.A.A., and we hope she will be a Phi Beta Kappa. She is graduating from arts and education, getting two degrees in four years' work and just completing twenty hours A, last quarter.

Dorothy Hayes, who graduates from the Arts College; Mrs. Lee Mc-Fadden (Margaret Higgins), graduating from Education College, who served on Freshman Y.W.C.A. Cabinet; Louise Kiewit, agriculture; Dorothy McKinney, receiving a B.S. degree, who is a member of Glee Club; Ruth Lloyd, arts, of whom more will be said presently; Evelyn Sherer, agriculture, a member of Panhellenic, Y.W.C.A. Cabinet and Chimes (women's junior honorary); Kathryn Troll, arts, who is secretarytreasurer of the Sociology Club; Lynette Pugh, education, who recently came here from De Pauw chapter; Bernice Sargeant, arts; Gertrude Walters, education, who was secretary of the Freshman class and a member of Glee Club; Mildred Worley, arts, who served on Y.W.C.A. Cabinet, the Lantern staff, as president of League of Women Voters, in Mortar Board and business manager of Browning Society; Isabelle Glander, education, a member of the debating team, and Elizabeth Baltimore Bell, who graduates from arts, but who will go on through law.

Ruth Lloyd and Betty Bell, a new initiate, are our two law students, the former being our most active girl on the campus. Ruth, president of



Dorothy Bardo

Dorothy McKenney Mildred L. Worley

Betty Morris, our Doctor

Francis Tromble Isabelle Glander

Louise Kiewit

Theta chapter last year, was president of Y.W.C.A., a member of the debate team in her freshman, sophomore and junior years, was a Chimes girl, a member of Browning Dramatic Society, Mortar Board, Sigma Delta Phi and Delta Sigma Rho, was vice-president of the League of Women Voters, in her junior year was on Student Council, in her sophomore and freshman years was on Sophomore Commission and Phoenix staff and is now a member of National Y.W.C.A. Council.

Betty Morris is a sophomore in medicine and is only nineteen years old. She came here from George Washington University and was initiated into Theta chapter last fall. Her father is editor of the Canton *Daily* She came to America in 1922 and has been at Ohio State four years. She has adopted American ideas and speech very readily and is as cute and popular a little coed as any American girl on our campus. She expects to return to Germany in a year or two, but is undecided what she will do there.

E. ADELE REBER, Editor

XI CHAPTER

University of Cincinnati

Broadcasting

Xi chapter has a number of goodlooking seniors, but only three would permit their lovely faces to be seen. The above maidens are Lucille White,



Eleanor Peters

Lucille White

XI'S SENIORS

Class Day at U. C.

News, succeeding Don Mellet, who was murdered last year.

Gertrude Walters, Germany's gift to us, is one of the most interesting girls in Theta chapter. She was born in Hildisheim, Province of Hanover, and attended a girls' school there, as well as the Goslar School for Girls in the Hartz Mountains. Martha Seifried, and Eleanor Peters. Lucille looks as if she might be cold since she is all wrapped up in galoshes and furs, but let me tell you she is affectionate. Her engagement is rumored! The other picture shows Martha Seifried seated on the ground. Her face is turned this way and across her lap is an ivy chain. Each

year's graduating class has what is called a Class Day. Upon this celebrated occasion the junior girls carry an ivy chain and march beside the honored and esteemed seniors. Last year after this event took place, the ivy was planted by the newest building. I am glad to report it is doing nicely.

The other picture of Eleanor Peters was taken with Milton, therefore the ragged edge. Milton said it was hard to tear himself away from her, but that they will be united soon.

Dorothy Slaback, '28, has been appointed editor of all the organizations for the *Cincinnatian* at the University. I am also pleased to add that she has been elected president of Panhellenic here.

Margaret Huenefeld, an alumna, has just been initiated into a law fraternity, Phi Delta Delta.

Now the next matter of interest is to tell you where the Goddess of Love has allowed her son to shoot his arrows.

WEDDINGS

Mary Virginia Jamieson, '28, to James Ashburn, Phi Kappa Psi.

Anna Louise Bell, '27, to James Mathews, Sigma Chi.

ENGAGEMENTS

Eleanor Peters, '27, to Milton Maddux, Alpha Kappa Psi.

Ruth Seifried, '22, to Louis Gabriel, Delta Tau Delta.

We have just had elections of new officers. If every one fills her new position as well as her predecessor, we will have a fine year.

Signing off,
Virginia Douglas Settle,
Editor

PSI CHAPTER Franklin College

New honors, Zeta Tau Alpha open house, pledge party for the actives, fraternity elections and examinations! Where shall we begin? Well, anyhow, the body of a letter is most important, so here goes.

Kappa Delta Pi-and Other Honors

As usual, we have several new honors to report. Alice Winters, '28, is the new president of the Y.W.C.A., and Roberta Trent, '20, has been reelected to the cabinet, after losing the election for vice-president on a tievote. Dorothy Best, '27, is the president of the Socratic Club which has recently been granted its petition to Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary educational fraternity. The chapter will be installed some time during the latter part of May. Three active Delta Zetas, and about eight alumnæ Delta Zetas will be initiated into Kappa Delta Pi. Dorothy was also the second semester's choice from the senior class to become a member of Alpha, Franklin's scholastic fraternity, to which only Phi Beta Kappa professors are eligible. We hope to get at least one more member when the commencement selection of four more seniors is made. Irene Cribbs, '27, and Wilma Smith, '28, made the girls' varsity basketball team. These two girls and Kathryn Boyd, '27, and Dorothy Fisher, '30, have also made the National Rifle Club. Mary Symms, '29, Lynne Fountaine, '28, and Kathryn Boyd are new members of the Franklin staff. Roberta Trent has a part in the spring play given by Theta Alpha Phi. Try-outs for the two senior plays will be held soon, and we have hopes of several of our seniors getting parts.

Parties and Pennies

The pledges startled the actives at the last fraternity meeting by announcing that they were sponsoring a Bowery party for the actives and their men friends on April 16 at the home of one of the pledges, Dorothy Fisher.

Another social-shall we call it performance?-is our sponsoring of the open house for the local sorority which is to be installed as a chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha, April 9-12. The open house is to be given at the home of one of our patronesses and will be one of the distinctly elaborate social functions of the year. We are being assisted by Zeta Psi, our organization of mothers and patronesses. raising some of that terrible "root of all evil" we are having a market Saturday, April 16, at which time each one of us will have a chance to show his (excuse me!-her) culinary ability. And we have the date all set for our last big social event of the year, the spring drive, June 3. In case you don't call them spring drives, we might explain that they're "man parties" outdoors.

Psi "Starts Something"

We feel distinctly honored that the success of our week-end functions for our mothers, given now for three years, has influenced the college authorities in planning to make of this Mother's Day an all college holiday, with Dorothy Best as chairman of arrangements. We expect a great many of our mothers to attend, and besides backing the college plans we will have our usual evening party, initiation of the mothers with our ritual written for that purpose, and our dinner in their honor on Sunday. This and plans for our alumnæ dinner to be held on Commencement night are occupying our attention now.

Coming to Convention?

Numerous other activities will keep us all and especially the seniors busy up to June 13, and then we will hope to see some of you in Cincinnati. A merry summer and a happy vacation to you all from Psi of Delta Zeta.

ROBERTA TRENT, Editor

ALPHA THETA CHAPTER University of Kentucky

Passed by the Censor

Spring has come at last to the blue grass and the beautiful rolling acres of the campus, vibrant with the life and joy of youth, are a fitting background for the pageant of all that is romance and Kentucky. Uniformed men at drill on the green, couples slowly strolling to some trysting place, "even the moon shining above" . . . But what is the use of trying to describe it? Of course it is April everywhere; but April in our blue grass is all that any poet has ever said of spring. And apparently a bit of the much famed spring fever has invaded this editorial body and is making it an increasingly difficult task to settle down and tell you just what is happening.

Midnight Initiation

Initiation was held on the night of March 16. We began at twelve o'clock, and immediately after the services we went to the Phoenix Hotel for breakfast-and thence to classes! We are very proud of our new girls and feel that we have chosen well this year. There are now eleven new lamps shining over the hearts of eleven new Delta Zetas: Loise Katherine Asbury, Brown, Martha Duncan, Margaret Fry, Lula Garr Kendall, Elizabeth Hood, Evalyn Laird, Alma Lepper, Elizabeth Graham, Virginia Mackoy, and Dale Smith.

"They Say-"

And Oh, the formal! That biggest of all red-letter days in two years came on April 2. We held the dance in the ballroom of the Phoenix, and from all reports, Delta Zeta still possesses the reputation that ranks her among those giving the best dances on the campus.

Spring Activities

Aside from our life in the chapter, we have not neglected to keep our name among those present in recent campus activities.

Eleanor Beggs has been awarded a W.A.A. pin, and Ella Marie Kinstler captained the champion junior base-ball team.

Alice Young, Lucile Dorsey, and Amelia Crume took part in the operetta, *Trial by Jury*, given by the Glee Club. Lucile, one of our freshmen, has recently been pledged to Phi Beta, because of her musical ability. She has brought further honors by being elected vice-president of the newly organized women's band, which bids fair to take its place beside its brother as the "best band in Dixie."

Preserving Mountain Ballads

Another of our freshmen, Dale Smith, one of the most promising of our new actives, has achieved one of the highest distinctions in being invited to the home of President McVey at the special request of Carl Sandburg, who is seeking material for a collection of mountain ballads. Dale is from Hindman, a close neighbor of our own Vest, and she is very much interested in the work that we in Delta Zeta are accomplishing there.

HENRIETTA HOWELL, Editor

ALPHA NU CHAPTER Butler University

The Editorial Bow

I am just recovering from the thrill of initiation along with three other sisters who have progressed with me from pledgedom, Maxine Quinn, Helen Kingham, and Edna Baldwin.

Now all of us are bubbling over with pride of winning the loving cup at the state luncheon for having had the largest percentage of actives and alumnæ present. The dance followed that night, and besides having marvelous music, we received a big surprise,—dancing until one A.M. It was quite welcomed and we felt rather grown-up getting to dance until that hour.

We have just installed new officers. Pearl Bartley has been so efficient in her office that we would not let her escape, so she is still our president.



OFFICERS TWO AND PLEDGES TWO, TOO!

Virginia Springer (Cor. Sec.); Pearl Bartley (Pres.); Martha Gowdy (Pledge); Gladys Swan (Pledge).

"Stunt Day"

There are too many organizations on the campus petitioning to enter their stunts for Geneva Stunt Day, consequently a drawing was necessary. Alpha Nu was one of the lucky seven to get a number so now we are working quite hard on the stunt.

Pearl Bartley's stunt which she submitted for Woman's League of Voters was accepted, and will be presented on Stunt Day, so Delta Zeta will be doubly represented. Here is hoping we bring home the cup!

Activities Increased

I must not fail to mention that Pearl has been pledged to Chimes, an honorary junior society which is composed of the eight most prominent girls on the campus. Also Harriett Kistner, Pearl Bartley, Lee Zwickle, and Martha Gowdy made Thespis Club, a local honorary dramatic society. Alpha Nu has a large representation in this Club which may indicate that we have many promising stage stars. Pearl and Harriett played in the recent production of

And G.M.L. Likes This-

A note from the Editor: After just being admitted to active membership and having the honor of editor bestowed upon me, I feel rather proud even if the first attempt is poor.

PAULINE M. HOWARD, Editor



ALPHA RHO PLEDGES, FEBRUARY, 1927

Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh. An honor came to Mary Jane Benham, too, she was elected social service chairman on the Y.W.C.A. Cabinet. Mary Jane has devoted quite a bit of her time to social service work, being in charge of the Butler work at Christamore Settlement House.

Harriett Kistner and Dorothy Duesenburg are members of Phi Delta Phi, an organization to promote good fellowship between organized and non-fraternity girls.

Elizabeth Evans, one of our pledges, was initiated in Scarf Club, an honorary freshman-sophomore club.

Everyone is looking forward to the May Day dance which will be followed a little later by the Junior Prom.

PERSONALS

Pearl Bartley is a member of International Relations Club and newly elected secretary.

Dorothy Duesenberg is working on the Junior Prom Committee.

Margaret Bell, '26, is on the staff of the Family Welfare Society of Indianapolis.

ALPHA RHO CHAPTER Ohio Wesleyan University

Honored by National Officers

The chapter was pleased to have Miss Sabina T. Murray and her classmate as its callers. Although they were here only a few minutes, we were glad to know they thought of us.

"A Dizzy Dozen"

Did you all receive a valentine on February 14? We received twelve marvelous girls and maybe you think we aren't proud of them. We have some wonderful talent in our pledge chapter which is going to prove a great asset to Delta Zeta. One girl made the all-star Army and Navy basketball team; one has been chosen on the Freshman Commission, and several have made freshman players. Besides this, we have several talented pianists, good singers, and marvelous athletes.

Thanks, Xi Chapter

We are very happy to welcome to our chapter Marjory Work from Xi chapter. Your loss has been our gain, for we know we are going to profit by her presence.

Now for the Social Events

One of the best events of the season was the party our pledges planned.



Anna Louise Neiderheiser, A.B., Major, English, Monnett Day

Dorothy Doxsee, A.B., Major, English, K \(\Delta \) II, honorary educational

K. R. Menke
On the way to convention. A.B., Major, Zoology, Honor
Court, Student
Council, Women's
Booster Club.

Betty Allen
A.B., Major, English, K \(\Delta \) II, honorary educational

Since you have heard so much about these pledges, I know you want to know their names. They are: Janet Smith, Edith King, Martha Strouch, Cora Jackson, Helen Fullerton, Helen Janney, Grayce Meinhart, Ethel Miller, Pauline Horine, Helen Games, Pauline Ryder, Irene Dye.

Initiates-to-Be

The last week of April or the first week of May, we will hold initiation for four upper-class pledges. We are indeed glad to welcome Evelyn Erich, Janet Smith, Lillian Hare, and Edith King into our chapter.

They gave the actives a lovely Progressive Dinner party which ended with an entertainment at the home of one of the pledges.

Another memorable event was the Theta chapter formal. They were kind enough to ask our whole chapter over for it and everyone reported a good time.

We are now planning our spring informal for May 14. It is a sport dance and we expect it to go over with a bang.

Alpha Rho wants to take this opportunity to wish every Delta Zeta a happy summer vacation.

BETTY OVERHOLSER, Editor

Delta Province

GAMMA CHAPTER

University of Minnesota

The envy of the campus!

First of all, I must tell you what is uppermost in the minds of all our girls. After much planning and a great deal more red tape we have actually started to build our new house, and are now looking forward to the pleasure of furnishing it. All the other sororities on the campus are talking about the new Delta Zeta house and are just green with envy, but they have a right to be envious as it will be the best looking sorority house on the campus. Pearl Soderberg, the chairman of our building committee, is going to give you all the details of the plans so I won't talk anymore about it.

Just now we are racking our brains trying to think of ways to make money, so if any of you have any suggestions I can assure you they will be more than welcome. We are planning a series of bridge teas and are having the first one next Saturday. We hope they will be as successful as the one Mrs. Whiting gave for us last month. Then, on May 21, we are having our "Hope Chest" Tea and have high aspirations of making even more than we did last year. I surely envy the girl that draws the hope chest as it is just full of the loveliest things.

Coming Social Events

We have made all arrangements to have our formal banquet at the Nicollet Hotel, May 28, which will be the fourth anniversary of our Founders' Day. Gertrude Whelander has completed the plans for the formal which will be held at the Interlachen Club, June 11.

Activities

We are very proud this year to have so many of our girls receive bids to the Matrix banquet which is given by Theta Sigma Phi, national journalistic sorority, as they invite only the most prominent girls on the campus. One of our seniors, Rauha Laulainen, a member of Theta Sig, was in charge of the discussions and three of our other girls who got bids were Katherine Kelly, Isabel Brown, and Pearl Soderberg.

Aileen Catlin, one of the pledges who is to be initiated this quarter, made the varsity basketball team as guard. Aileen is only a freshman, too, and an honor student at that, so maybe we're not proud of her. Christine Westgate, who will also be initiated this quarter, is our golf champion and we feel sure that she will make all the other players look like amateurs.

Besides these two girls, there are three other wonderful pledges that we plan to initiate in a week or so. We are very glad to know that these girls are going to be with us and hope that they will have as much pleasure as we have in working together for our University and for our sorority.

IDA MAY BURNES, Editor

IOTA CHAPTER

State University of Iowa

Yes. We Think So

Phi Beta Kappa has not sent out its spring bids, but we feel as if the whole chapter should be taken in since we won highest in sorority scholarship list, over fifteen competitors. Hurrah, we're off! Yes—off for more money from our alums; grads ought to open their pockets, eh wot?

Sight Unseen? Why?

You would all have been most proud of the sixteen we initiated last month. They are all so different and so interesting.

Name No Object

Another opera given by the Glee Clubs found our Mildred Bicklin as one of the soloists with Eloise Neuman and Marion Church chorus-ing. And Kitty Cole as accompanist made up at least half the show, not in quantity but in quality, you understand.

This is Better

Recently Linn Mathews and Virginia Van Sant were taken into Eta Sigma Phi, an honorary classical sorority of which Beulah Wooderson is already a member. Linn is to be publicity manager for the *Classical Club* for next year, besides playing her violin in University Orchestra.

Society Lights (Literary)

Martha Blaser, our treasurer, heads Whitby literary society, Bertha Tigges is its treasurer, Lois Cobb is vicepresident of Hesperia, while Helen McLachlan is secretary of Erodelphian.

Adrianna Pease won first in the extemporaneous speaking contest, much to our delight and pride, as well as to her pocketbook, and Erodelphian's points!

Helen Cole was recently honored by election to Pi Lambda Theta, an honorary musical organization. She and Ruth Tamisea really ought to put their pins and badges into a trophy case to cover the south livingroom wall!

Viola Naibert, our new president, will represent us on Panhellenic, will be president of that organization, and will consequently be on Student Council. Well!

Darlene Wiles upholds Delta Zeta honors on Y.W.C.A. Board. Vera Hood is coaching another University High School Play with the usual pep (and excuses from fraternity meeting! Ha, Vera!)

Eels and Seals

In spring Seal tryouts Kathleen King was elected as one of the eleven new members. The Eel-Seal swimming revue held recently gave three Delta Zetas a long wanted opportunity to swim in the men's new 150 feet by 60 feet pool. Iowa is having the National A.A.U. swimming championships this spring in that very huge indoor pool. But to continue, Loretta Cusack was elected to represent Seals on W.A.A. Board as head of swimming, making the third Delta Zeta on the board, since the same old treasurer and head of finance hold forth despite as well as because of recent elections.

'S that a' right?

AILEEN CARPENTER, Editor

NU CHAPTER Lombard College

A hive of bees is nothing in comparison to the busy Nu chapter of Delta Zeta. We buzz like real workers doing credit to a Delta Zeta hive, and have had a terrible time keeping up with the marriages and births along with making money for the house and last but not least, the social activities.

And Any Bride Would Love It!

Our house has been a constant inspiration to the active chapter and without it, we might have lacked enthusiasm when we were called upon to aid in making the much needed money. We are mighty proud of our home and we consider it an honor to have its picture in The Lamp.

We have seen Ludella Malcolm and Forrest E. Kellar, Lombard Sigma Nu, embark upon the sea of matrimony February II, 1927; also Alice Congratulations, Independents McCreary, who has robbed a perfectly good chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha by marrying Russell Malcolm, April 16, 1927.

Attention, Rush Captain of 1945!

We succeeded in depriving the Phi Delts of a pledge when little Joyce Louise Tilden was born January 31,



NU'S NEW LODGE

1927, daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Tilden (Wanda Tapp); Lois Winifred Paine, daughter to Opal Bradfield Payne, was born March 7, 1927, and Helen Katherine Bryngelson, daughter to Mrs. Edith Dopp Bryngelson, born March 21. We would like to ask Eta chapter to help us out in this problem. Mrs. John D. Barrows is Nu chapter's "Big Sister." Is her little daughter, born December 9, 1926, a sister to the actives of Eta or a niece to the actives of Nu?

Dawn Initiation

A beautiful initiation ceremony was held Sunday, March 27, at 4:00 A.M., during the time the moon went down and the sun rose, this being the time we find most impressive. The girls who wore the rose and green bow include: Rosellyn Kelly, Altoona, Illinois; Evelyn Beamer, Mishawaka, Indiana; Maxine Jones, London Mills, Illinois; Katherine Weiman, Galesburg, Illinois; Lois Hart, Galesburg, Illinois, and Marie Holmes, Wataga, Illinois.

Oh ves. Delta Zeta didn't come out first in the intersorority basketball tournament but they played some wonderful games. Under Ethelyn Kelly, the captain, the team had to play well. They lost only two games and came out third in the tournament. Last year with "Murph" (now of Iota chapter) as our star player we came out first so we have one banner hanging in the house, but we wanted another so badly. The last game played which decided the championship was a hard fought game, and we lost by a score of 2 to I. I wonder what the editor of Iota chapter thought of the game. How was it, Aileen? Aileen happened to be in Galesburg at the time and saw the last game.

Troubadour Days

Three of our girls, Juanita Kelly, Harriette Glickson and Harriette Searles, our Delta Zeta trio, earned \$110 (\$45.00 in one week!) since school started by giving concerts in



NU'S TROUBADOURS Juanita Kelly, Harriette Glickson, Harriette Searles

neighboring towns, Mrs. Francis Wilson (Fern Riley, Epsilon) and her husband, a Sigma Nu, making this possible. Perhaps you will enjoy a picture of these warblers.

Patronesses Entertain

On April 2, the patronesses entertained the alumnæ, actives and pledges at a most enjoyable one o'clock luncheon at the Elks' Club. The food was delicious, decorations charming, and for favors they gave gay little colored voile handkerchiefs. Our patronesses are a great help to us in everything we do.

The chapter is now making plans for the spring party which is to be you might all drop down out of the clouds upon our campus these glorious days. You would find one enthusiastic group of Delta Zetas, just bubbling over with the joy of living. This kind of weather would give pep to a box of Post toasties, so you can well imagine our "veal and jiggor." There is only one thing that dulls our love for spring, and that is the knowledge that we will soon be losing our beloved seniors. We have five



PI RATES PIRATES

A few alumnæ, after Pi's 10th birthday dinner. The fierce daggers are the favors from the Pledge pirate party

held May 21. This is always a sort of a rushing party and all the committees are hard at work planning in every way to make it a big success.

Art Honorary Elects

Four of our girls have been initiated into Lambda Phi Delta, the honorary fine arts sorority at Lombard. They are Harriette Glickson, Lois Hart, and Helen Bjorling, '29, and Frances Bjorling, '27.

MARIE HOLMES, Editor

PI CHAPTER Eureka College

The Inevitables

Jonquils, roller skates, flashy sweaters, engagements, spring! We wish

Delta Zetas who will receive their degrees in June, and that startling fact almost brings tears. You would weep, too, if you might know our Betty Cleaver, Margaret DeVol, Lucille Payne, Geneva Safford, and Mary Louise Darnell. They are five excellent reasons why Delta Zeta is the best fraternity to be found. An earlier issue of THE LAMP contained detailed descriptions of these girls' achievements upon this campus, and there remains only to say, that it would be difficult to find five sweeter, more loyal, finer girls than these who are proud to wear the lamp over their hearts.

With spring there also comes elections. Up to date only one prominent election has been held, and that is the Y.W.C.A. Cabinet. Delta Zeta is excellently represented this year. Ruth Rothenburger, '29, and Alice Anthony, '29, are secretary and treasurer respectively, while Judith Wetzel, '30, Dorothy Maxwell, '30, and Harriet Campbell, '30, will serve next year as chairmen of different committees. Judith Wetzel was elected freshman representative to the "Woman's Council," and Harriet Campbell was one of five freshmen chosen to belong to the honorary English Club.

Just now we of Pi chapter are filled with plans for our spring formal. Sh! It's a secret, so if you won't tell, we might whisper a bit about it. The North Shore Country Club at Chillicothe has been chartered for the evening of May 6, and it is there that our dinner dance is to be held. Our best adjectives seem hardly sufficient to describe the clubhouse. and our favors are to be bridge decks, in leather cases with the menu, place cards, and program all in one, and on the back of every card is the Delta Zeta crest! The problem will be trying not to want the favors for ourselves!

May Fête Next

Upon Eureka campus, a very interesting May fête is being planned. Marjorie Kesler, '28, is chairman for the entire production, while Mary Louise Darnell, '27, is acting as publicity chairman, and Eva Thompson, '29, heads the finance committee. As the freshmen and sophomore gym classes are putting on the dances, practically all our pledges and new initiates will take part. A May queen is to be voted for at some later date, and we think—

Helen Didn't Tell Us

How proud we are of our new president. Helen Cleaver, '28. She holds the high scholarship record for women on the campus.

The Editor Enjoyed This

Just a word about how the new initiates enjoyed their first LAMP. We, for one, just dropped into an easy chair, without bothering to remove our coat, and read so steadily that we didn't even hear the luncheon bell. What a strange thing it is, for just a few short months ago we had never heard of Delta Zeta, and now we are so devoted to it that we actually devour every item that comes within reach. Now that we find ourselves contributing to THE LAMP, and feel that we have our own little bit to do, we are bound more closely than ever. So, for this time, we bid you a fond adieu, and will be with you again soon.

HARRIET CAMPBELL, Editor

TAU CHAPTER

University of Wisconsin

(Too late for headings, G.M.L.)

When I started to write this letter the thing which sang itself over and over in my mind was that we had just initiated nineteen girls. Of course, we liked them as pledges and raved about them to you no end in that rôle, but if you could see them as actives I know you would feel as we do that we hadn't said half enough nice things. I wish we were having a convention here so that we could show them off to you right away.

Two of our initiates are already members of Freshman Commission—Suzanne Marting and Peggy Charters. Lorna Snyder does a great deal of Y.W. work and several of the others have minor duties in both Y.W. and S.G.A. I wonder if all chapters follow the practice we do in requiring an outside activity for an initiation requirement?

After hearing about the scholarship

cup which will be given again this year in convention I can't help bragging a little about two of our own girls. Fran Gore made a straight Ex average last semester, and, as might be expected after that, was elected to Phi Beta Kappa last week. Harriet Running was elected to Omicron Nu, honorary home economics sorority, a little while ago.

Edith McCollister, who has sung her way into the hearts of almost everyone on the campus, has been pledged to Sigma Alpha Iota, musical sorority. We also have four out of twelve members on the university Y.W. cabinet. Esther Higgins is in charge of finance; Elise Roberts, world fellowship; Lorna Snyder, vespers, and June Deadman, membership. They say it is the first time that one sorority has ever had more than two at one time, so, of course, we feel pretty proud with four there.

That is all about individual mem-Now what about Tau as a bers. whole? First, because it is most recent, our spring formal. We had the usual "perfectly grand" time at a dinner dance at the Park Hotel. That is taken for granted, but you may be interested in knowing that for the first time in several years we did not give favors and no one seemed to miss Also, the party out of the house, strange as it may seem, was not as expensive as it has been in former years when it has been given here. That may not work out the same in all college towns, but it is worth at least investigation, I think. And then think of getting rid of all the mess of decorating, and moving furniture out only to have to move it back, and cleaning up the decorations, etc. We were allowed to use decorations at the hotel but it was much less bother even to carry them down there and put them up than to take care of them here.

The next big social event is our an-

nual faculty reception. Until last year we had it in the evening with very formal clothes required, but a Sunday afternoon affair last year proved so successful that it is being duplicated next week. So from three to six we will be waiting for our favorite professors to come in the door so that we can find out what their particular hobbies are or where they studied and all the rest of the things that you all wonder about your own instructors.

I hope it won't sound too mournful to say this. Last letters or words, last anythings are always apt to sound at least a little sad. But you know there are a lot of us who will not be back next year. Nineteen of Tau's girls are graduating. Some from every chapter will be gone, and probably as many of them as of us are undecided as to where they will be. Let's look for each other next year. Wouldn't it be grand to find someone with something in common as fine as Delta Zeta, especially if you were in a perfectly strange town? And so my complimentary close is going to be just to seniors.

Until I see you in Kokomo, Indiana, or Reading, Pennsylvania, next year,

VIRGINIA LARSON

UPSILON CHAPTER University of North Dakota Thrills A-Plenty

Excitement runs high these days—not only on the campus, but also at our own house. Bids will be called for the U.N.D's new stadium in a few days—and contracts are soon to be given for Upsilon's new chapter house. We are all very much thrilled over the prospect of coming back to a new home in which we may do our fall rushing. Won't we have gorgeous parties after this?—and aren't you almost green-eyed to think that you can't have it.

New Lamps

Delta Zeta lamps are burning over the hearts of seven new actives: Esther Campbell, '29; Lillian Gorder, '29; Cora Mae Hanson, '29; Lorraine Heltne, '28; Marian Hilden, '29; Hazel Nelson, '29; and Angela Sweeney, '28. The freshman pledges are not feeling too deserted because four new pledges have been added to their ranks: Marcia Bowman, '29; Helen Hamilton, '29; Velma Hermance, '29; and Nevada Windemuth, '28.

Upsilon's Birthday

Alumnæ, actives, and pledges observed Founders' Day, March 2, with a formal banquet. "Our New House" formed the center for the toasts given by Karleen Home, Valborg Oslund, Corinne Pederson, and Kathleen Bolstad, who described the Delta Zeta's new home, and the girls who will be a part of it.

Terpsichoreans

Honorable mention was awarded our act in the Flickertail Follies, an annual university production sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity. "A Terpsichorean Potpourri" was evolved from "The Japanese Sandman" and "Indian Love Call." A chorus of dancers with a solo dance by Doris Rathje, a pledge, carried out these two songs which were sung by our famous chorus. "Collegiate Capers," a mixture of the Rye Waltz, the Merry Widow Waltz, the Charleston, and the latest steps, was performed by Hazel Nelson and Alice V. Johnson.

Two Delta Zetas are to give senior graduating recitals this year from Wesley College Conservatory of Music. Alice J. Johnson, '29, will give hers in piano, and Clara Nygaard, '23, will graduate from the voice department.

Election "Returns" Pleasing

Alice Flaat, who graduates during summer school, has just been initiated into Pi Lambda Theta, national honorary scholastic fraternity.

Valborg Oslund, a member of Dakota Playmakers, has been initiated into National Collegiate Players, honorary dramatic fraternity. She is also the only junior in that group.

Katherine Bolstad, a junior, has been elected president of the Geography Club of the university.

We are especially proud of our seniors this year—all are prominent on the university campus in some line of activity, some even in two. Public speaking, dramatics, music, journalism, home economics, and Y.W.C.A. work are some of the fields conquered by our senior Delta Zetas.

MARGARET FULLER, Editor

ALPHA ALPHA CHAPTER

Northwestern University

"Castle-in-the-Air" Realized

All of the eyes of Alpha Alpha chapter are turned in one direction at the present time. The object of our scrutiny, and incidentally the pride of our hearts, is the new chapter house. The builders have reached only the second story in actual construction, but we, in our flights of imagination, have the structure capped wth a roof and furnished in true princely—or princessly—fashion.

We have the added confidence of knowing that our mothers are as enthusiastic as we in contemplating the new house. They are truly organized now, and held their first meeting at the home of Mrs. Morin of Wilmette, Illinois, the mother of Vivienne Morin, '26. They have already made an effort to swell our house fund by co-operating in a demonstration held by one of our local manufacturers. The active chapter has made efforts

of this kind, too, consisting of a rummage sale and a benefit performance at one of the Evanston theaters. The rummage sale proved extremely profitable, and we are planning to give another within the next week.

Financial "Wiz" Also Acts

Several of our girls have been successful in parts in the campus dramatic presentations this semester. came to help us sing at the annual Panhellenic luncheon also. The Alpha Alphans sang "Delta Zeta Lamps Are Burning" and several other songs at the luncheon this year.

Anna Fulker is the new president of the chapter, and with her are a group of new officers to whom we are anxious to extend our utmost support. We will send you all a picture of them some day soon, if



ALPHA ALPHA OFFICERS, 1927-28

Frances Westcott made the darlingest mother ever in *Kempy*, a play given by the best-known of our campus dramatic organizations. Myrtle Olson, Margaret Renwick, Virginia Vanderburg, Alice Tiplady, and Joy Tibbetts will all appear in the W.A.A. show, a musical presentation which is given every year. The rest of the chapter will be in the audience watching the girls perform.

Visits from the N.V.P.

We were all happy to have Lois Higgins with us at the formal dinner-dance we held at the Illinois Woman's Athletic Club this year. It was a a great success, thanks to the efforts of Alice Mulder, our social chairman. Miss Higgins has been especially good to us this semester, as she

our northern weather will but favor us with sunshine.

Jolly-Farmer

Oh yes! we have lost one of our members since last we wrote to you. Cupid's bow and quiver are responsible for the losing of our former Marjorie Farmer to Mr. John Jolly of Chicago, Illinois.

Among the names on our list of pledges are the recently written ones of Helen Buendert, Mildred Moench, Naomi Munsen, and Nancy Jane Cochrane. They are the pride of the chapter, and we repeat in thought if not in word of mouth, "May we have many more like them."

BERNICE E. WARVELLE, Editor

ALPHA BETA CHAPTER University of Illinois

Not Superstitious

We have increased our chapter roll by thirteen since March 19 for we now have thirteen new lamps shining



OUR 13 NEW INITIATES IN ALPHA BETA CHAPTER

Nine-thirteenths of Alpha Beta Initiates (Editor Rovenia alleges there are thirteen here—puzzle: find the other four! Editor Lundy.)

brightly and we're mighty proud of our new members. Our initiation was over at 4:00 A.M. Afterwards we surely enjoyed the rolls and milk but even more, of course, our formal initiation banquet Sunday a few hours later. We all got a big surprise during the dinner when Irene Jones announced her engagement.

Our Athletes

Evelyn Nelson was recently elected vice-president of W.A.A. And not to be forgotten among our athletes are Ruth Evans who made the volley ball team with Grayce Leach, Mira Voelkel and Hertha Bowman leading the

list of the basketball team of W.A.A. Hertha, also, was chosen for membership to W.A.A.

Other Activities

Eleanor Schweitzer, our president for the coming year, made First Cabinet of Y.W.C.A. and our efficient Mabel Piety made Second Cabinet.

Oh yes, Evelyn Cox was recently elected president of Anonian, national literary society, and Gervaise Kappus was initiated into Sigma Delta Phi, national public speaking fraternity. Then, too, Gladys Warner gained membership to Phi Upsilon Omicron, national professional home economics fraternity.

A New Idea

We were lucky, too, at an Inter-Illinæ party for of the six sororities who were invited, we won a new cup for perfect attendance.

We were so sorry to lose Irene Jones and Helen Topping for the rest of the year but we trust they can return next fall.

ROVENIA F. MILLER, Editor

ALPHA ETA University of Michigan Important Paragraphs Hastily Received

SENIORS

Lois Brashear: Freshman girls' glee club, University girls' glee club (auditor, 4), Choral Union, Players' Club, *Michiganensian* Lower editor, '24-'25, Woman's League life membership committee, '25-'26, invitation committee of Senior class.

Norda Beutler: University Girls' Glee Club, Choral Union, W.A.A., Y.W.C.A., house president of League House, Junior Girls' Play.

Norma Case: Y.W.C.A. Cabinet, Players' Club.

Marion Daniel: Social service,

Freshman Pageant committee, Y.W. C.A., Choral Union, Junior Girls' Play committee, Panhellenic Ball committee.

Alice Fortier: Junior Girls' Play, University Girls' Glee Club, Kappa Phi, Panhellenic delegate, Michigan League of Women Voters.

Virginia Gillette: Olivet College, I, 2, French Club, Spanish Club, Sigma Beta, orchestra, Y.W.C.A., Board of Representatives, Women's League Drive, Cercle Français.

Emmalou Rea: Y.W.C.A. Cabinet and House Committee, Freshman Girls' Glee Club, University Girls' Glee Club, Mummers, secretary of Landscape Club.

Thesa Thomas: University Girls' Glee Club, Choral Union.

Mary Woolfitt: Member Bazaar Committee, '25-26, Women's League Life Membership Committee, '25-26, Kappa Phi.

We are so proud of Mary, who has just been elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Lucile Cornell, '26, is getting her master's degree this year in English.

Our most interesting senior function, for the girls, is Lantern Night. All the women of the university meet on the hills overlooking our athletic field for a picnic supper. At this time the Freshman class presents its annual pageant, a very beautiful affair, the nature of which is kept secret until the time for presentation. After this the athletic sweaters are awarded.

As night closes in, all the other women form, by classes, in a double line, making our letter M. The seniors, in their caps and gowns, carry lighted Japanese lanterns, and the juniors flower-trimmed hoops. When the M is complete, the juniors pass their hoops to the sophomores, and receive the lanterns from the seniors. The ceremony closes with singing the "Yellow and Blue," our college song. It invariably rains at this time, but nothing can detract from the beauty of the occasion.

BARBARA L. PATON, Editor

Epsilon Province

ZETA CHAPTER University of Nebraska

Our New Chapter House

The entire Zeta chapter is much excited over the new house. plans have been submitted and to the approval of all of us. Our new house is to be built English style, the lower part to be grey stone with the upper part of stucco with half timbers. The basement is to contain the dining-room, kitchen, maid's room and chapter room. There will be a library, music room, living-room and matron's room and bath on the first floor. The second and third floors will be arranged to accommodate thirty-six girls. There was quite a scurry in the house the day the alumnæ brought the plans for us to look over.

More Honors

Our chapter is quite proud of the attainments of some of the girls. Helen Eastman has been elected to both the Y.W.C.A. Cabinet and the Big Sister Advisory Board. Helen has been doing similar work this year and has done so well with it that everyone was especially glad to see her get these positions. Arline Turnbull was initiated into Gamma Alpha Chi. the national advertising sorority. Only a few received this honor, which makes us all the prouder of Arline. Blanche Stevens was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and of course we are all glad to have a Phi Beta Kappa in our group. We are mighty proud of Blanche. She received her degree last semester, and is now at her home in Beaver City.



Norda Beutler

Emmalon Rea
Alice Fortier

Norma Case Virginia Gillette Mary Woolfitt

Thesa Thomas

Lois Brashear

Marion Daniel

A number of our girls are working on the Farmers' Fair, the yearly festival of our Ag College campus. Delta Zeta is keeping up her reputation by having a girl on nearly every committee. Here's success to the Farmers' Fair!

Hail and Farewell

We lose seven of our girls this spring: Betty Luce, Zola Clark, Lola Eberly, Frances Fitzgerald, Alice Etting, Florence Flodeen, and Flora are to admit the purchaser to a tea at the Lincoln Hotel on May 21. At that tea the lucky number will be drawn. The fortunate person who happens to hold the lucky number will be presented with this beautiful chest and its contents. The chest is made of heavy walnut and lined with cedar. The chest with its contents is valued at two hundred dollars. The following are among the many lovely things it will contain: Table-cloth and napkins, a complete bed-



ETA GIRLS AND MOTHER HORRELL

Louise Scott. Blanche Stevens, Wilma Perry, and Janice Betz left us at the beginning of this semester. We hate to see them go, but it seems to be a natural consequence after four years of college. Really the worst part about it is that they won't have a chance of living in our new house. We initiated eight girls into Zeta chapter the night of the twenty-fifth, or rather the morning of the twenty-sixth. It surely seems good to have them as actives, but of course they can't yet take the place of those who are leaving us.

The Chest

Definite plans have been made concerning our hope chest. The tickets room set, including bed spread, curtains, pillow, and dresser scarf, luncheon and bridge sets, sheets and pillow cases, a quilted comforter, fancy taffeta pillows, holders, dainty aprons, and filmy undies. We are all wondering who the lucky girl will be.

IRENE SHELLBURN, Editor

ETA CHAPTER Baker University

(Too late for headings, G.M.L.)

Eta had a spring house party, April 8 to 10, and several of the alumnæ were present. We entertained twenty-five lovely girls and have a number on our list for fall rushing.

Our most delightful entertainment was the collegiate party. The reception rooms were cleverly decorated in true collegiate style, and punch was served from a keg. Spanish dances and music, together with bridge, provided the entertainment.

Breakfast "Underneath a Bough," a pajama party enlivened by serenades, and a trip picture-hunting completed

the party.

A coat of French gray and silver paper has been added to the diningroom and the west window has been moved to admit more light so that the appearance is light and cheery.

On April 18 we were all summoned to the dining-room for a "feed," and upon looking inside the miniature gates which formed the place cards, we saw Cupid holding the announcement of Evelyn Warner's engagement to Howard Bonnett. While we were still seated at the table, the Zeta Chis, Howard's fraternity, came and serenaded. Evelyn, '27, is a member of Alpha Delta Sigma, Baker's honorary scholastic fraternity.

Four of our girls, Evelyn and Lucille Warner, Laura Parker, and Angeline Wilson, are members of the Girls' Glee Club, and Betty Frances Wheeler, '27, is reader for the Men's Glee Club.

We are regretting the loss of seven of our senior girls—Anne Painter, Evelyn Warner, Mary Brown, Nola Marple, Betty Frances Wheeler, Vera Parsley, and Mildred Carder—who are being graduated this spring.

We have received the announcement that Eta of Delta Zeta is the winner of the scholarship cup of Baker University for the first semester.

MABEL HARDING, Editor

LAMBDA CHAPTER

Kansas State Agricultural College

Spring time—moonlight, serenades! And oh, my, isn't it hard to studyeven the proctor herself is tempted to moon-gaze.

We have been so busy this past year and have had our work, our fun and our dreams. All of these elements mixed together have made our school year like a nice smooth, fluffy cake, baked brown, and decorated.

Cakes in order to rise nicely must have the right leavening agent, and we have that for sure. Our girls have just about carried the honors in W.A.A. this year. Eunice Walker, '27, is captain of the senior basketball team, and has won two more chevrons for her sweater. Elizabeth Hartly, a pledge, has made sophomore basketball, hockey and volleyball teams, and has won her Purple Pepsters recognition, though only a sophomore. Elizabeth also made the varsity team in volleyball. Margaret Canham, '30, won the K.S.A.C. girls' swimming championship in the intramural meets, broke two records, and won a beautiful silver loving cup. Alice Beeler, '29, and Dorothy Agnes Eadie, '30, were chosen for the Messiah, and Alice Beeler will have a prominent part in the spring operetta. We are eagerly awaiting the honor and grade lists, which have not yet appeared.

We are so proud of our number of sisters on the faculty, and we have added another with the initiating of Miss Jean Dobbs, B.S.M.S. and R.N. Jean is an instructor in sanitation and public health in the home economics department of the college, and we were so happy to add her name to our chapter roll, and see her wearing our badge.

Miss Araminta Holman is our new big sister, and Renna Rosenthal is our Alumna representative in the local Panhellenic Association. We do so appreciate the advice and aid that they and Bernice Flemming have given us this year. I will tell you a secret about Bernice: she is planning to be married this fall.

As for decorations, our patronesses are helping us plan a new home, and entertained with a lovely, two-session bridge party for us in February, and made it a huge success. In March we entertained with a two-day house and slumber party, and have as a result two new pledges, Elizabeth Hartley and Helen Morse.

We have six senior girls going out from the chapter this year, and we hate to see them graduate, but we are proud to have them go out into the world, where their little gold lamps will forever shine, guiding younger girls into our midst by the glowing radiance of the diamond flame of Delta Zeta.

Lois Benjamin, Editor

RHO CHAPTER Denver University Spring Vacation Fun

There has been much talking and planning for this particular time as we are having our annual spring house party in the mountains, beginning Thursday, April 14, at an adorable cabin located in Colorado's own beautiful mountains at Starbuck. Our time will be spent in hiking, horseback riding and dancing.

Mixed Activities

We hold midnight initiation services on Friday, March 4, beginning at twelve o'clock and finishing at 5:00 A.M., Saturday morning. This was one of the most thrilling initiation services we have ever had, and the following girls are now proudly exhibiting their new Delta Zeta pins: Elizabeth Hickman, Windsor, Colorado; Lois Baldwin, Cañon City, Colorado; Maybelle Pillar, Denver; Sarah Sheldon, Denver; Lucy Helmer, La Junta, Colorado; Gracie

Fern Latimer, Higgins, Texas, and Mabel Edgren, Oskaloosa, Iowa. The banquet honoring the initiates was held that evening followed by a dance given by the initiates and pledges in honor of the actives.



ON RHO'S SPRING HOUSE PARTY, 1927 Matania Smiley (upper) Lois McKnight (lower)

Helen Moe, '27, and Gladys Hall, '27, had leading parts in the operetta presented this spring by the Glee Club of the university.

Dramatic Club recently held their spring pledging when Gladys Hall, '27, and Mabel Edgren, '29, were pledged to this club.

Our annual spring dinner dance, to be held May 20, at Mt. Vernon Country Club, is being eagerly awaited. Mt. Vernon Country Club is situated at the mouth of Bear Creek Canyon overlooking the picturesque park of the Red Rocks. This is a sport dress dance and our most thrilling dance of the year.

Four Years a Foursome

Lois McKnight, the president of our chapter for the past year and noted for her Southern accent, is one of our girls who are graduating. She was president of W.A.A. this year and on the Women's Student Council and Student Association. Wilma James, president of Big Sisters and a member of Kedros; Eleanor Letts, president of Y.W. and on Student Council: Helen Moe. member of the school quartet and Spanish Club; Sylvia Morrow, captain of senior basketball team and on Women's Student Council, and Louise Dawley, member of Psychology Club and assistant in psychology, are all graduating this year. A strange coincidence is that four of these girls who are graduating were pledged together and all of these four are engaged.

We are proud to announce three new pledges, Mildred Whitaker, Doris Kavalac and Eleanor Cox, all of Denver.

MABEL EDGREN, Editor

ALPHA EPSILON Oklahoma A. and M. College

Additions to the Chapter

Several girls were initiated at the end of the winter quarter: Esther Hiltner, Ella Hiltner and Eunice King. There will be another group ready for initiation at the end of the year.

Bee Joseph-Sidal and Lois Pierson returned to school this quarter, and Velma Cottle will be back in another week. She has been teaching, so is enrolling late.

We have a new pledge, Minnie Harbison, of whom we are all very proud. Minnie is a sophomore in home economics.

Parties for Ourselves

Three of the active girls entertained the chapter with a dinner on George Washington's birthday. We had the cleverest little George and Martha Washington favors.

The chapter also had a lovely St. Patrick's dinner. The pledges entertained the members on this occasion and we were all jolly St. Pats together.

Velma McIntire and Katherine Van Velzer have been away on the Glee Club tour. They report a splendid trip.

Some of the alumnæ girls to visit us this month were Doris Bollinger, Vera Vandenburg, Cata Farris and Ernestine Thurman. Ernestine gave us a lovely new picture for our living-room. We surely appreciate their beautiful gifts, and are always glad to have the alumnæ girls visit us. We are expecting a number of them to be with us during the state interscholastic meet the first week in May.

Alpha Epsilon extends heartiest wishes to all for a delightful vacation.

ZELMA HAMMOND, Editor

ALPHA LAMBDA CHAPTER University of Colorado Spring Election Honors

We have been having some elections here, although the excitement for the main student body elections is just beginning. One of the most important elections was that of the Associated Women Students. Myra Hall was elected chairman of the Housing Committee. Myra got this office the very day after she had been elected vice-president of W.A.A. And, in addition, she insists on keeping fit by captaining a baseball nine in the intramurals—the biggest women's athletic event on this campus. Claire Higle also has entered a



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Top row, left to right: Josephine Higman, Betty Westhaver, Nadine Robinson, Frances West, Patience Cairns, Phoebe Rae Gaumer, Grace Milledge, Beth Buirgy.

Second row: Gale Edmondson, Dorothy Nelson, Ruth Martin, Hazel Willink, Dorothy Frybach, Mildred Jamieson, Alice Marshall, Elsie Clynche, Myrtle Nelson.

Third row: Ethel Wilson, Helen Grainey, Eva K. Waterhouse, Alice Foster, Gene Crowder, Nell McGuire, Janice Hedges, Mary Lee Stafford, Claire Lee Stewart, Evelyn White.

Bottom row: Lila Ready, Mildred Davis, Maybelle Ratliff, Ellen Cornell, Edith May Small, Jessie Carmichael, Genevieve Johnson, Maxine Dannenbaum, Margaret Ratliff, Mildred Gilbert.

team of her own in the intramurals, and Florence Reid is captain of "Tiddlewinks," a deck-tennis team.



MYRA HALL, A A

Frances West began her first year here by getting on the managerial staff of the Dodo, campus book of humor. In the next issue she will be on the editorial staff, and today she blossomed out with the pledge ribbons of our most exclusive literary club, the Quill. The Quill Club is so exclusive that one supposes sometimes that none of its members ever graduate to leave a place for a new striver for literary distinctions. Laeta Bartlett, '25, secretary to the dean of the School of Arts, is in a position to be active in some things, and she has recently been elected to the Women's Club Council.

PATIENCE CAIRNS, Editor

ALPHA TAU CHAPTER University of Texas

Before the Flood

Winter term examinations are over, and as Dr. Schevill, visiting pro-

fessor from the University of California, said, "We have never seen such sunshine nor heard so many birds." So many went home between winter and spring terms that there were only three of us left in the house, but we held things down so that when the rest came back, we were all ready for a week of rushing. It was all informal, but we are very enthusiastic over our new pledge, Gene Coyner, sophomore, 3108 West Avenue, Austin.

Olympian Days Renewed

A recent bit of excitement on the University of Texas campus was a re-enactment of the old Spartan Olympian games in the form of the third annual Texas Relays. Athletes from many of the best universities and colleges over the country, including six Indian runners-three men and three women-from Mexico, participated. The Indian men ran a distance of eighty-nine miles from San Antonio to Austin, and the women ran twenty-six miles. They brought all their food with them, and in spite of their being entertained in our best hotel, they would only sit on the floor and eat their mashed corn!

"Majoring" in Delta Zeta

We are looking forward to April 16 when we shall initiate Ardis Melarky and Manette Jennings. With initiation coming, new officers to be installed, and province convention near, we feel like stopping everything else for Delta Zeta.

Seniors Honored

During the second week in April most of the organizations on our campus will hold their elections for the following year. Cap and Gown, an organization among senior girls, held its last initiation for the year on

April I, and Ruth Gray, one more of our seniors, was initiated.

Extra! Late Edition!

Phi Beta Kappa has just elected, and we have one Delta Zeta on the Since the installation of this chapter, we have always been represented in the yearly Phi Beta Kappa elections, and the loyal sister who upholds our standard this year is Alma Wood of Center, Texas. Alma gets her degree in June and for the past year has been treasurer. Besides her fraternity and scholarship work, she has been a student assistant in mathematics for the past three years, a member of Sidney Lanier Literary Society, and also of the Texas Philosophy Club.

JAYZELLE STARK, Editor

ALPHA PHI CHAPTER University of Kansas

No Letter

ALPHA PSI CHAPTER Southern Methodist University Best Foot First!

We approach our first letter to THE LAMP with fear and trembling, because we just know we will forget some important item, and Zowie!-"Please send in your fivedollar fine." However, we searched all the issues of THE LAMP for this year and are faithfully trying to fulfill all instructions. Alpha Psi has no chapter house and no girls on the staff of the yearbook, so we cannot send these snapshots. We do have a very distinguished senior, though, and under separate cover I am sending a picture of her and her little girl, Peggy Lou. She is Mrs. A. C. Wilson, member of the Dallas Penwomen, the Texas League of American Penwomen, the Dallas Women's Club, the S.M.U. Education Club, secretary-treasurer of the

S.M.U. History and Political Science Club, and despite all these activities is an honor graduate with an average grade of B plus.

Alpha Psi has two other bright and shining lights who have received special recognition since our last letter to THE LAMP. Alice Darby Smith has been elected secretary of the Senior class, and Mary Bateman was recently elected secretary of Y.W.C.A. Our other editor has told you of the activities of the other girls, I believe.

Joke? No Joke?

Really, this isn't as bad as we thought it would be, for so many interesting thoughts keep crowding in upon us that we can hardly write them fast enough. We had another candy pull at Vera Greer's. Lamar told you about the first one in the January issue of THE LAMP. These pledges also ran away, and ran away so far that we almost failed to find them. We paid them in full, though, by bribing a traffic cop (bribing him with eats from the party) to arrest them. Then, quite importantly, we bailed them out and put them through their stunts. They weren't quite so "pert" for several days after their "jailing."

"If This Be Treason-"

Alpha Psi developed a remarkable group of "Thespians" for our annual intersorority vaudeville show, "Powder and Patches." We burlesqued a Publix show, "A Garden of Dreams." In the Publix unit a little girl entered a garden and after wandering around and looking at the statues, went to sleep. Then the statues woke up and danced. We called our act "A Stable of Dreams." The little girl (about five feet eight inches tall) came in, pulling a donkey after her (the two girls who took the part of

the donkey did extremely well; in fact, everyone said they were quite suited to the part), set her alarm clock and went to sleep. Then a flower girl danced (if you could call it that) and scattered onions, carrots and radishes instead of roses. A toe dancer followed the flower girl but she never could manage to get up on her toes so she finally gave up. Then the adagio dancers fell all over each Finally the Indian warrior stalked over to the little girl, raised her ax-and the alarm went off. The actors again became statues and the "baby" woke up. We cannot begin to describe the costumes and setting (one part of which consisted of a fountain draped in burlap-a girl

fountain), but we think you imagine how they looked.

Sisters from Afar

On March I we entertained with a dinner, honoring Mrs. McMillon of the University of Ohio and Portia Cooper of the University of Illinois. [Only Portia's an Epsilonian, Ruby! G.M.L.] We were quite glad to have these visiting Delta Zetas with us.

Officers' Treat

Our new officers have just been installed and we wanted to send a picture of them, but Texas weather has been too temperamental. We are looking forward to a very happy year under their administration.

RUBY MAE HARBIN, Editor

Zeta Province

MU CHAPTER University of California Spring's Mixed Joys

This is April, and so I suppose every one of you has the same malady as we Californians. It's really a shame to be afflicted with a case of spring fever and still have the usual mobs and mobs of work which generally seems to have accumulated by the end of the term. It is only a few weeks now and one more semester will be completed, which of course has its pleasant considerations; but something that isn't quite so nice is the inevitable farewell to our seniors! We have to lose a good many this year, and needless to say we shall feel very much "lost" at the beginning of next semester.

Campus Festivities

On March 26 the Prytanean Honor Society sponsored their annual spring fête, which took place in Harmon gym. The fête is always considered one of the most important of campus

functions, and is entirely carried out by the women of the university. Working on one of their committees is very interesting and loads of fun. The gym is decorated to represent some colorful scene, usually of some oriental nature, and the women all dress up in costumes especially designed for the particular scene. There are all sorts of concessions, dancing, of course, and a "generally good time." I can't really explain adequately, but if you are ever in Berkelev about the middle of March some spring, don't fail to go, because you will surely enjoy it.

Another prominent women's activity is the participation in the annual spring pageant, the Partheneia. This is another very colorful affair held in Faculty Glade, which makes a perfect setting for this beautiful pantomime portrayal. Most of the underclassmen of the houses go out for it as an activity, and the two performances given are always well attended.

Chapter Parties Too

As for functions in the house, our tea and spring formal were the most important. The tea was held March 18, and the house was decorated in spring blossoms and flowers. Everything went off splendidly, of course, and the formal that same night was a great success also—at least we all enjoyed ourselves anyway.

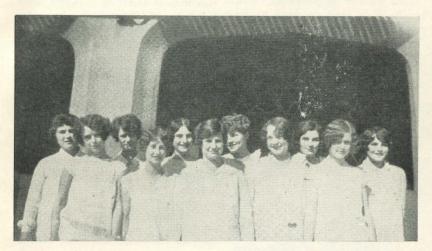
This coming Wednesday night, April 6, the Ax rally is to be held in the Greek Theater. As is genpapers and those lesser joys of campus life. Best luck to the coming year, and in the meantime may you all have the happiest of vacations!

ADELE ERBE, Editor

ALPHA IOTA CHAPTER University of Southern California

A Spring Bouquet

Since our last letter we have four new pledges, Margaret Allen, Pauline Garrison, Beatrice Henney and Velma Sperry, all from Long Beach, Cali-



MU INITIATES, FEBRUARY, 1927 'Leven Lovely Lassies

erally the custom, we are having a buffet supper before it, which is to be a sort of a rush function. If the rally turns out as well as usual, we should certainly make it a success.

Then Thursday night is our senior banquet, and of course we are all wondering who and how many of our illustrious seniors will announce their engagements! That is always looked forward to and forms the basis for much speculation beforehand. We hope the seniors will not disappoint us; and in return we hope to give them a wonderful party.

And now I must get back to term

fornia. We are happy to have them as Delta Zeta sisters. Last Wednesday we had a rush bridge tea at the house which was entirely arranged by these four. We see some excellent future social chairmen.

In Apache Motif

Last month we had an Apache dance at the chapter house. Everything was quite in keeping with the Apache motif. We had a bar and served cider. On the walls were futuristic drawings made by two of our girls, Lois Huse and Beata Giddings. The windows were covered

with burlap and the light came from candles stuck in empty bottles-quite in keeping, indeed. We entered by crawling up a ladder to a window. Everyone was dressed in typical Bowery outfits, and everyone had a wonderful time. Lois Huse, our social chairman, and now our president, has made all our social affairs very successful.

Social Calendar

On April 3 we are having a tea in honor of our housemother, Mrs. Olive B. Ware, and on April 23 we are having our annual spring formal at the Westport Beach Club. April 30 is the date set for a benefit bridge tea to be given by our Delta Zeta Mothers' Club.

Campus Honors

But having teas and dances isn't all we do, although it may sound as



MABEL RUSSELL

much. Just yesterday Mabel Russell was elected treasurer of the Women's Self Government Association. Mabel is very prominent on the campus, being society editor of the Trojan, our daily newspaper; second vice-president of Pi Sigma, educational sorority: scholarship chairman of Sigma Omicron, home economics sorority; a member of Press Club: a contributor to the Wambus, our humorous publication; Panhellenic representative, and our newly elected chapter vice-president.

Mary Andersen is a member of the women's debate team. Florence Galentine is secretary of Quill Club, a member of Press Club, a reporter on the Trojan, and a member of Alpha Phi Epsilon, national honorary

literary sorority.

The New and the Old

Elections in the chapter were held last Monday evening and Alpha Iota is happy to announce among its new officers for the coming year: president. Lois Huse; vice-president, Mabel Russell; secretary, Kathryn Green, rush chairman, Helen Hessick, and Alice King White is our associate "big sister."

We presented our retiring president, Frances Johnson, with a gavel bearing the Delta Zeta crest and her name, in appreciation of her splendid work and inspiration. We wish the best of success to all new officers and to our Delta Zeta sisters.

ANNA HARTMAN, Editor

ALPHA CHI CHAPTER

University of California at Los Angeles

Pledges and Initiates

We have pledged eighteen wonderful girls. They are very, very good, and we hope to keep them that way. They are Marianne McKee, Florence Sharpe, Mary Louise Hood, Anna Trapnell, Ruth Louise Elma Marvin, Ruth Bristol, Marjorie Watson, Emily Collins, Vesta Mc-Allister, Clover McFarlane, Joyce

Myers, Kathryn Smith, Thelma Jonas, Gertrude Pew, Mildred Godfrey.

Because so many of our members are seniors and will be graduating this June and making our list of active members so small, we initiated those upperclassmen of the new pledges who had been on the campus a semester prior to their pledging. These, combined with the old pledges, made a wonderful group of girls to add to our active members. The initiates are Emily Collins, Helen

blue to think about their going away. They are a splendid group of girls and we are very proud of all they have done for Delta Zeta and our university.

Esther Hodge is an art major. She has been on the campus four years and has done some lovely things in her department. She is engaged and is going to be married sometime this next year.

Helen L. Martin is in the Teachers' College, kindergarten primary course. She was in the Kindergarten Club



SENIORS OF ALPHA CHI

Cooley, Mildred Godfrey, Janet Henze, Ruth Ives, Thelma Jonas, Marjorie Kittle, Elma Marvin, Elizabeth Palmer, Elizabeth Parkhurst, Althea Martin, Margaret Rook, Helen Scheid, Kathryn Smith, and Leela Stevens. Of these new members, Thelma Jonas, '28, has been elected treasurer of the Associated Women Students. We are duly and justly proud of Thelma. She is a home economics major and she is very popular with the girls on the campus; yes, and among the men, too.

All these wonderful senior girls leaving us this June. It makes me so

and a very active member. Her first year she was secretary, the second year social chairman, her third year vice-president, and her fourth year she was president. Also, during her fourth year she was a member of Y.W.C.A. During her third year she was president of Delta Zeta and Delta Phi Upsilon, a honorary fraternity, and she was on the Interfraternity Council.

Evelyn Christman is in Teachers' College. When she was a junior she played on the volleyball team.

Winifred Clark.

Velma Miller.

Grace Hester, Classical Club secretary in her second year, and president in her fourth. French Club and Y.W.C.A.

Marion Quigley: She has been vice-president and social chairman of Delta Zeta. Assistant Secretary of Home Economics Club.

Aline Bryant, Delta Tau Mu secretary during her third year, president during her fourth year; A.W.S. affairs committee, 3. Y.W.C.A.; chairman of circus program; Friends of the University; Greek Drama committee; Senior Drama committee; Dramatics Board. Aline is very talented along the lines of the stage, and has helped Delta Zeta put on some lovely programs.

Ruth Sterrett: Phi Beta, Y.W.C.A., Choral Club. Ruth is a music major and has taken an active part in



THELMA JONES, A X, '28
Treasurer of A.W.S.

musical activities in Los Angeles, being vice-president of Arts Student Club of Opera, and Fine Arts Club of Los Angeles. Harriet Sterrett: Phi Beta, four years in the Glee Club, treasurer during her third year; Music Council treasurer; Music Club president; Choral Club; Y.W.C.A.; Friends of the University. Harriet was treasurer of Delta Zeta during her third year and president during her fourth.

Naomi Lawson: Omicron Nu, Y.W.C.A., delegate to Milwaukee Conference, Dramatics Club, W.A.A., Home Economics, assistant vicepresident and Senior class vice-president of Home Economics.

Florence Osgood: California Bruin reporter, women's news editor and women's editor, Publicity Bureau news releases, adviser Tri-C Journalistic Club, Press Club vice-president during her fourth year, Pi Kappa Pi, journalistic sorority, secretary and treasurer during her fourth year; Delta Tau Mu, Southern Campus Writers' Staff, Delta Zeta editor of The Lamp. Florence is an honor student.

Rose Charter has been treasurer, secretary and president of Home Economics Association, secretary of Delta Zeta, secretary of Omicron Nu, vice-president of Cappietola House.

Those Exclusive Seniors

There have been so many nice parties for the senior girls. Marion Quigley, '27, and Grace Hester, '27, were hostesses at a bridge tea. I was not there, not being a senior, and they wouldn't even let me in as a reporter, so this is just what I have heard. It was a lovely party, carried out in yellow and lavender, and at each place was a corsage of a yellow daffodil and maiden-hair fern.

Florence Osgood, '27, was hostess to a party and it was very lovely.

Helen Martin gave a delightful party at her beach cabin. Everything was carried out in a rustic manner, because the cabin is nice and rustic.

The alumnæ are going to give them

The alumnæ are going to give them a party, but it won't be until after school because every week seems to be full. I'll surely be glad when I am a senior and can go to all these wonderful parties given all in my honor.

Eta Province

KAPPA CHAPTER University of Washington Kappa Looks Ahead

Spring quarter has begun. The scholarship chairman might be quite elated to be on the sleeping-porch at



KAPPA CHAPTER PLEDGES

six o'clock of a sunny morning to see the number of little Delta Zetas who are up with the birds. But a sight of the tennis courts and golf links at half-past six would quell any delusions that she might have. And the afternoons when the house is deserted might also edify her with thoughts of the library. glance at the lake with the swimmers and canoeists and the bridle paths would soon relieve her of any hope in that direction. Notice, however, that I say the scholarship chairman might-she doesn't, because she's on the golf links, too!

There are two things that have

happened indoors, though. Election of officers placed Margaret Cartano in the president's chair, and we are sure that her year of experience as vice-president and pledge supervisor will make her a worthy incumbent. The rest of the officers are trying out their new harness and expect to be pulling together well in a short time.

And plans are already under way for the Eta province convention at which Kappa and the Seattle alumnæ chapters are to be hostesses. We are working to rival the convention held in Portland two years ago which is still being talked of.

Last quarter's grades have not come in yet, but when they do, we expect to initiate several more of this year's children to join the eight taken in last quarter.

I suppose that with frequent tonic doses of golf, tennis, swimming, riding and canoeing we will be able to survive the next lazy quarter without actually succumbing to that fatal malady, spring fever. I hope that the rest of you do.

ANN ELMORE, Editor

PHI CHAPTER Washington State College Of Many Things

We girls of Phi chapter are very happy just now over the initiation of seven new members; they are Regina Cooper, Clela Cooper, Zora Cooper, Aloise Schroller, Margaret Knoell, Helen McCall and Clarice Pittman. We had a sort of rough week before initiation, but we are gradually get-



ONE, TWO, THREE CHI GIRLS

An interview with the Chi editor of the "Lamp," who really feels more at home in musical circles than in literary channels, but is ready to try anything once or even more if it is interesting.

The Kruse sisters. Genevieve, (left) just initiated, is on the regular editorial and managerial staff of the "Orange Owl." She was on the general business staff of its Coed issue. Florence (right) a Junior is section editor of organizations on the "Beaver" staff (our college year book). She was on the editorial staff of this Coed Number of the "Orange Owl" and is in the regular staff and is on the editorial staff of the student directory.

(Left) Hollis Swingle who was just initiated, is in the circulation department of the O.A.C. Directory. I am sending Hollis's song that she wrote for the first meeting after she was initiated. Harriet Jensen (right) was on the general business staff of the Coed issue of the "Orange Owl." She is a member of Spurs, (national honorary for Sophomore girls), which has just been installed at O.A.C.

Our new president, Dorothy Williams, wearing the sweater she won last year in debate.

The Triplets, Phi found them, Chi claims them, we all want them!

ting away from the old rough week idea.

On the evening of March 26 we entertained the faculty at our annual Modern Writers' Formal. We had as our speaker a new professor of the English department, who spoke on "The Shoreline of Modern Poetry." We were very much pleased



PHI CHAPTER GIRLS
The seven new initiates still
"in their places"

that everyone seemed to enjoy him because this is one of the most important social events of our year.

Our formal which is to be held April 30 is occupying quite a bit of our attention just now. This will be our first formal and we are anxious to make it a success.

We were very proud last month when nine of our girls received invitations to the annual Matrix Table, given by Theta Sigma Phi. They were Jessie Earl, '27; Helen Sennes, '27; Clela Cooper, '27; Vera Thompson, '28; Leora Saylor, '28; Aloise Schroller, '28; Zora Cooper, '29; Helen McCall, '29, and Regina Cooper.

Dorothy Williams of Chi chapter was here at Washington State last month for a debate and stayed at the house for one day. We certainly enjoyed having her here and are hoping to see more of her in the future.

DOROTHY VAUGHAN, Editor

CHI CHAPTER

Oregon Agricultural College

Election: Pledging: Initiation

It's the beginning of spring term, hooray! And we are ready for new work. We have a new set of officers which we are very happy to announce as they are carrying out their duties most successfully so far. Yes, and very important is our new big sister, Helen Ogden Marker. She is taking the place of Zelta Fieke Rodenwold who because of her long and faithful work with us deserves a little rest.

We have three new pledges: Helen Jessen, '30, who made a straight A average last term; Vivia Gambero, '30; Vivian Shriver, '29. Helen Jessen is very active in athletics, having just won in an all-college swimming meet. Vivian Shriver is busy on the Orange Owl staff, and Vivia Gambero is a girl who works silently but gets a lot done.

One of the most thrilling events of the year was initiation on the evening of March II. That Friday night Dorothy Farley, Helen Hamilton, Hollis Swingle, Katherine Peetz and Genevieve Kruse were initiated. We are so proud of our new members that we show them off at every chance. They surely gave us some good songs at their first chapter meeting. I think that perhaps the other girls might like them, too, so I'm sending a taste of what they are like in Hollis Swingle's words to the tune of "Tipperary."

Ruby is a Jewel!

Miss Ruby Long, our province president, came to visit us on February 21, and we surely do like her. Two of our new pledges had the honor of being pledged on Washington's Birthday at our model pledging for Miss Long. On the night of Miss Long's arrival we gave our

formal dance at one of the clubs in Corvallis, the College Gardens, and it was a huge success. The rooms were beautifully decorated with myriads of pastel butterflies, flowers, and silver trees-it looked like springtime. Miss Long was our guest of honor at this dance. The next day our alumnæ in Corvallis entertained with a benefit bridge tea at which occasion Miss Long was honor guest. We active girls and pledges, too, assisted by being on the program in piano and vocal solos and a clog dance, and last but not least at all, we served the refreshments.

Spring Excitements

We gave a formal tea for our new housemother, Mrs. Routledge, one glorious sunshining Saturday afternoon. We wore our formal dresses. the house was decorated with loads of spring flowers; everything was so pretty that it made us more happy than ever to introduce our charming housemother. We had educational week-end at O.A.C. too, and the Delta Zetas entertained a group of girls from various high schools throughout Oregon. The happiest part of this event was the chance to have many of our school-teacher alumnæ, who came to chaperon their girls, back to visit with us. Then, during this excitement, one alumna decided to give the visitors a taste of real college life by cleverly announcing her engagement. Mrs. Mc-Elfresh, as conspirator, imparted the news to us by telling us a clever little story and then saying that "he" is Clark Wilcox, a Sigma Nu from the University of Minnesota, and then giving a lovely corsage bouquet to the girl, Bernice Nelson, '22, and so the story was out. Yes, of course, there were chocolates and everything to top it off.

On journalism and athletics

Our new president, Dorothy Williams, was just initiated into Delta Sigma Rho, national honorary in debate, and into Omicron Nu. honorary in home economics; she is also the only candidate up for president of the Home Economics Club. It is quite an honor to hold such a position on this campus. Last spring Dorothy received first honorable mention in a scholarship for sophomore women for the best all-round girl in activities and grades. We're very proud of Dorothy, Mabel Brown, exprexy, was editor of the coed issue of the Orange Owl, the college humorous publication, and many of our girls were on that staff and are on the regular staff. Our "triplets" were in a winning basketball team last week and two of them just brought down more honors, Rowena Beach being elected vice-president, and Helen Washburn, secretary, of the Women's Athletic Association. Not being able to withhold their smiling countenances, I am sending a picture of them, in the varsity sweaters they won while at W.S.C. Frances Tomlinson, a pledge, is out vigorously debating for O.A.C. and Hollis Swingle is nominated for secretary of the Associated Women Students for next year. Dagny Rudback was, just recently, chairman of a big banquet put on by the O.A.C. Women's Ad Club.

I feel so enthusiastic about our trip that I must say that the combined Madrigal and Glee Clubs have just returned from a very successful tour through Oregon during which we presented the comic opera, *The Mikado*. I had the privilege of being Katisha, and I'll never forget it—surely was fun.

Doris Zimmerman, Editor

Tune: "Tipperary"

Up to campus O.A.C. came some *rookesses one day,

Without home and sisters how could they be very gay?

But the Delta Zetas pledged them, And they started out to win

The right to wear the golden lamp, The Delta Zeta pin.

It's a long way to initiation, it's a long way to go;

It's a long way to initiation, but it's the highest goal I know.

So good-bye, dear old pledge days, we are done with you;

It's a long, long way to initiation, but we're glad we're through.

* Rookess—O.A.C. freshman girl.
—Hollis Swingle

OMEGA CHAPTER

University of Oregon

(Too late for headings, G.M.L.)

Six senior women are leaving Omega chapter this year—Victoria Ellean Fargher, Mae Louise Mordoff, Mary M. Search, Mary Glenna Fisher, Margaret Wilmoth Blackaby, and Easter Dae Craddock. Ellean Fargher and Mae Mordoff, physical education majors, have been prominent in Hermian Club, honorary physical education society, Mae having been president of that organization during the past year. Glenna Fisher was Senior Woman on the University Student Council, a member of Phi

Chi Theta and Mortar Board. Margaret Blackaby, prominent in debate, won her question in the debate against Washington. Easter Craddock and Mary Search have both been chapter officers, Mary having served as treasurer for two years and Easter as social chairman this year. Glenna Fisher and Margaret Blackaby have both been Omega presidents. Mae was treasurer one year.

From our alums we have some interesting announcements. Mrs. John Gereghty (Nell Miller, '26), of Klamath Falls, is the mother of a son. Charlotte Newhouse, '25, has become Mrs. Harry Holt of Oakland. Patricia Gregory, '27, married Ivan Midlam of Oregon City. Mary McCullagh announced her engagement to J. Lee Stewart, a graduate of O.A.C. The wedding is to be an event of June 11 in Portland.

Eunice Zimmerman, who taught in Alaska last fall, is returning to her work there next year.

BARBARA SHANKS, Omega Editor

Delta Zeta, University of Ohio, May 13, 1927

Dear Mrs. Lundy:

Glenna Fisher, one of Omega's senior women, was yesterday morning awarded with the Phi Chi Theta, honorary business administration fraternity, scholarship. This scholarship is awarded to one senior in the department yearly—and is announced as a surprise feature of the last student body assembly of the year. 'Glenna won the scholarship by a big majority of Phi Chi Theta votes. She is our family "Phi Bet," our member of Student Council, and is one of the most popular girls in the house.

Sabina T. Murray, 445 Illinois Building, Indianapolis.

DEAR SABINA:

I intend to be a member of that Lifeline and to prove it here is the money you have written me is my balance due Delta Zeta. Now you can write me down as paid in full for all alumnæ dues, and it will be up to you to see that The Lamp keeps me in touch with Delta Zeta the rest of my life.

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Alpha	35	Alpha Zeta 2
Beta	14	Alpha Eta 10
Gamma	5	Alpha Theta 5
Delta	32	Alpha Iota 10
Epsilon	19	Alpha Kappa 6
Zeta	22	Alpha Lambda 6
Eta	5	Alpha Mu 1
Theta	10	Alpha Nu 3
Iota	15	Alpha Xi 0
Kappa	8	Alpha Omicron 1
Lambda	20	(Sarah Bridge)
Mu	22	Alpha Pi 1
Nu	8	(Daisy Hoover)
Xi	9	Alpha Rho 5
Omicron	8	Alpha Sigma 3
Pi	20	Alpha Tau 5
Rho	11	Alpha Upsilon 6
Sigma	6	Alpha Phi 2
Tau	15	Alpha Chi 1
Upsilon	48	Alpha Psi 4
Phi	11	Alpha Omega 5
Chi	8	Total, April 28 483
Psi	20	Additions since 39
Omega	1	
Alpha Alpha	11	Total, May 20 522
Alpha Beta	14	Total Initiates 1926-27 524
Alpha Gamma	3	
Alpha Delta	1	Grand Total paid for Life. 1046
Alpha Epsilon	12	

Calendar of Alumnae Chapter Meetings

Berkeley, Calif. Meetings are held each first Saturday afternoon, at the homes of members. Delta Zetas are invited to communicate with Vera Symon, 785 Kingston Avenue, Oakland, and guests are always welcome.

Chicago. The Chicago chapter meets each second Saturday at some conveniently located central place (see calendar with chapter letter). Newcomers or transients are requested to telephone to Mrs. Paul Wilson, Austin 3052, if they find it possible to attend a meeting of the chapter.

Cincinnati, Ohio. The Cincinnati Alumnæ Chapter meets each third Saturday, for a luncheon, followed by business and a social afternoon. This year the chapter is meeting at the Xi chapter house, on Probasco Avenue. Visitors and new members are cordially invited; all such please call Marion McHenry, telephone South 4531 R.

Cleveland. The meetings of the Cleveland Aumnæ Chapter take the form of luncheons at homes of members, followed by bridge in the afternoon. Visitors are welcome, and should call Mrs. Arthur Weisenberger, 10315 Dickens Ave., (telephone Garfield 2047R). Meetings are held each second Saturday.

Columbus, Ohio. The meetings of the Columbus Alumnæ Chapter are held on the third Saturday of each month, usually at the homes of members. Newcomers and visitors should call Mrs. F. H. Hartford, telephone University 9964-W.

Dayton, Ohio. The Dayton Alumnæ Chapter meets each first Saturday at the Woman's Club or other convenient downtown place. Delta Zetas in the city at meeting times please call Mrs. Earl H. Blaik, (telephone Lincoln 1712R).

Denver. The Denver Aumnæ Chapter meets the first Saturday of each month at the homes of the members. Meetings are held in the evening. Bernadetta Daly (telephone Champa 1051M) will be glad to hear from newcomers or visitors.

Detroit, Michigan. The Detroit Chapter holds monthly dinner or luncheon meetings, at various hotels, on the first Saturday. Either Lillian Prance, 1344 W. Grand Blvd. (phone Walnut 2778), or Charlotte Springsteen, phone Euclid 2819, will be glad to hear from visitors or prospective new members.

Fort Wayne, Indiana. Meetings are held the last Saturday of the month at the homes of members. This chapter is especially anxious to increase its membership and will welcome information concerning Delta Zetas not affiliated. Visitors and new members are invited to communicate with Ruth VanNatta Hunt, 1013 W. Wayne St. or phone Anthony 4529-I.

Indianapolis. The Indianapolis Alumnæ Chapter meets each second Saturday, except in February, when all alumnæ chapters in the city attend the open meetings of city Panhellenic. Visitors or new members in the city please get in touch with Ruth Line, 1405 Ashland Avenue.

Kansas City. The meetings are held each first Saturday as the chapter meets for luncheon each first Saturday, at the Kansas City Athletic Club. Mrs. E. B. Black, 424 W. 60th St. Terrace, Kansas City, Mo., would like to hear from new residents. This chapter is especially anxious to increase its membership and will welcome information concerning Delta Zetas not now affiliated with the chapter.

Lincoln, Nebraska. The Lincoln Chapter meets each third Saturday at different places. Information on meetings may be had by calling Vinta Harrell Penton, Telephone M3552. Visitors are welcomed at our meetings.

Los Angeles, Calif. Meetings are held the second Saturday of each month at one of the chapter houses. Rose Pipal, 117 N. Avenue 55, (telephone Garfield 6750) or Gladys Marquardt, (telephone Delaware 3177) will be glad to hear from all new-comers to the Southland. We are especially anxious to give you a real Delta Zeta welcome, so do let us know that you are here.

Minneapolis, Minnesota. The Twin Cities Chapter meets twice monthly, on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings, at the chapter house, 1212 S. E. Fifth St., Minneapolis, Transients and newcomers please telephone Mrs. L. D. Olson, Locust 4202.

New York City. The New York chapter meets the first Saturday of each month, an afternoon meeting alternating with an evening one. Girls in New York for any length of time, or visitors who are to be in the city on a meeting day are urged to call Hilda Persons, 272 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn (telephone Starling 7433). Names and addresses of girls coming to New York are gladly received.

Pittsburgh. The Pittsburgh chapter meets on the third Saturday of each month at different places. Niella S. Reese, (telephone Hiland 7273W) will be glad to know of strangers or visitors who could arrange to attend any meeting.

Portland, Oregon. The Portland Delta Zetas meet on the forth Thursday evening of each month, at the homes of members, for social meetings. Katherine Butterfield, 450 E. Weidler St., will be glad to see that visitors and newcomers in the city are notified of meetings, and assist them to meet the chapter.

Washington, D.C. The Washington chapter meets on the third Thursday of the month, at the homes of members. All meetings are night meetings. Newcomers or visitors please call Mrs. John Ladd (telephone Cleveland 3779W) for information concerning meeting. New members gladly welcomed.

Note: This list, which is intended to serve Delta Zetas who go as strangers or visitors to cities in which there are alumna chapters, will be completed as fast as the information is received from the chapters. Members are reminded that it is easier for the newcomer to seek out the chapter, than vice versa, and every Delta Zeta is urged to take the first opportunity of becoming acquainted with the alumna chapter.

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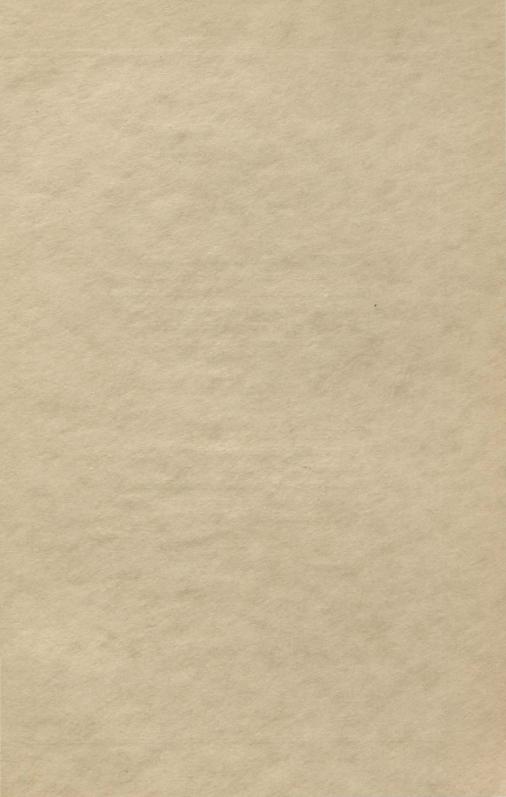
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