

# THE KEY

## KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA



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# Reminder Calendar

(FOR CHAPTER OFFICERS, ALUMNÆ ADVISERS, AND PROVINCE PRESIDENTS)

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- October 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.  
October 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.  
October 10—Treasurer sends chapter's subscription (\$2) for *Banta's Greek Exchange* to the executive secretary.  
October 13—FOUNDERS' DAY. Wear Kappa colors.  
October 15—Treasurer sends copy of corrected budget to national accountant, national finance chairman, and province president.  
October 25—KEY correspondent places chapter news letter for December KEY in mail to editor's deputy (See opposite page for name and address) Blue KEY stationery is supplied by central office.  
October 30—Registrar sends to executive secretary typewritten lists as follows: names and college addresses of all active members; changes of addresses of last semester seniors, transfers, and other initiated girls leaving school since February report for KEY mailing list; list of conflicts with other fraternities.  
November 1—Treasurer mails return postal to national finance chairman stating that letters and charge sheets have been mailed to all parents of active and pledge members.  
November 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.  
November 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.  
November 15—Chairman of alumnae advisory board sends province president a report of monthly board meetings.  
November 15—Registrar sends to grand registrar annual report of archives.  
November 30—(on or before) Treasurer sends executive secretary per capita tax report and per capita tax for each member active at any time during the first semester.  
November 30—Treasurer mails to the executive secretary a check for the chapter treasurer's bond on blanks furnished by central office.  
November 30—Province president sends to grand president (copy to director of provinces) an informal report of her province.  
December 5—Corresponding secretary sends detailed chapter report to grand president and province president (copy to director of provinces).  
December 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.  
December 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.  
December 12—(or second meeting preceding Christmas holiday) Election of officers except registrar. Corresponding secretary sends names and addresses of officers and alumnae advisers to central office on blanks provided for this purpose.  
December 15—KEY correspondent places chapter news letter for February KEY in mail to editor's deputy.  
December 19—(or last meeting before Christmas holiday) Installation of newly elected officers with the exception of treasurer.  
December 20—Send Christmas gifts to Kappa's philanthropic funds.  
January 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.  
January 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.  
January 15—Treasurer sends on blanks furnished by the central office the names and addresses of the members of the finance committee to the national accountant, national finance chairman, executive secretary, province president, and finance adviser.  
January 15—Chairman of the alumnae advisory board sends province president report covering semester.  
February 1—Province president sends full report of province to grand president and director of provinces.  
February 6—(or last meeting preceding first semester examinations) Installation of treasurer.  
February 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.  
February 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.  
February 15—Registrar sends to executive secretary typewritten lists as follows: names and college addresses of all active members; changes of addresses of last semester seniors, transfers and other initiated girls leaving school since last report in October for KEY mailing list; list of conflicts with other fraternities since November report.  
February 25—KEY correspondent places chapter news letter for April KEY in mail to editor's deputy. Write to central office for KEY stationery when supply is exhausted.  
February 28—(on or before) President shall appoint the rushing chairman for the next school year.  
February 28—Corresponding secretary sends name of rushing chairman with school and summer addresses for publication in April KEY to central office.

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To  
May Cynthia Whiting Westermann  
The only one of the Historians to see  
the publication of  
The History of Kappa Kappa Gamma  
through sixty years  
this KKG is  
Affectionately and Gratefully Dedicated



February  
1933

# THE KEY

OF

## KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA

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### *The Editor Reflects . . .*

#### *Upon the History*

Which actually achieved publication in 1932, a large volume, handsomely bound in dark blue embossed in gold with the Kappa seal on its cover. It is a book every Kappa should own. Certainly no chapter house library will be without it.

Within its pages are quaint old pictures of days "when we were very young." The familiar story of Kappa's founding is traced, with additional details not generally known. A history of each chapter is brought up to date, as of 1930, with a picture of each owned house. In short, Kappa's record of 60 distinguished years has at last taken permanent form.

THE KEY is happy to dedicate this number to May Cynthia Whiting Westermann, historian, under whose direction the fraternity's dream of a published history, complete as it is humanly possible, has become a reality. We also make a bow to Florence Burton Roth, whose endeavors as an earlier historian have contributed greatly to the present result. Those who heard Mrs. Westermann's clever, heart-felt toast in 10 words at the convention celebrities' dinner have a faint idea of the hard labor involved in such a his-

tory's compilation. But only Mrs. Westermann herself knows the time and effort which she gave to this monumental accomplishment.

The fraternity is deeply in her debt. But Kappas can help to meet that obligation by buying the history and reading it, for which they in turn will be richly repaid.



#### *Upon National Politics*

Which brought about the change of administration to be ushered in by Franklin D. Roosevelt's inauguration next month.

Personally a Republican born and bred, we are delighted with a reaction to the "Owl and Elephant Note" in the December KEY. It came from Beatrice Ludlow, vice-president of Kappa province, who was challenged thereby to write a piece about herself as a Democrat, member of the erstwhile "powerful minority" now going into power.

Since Michigan upset the Republican apple-cart and elected a Democratic governor, the editor is now with the minority both in her state, and nationally. While THE KEY is necessarily non-partisan, we think all the Republi-



can Kappas will be interested in the case for Democracy, as presented informally and personally by Beatrice. Also we'd like her to know that some Republicans have a sense of humor, and can "take it" as members of the new minority under the "new deal."



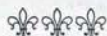
### *Upon the Problem*

Every fraternity editor faces: Should every issue of the magazine include chapter and alumnæ letters, or are they so much waste space?

For several reasons we hold that these letters should be printed in every number of THE KEY. Recently our judgment was bolstered by the following message from Gem Reasoner, Delta province vice-president:

"Last October's KEY brought me a letter from a Kappa I knew 28 years ago, now in Palo Alto, and December's KEY had in it news of a girl I knew 30 years ago, now in Seattle, and another one in Boise. So I am as enthusiastic as ever over everything Kappa."

Being one of THE KEY's constant and thorough readers, Gem knows what is in it; but even she wouldn't have discovered the Kappa in Seattle or the one in Boise if the alumnæ letters hadn't been printed. That's exactly why they're there.



In some quarters there seems to have been talk lately of a "depression." Along with it has been a lot of chatter about people taking cuts.

The d-pr-ss-n hasn't effected Kappa particularly, as to fraternity finance, but by a coincidence the national officers seem to have been getting the cuts.

This is by way of saying that soon after Marie Macnaughtan had sent a kind note of cheerio *in re* the editorial appendectomy, as of September 7, Marie herself was taken to the hospital in St. Louis for an operation. THE KEY is glad to be able to report that Marie is on the mend, though her convalescence will be a matter of some weeks.

All we hope is that the old superstition about such things coming in threes will not hold in this instance. Grand council members and national chairmen, N.B. Keep your fingers crossed!



Winter having come, and spring being not far behind, the season of province conventions is upon us. Kappas will please note the following dates, and make their plans accordingly.

Kappa province has announced March 10-11 as its convention date. Pi, University of California, will be the hostess chapter.

Gamma province has chosen March 24-25 for its convention. Beta Nu will entertain for Gamma, at Ohio State. Those attending the Gamma convention are reminded that the fraternity's central office is also in Columbus, offering an added inducement to attend.

Theta, Beta, and Iota provinces will meet April 7-8. Gamma Phi will entertain for Theta at Southern Methodist college; Delta Alpha will be hostess for Beta at Pennsylvania State College; and Beta Omega for Iota at the University of Oregon.

Eta province delegates will convene April 14-15, when Gamma Beta entertains at the University of New Mexico.

Zeta province will meet the follow-

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# Kappa's History Formally Presented

## *First Copy Given Mrs. Kuhns at Luncheon in New York, 25 Chapters Represented*

By KATHERINE T. MULLIN, *Beta Sigma*

CELEBRATING the completion of her arduous work as editor of the new Kappa history, May Whiting Westermann gathered together most of the Kappas living in New York city and nearby, and on December 3 a luncheon was held in the Panhellenic house, at which Mrs. Tade Hartsuff Kuhns, first grand president and guest of honor, was presented with the first copy off the press.

Much interest was shown in the new book, which was passed among the Kappas, with its records and photographs of more than a half-century. This copy contained the following inscription:

TADE HARTSUFF KUHS

beloved first Grand President

whose ability for organization made Kappa Kappa Gamma a pioneer among women's fraternities in the Grand Council form of government and in the publication of a magazine;

whose vision of what our organization might be and do set a goal toward which we still strive;

whose idealism and constant interest have been an inspiration to successive generations of Kappas throughout fifty years.

MAY CYNTHIA WHITING

WESTERMANN

*Historian*

The luncheon began with a song by Marion Selee, mezzo-contralto, former-

ly of the Chautauqua opera company.

Mrs. James McNaboe, member of the grand council, presided, and introduced the following speakers: Mrs. A. Barton Hepburn, Mrs. Guy Walker, and Mrs. Chester B. Masslich, president of the New York Alumnae association. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Westermann, the reply by Mrs. Kuhns. Letters of regret that they could not be present were read from Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Alice Duer Miller, and Ella Alexander Boole.

Eleven ex-officers were seated at the head table. The four ex-presidents were Jean Nelson Penfield, Evelyn Wight Allan, Mrs. Kuhns, and Mrs. Westermann. Ex-editors of *THE KEY* included Mary Kingsbury Simkhovitch, Adele Lathrop, Lucy Allen Smart, Katherine Tobin Mullin, and Rosalie Geer Parker. Others were Grace Broadhurst Robinson, former grand registrar; Mrs. Merrick Smith, province president; Katherine Doty, historian.

Twenty-five chapters were represented at the luncheon, from Vermont to California. The list of Kappas present included:

*Beta Beta:* Mrs. Mansfield Allan (Evelyn Wight), Miss Margaret Austin, Mrs. Robert G. Calder (Maude Martin), Miss Antoinette J. Foster, Dr. Lucia E. Heaton, Mrs. A. Barton Hepburn (Emily L. Eaton), Mrs. Clinton H. Hoard (Henriette Kenne), Mrs. Warren J. Kibby (Minnie Root), Mrs. James H. McNish (Mary Garvin), Mrs. Louis H. Pink (Hazelton Kelly), Miss Alice Walker, Miss





HISTORY PRESENTATION LUNCHEON, THE PANHELLENIC, NEW YORK CITY, DECEMBER 3, 1932. FORMER OFFICERS AND OTHERS AT THE SPEAKERS' TABLE

*Standing:* Mrs. Mullin, editor; Miss Doty, historian; Miss Lathrop, editor and grand secretary; Mrs. Parker, editor; Mrs. Durand, new manager of *The Panhellenic*; Mrs. Walker, deputy of three grand presidents, author of "*Kappa's Record*"; Mrs. Westermann, grand secretary, grand president, historian; Mrs. Kuhns, first grand president; Mrs. Merrick Smith, president of Beta province; Mrs. Masslich, president New York Alumnae association; Marion Selee, who sang.

*Seated:* Mrs. Smart, editor; Mrs. Allan, grand president; Mrs. Hepburn, president *The Panhellenic*; Mrs. Simkhovitch, editor and first historian; Mrs. McNaboe, recent president New York Alumnae association and now director of provinces.

Mrs. Penfield, grand president, attended the luncheon but is not in the picture.

Mary Walker, Mrs. Edwin C. Wallace (Caroline D. Foster), Miss Maude Wrigglesworth.

*Beta Delta:* Miss Elizabeth W. Alexander, Mrs. Laurance E. Frost (Maud L. Hindman), Mrs. Bertram S. Stephenson (Jessie E. Bane).

*Beta Epsilon:* Miss Katherine S. Doty.

*Eta:* Mrs. James F. McNaboe (Almira Johnson).

*Beta Eta:* Mrs. Vernon M. Cady (Bertha Chapman).

*Gamma Eta:* Mrs. Louis Champlin (Helen Fenn).

*Theta:* Mrs. Elias J. Durand (Sue Stone), Mrs. Katherine Barnes Williams.

*Iota:* Mrs. Frederick A. DeHaven (Hazel M. Bridges), Mrs. William W. Penfield (E. Jean Nelson), Mrs. Worth M. Tippy (Zella B. Ward), Mrs. Guy M. Walker (Minnie L. Royse).

*Kappa:* Mrs. A. Eugene Buck (Beatrice Stone).

*Gamma Lambda:* Mrs. William H. Purdy (Dorothy Douglas).

*Mu:* Mrs. Earl R. Hunt (Minabel Morris), Mrs. John B. Kuhns (Tade Hartsuff).

*Beta Mu:* Mrs. Alex Ettl (Dorothy Buck), Mrs. Edmund O'Brien (Pattie Field).

*Beta Nu:* Mrs. George Smart (Lucy Allen).

*Beta Xi:* Miss Helen Knox, Mrs. Francis W. Willett (Katherine T. Thornton).

*Gamma Rho:* Miss Cora P. Emery.

*Sigma:* Miss Adele Lathrop, Mrs. Theodore Westermann (May C. Whiting).

*Beta Sigma:* Miss Ethel Howell, Miss Elizabeth E. Horne, Mrs. Howard B. Mullin (Katherine Tobin), Mrs. William B. Parker (Rosalie B. Geer), Mrs. James L. Robinson (Grace A. Broadhurst), Mrs. J. Merrick Smith (Mabel A. MacKinney), Miss Ruth F. Waldo, Miss Marjorie White.

*Beta Tau:* Mrs. W. Irving Galliher (Frances Hope), Mrs. William W. Macon (Maud Andruss), Miss Caroline S. Romer.

*Upsilon:* Miss Theodora U. Irvine, Mrs. Chester B. Masslich (Lucy E. Shuman), Mrs. William H. Schaeffer (Helen McCarroll), Mrs. John A. Williams (Wilha Hamilton).

*Phi:* Miss Frances E. Hall, Mrs. J. Ravenel Smith (Mabell S. Clarke), Mrs. Charles L. Seiple (Elsie Burdick), Miss Marion Selee, Mrs. Vladimir G. Simkhovitch (Mary M. Kingsbury), Mrs. Guy H. Tolman (Bertha F. Hirshberg).

*Chi:* Mrs. Leon N. Gillette (Bessie Williams), Miss Charlotte Putnam.

*Psi:* Mrs. Morgan Barney (Nora Stanton Blatch), Miss Eva Haigh.

*Beta Psi:* Mrs. Claude F. Williams (Eleda F. Horning).

*Gamma Psi:* Mrs. Robert H. Heck, Jr. (Jean E. Prentiss).

*Gamma Omega:* Mrs. Robert G. Bell (Stella Case).



# Kappa's Book of Hours—and Years

By ALICE WATTS HOSTETLER

*History of Kappa Kappa Gamma 1870-1930.*

By FLORENCE BURTON ROTH and MAY CYNTHIA WHITING WESTERMANN. 887 pp. Published by the Fraternity 1932. \$4.50

WHETHER you are one of the Sacred Order of the Swan—that exclusive organization of officers who served before 1900 who merrily dine together at convention—or you have good intentions about getting in touch once more with the fraternity, or you are in the midst of active chapter days, there is a new book off the press that will do things to you. It will make you smile. It will bring back memories dear to you. It will inform you.

“The History of Kappa Kappa Gamma 1870-1930,” by Florence Burton Roth and May Cynthia Whiting Westermann, is more than a glorious record of Kappa origins and progress; it is a review of what women have been doing in the last 60 years when customs have been completely changed. It is not only the story of a national fraternity which has the years of a grandmother and the verve of an undergraduate, of the development of American colleges and universities, but it is the story of women during this period. In recounting the beginning of Alpha, it is telling that women were no longer content with education in music and art; in chronicling college and world honors won by Kappas it reveals that they keep step with men; and in reporting war activities, the organization and financing of the central office and Kappa funds, it points to their new interests and the orderly fashion in which they were developed.

It is safe to wager that there will be one procedure in reading the history. First, you will look at the pictures, getting a good laugh at Epsilon's cozy corner, properly called a chapter room. Then you will read your own chapter history. Perhaps you will not start at the beginning until you have read Dorothy Canfield Fisher's soul-warming account of Kappa war work in France. But afterwards you will surely turn to the history of the history, the foreword, and Alpha.

Every reader will find her pet subject. It may be fashions, traditions, accomplishments, or facts bolstered by dates. It's a source of satisfaction to discover that the wind-blown bob came not from Hollywood, but was worn nearly 50 years ago by a Cornell Kappa whose gown has the modish basque and bustle. The leg o'mutton sleeves supported by Sigma and Beta Delta Kappas are prototypes for the 1932 styles, and those swan-like Gibson girls of Beta Xi—! No wonder the chapter had its first photograph taken.

It is so much fun to find the pictures of the women whom you have known and admired in later years as they were in active chapter days. It's an “I knew her when” feeling to see the blond-haired Charlotte Barrell with the tip-tilted nose who is now the celebrated Mrs. Ware of international fame; to see slim Cora Rigby of Phi when she posed with Beta Nu; Katherine Alvord of Beta Delta as a college girl instead of a dean; and lawyer Jean Nelson Penfield when her smart cropped gray hair was pompadoured and brown.



Being Kappas we think we know Kappa; but until we have read the book which Mrs. Roth and Mrs. Westermann have given to the fraternity we have been deprived of a joy and a satisfaction rivaled only on that day when our golden keys were first worn. It is impossible to review this history coolly and calmly in correct *Times* fashion, for it is so much a part of our own experience as Kappas and it reveals so clearly why we as college women have the rôle that is ours in 1932.



## They Liked It

MRS. G. M. ARROWSMITH (Zeta province president)—“Am delighted to have the history. It certainly is a wonderful book.”

Mrs. Richard H. Shryock (Lambda province president)—“Marvelous!”

Edith L. Hurd—“And I think it's grand!”

Mrs. Bayard L. Catron (former grand treasurer)—“It is splendid. I am proud of our first history.”

Mrs. Everett Schofield (chairman, finance)—“I think it's the book of the century.”

Mrs. Ernest Railsback (Alpha province president)—“It looks so dignified—am eager to read it.”

Mrs. Howard Burt (former executive secretary)—“It is great. Congratulations.”

Mrs. R. S. Shapard (Theta province president)—“Think the history beautiful.”

Mrs. Addison Burnham (former grand president)—“Congratulations on the set-up of the history.”

Mrs. Joseph A. Miller (former

province officer)—“Mrs. Westermann has achieved again.”

Mrs. Ida B. Reichenbach—“I am delighted with the book, beautiful in every respect.”

Edith L. Huggins—“I think the Kappa history is lovely.”

Mrs. Charlotte Barrell Ware (former grand president)—“Congratulations! It is far beyond my expectations.”

Mary Scarritt (Gamma province vice-president)—“It's lovely!”

L. Pearle Green (grand secretary and editor of Kappa Alpha Theta)—“We find it a most interesting volume and we congratulate Kappa on the fullness of detail that she has been able to present in such an interesting manner.”



The historian calls attention to the five pages of signatures which appeared in the December number of *THE KEY*.

The plates were prepared for use in the history and the statement on the fifth page that “the names of all former grand council members appear somewhere on these signature pages” is true for the period covered by that publication, early 1870 to June, 1930. Those who have been sufficiently interested to read these pages carefully will have discovered that pages three and four are in reverse order.



An article in *The Scroll* of Phi Delta Theta for December reviews the career of Dr. Parke R. Kolbe, who was last spring elected president of Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, to begin his new duties in October. In his fraternity Dr. Kolbe is a member of the survey commission. Need we add that he is the husband of Lydia Voris Kolbe, Lambda, and a former grand president of Kappa Kappa Gamma?



# Greek Conclave at Ohio Wesleyan Faces Facts

## *Interfraternity and Panhellenic Council Leaders Join in Sessions*

By ELEANOR PENNIMAN BOARDMAN, *Gamma Province President*

"HARMONY AMONG THE GREEKS" was more than a slogan, it was actually realized in the spirit of the Greek conclave at Ohio Wesleyan university, December 2-4, 1932. This conclave is held biennially in Delaware, sponsored by the Interfraternity and Panhellenic councils, and attended by national and active delegates of the men's and women's fraternities on the campus.

Clara Pierce and I went as the Kappa "national delegates," but I must admit that I seldom answered when spoken to under that "national" heading.

We arrived Friday night just in time for the opening banquet. The majority of the delegates were housed in the gorgeous new freshman dormitory, Stuyvesant hall, and Clara and I were so smitten with our rose-filled suite that we came very near not getting to the banquet at all.

The banquet was held in Austin hall, a luxurious scene with candle light, soft music, flowers, delicious food, and evening clothes. Miss Edith Cockins, Kappa Alpha Theta, registrar at Ohio State university, gave a short talk on behalf of the women's fraternities and Dr. Francis W. Shepardson, national president of Beta Theta Pi, the main address. Dr. Shepardson stressed what, in our minds, were much-needed ideals. He said that fraternities had been tried

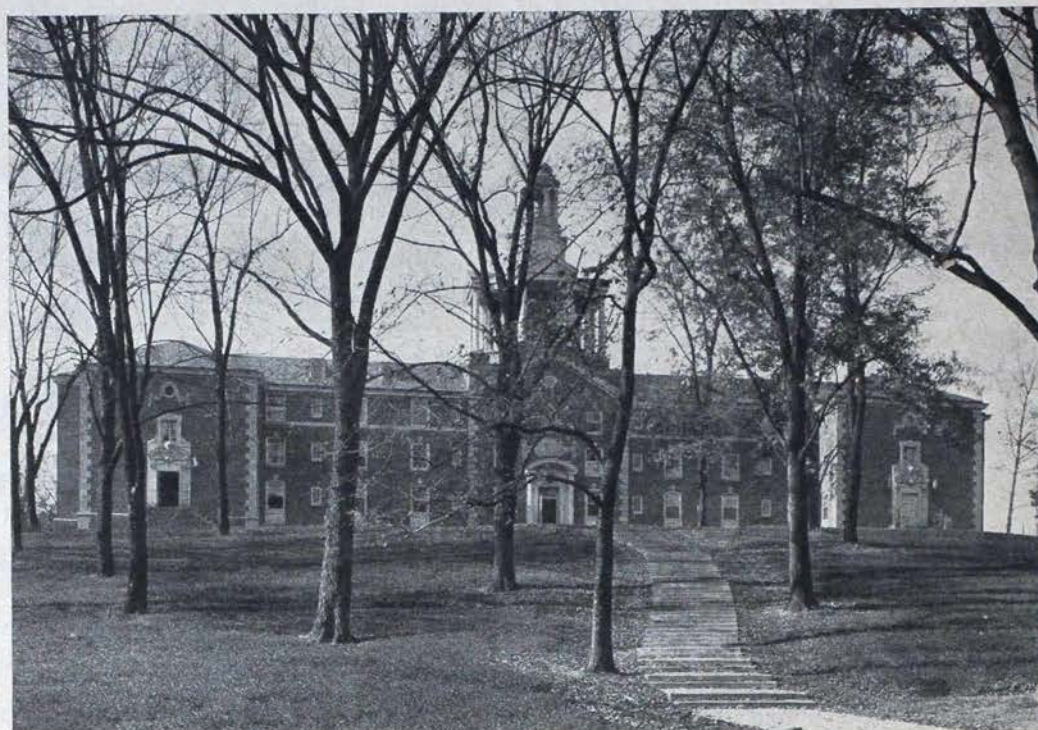
and found wanting, that the colleges of the country would not be searching for something as they are if the fraternities had filled the place that they should have filled in college life. He spoke against "rough" initiations and such demonstrations that bring down criticism upon their heads, and in favor of the fraternities working together for higher standards and the common good of the student body. His talk was filled to the brim with idealism and left everyone visibly impressed.

The dean of men, William L. Sanders, spoke also and the conclave queen was introduced. This was the first time, Dr. Shepardson said, that he had sat "between a dean and a queen." The banquet was followed by an informal reception in the Austin lounge.

Saturday morning the men and women attended separate sessions. The women's activities were opened by a breakfast for the national guests given by the dean of women, Miss Florence Nicholson, and the men's by a breakfast given by Dean Sanders. Since we are concerned most with the women's activities I shall proceed from here without the men. After breakfast there was time for just a short talk by Miss Nicholson, in which she outlined some of their outstanding problems.

After the breakfast all of the women attended a general assembly conducted by Helen Spence, Kappa Alpha Theta,





STUYVESANT HALL, OHIO WESLEYAN

president of Panhellenic. Miss Marguerite Winant, national president of Delta Gamma, gave the address, which was an outline of the round tables to follow. The round table subjects were, "Rushing," "Pledge Training," "Upperclass Problems," "Alumnæ Relations and Chapter Publicity," and were held in Monnett and Austin halls. Clara and I decided to attend all of them and proved very annoying, probably, by dropping in and out at unexpected times.

Panhellenic council was hostess to the national guests at luncheon in the Phi Kappa Psi house following the round tables. After luncheon we all gathered in the living room for a general discussion of problems. The problems foremost in the minds of Wesleyan Greeks at present are those of rushing and the smaller fraternity.

Last pledging season some of the smaller groups got one or two pledges and some none at all, while the larger groups took very large pledge classes. The plan of limiting membership in the hope that when the limits of the larger groups were reached the balance would join the smaller groups was discussed. Some more hard-hearted souls suggested "survival of the fittest," with the smaller groups being left gradually to die out. The need for better Panhellenic spirit was brought up, but was very aptly concluded by Mrs. Marie Stebbins, Pi Beta Phi, who said that the very presence of the conclave and the beautiful way it was handled proved that the Panhellenic spirit was excellent—a point upon which we all agreed. They discussed also means by which the groups could work together on some project and agreed upon promot-



ing better study conditions in the library and dormitories and upon improving etiquette and table conversation in the dining rooms.

The afternoon was left open, so Clara and I met with the actives, pledges, and advisers in the new chapter rooms. We went over some of the outstanding points of discussion and had a pleasant visit.

The grand ball was Saturday evening, and regardless of the offer of a "date" I felt called upon to go home for one with my two Johns. I left Clara, however, at the mercy of the Wesleyan collegians. They tell me that the armory was cleverly decorated with musical notes and Greek letters to carry out their slogan.

Sunday morning the pledges of Rho chapter entertained representatives of the other pledge classes at breakfast. The conclave was brought to a close with an all-campus chapel service, and the delegates and guests went home feeling, I am sure, that they had taken a step forward in promoting harmony, ideals, and a general spirit of progress together in justifying the presence of fraternities in our colleges.



## Arkansas Kappa Wins Two Campus Crowns

**T**HAR's Kappa royalty in them hills, stranger!

Down at the University of Arkansas, Gamma Nu's Dorothy Kenney, 1932 convention delegate, simply wears crowns in tiers, one on top of the other.

Members of the R.O.T.C. chose her for the regimental queen last fall. As



DOROTHY KENNEY

such she will lead the grand march at the military ball this spring, with Cadet Colonel L. L. Gibson as her escort. In 1930-31 Mary Jane Ellison, also Gamma Nu, was similarly honored.

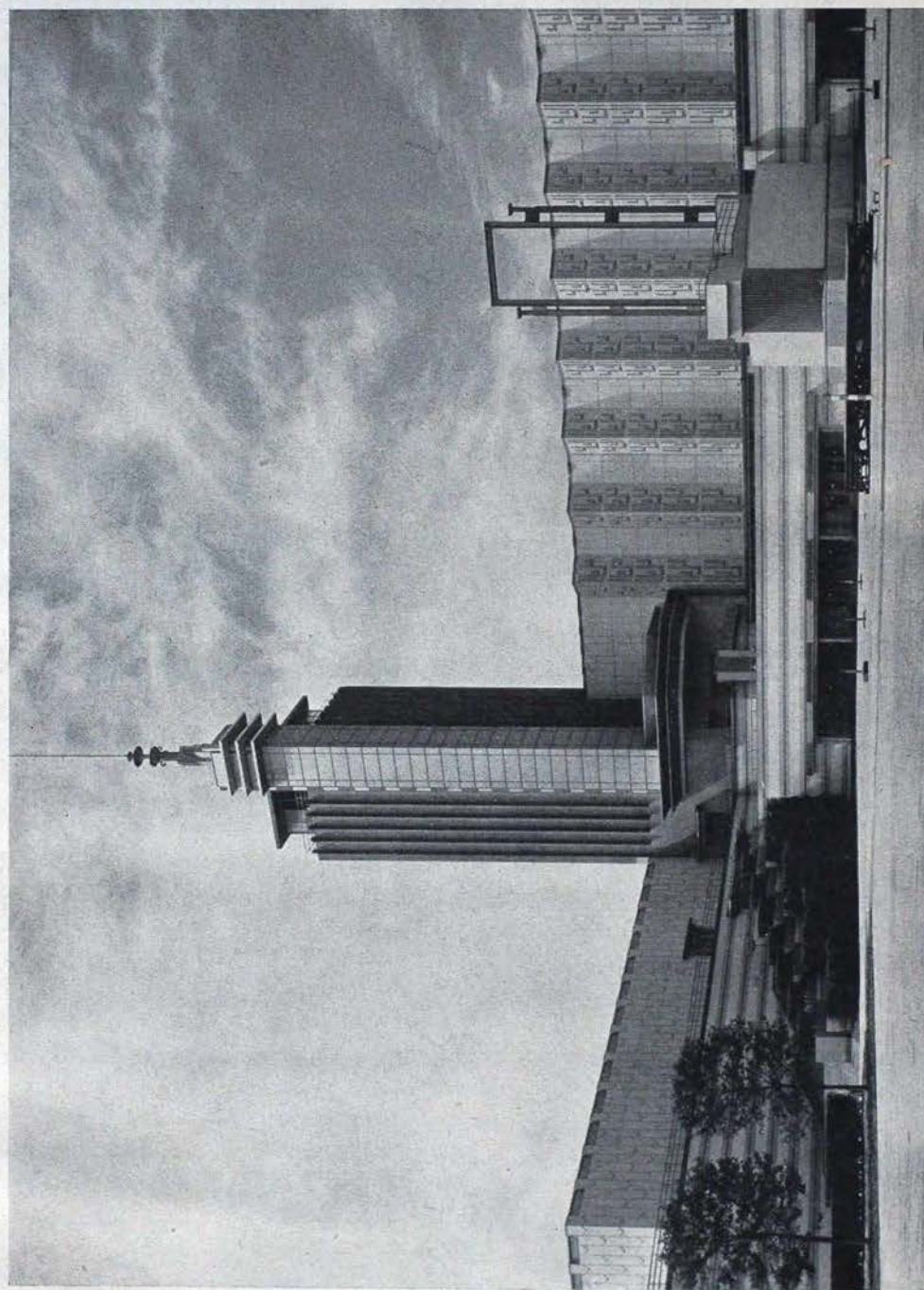
Two weeks later Dorothy won the second annual Queen of the Arkansas Campus contest with a total of 242 votes, 28 votes ahead of her nearest rival. This honor will undoubtedly carry with it a trip to the University of Texas Roundup at Austin in the spring, when Queen Dorothy will represent Arkansas.

The queen is chosen! Long live the queen!



The life subscription endowment fund of the *Quarterly* has been made the nucleus of the new general endowment trust fund of Delta Kappa Epsilon. All donations are to remain forever in the trust fund. Its principal cannot be appropriated for any purpose whatsoever.





*Here is the Hall of Science, nucleus of the 1933 Chicago exposition. At night the 176-foot tower is illuminated by concealed neon tube-lights.*

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# Kappa Angles on "A Century of Progress"

By ELOISE OWINGS SKIDMORE, *Mu*

COME along with me and I shall take you into a veritable Panhellenic organization which is working on Chicago's attractive lakefront—preparing for the grand opening next June, of "A Century of Progress."

First, let me introduce to you three World's Fair Kappas: Catherine Brand Grove, Illinois; Jeannette Tooman and Virginia Crary, Wisconsin. Then when you look around and see the Arrows, the Kites, the Lamps, the Crosses, the Diamonds, the Shields and many other pins, you will know that this World's Fair is being planned by the youth of today.

This fair is not to be like the fairs of the past—a modern showroom with all the finished products lined up in a row, wrapped in cellophane. It is to show the progress and improvements that have been made on the things that surround us in everyday life. We accept as necessities what would have seemed like miraculous luxuries 100 years ago. For instance, silk hose (Queen Elizabeth cherished her one pair as greatly as her jewels); the telephone, by means of which we can reach a friend thousands of miles away; and our very foods—refrigeration, perfection of canning methods and rapid transportation bring to our table at all seasons anything our palate desires.

But let us see the fair.

We climb into one of the smart white streamline busses that have been especially designed for the exposition. As we skim along, the Hall of Science looms up first—the nucleus of the entire show, since the purpose of this ex-

position is to show a century of progress, its application to industry, and its effect on the life of the individual. This large and impressive building stands on the edge of a beautiful lagoon that opens into Lake Michigan.

Crossing the lagoon to the island, we come to the Electrical building. Sculpture, hanging gardens, steel trees and marvelous views enhance our vision as we wander through the building that will house radio, communications of all kinds and electrical exhibits. North of us we see the Agricultural and Dairy buildings, Government and States group, and the Planetarium, attractive in their shining simplicity of form. A circular bridge lined with smart shops takes us back to the mainland. We drive for three miles through an avenue of exotic forms.

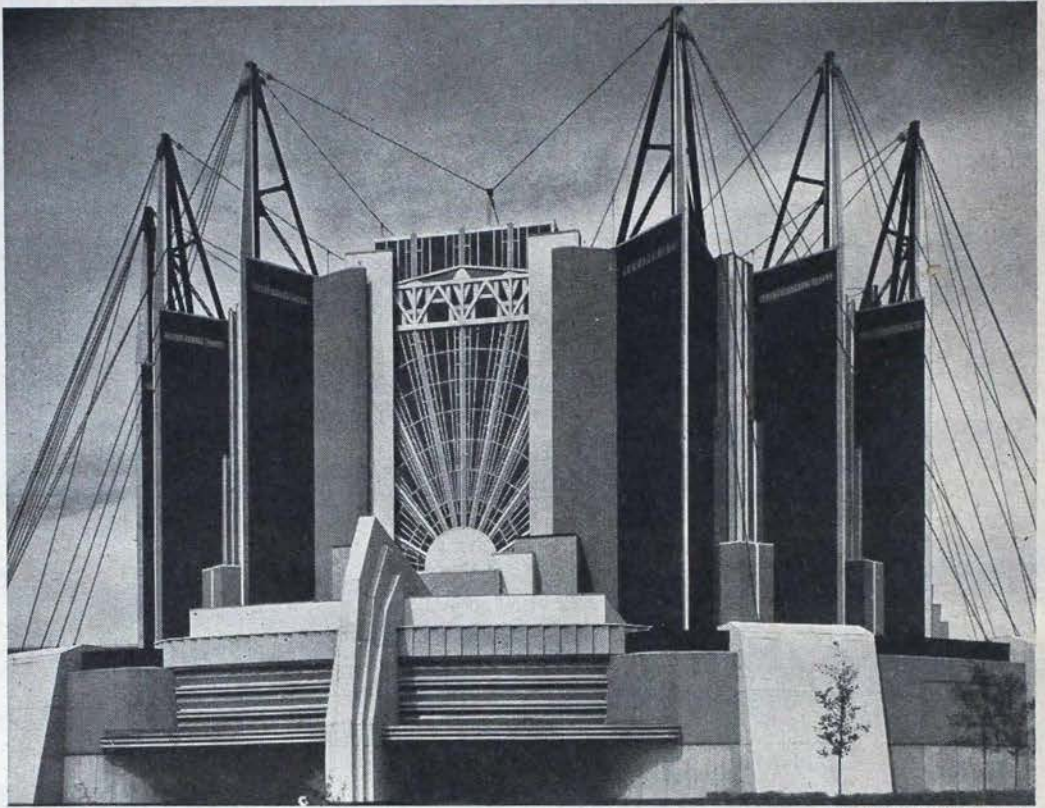
You say, "How odd! How different! And there are no windows!"

The basic idea of the architects was not to be different. In planning these buildings they took the function of the building as a basis and built around that. Since the lighting is an integral part of every exhibit effect, it must come from a controllable source. Daylight varies; therefore these buildings are planned without windows.

The enormous "breathing" dome of the Travel and Transport building is suspended from "skyhooks," thus providing the world's largest columnless indoor space—and at the same time serving as an architectural experiment with cantilever construction.

As we go inside the buildings you ask, "Who is conceiving these exhibits?"



*Kaufman-Fabry Photo*

*Here is the "breathing dome" of the Travel and Transport building, 125 feet high, 200 feet across, suspended by cables to roof the largest unobstructed area ever so enclosed by man. It applies the suspension bridge principle to architecture.*

Who is devising these new and exciting methods for displaying ordinary subject matter?" My husband, Louis Skidmore (Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Phi Kappa Sigma) is in charge of the design of all exhibits. Laboratories all over the country are collaborating with the fair and giving them the advantage of their experiments. The results are being used by Mr. Skidmore in his planning of exhibits. The fair is a testing ground for these ideas.

But why be so serious? The special features are worth hearing about and that involves my brother, Nathaniel Owings (Cornell, Sigma Chi), who is in charge of design in the amusement and concession area. Two gigantic

towers are being built now as a part of this section, served by speedy glass-enclosed elevators which will carry you gasping to the top. You will be able to cross the lagoon in rocket cars which swing from cables stretched between these great towers. The '93 fair had the Ferris wheel; the '33 fair has its rocket sky rides, higher than any building in Chicago.

Another feature is a five-acre plot reserved for children, called the Enchanted Island. This is their own property—here they are to be amused entertained and carefully guarded.

The clever part of the plan is that all of the amusements have an educational basis. For example, a complete tropical garden will be found actually



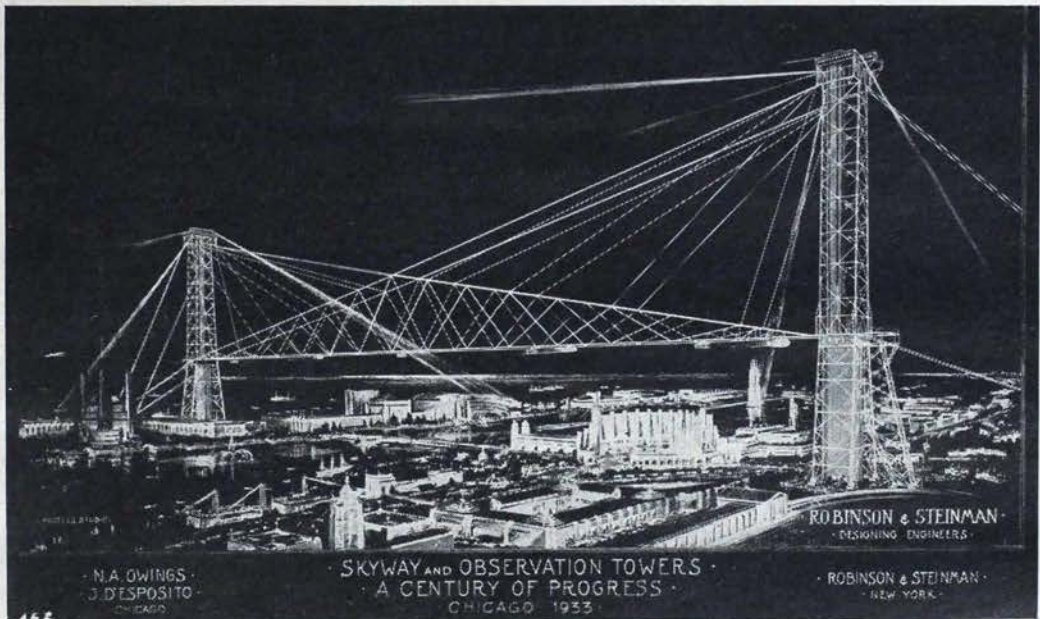
growing. A model farm will have only baby animals. A magic mountain, surrounded by a moat, will have at its top a fairy castle, from which a mysterious slide will offer an exciting exit down through the mountain. A house made entirely of marbles will give the boys a thrill. A gallery of art will be made up of children's work from all over the world. Murals will be executed by the children attending the fair.

So, Kappas, bring your children with you; they will love it and will probably meet other future Kappas, because Northwestern chapter, Upsilon, postponed the celebration of its 50th anniversary since installation in 1882,

until '33 so that it could be a "World's Fair" meeting. Ruth Bracken Huffman, of Northwestern, tells me Epsilon province is to have a convention in October this year and that they are planning to see the fair together.

My enthusiasm carries me on and on. Yes, the buildings are odd. But wouldn't you be disappointed if you came and saw the same old thing? The bold use of bright color, the simplified forms, the brilliant night lighting effects, the new form of amusements and the old "hot dog" and "pop" will certainly make you glad you came—so, Until this summer!

We'll be seeing you!



Louis Skidmore, husband of Kappa Eloise, is in charge of the design of all exhibits, while Nathaniel Owings, her brother, has a similar responsibility in the amusement and concession area. Hence you see Mr. Owings' name in the corner of this sketch. The towers are 625 feet high and 1850 feet apart, connected at the 200-foot level by cables over which rocket cars will carry passengers. One tower will be on the mainland north of the Hall of Science, the other on Northerly island, north of the Electrical group.



# It Was all Greek to Her, and She Loved It!

By MARGARET FARRELL WHITE, *Delta*

FOR the best possible combination of study and adventure I recommend a year in Europe!

While a student at the Sorbonne last year I lived in the family of a French countess; an impoverished countess to be sure, but nevertheless a countess. She virtually kept open house so that I met all sorts of fascinating people: among them a Russian sculptor, an Italian count, a Roumanian high official, an attache from the Greek Embassy, some Englishmen from Cape Town, besides Danes, Germans, and Turks. I particularly liked the Greeks, for high-class Greeks are extremely fascinating. Among my friends was a Greek family that had lived in Paris a number of years. I was invited to visit them in their home at Preveza the following summer. Preveza, as you may know, is in the province of Epirus,

which borders Albania on the north.

First we went to Athens. Athens thrilled me almost more than any other city of Europe. There is no other city which seems to belong to the whole world rather than to a single people. The Acropolis towering above the city is a constant reminder of the glory that was Greece.

From the Piraeus we went by slow boat to Preveza. Part of the way we went over the cruise of the *Odessey*, stopping at Vathy on the island of Ithaca. Homer's description of the island fits all the western coast of Greece remarkably well: "Verily it is rough and not fit for the driving of horses." But it is lovely, the mountains in the distance appearing blue, rose, and mauve.

Preveza is a seaport overlooking the beautiful gulf of Arta. It has had a



STREET IN PREVEZA



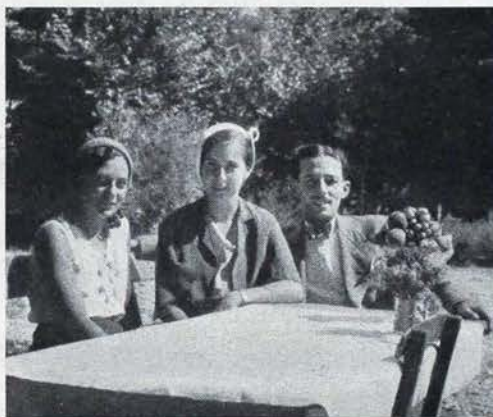


YANNINA—CAPITAL OF EPIRUS

turbulent history from the time of its foundation by Caesar Augustus commemorating his victory over Mark Antony at Actium, until 1912 when it was freed from the hated Turkish dominion. Small wonder that the homes of Preveza are built behind stone walls. The home of my Greek friends had been built by the Turks, and from the outside it resembled a fortress more than anything else. The only entrance was by way of a huge iron-studded door in the stone wall. This gave on a courtyard made beautiful by flowers and semi-tropical vegetation. A marble stairway led to the second floor which contained the living quarters of the family. The first floor was given over to servants' quarters, store rooms, and the kitchen. The spacious upper rooms were luxurious with beautiful Oriental rugs on the walls and floors, rich hangings, and hand-carved furniture.

The Greeks are famous for their hospitality. They are constantly offering food—sweetmeats, cooling drinks,

wine, or Turkish coffee. Dinner is never served before 10 o'clock in the evening. That is because everyone shuts up shop from 1 until 5 o'clock and takes a



OUTDOOR CAFE—ROAD TO YANNINA

siesta. At 5 they all have tea—then go back to the day's work. This is a pleasant arrangement, as it gives a long evening, and a summer night in Greece is heavenly!

The Greek symbol of domestic feminine bliss is the tortoise because it never leaves its home. There are few



localities that provide outside activities for women. High-class Greek women devote themselves absolutely to the welfare of their families and to doing beautiful lace and embroidery work. All the heavy work is done by servants. The wages of a good servant averages about three dollars a month.

The young people of Greece have great reverence for their parents. For instance, not one of the young men that I knew would smoke in the presence of his parents although he had permission to smoke. The girls never smoked at all, since their parents regarded it as highly improper.

The young women never go out without a chaperon. In the home where I visited the daughter never stepped on the street of that sleepy little village without a member of the family or a servant to attend her. Marriages are arranged by the parents. While these restrictions are difficult for young people who have been educated in the schools and universities of western Europe, very few of them defy the conventions.

One thing the vivacious Greek has never lost and that is the ability to enjoy himself. Even the poorest among them seems happy and will tell you with great pride that he is a descendant of Pericles. All of them have a great deal of national pride and in their incurable optimism are looking forward to another Golden Age.



For the year 1932-33, Pi Beta Phi will offer one graduate fellowship with a value of \$500, open to any member of the fraternity who has received her bachelor's degree, to be used at any university, either in this country or in Europe. Scholastic standing and all-around development of character are to be the basis of selection for the award.

## We Liked Them!

Lots of stunning and original Christmas cards from the Greeks were received by central office and the editor. We wanted to make a lay-out of some again this year. But the general fancy for combinations of red and black made it impossible to reproduce the grand council's, the one from Winifred Glass, the Banta family's, and Delta Zeta's, for example.

However, we'd like to mention Mrs. Boyd's greeting from Florida; the view of "Westhope," the modernistic home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lloyd Jones in Tulsa; the "pour le sport" motif chosen by Dorothy Wilson, former president of Epsilon province, and her husband, director of athletics at Northwestern; the snowy picture of the Stokes family Washington; Eric (S.A.E.) Dawson's; the house on "O" street; and many more.

For all of them, many thanks.



## Glorifying Geraldine

DON'T be surprised if you see Geraldine Gerding's picture on the cover of *College Humor* one of these months.

Geraldine was Gamma Eta's delegate to convention last June. Just before that she had been chosen one of the six most beautiful co-eds at Washington State in a contest sponsored by *The Chinook*, college annual.

So when it came December, there was Geraldine's picture in the C.H. "Hall of Beauty," which means that she may be chosen as a future subject for the magazine cover.



# Owl and—Er—Ahem!—Donkey Note

## *Lookit! Kappa Democrat, Kappa Province Vice-President, Comes Out of Hiding!*

By BEATRICE LUDLOW, Pi

AMONG other interesting items in the December KEY I read the account of various Kappas' activities in behalf of the Republican party, and the editor's fair conclusion, "We would be willing to be non-partisan. But no one has told us what, if anything, Democratic Kappas, if any, were doing for their party."

The editor was correct in writing "if any," though, as a matter of fact, I know personally three other Kappas besides myself who are Democrats. Incidentally, they are scattered over a distance of 3000 miles.

I was born into a mildly Republican family, and I did not become a Democrat until the age of 12. I will not tell why—that would be beyond the intent and scope of this article; for my purpose is not political propaganda, but to show that Democratic Kappas are not completely non-existent.

I am a native of California, which, in general, has been somewhat more consistently Republican than Maine. Indeed, to be a Democrat in certain parts of California is not unlike being a Republican in Georgia. I teach in a high school whose faculty numbers two Socialists, two Democrats, and 92 Republicans. At most social gatherings I find myself the only Democrat present. Nevertheless, on the whole I enjoy life, for I am very fond of my Republican friends, and they, while being unable to

comprehend my political convictions, overlook them as a peculiar idiosyncrasy.

A few of my acquaintance, however, have sometimes pondered in a patronizing way on my political divergence, and several have remarked, "But I can't understand why you are a Democrat; you don't look like one." (What, pray tell, is a Democrat supposed to look like?) And one even commented behind my back, "Oh yes; she's a Democrat, but the nice kind."

However, even if I don't look like a Democrat I must sound like one, as the following anecdote will show. Last summer I visited friends on a cattle ranch in Nevada 50 miles south of Reno. On departing from Reno the following week, after my friends left me, I proceeded to pen "thank you" notes in the lobby of the quietest and most conservative hotel in Reno. But it happened that a middle-aged politician of the old school was writing letters there also. After a while he turned to me and said, "Have you an envelope?" I told him that there were no hotel envelopes left, but that he was welcome to one of mine.

He thanked me and continued, "You will be glad to know that this is going to an important state official."

"I am always happy to aid in the cause of worthy politics."

"You sound like a Democrat!"



"I am," I declared.

With that, saying "Shake!" he removed his tooth-pick, took off his hat, and shook hands with me.

Now can an adventure like that befall a Republican? Emphatically, no! There is a lightheartedness, a comradery among the Democrats; for they are the children of political mischance, of high hopes and large defeats. I might also add that as a general thing they take their world with "ample salt" because they have the philosophy of more than 70 years of defeat behind them.

I won't go so far as to say that all Democrats have a sense of humor; but at least they have seldom been in a position to take themselves seriously. And they have enthusiasm. George Creel says: "The difference between Republicans and Democrats is that with the Republicans voting is a business, but with the Democrats, it's an emotional experience."

Last summer at the Kappa convention Judge Schofield gave an account of the Republican convention to which she had been a delegate. When she had finished a neighbor of mine exclaimed, "Wasn't that good!"

"Yes," I replied, "but did you notice that she had to go to the Democrats for her humor?" She had given three humorous anecdotes and they were all quotations from Democrats.

Judge Schofield had urged us to go to a political convention of either party at our first opportunity. I was exceedingly fortunate in being able to follow her advice almost immediately; and I did arrive in Chicago in time to attend some of the Democratic convention.

One evening I found myself, through

good luck and a kind acquaintance, at a private session where Newton D. Baker's nomination speech was being written. The hopes of all present were high, but incidentally the speech was never given, for at the next session McAdoo swung the Garner votes to Franklin D. Roosevelt. As I thought of Baker's adherents, I reflected that perhaps there are more disappointments in politics than in love.

To the last session on Saturday afternoon, I took the husband of a Chicago friend on the extra ticket which another kind friend, a prominent Democrat from California, had given me. The gay red background of painted seats and flags, the delegates seated in the pit with their banners representing all 48 states as well as the Virgin Islands, the Canal Zone, etc., the newspaper men dozing and reading in the press boxes, the chairman wielding an efficient gavel in a commanding manner, the songs and the cheering, all gave me a thrill far greater than any I had experienced at football game, horseshow or opera combined.

But after six hours—after the perfunctory nomination of John N. Garner as Vice-President, after eager waiting (on chairs) for the arrival of Governor Roosevelt, after his breath-taking entrance and splendid speech, my companion remarked, "Well, I feel toward all this much as I do toward my children: I wouldn't take \$1,000,000 for what I have, but I wouldn't give a dime for another." And the last I heard of him he was voting for Norman Thomas; but that's neither here nor there.

Throughout my stay in Chicago and later as I met other men and women of both parties active in government or



politics one thought constantly thrust itself into my mind: Why, these people are even as you and I, and sometimes—alas, yes, sometimes—even a little less.

In the fall at home I was unable to take a public part in the campaign, as teachers must not participate in purely political activities, but I did go to many interesting political meetings, debates, and rallies—and of course I talked.

One day a very good friend, a strong Republican and a representative Kappa said to me, "I believe I have discovered why you are a Democrat; being one gives you an opportunity for so much discussion."

However that may be, Democrats, indeed, are noted for talking, and if anyone is in doubt as to what Democratic Kappas, "if any," were doing, "if anything," during the campaign, I can state with authority that they decidedly were discussing, explaining, expounding, conversing, orating, and perhaps occasionally even railing and ranting. Ask their Republican friends; they know!



That women lack fraternity spirit is the opinion of Amy Comstock as expressed in a recent issue of the *Alpha Phi Quarterly*. "More fraternity men of parts stay interested in their fraternity than do fraternity women who may be conceded to have achieved," she says. "The ideals and sentiments of undergraduate days, and even after, are beneath their 'eminence.'"

Those whose attitude on fraternities is one of eternal condemnation should talk to eight-year-old William "Oscar" Hammond, adopted brother of the Denison college chapter of Phi Delta Theta, at Granville, Ohio. "Oscar," one of 11 children, his father and mother separated, entered the Phi family about Easter-time last year, after winning the friendship of Robert Bliss, a chapter member.

## Inauguration Eve Finds Democrats Steamed Up

By HANNAH HUNT STOKES, *Iota*  
Washington Bureau, Kappa Kappa  
Gamma KEY

Washington, D.C. — Governor Roosevelt's inauguration on the fourth of March will usher in a new era and "homecoming week" for the Democrats. Paraphrasing, the slogan around here will be, "Don't step on it, it might be a Democrat."



HANNAH STOKES

Mr. Roosevelt's election, if nothing more, should add caste to the Democratic party. His list of friends reads like the social register—the Whitneys, the Vanderbilts, the Astors, the Youngs, the Bakers, all of whom are acceptable anywhere, even in the home of the high-hattest Republican. (That must be Postmaster-General Brown.) His manners and dress are impeccable and he can sing from "Americana," "I'll match my private life with yours." Not quite in the same manner, though.

And are the Democrats getting steamed up! Democratic homes in Washington that have scarcely been opened in the last 10 or 12 years are having their ears washed and their faces lifted in anticipation of the event.

The elections are bringing back many identified with the late President Wilson's administration. William Gibbs



McAdoo, his son-in-law and Secretary of the Treasury on the side, as senator from California. Admiral Cary Grayson, his personal physician, is in charge of inaugural plans and Joe Tumulty, his secretary, is again figuring in the news. President Wilson's home is still a mecca for prominent Democrats.

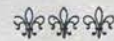
The children of the late Champ Clark, Speaker of the House, are returning; his son, Bennett Champ Clark, as senator from Missouri and his daughter, Genevieve Champ Clark, as the wife of James M. Thomson, representative from New Orleans. Both of them inserted the "Champ" in their names following the attack made on their father by William Jennings Bryan on the floor of the 1912 Democratic convention in Baltimore. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the "great commoner," representative from Florida, was one of the Democrats defeated in November.

The Owen D. Youngs, the Newton D. Bakers, Governor Albert D. Ritchie of Maryland and the John W. Davises are among those mentioned prominently for cabinet posts.

March 4 will likewise see the departure of the Hoovers, the Hurleys, the Smoots, the Brookharts, the Shortridges, Mr. Curtis and the Ganns.

Washington particularly will miss the Gann-Longworth feud. Mrs. Longworth has only been in and out of town this winter, but she was here long enough recently to make the front pages along with Dolly Gann, by attending what was Mrs. Gann's last most important rôle as "second lady," entertaining at dinner President and Mrs. Hoover. Alice Roosevelt Longworth will probably not spend much time at the White House, since she, by

self-admission in one of our leading female magazines, is only fifth cousin of the president-elect and beyond the name has little in common with him. That settles that!



## Chance to Write Essay for $\Phi$ BK Quarterly

THE AMERICAN SCHOLAR, quarterly journal published by Phi Beta Kappa, offers an opportunity for undergraduates to send in essays, well-written, "scholarly but not technical," of approximately 2,000 words "on any subject of general interest to educated readers."

All essays accepted by the editorial board of the magazine will be printed as main articles with the name of the author's college and fraternity indicated. An honorarium of \$25 will be paid the author. Essays should reach the editor of "The American Scholar," 145 West 55th street, New York, by the end of March.

Among articles which have already appeared in the magazine are: "Washington, Capitalism, and Nationalism," "The Passing of American Individualism," "Thomas Jefferson as a Classical Scholar," "A New Day for Scholarship," and "The Fraternity and Scholarship." The writer of an essay need not be a member of Phi Beta Kappa. The article submitted may also be a paper prepared for class work, if it has not been published. It is suggested that a professor's criticism be obtained before a manuscript is submitted.





# Introducing Jinricksha Jack, or, Kappa Husband Makee Two Piece Claim

JACK SHANNON, husband of Clella Shannon, Delta Epsilon, sent a greeting from Manila, Philippine Islands, in time to arrive at central office December 24, which is good coordination, if you ask us. The greeting from the Shannons was gay, as their picture indicates; but the accompanying letter practically makes Mr. Shannon the "Number One boy" among Kappa husbands in the editor's opinion to date.

"I had the pleasure of meeting you in Winter Park last winter when you assisted in the installation of the baby chapter at Rollins," wrote Mr. Shannon to Clara O. Pierce. "I did not realize at that time just what all this meant to Mrs. Shannon and the other girls, but when I read in *The Hoot* (yes, I was interested) that a husband had crossed the states to be with his wife at the convention I was reminded of another who went half-way 'round the world with his wife in order that she might share the honor with her sister alumnae as they joined the great sisterhood of Kappa Kappa Gamma. And after it was all over Clella claimed it was worth going the rest of the way 'round to get back 'home,' so we did.

"In view of all this, I claim until others rise to dispute my claim, the

honor of being the husband who traveled the longest distance with his sorority 'sister' that she might share her new-found honors with old friends in 'K E.' And for Clella the claim to having traveled the longest distance to attend a Kappa Kappa Gamma function of any kind."

Friend husband adds a jolly bit about the new Kappa insisting on riding around Hongkong a lot, "being a southern girl she claims to be afflicted with 'limousine feet.' Our Christmas card bears out this contention."

On that card (which couldn't be reproduced in a cut because the letters were black and the background was red and red photographs black (scientific

note), is a message in Chinese characters, with this translation: "In the harness all my life. Since my catchee one piece wife; She make allee talk and say, Velly Melly Clismas Day."

The Shannons are herewith informed that the matter has been filed with the claims department of Kappa Kappa Gamma, pending word from disputatious husbands and sisters. But the editor is willing to pin a handsome plush fleur-de-lys upon Coolie Jack's manly chest in token of one claim he neglected to make, but which warmed



Jack Shannon, posing as Mr. Pull-man, about to take Kappa Clella for a ride.



the old editorial heart no end—that of being the most distant male reader of *The Hoot* (and KEY?).

N.B. to Jack and Clella. How are

things at the Polo Club? As we've heard tell before, "The Rollins people are a great crowd!" Whether they're in Florida or Manila.



*Mary Hatfield isn't in this picture, probably having gone out to climb into a bright red Santa Claus suit, plus beaucoup pillows for stuffing. But here are Virginia Harper Meeks, Isabel Hatton, Polly Edelen and Clara O. Pierce. (Kindly note the copy of the history on the shelf back of Clara O.!)*

## Kappa Spirit at Christmas

RECOGNIZING an obligation to the city in which it is located, Kappa's central office made those initial letters stand for "Christmas Offerings" at the holiday season just past.

Clara O. and the girls bestowed "white elephant" gifts upon one another and used their dollars to buy gifts, food and clothing for three little children who lost their mother in Au-

gust, and whose father is out of work. If it had not been for the thoughtfulness of the central office staff, there would have been empty stockings in that home on Christmas morning.

But it's no news for Kappas to be told that they have a heart at central office, as well as an efficient business organization.



## *Field Secretary Comes East Now After Autumn as "Rites Leader"*



NOVEMBER 1 seems a long time ago as I write this in the shadow of the New Year, perhaps because so many things have been happening in the interim. I saw a lot of our delightful Beta Mus from the University of Colorado during the first few weeks of November, for I paid them a visit for several days in their elegant house, and then had the fun of working with them at the Colorado college and Utah installations. The Boulder campus is beautifully situated with a row of rugged mountains looming up behind it. There are attractive and interesting people at Boulder, and I loved my stay there. It is close to Denver—about 30 miles I presume—and my trips thither were full of interesting contacts. The whole association turned out in full force for a reception in honor of Alice Barney and me, and we were greatly impressed with their enthusiasm and interest in the fraternity. I met Estelle Kyle Kemp in Denver—much fun to meet such an attractive person, whose name I had learned when I was a pledge, since she was our national Panhellenic delegate then. Betty Sparhawk has been in poor health since convention and her duties as province president, at least in connection with the installations, were most efficiently handled by Edith Herrick, a very nice person, by the way. (I almost forgot

to mention the outstanding event on the social calendar of Boulder—the Halloween party after taps, where you'd have been convulsed to see Sue Grier as Mickey Mouse, and other such celebrities in full regalia.) Other things I remember well are: the beautiful "House of a Thousand Candles" where the reception in Denver was held—the self-same house described so well by Meredith Nicholson; the pleasure of seeing Charlotte Powell Goddard, former chairman of the Students' Aid fund again; and the trip up to Estes Park to look over the Stanley hotel, where the Thetas had a most successful convention last summer.

November 2. In Colorado Springs all set for the big installation—the high lights of which have been related elsewhere. Besides, the satisfaction of founding such a good chapter, the hospitality of the Kappas there, the beauty of the skies and mountains, the magnificence of the Garden of the Gods, all made the week-end an unforgettable time.

November 8. It was great fun to return to Wyoming for a visit with the chapter, and it warmed my heart to see the whole chapter down at the train to welcome me. We had a buzzing time over the recent installation, and the plans for the Utah chapter. The Wyoming house is fixed up so attrac-



tively this year with many new additions. Dorothy Graham, Sigma, is a big help there, and the *alumnæ* association has grown much stronger. A real blizzard blew down from the mountains the day I left—the first real indication of winter I had seen—and it spoiled the plans for a dinner at the Summit inn, nearly 9000 feet above sea level. Dorothy Graham and I left for Salt Lake all agog over the lovely Talisman roses we proudly wore, saying our *au revoirs* to most of the chapter who were to join us for the celebration a day later.

November 10. It was great to rejoin Alice Barney and get the second installation under way. It, too, has been described in detail so I won't reiterate—but the most glowing reports of it were no exaggeration. It was nice to see Elizabeth Nelson again. I was highly amused to see the heading over pictures of Alice and me in the paper in Salt Lake—"Rites Leaders." I had luncheon with an honorary group, the Acorns, who are anxious for recognition of Mortar Board. I'm hoping the best for them. I hated to say good bye to Alice Barney, for we had a most pleasant time together at our installations. I began to realize that the excitement was over when she left for Minneapolis and I left a bit later, after a pleasant dinner with some of the new *alumnæ*, for Albuquerque, New Mexico. Special note: One of my gifts on departing was a box of a favored food—graham crackers!

November 14. It was a beautiful trip through Colorado en route to New Mexico—through the Royal Gorge, a deep gash in the cliffs enlivened with a rushing torrent, and crossed by a high suspension bridge miles overhead. Al-

buquerque (which word, by the way likes its last syllable pronounced), is a most unusual place combining the beauty of the desert, much Pueblo architecture and a really buoyant and wholehearted college life. The university buildings as well as the fraternity houses have expressed the individuality of their locality in their buildings—the flat roofs, and adobe colored walls most effective in their simplicity. To me, the University of New Mexico is a really distinctive school with a character all its own and a great charm and beauty about it. Our Gamma Beta chapter there is fine—interesting, alert members in the thick of things most of the time, living a wholesome, rollicking life and getting a lot out of it. Their *alumnæ* are splendid, and for years have given the chapter a strong and influential backing. Their beautiful house is just one of the monuments to their devotion. Helen Savage, the province vice-president, lives there—you'll remember her from convention. A trip to Isleta, an Indian village, was a rare treat for me, and to see the small houses all grouped together around a huge court reminded me of the old chummy villages where all lived close for protection. I was fortunate in coming at the homecoming week-end, when all the roofs were lighted with candles placed in paper bags—a lovely old Spanish custom which is also associated with Christmas there.

November 19. I arrived in El Paso, Texas, early in the morning after leaving Albuquerque arrayed in all the loveliness a large full moon could bestow—and found a courageous and early-rising group of Kappas out to breakfast with me—I should say, rather, that I breakfasted with them, and it was great



fun to meet such interest and enthusiasm. They are a youthful association, but getting along well, with an assorted membership of Kappas from many chapters. I salute such grand scouts who will get up at seven to breakfast with an unknown field secretary, and leave small children and husbands to fend for themselves.

November 20. Tucson, with its desert, wonderful sunshine, University of Arizona and Gamma Zeta chapter. Such a cosmopolitan place—people from all over the country lured by the delightful climate—and our Kappas, too, are drawn from the country at large. They are an attractive chapter, hard-working, and terribly serious about their scholarship—a most creditable trait, in my estimation. They have elegant plans for a new house, which we're all hoping may be started in the spring—a Spanish design, peculiarly fitted to the environment. I thoroughly enjoyed meeting the alumnae and the Mothers' club there. An added pleasure there was having tea with Helen Carmen Tidmarsh, a good Beta Pi and a lovely person, at her home out on the mesa with mountains at her back door and the sunsets gorgeously painting a wide sky every evening. We had lots of fun singing at the Arizona chapter, having chapter pictures taken, and basking in the sun—a most colorful place with the breath of summer still present.

November 24. Thanksgiving at Pasadena with my good friend, Betty Nagelvoort, a talented Kappa of unusual mental and artistic gifts—much seeing of old friends who have drifted thither, and many visits with alumnae groups. A fine group of Betas Mus in Pasadena included me in their gather-

ing one afternoon—also Peg Harding, Upsilon—and Colorado college and its installation, Denver and Boulder Kappas and things, were guffed over with great gusto. Another pleasant experience was the trip to San Diego, where the Kappa alumnae gathered for tea and much Kappa talking—they, too, are from widely scattered chapters, and with the good old Kappa spirit strong in their hearts. I am so glad I could have gone down there to meet them. At Long Beach, I had another delightful meeting with Kappas. Nowhere have I seen the alumnae ritual used more beautifully. They have an interesting membership, keep a fascinating scrapbook, and have a lot of enthusiasm. Myrtle White Godwin, of housing fame, being our expert on how to build fraternity houses most ideally, has certainly demonstrated her cleverness in her own home. It was very nice to see her again.

November 30 was the big day on which I first cast eye upon U.C.L.A. chapter—our Gamma Xis. In one of the most rapidly growing institutions in the country, drawing largely from Los Angeles, having a full and sane college program, our Kappa chapter has grown wondrously well, and lives happily in a beautiful Spanish house next door to the Thetas. There was a good deal of excitement while I was there—a mysterious casket made its appearance in the living room while I harangued the chapter in meeting—I don't know whether they expected me to have such a terrible effect on the chapter, or what the intent was. There was a delightful tea given by the Los Angeles alumnae, followed immediately by a banquet at the Jonathan club, where gardenias flowered in amazing



abundance, speeches in verse and prose flowed eloquently, song burst forth, freshmen performed and even complained of having nothing to do—and every one looked like a picture. I enjoyed an organ recital at Royce hall on the campus, where the organist is a wonderful artist—from the Mormon Tabernacle in Salt Lake. I was also lucky enough to be in Los Angeles for the Washington - U.C.L.A. football game and subsequent Washington reunion. High light—a swim in the Pacific ocean in December sounds much more brave than it was—sunny California was running true to form—for the time being. Loved renewing my acquaintance with Virginia Dunning, province president of California—and a grand person.

December 6. I rushed off the train at Palo Alto, after a sprint through five cars from the diner to pick up my belongings after the train had come to a stop—what a charming picture to place before the Stanford chapter for its first impression! I have always wanted to see Stanford and found my fondest expectations realized in its fine students, beautiful buildings with arcades, quadrangles, magnificent memorial chapel, palm trees and landscaped grounds. The Kappas there have long had a fine chapter—and their scholastic and activity honors are many at present. The house is an old one but in good repair, and a cozy atmosphere prevails there—a congenial chapter. Right now the preparations for rushing loom large on the horizon—and here's luck to them. They have an interesting alumnæ group in Palo Alto—enjoyed my meeting with them, and was thrilled to hear so much enthusiasm over the history. I was so

glad to meet Miss Griggs, a member of Alpha chapter, whose recent return to fraternity affiliations has an intriguing history. Mrs. Russell, another alumna there, has just published a new book "Touring Utopia" a copy of which I hope will find its way into our collection of books by Kappa authors in the central office—sounds interesting, doesn't it? Lucy Guild, ex-coorganizer to Duke, and now a student at Stanford working for a doctor's, was a welcome sight. Mrs. Lawry, once editor of *THE KEY*, is one of the pillars of the organization in these parts, and still keeps the freshest outlook on everything going on in the fraternity.

December 8 was the date of a beautiful tea in San Francisco, at the Orrick's lovely home overlooking the bay, where the Kappas gathered in goodly numbers—a real pleasure for me. Eleanor Bennet, grand vice-president, was the most distinguished Kappa there, and I loved seeing her again. I heard news of the flourishing London, England, alumnæ association, where several Pis seem to be enjoying Kappa contacts. A few days later saw me again leaving Palo Alto, this time for a week-end with Eleanor and a brief glimpse of Pi at Berkeley. Pi will always be especially dear to me as my first chapter to be visited—besides having other claims to my affection. Eleanor and I talked Kappa unendingly, had time for a lot of fun, went over alumnæ reports, and had a fine time enjoying the first snow and freezing weather of the bay country for a long time. Beatrice Ludlow, province vice-president, was a stimulating and enjoyable sight in Berkeley. High light—Pi has three Phi Beta Kappas in the chapter.



December 14. I stopped over for a while at Corvallis and renewed friendships with the Gamma Mus at Oregon state. There has been considerable change in the college organization in Oregon, and it was good to have a clear insight into the situation. Oregon and Oregon state are now under one president, and many of the courses have been shifted in the two schools. Science is being concentrated on the Oregon state campus and many letters and arts courses have been transferred to Oregon.

Leaving Corvallis, I stopped next at Portland, Oregon, to have tea and dinner with the alumnae, always a treat. I feel near home when I reach Portland, and see many familiar faces there. They have done wonders in their membership drive this year—about 100 members, I think—and have been able to reduce their dues to a minimum. They have the smartest way of raising money there—a style show which has grown to be a much anticipated event on the social calendar—and on which they concentrate all their money making efforts. A good Kappa town—Portland.

December 16. Back to Seattle, for the holidays and agog over seeing everyone I've ever known. Beta Pi seems to be in fine shape, the Seattle alumnae are as enthusiastic as ever, and the Everett alumnae are doing wonderfully this year. The latter group has done a fine piece of work for the Red Cross, and I'm proud of their progress. Everywhere now I hear curiosity expressed about the history—and if you could just see it you'd want to retire from everything for days just to bury yourself in it. I took it over to Claire Drew Forbes the other day, who is go-

ing to help Lora Harvey George with the advertising—hope you'll all buy one and enjoy the New Year reading it. I'm starting east after the New Year and will be dropping in on many of the middle western Kappas before I start on my southern trek.



## *The Editor Reflects . . .*

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ing week, April 21-22, with Beta Zeta at Iowa State as hostess.

Mu province will have Beta Chi, University of Kentucky, as hostess, April 28-29.

Delta province has named May 5-6, when Delta chapter will be hostess at Indiana State.

Here endeth the spring convention dates.

Alpha province has chosen September 15-16 for its convention at Cornell university, with Psi chapter as hostess.

No other dates have been selected for the autumn. But Upsilon will entertain the convention of Epsilon province at Northwestern, and Gamma Psi will be hostess for Lambda province at the University of Maryland.

Province conventions are national conventions in miniature. If any Kappa has not yet acquired the habit of attending conventions, it is an excellent idea to start with her province meeting and work up. Mark the date of your own province convention on your engagement calendar and do something constructive about it!





# EN ROUTE TO STARDOM

By MARION TAYLOR, *Zeta Tau Alpha*  
*Publicity Director, Bonstelle Civic Theater*

**D**ETROIT Kappas have a lively interest in theatrical affairs this season, for one of their own girls, Eugenie Chapel, stepped from the dramatic activities of the Michigan campus, where

curls, Eugenie in the full rustling gowns of the 1860's cut quite a different figure from her customary, off-stage appearance.

Like Miss Chapel, Robert Henderson, the new director of the theater, is a graduate of the University of Michigan, class of '26. His father, Professor William D. Henderson, is dean of the university's extension division, and his mother, who acts as his business manager in all his productions, is president of the Michigan branch, American Association of University Women. It was under her leadership as executive secretary of the Alumnae council that Michigan women raised \$1,500,000 in 1927 for the Michigan League building.

It was also in Ann Arbor that Robert Henderson began his spring dramatic festivals, which in three years have become a widely recognized expression of a new and vital movement in the theater. This movement, which he calls the "festival idea," is being applied to the Detroit theater this season. It is neither stock nor repertory production, but an injection of freshness into theatrical fare by obtaining notable guest stars to play with the nucleus company for short engagements of one or two weeks, in plays that are new and popular, with only an occasional revival.

In "Little Women," for example, Miss Chapel was playing with Ernest Glendinning, who has long been one of the most popular leading men on the American stage.



EUGENIE CHAPEL

she graduated last June, to the repertory company at the Detroit Bonstelle Civic theater, where she has already appeared in two productions, and is on call for future plays.

During the Christmas holiday revival of Louisa M. Alcott's celebrated "Little Women," Miss Chapel had great success in the part of Amy, the quaint little March sister whose love of long words and artistic ambitions led to her romance with the tomboy Laurie. Wearing a wig of long blonde



Jessie Royce Landis, after a month at the Bonstelle Civic theater, returned to New York, where she starred in William A. Brady's holiday revival of "Little Women" as Jo. It was in "Best Years," a domestic comedy by Raymond Van Sickel, starring Miss Landis and Lester Vail, that Eugenie Chapel made her professional debut.

After the opening performance, Eugenie held an unexpected reception in the green room, the actors' backstage drawing room. For the Kappa sisters turned out in force to see her play the delightful ingenue rôle of Madge Evans.

"I can't fully express my gratitude to Miss Landis for the invaluable help she gave me during rehearsals of 'Best Years,'" Eugenie said then. "She was so generous with suggestions for improving the business of my part, and so kind in giving me every opportunity to make the most of it. Then in the next play, 'Peter Ibbetson,' when she was so lovely as the Duchess of Towers playing with Rollo Peters in the title rôle, I had the part of a little French maid, Victorine. At first it didn't look like more than a walk on the stage, and quickly off. But Miss Landis showed me how to build it up, so that at least it was a definite bit of characterization."

Eugenie's first stage rôle, at the tender age of seven, was in Miss Bonstelle's production, "Happiness." Later she played summer stock in Buffalo, and had two seasons in Stuart Walker's Indianapolis company. At Ann Arbor, she was in several productions of the play production department, including leading parts in "The

Good Hope" and "The Importance of Being Ernest." In 1931 she spent the summer as student assistant, or business manager of the Michigan Repertory company, and played in "Paris Bound," "Liliom," and "Camille of Roaring Camp."

Last summer, with the same repertory group, directed by Thomas Wood Stevens, one of the foremost spirits in



ROBERT HENDERSON

the little theater activity, Eugenie had a part made famous in China by the celebrated female impersonator, Mei-Lang-Fang, who visited America last year. It was the leading rôle in "The Chalk Circle," an ancient Chinese drama of the thirteenth dynasty, which was presented for the first time in America at the St. Louis Little theater last winter by Mr. Stevens.



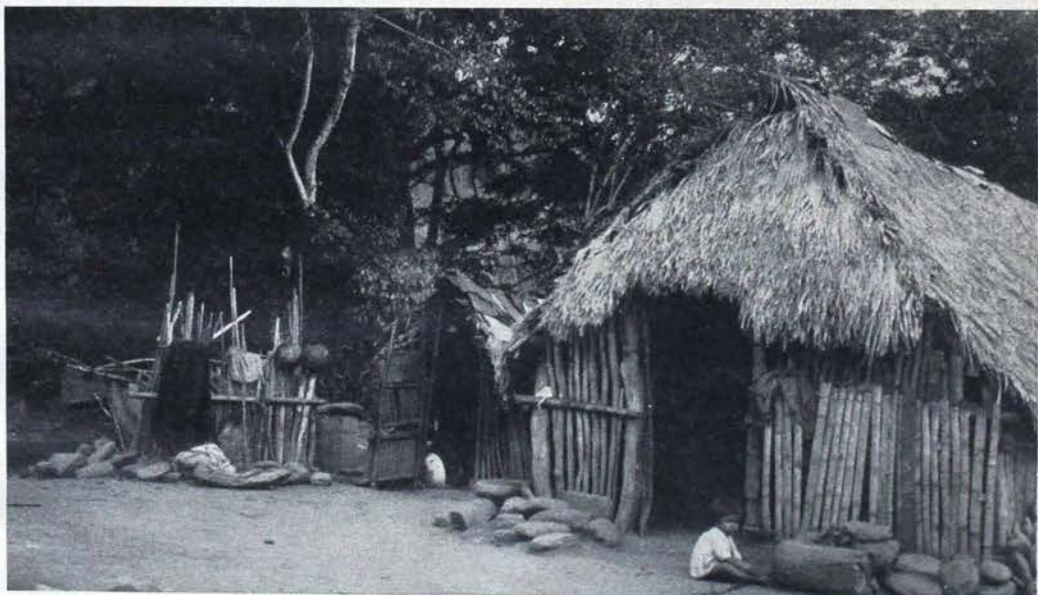
# Bogota, the Athens of South America

## *Kappa Tells of Legation Life in Orchidaceous Colombia*

By LOUISE OESTREICH, *Gamma Beta*

THE work in our diplomatic missions abroad is intensely interesting, for many reasons and extremely pleasant because of the intelligent and congenial people with whom one comes in contact. It is fascinating to be on the "inside" of state secrets, politics, big business deals and all the various important matters which we handle in the American legation at Bogota, Colombia. Because there, and in many other South and Central American countries, the legation is in close contact with both the government and large American companies doing business in the country and is often called upon to intercede with one or the other.

Colombia is extremely rich in natural resources such as oil, emeralds, gold, platinum, copper, and other minerals, to say nothing of a very fertile soil which produces the best coffee in the world, large quantities of bananas, and an abundance of orchids and gardenias exactly like our hot-house products which grow wild and may be had for the picking. Almost all of the items on this list are produced by American companies and exported to the United States. For this reason, the legation has been concerned chiefly with protecting, extending and assisting our commercial interests rather than with purely diplomatic representation. The



*A native home, sweet home in the "hot country" of Colombia.*



bulk of the work of our staff consists of making as complete reports as possible of the political, economic, and financial condition of the country as well as of the activities of American concerns established there and any developments affecting them.

The chief of the legation is the minister, who is the official representative of our country in Colombia and whose duties in general are to protect and further our interests and to act as the intermediary between the Department of State in Washington and the Colombian government. The present minister to Colombia, Jefferson Caffery, has done splendid work in settling certain long-standing controversies of American companies with the Colombian government and allaying certain antagonistic sentiment against this country.

One of the most important functions of the legation is to promote good will between Colombia and the United States. Ever since the episode which Colombians regard as our theft of Panama from them we have been bitterly hated and it is only in the last four or five years that this feeling has grown less intense. One still hears occasionally a shout of "Down with the Yankees!" One method of promoting good will is to establish friendly contacts with influential Colombians both informally and by entertaining. Teas, receptions, and dinners are given frequently. An essential feature of a formal dinner, and one of the duties of the staff, is to arrange the seating. Every diplomat and official must be given his proper seat at table according to his rank. Any slip would be fatal—an insult never to be forgiven.

The American colony in Bogota is

comparatively small but very congenial. There is a great deal of entertaining both in private homes and at the Anglo-American club. An amusing incident occurred last year at one of the dances of this club which I at-



*Diplomat on horseback, Louise Oestreich goes riding on the savannah near Bogota—not in Georgia.*

tended. It was a formal affair at which both the American and British ministers were to be present and it was decided to have the national anthem played upon the entrance of each minister. Unfortunately, however, the orchestra could not master "The Star Spangled Banner." The music committee of one succeeded in buying a phonograph record of the American anthem, but "God Save the King" could not be found. The night of the dance arrived and the American minister duly made his entrance to the phonographic rendition of "The Star Spangled Banner." Soon afterwards the British minister arrived and there was a lot of worry-



ing by everyone except the music committee. That gentleman turned the record over and everyone stood at attention as the strains of the British national anthem rang out. The music



*South American Indian folk lore calls this the beard of Bochiva, the white prophet; but Americans call it Tequendoma Falls, 600 feet high, and about 30 miles from Bogota.*

committee was being heartily congratulated on his master-stroke when a member of the British staff looked at the record. "Bless my soul," he exclaimed, "that's not 'God Save the King'; it's 'America.'"

Colombia, while small in area and population, is a veritable gold mine of undeveloped natural resources, but communication and transportation facilities are inadequate. Such improvements as have been made in recent years on telegraphs, railroads, sanitation, buildings, and other modern conveniences represent the investment of American capital and much

still remains to be done. Many parts of the country are still unexplored.

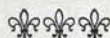
The scenery is magnificent, varying from snow-capped mountain peaks to the hottest, thickest jungle, which is the home of savage Indians who still shoot poisoned darts and arrows. These Indians, by the way, collect human heads as trophies of war and shrink them to about the size of a grapefruit. I have seen the shrunken head of an old woman. The features were all perfect. She had eyelashes and eyebrows and long gray hair. Her name was "Grandma" and she was the property of the American manager of the Singer Sewing Machine company, who kept her on his desk and combed her hair every morning. Yes, they sell a lot of sewing machines in Colombia. Even the humblest family in a one-room thatched hut has one.

The percentage of illiteracy is high; but Bogota, a city of more than 200,000, has been a center of learning and culture since its founding by Quesada in 1538 and is very proud of its title of the Athens of South America. The Bogotanos are, indeed, a highly-educated, cultured people with exquisite manners and speak the purest and most grammatical Spanish used anywhere outside of Castille. Great attention is given to dress. The men wear the usual costume of gray and black striped trousers, bowler hat and short black coat in the morning, changing to cutaways and top hats in the afternoon and evening dress for dinner. The women are always well and fashionably dressed in clothes imported direct from Paris.

Of course, life was not all pleasure. We did a great deal of hard work in the legation, many times on holidays



and late into the night. But it was interesting and, for me, instructive work and, while I cannot say that I was particularly pleased at times when I had to cancel engagements at the last minute or was routed out of bed in the middle of the night to get off an important cable, I nevertheless was absorbed in the work and enjoyed doing it. The experience and broader viewpoint which the diplomatic service affords are an education in themselves.



## Kappa is Manager of Panhellenic House

MRS. SUE STONE DURAND, well-known in the educational world, as was her husband, the late Dr. Elias J. Durand, noted botanist, has been named manager of the Panhellenic, 3 Mitchell place, New York city. Mrs. Durand's appointment is announced by Mrs. A. Barton Hepburn, president of the Panhellenic, which this fall celebrated its fourth birthday.

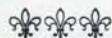
Mrs. Durand is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, from Theta chapter, University of Missouri. Her wide contacts in the educational world have grown out of her own study and executive experience, and from her leadership in colleges where her husband was a faculty member. From 1924 to 1928 she was dean of students at the North Carolina college for women, Greensboro, N.C. For two years she was state president of the North Carolina Deans' association and at the same time chairman of the national membership committee of the Association of Deans.

Following a year of foreign travel and study, Mrs. Durand accepted the

post of general secretary of the central branch, Young Women's Christian association, of New York city, where she served until the summer of 1931.

Mrs. Durand holds an M.A. degree from Teachers college, Columbia university. She is a graduate of the University of Missouri, and studied previously at Beloit college. Her husband was head of the departments of botany at the University of Minnesota, the University of Missouri and Cornell university. His scientific collection is owned by Cornell university.

Mrs. Durand's step-daughter, Anna P. Durand, is a Kappa from Cornell university and is now teaching in the library school, Carnegie Institute of Technology.



## Tragic Death

KAPPAS who read in the newspapers late in December of the Negro soldier who ran amok at the army post at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, killing Major and Mrs. David A. Palmer and another officer and his wife, will be shocked as were the members of Phi chapter to know that Mrs. Palmer was Mary L. Lowden, Phi.

She became a member of the chapter in 1911 and was married to Mr. Palmer, Beta Theta Pi, Boston university, at the beginning of the World war. Mrs. Palmer was a delegate to one national convention and held many chapter and college offices. A cousin, Frances, is also a Kappa.

Mrs. Palmer leaves two small children, her little son, with bravery and intelligence, having saved his younger sister from death in the post tragedy.



# I.F.U.W. Conference in Edinburgh

By BEATRICE STANTON WOODMAN, *Phi*

LONG ago I decided, since Mrs. Kuhn's custom of returning to America every two years for Kappa convention was for me an unattainable ideal, second best would be Kappa convention and Europe on alternate summers. In 1929 I went as a delegate to the Conference of the International Federation of University Women at Geneva, and came away so enthusiastic that I promised myself I would not miss the next conference, at Edinburgh in 1932. That would be a Kappa convention year; but against all reason as it seemed at times, I continued to plan for both meetings; and with Kappa convention coming to me last year, steamship rates tumbling down, and the British government remitting the price of the visa to delegates, even in 1932 it could be done.

The sixth conference of the International Federation of University Women was held from July 27 to August 4. Headquarters were at the George Watson Ladies' college square. Sir Walter Scott once lived in one of the tall gray houses facing the square where grass sprouts between the wide cobbles outside the green locked garden. Meetings were held in several of the halls of the University of Edinburgh; public meetings were held in George Heriot's school, a famous old school in a seventeenth century building, with a close-up of the castle across the Grassmarket.

The formal opening of the conference at McEwan hall, July 29, was an impressive and colorful affair. Many of the council members and delegates,

and the representatives of the university, wore the academic costume of their universities, while the civic officers wore beautiful gold insignia, or the historic, almost medieval, costume of their offices. Professor Winifred Cullis, of London university, presided with characteristic humor, and happiness of phrase.

The American delegation met every morning at nine to discuss the business of yesterday and today. With Dean Gildersleeve to interpret the spirit of the I.F.U.W. these meetings were of great value, as only a few of us had attended previous conferences.

Virginia Gildersleeve, a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, is one of the founders of the I.F.U.W. and was the second president. With two English women, Caroline Spurgeon, later the first president, and Rose Sidgwick, who came to the United States with the British Educational Mission in 1918, Dean Gildersleeve first discussed the possibility of an international union of university women. The possibility became an actuality in London in 1919. As in the beginning, Dean Gildersleeve continues to be one of the leading spirits of the I.F.U.W. Her understanding of the characteristics and viewpoints of the different national groups is remarkable.

She usually sits on the platform—a distinguished figure in brown—and acts as procedure adviser to the meetings. In that capacity she has a positive genius for clarifying the thought of a meeting, and bringing order out of the confusion of tongues in three



languages. In the federation, we feel that Dean Gildersleeve's service to university women throughout the world cannot be overestimated.

For the first time the conference tried the method of group discussion for one of the members' meetings with the subject chosen for debate, "Is university training adequate preparation for women in contemporary life?" The conference was divided into groups of about 20 members from different countries, with two languages in common, and a leader for each group. Discussion took the form of exchange of ideas, information and comparisons rather than criticism and argument.

The American and British members defended education through human contact and personal relationships, as found in their residential colleges and the segregation institutions (women's colleges), "a university phenomenon restricted to English-speaking countries." It was agreed that the period for a first degree should not be less than four years; and that the present tendency to make entrance too easy should be discouraged. American universities were criticised for spending too much time on vocational training; and, with the English, for too great emphasis upon organization of physical training.

Nine special interest circles were offered, and I joined the history group under the direction of Miss Downie, a charming Scotch girl with swirls of red braids over her ears. At a luncheon Dr. Wood, keeper of the Edinburgh city archives, a distinguished university woman and writer, gave us the history of Edinburgh; on another occasion she told us of her researches on "The Wandering Scott"; and took

us to the castle, one of her specialties.

Other visits to historic spots were arranged under expert guidance. But most thrilling of all was the visit to the Register house where Professor Hannay brought out for us endless historic documents. Imagine being able to hold the inventory of the jewels of Mary Queen of Scots, in her own handwriting, and a little volume made by Queen Elizabeth when a child! Miss Downie learned of my interest in Scottish castles, historically and architecturally, and was most helpful.

Even if, one morning, she and I nearly went to the bottom of the Firth of Forth, when a sudden squall overtook the small boat in which we were crossing from Inchcolm—a second Iona—I was repaid when at sunset I found myself in sole possession of Dirleton castle and an enchanting walled garden.

Many social functions had been planned for the conference until our evenings seemed all a matter of scarlet and ermine, Highlanders and pipes, and Newhaven fisherwomen singing. But best of all was the famous Scottish hospitality that many of us enjoyed when we were entertained in the homes of members of the Edinburgh association. So leaving Edinburgh and friends there was like a shadow across two perfect weeks.

Of course, a Kappa would open one door for me. The first new person I met in Scotland asked if I knew the only friend she had in America—Eva Phillips Boyd of my own chapter. I was entertained in this home where reminiscences were of R. W. Emerson and the famous Scottish philosophers, one of whom was the father of these charming women.



# Not a Word About "My Little Kappa Lady"?

By WINIFRED GLASS, *National Chairman of Music*

It's a peculiar thing that we do not seem able to live without this intangible something called music. Each country has its particular music, each organization also has its own. Carrying it still farther each group of people banded together for whatever purpose seems to have its own song, possibly original but often adapted from some well-known melody. There is hardly an acquaintance of yours, if you will recall, who hasn't said some time or other in your hearing—"I love that piece!" or "That's my favorite song!"

We should be proud as Kappas to know that we have so many gifted musicians—as the song book shows. There are many really delightful songs there.

Some of our songs have lived for years, such as the "Knocking, Knocking, Who is There" which came from Delta, the oldest living chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Beta Sigma at Adelphi gave us some time ago, "Kappa All Hail to Thee" written by Juliette Hollenbach, who was grand registrar at one time, and "Drink to Those Kappa Memories" by Katherine Tobin-Mullin.

Then strangely enough, other songs which are very nice seem to die out and are not sung any more. Quite frequently we have inquiries as to what happened to this song or that one and occasionally we find that a song is now sung only in part of its original form, as for example "The Dearest Name" which appears on pages 18-19 of the 1932 song book. Cleora Wheeler of Chi tells me that this song was used a great deal for rushing parties when she was

an active. They danced to it. The song then had a chorus. There has been no chorus used with this song for quite some time. Evidently it has been lost. We are trying to find it and perhaps in a later edition we shall again have the chorus as Miss Wheeler recommends it.

There are some amusing incidents connected with the publication of a song book. When we were compiling the material for the 1932 book we sent letters to all the chapters asking for the six most popular songs. The response was gratifying and supplied the material to determine the songs which should be included in the book along with the traditional songs of the fraternity.

"I Love the Name of K.K.G." (to the tune of "I Love You the Most of All") was included in several lists of songs. This number was credited to Omega chapter of University of Kansas. The girls at Omega were certain that it was an alumna of that chapter who had written the song; the name, however, had been lost.

All of you who were at convention will remember Helen Batham, president of the Gamma Theta Alumnæ association. She served as pianist for all the meetings of the convention. On the train en route to Swampscott we were looking at the song book, just off the press. We came to "I Love the Name of K.K.G." Laughing, Helen said she had written that song. Imagine the thrill! Being rather blue or "low" one night Helen worked herself out of it by writing Kappa words to the song "I



Love You the Best of All." I had heard it a number of times, but never had been able to find the author. What a surprise when I found it should have been accredited to a close friend of mine! So all of you who have 1932 books please write in the name Helen Cook-Batham beside "I Love the Name of K.K.G."

It is in the songs we sing to a large degree that the chapters are bound together. For example when the various groups were sending in their lists of songs there were a remarkable number of duplications.

"We Look to Thee Kappa Gamma" was sent by so many chapters, each saying they thought it so beautiful, that other chapters should know about it. As it happens for quite some time almost every chapter has been singing it. Now that it is in the song book everyone will realize that this is really a national song.

Alpha Chi, a local at Middlebury College, Vermont, which became Gamma Lambda is responsible for "We Look to Thee Kappa Gamma," as you read in the December KEY.

In 1878 a committee of Eta chapter was instructed "to find the cost of having a dozen books of song printed." Later \$25 was appropriated from the grand treasury for the publication of a song book. Now in order to accommodate the number of songs which we have, and to supply the chapters and various members who wish to buy books, the cost of the book runs into hundreds of dollars and the numbers of copies in several hundreds as well. Even then it is impossible to print all the songs which are submitted.

We must always keep our music alive. We would realize a tremendous

loss were we to lose all music from fraternity life. I quite agree with Miss Taylor who wrote in THE KEY after the first song book had been published: "A fraternity's songs should be one of the objects of its greatest solicitude as they certainly are one of its greatest aids."



## Fraternity News Service Founded

UNDER the auspices of the National Interfraternity conference, a selection of interfraternity news is now being released at intervals of approximately five weeks to fraternity editors. The cost of the releases is being met by the conference.

The able George Starr Lasher has added to his duties as national president of Theta Chi, and editor-in-chief of *The Rattle* of Theta Chi, the editorship of the news service.

At the recent meeting of the College Fraternity Editors' association the following officers were chosen: president, C. F. Williams, *The Shield* of Phi Kappa Psi; vice-president, K. D. Pulcifer, *The Shield and Diamond* of Pi Kappa Alpha; secretary-treasurer, Charles E. Thomas, *The Delta* of Sigma Nu; executive committee, Linn C. Lightner, *The Cross and Crescent* of Lambda Chi Alpha; and Chester R. Anderson, *The Monad* of Sigma Phi Sigma.

The National Interfraternity conference has established an office at 140 Liberty street, New York, New York, with John E. Stevens, Jr., as clerk.

In 1933 the conference will meet in Chicago.



# TWENTY-NINE QUESTIONS

NATIONAL PANHELLENIC PUBLICITY COMMITTEE, L. PEARLE GREEN, *Chairman*,  
1931-33, *Fourth Release*

TWO TYPES of questions confront the fraternity world today: those becoming acute through the gradual shift of college emphasis and customs during the last decade; those created by the present unusual economic conditions.

Those created by present economic conditions are being solved on most campuses by careful economies and co-operative effort. Where student bodies are much reduced in size, and large new houses are only partially clear of debt, solution is less sure.

Are there too many fraternities represented on some campuses? At the Interfraternity conference meeting Thanksgiving week-end, it was asserted that a field was overcrowded in a state university if more than 55 per cent of the students were fraternity men, in a privately endowed college the maximum might be 75 per cent. Would similar percentages hold for women students? If these percentages are even approximately correct, how about the policy of those colleges which demand—"fraternity affiliations for every student who wants such connections"?

Have fraternities been too critical in their selection of members? Visiting fraternity officers often wonder why this and that outstanding student is not a fraternity member. It may be by choice, but, if so, what is wrong with the chapters on that campus that they do not attract such students? Where a freshman delegation is too small, aren't there desirable girls in other classes who would strengthen a chap-

ter? How meet the problem of the girl who wants to join but "can't afford to now"? Wouldn't a fund to meet such situations be a better *alumnæ* gift than the usual new house furnishings? Wouldn't the omission of one chapter dance provide such a fund?

But when we begin to cut down on chapter activities we become a party to more unemployment, as one campus found out recently. In a glow of enthusiasm Panhellenic decided that each house could help tide over the shortage in its budget by the girls waiting on themselves at table, and by substituting victrola and radio for the usual orchestra at dances. But, countered the university, then what will happen to the 60 student waiters who are depending on that work for their living expenses this year? and to the 30 men who are paying their way through college by playing in college orchestras? To what extent have chapters become their brothers keepers? Is it a square deal, to follow the style set by business and economize at the expense of the other student?

Immediate concern with such pressing questions must not crowd out study of the vital questions that must be answered if the future of fraternities is to be protected.

How is fraternity life to be adjusted to meet changing college conditions? What changes, you ask? The great increase in two year students of two classes: those transferring from junior colleges, those dismissed with a certificate at the end of sophomore year as



not qualified to profit by further years in college. The trend, not even halted by depression days, toward the building of more and more dormitories. The rule that all freshmen must live in dormitory. The limit placed on number of students and the rigidly enforced selective process.

What shall be the scholarship goal of a fraternity? High rank as a group, or real intellectual interests? What on campus and in fraternity is most conducive to fine scholarship? How about the chapter house tutor system? Would a change in chaperon qualifications bring into the chapter houses college trained women whose presence would stimulate finer intellectual standards?

What is the best housing plan for a college? Or, is the best plan for one college, the worst for another? How can fraternity practices be adapted to such a best plan? Should there be a limit on cost of a chapter house? Should there be a limit on number a house is built to accommodate? Should residents in such a house be strictly limited to that number? Who is to control living conditions and costs in chapter houses? Which is best for the college, a Commons, or dining rooms in individual houses? Where chapter houses are impracticable or forbidden, is the preferred plan chapter lodges, or fraternity rooms in a woman's building or union?

We have no panacea to offer for any of these problems. We do have confidence that by study and discussion the fraternity women can solve them all. And so—we present them as vital material for chapter meeting programs, and, we hope, as a preliminary step toward the solution of 29 questions.

## Boosters for the History

LORA HARVEY GEORGE, Beta Pi, is chairman of sales for the history.

On the Washington university campus she was a member of the senior council, president of Associated Women Students in her senior year, elected to Mortar Board in her junior year, elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and received her A.B. degree, magna cum laude.

For three years following graduation she taught in pioneer towns of the west: Longview, Washington, and Carson City, Nevada.

Married to a Phi Gam engineer, Mrs. George now makes her home in North Dakota.

On the job as chairman of sales, Mrs. George has had the advice of Ruth Waldo, Beta Sigma, secretary of the advisory committee of the internationally-known J. Walter Thompson company, advertisers.

Another Kappa in advertising, Claire Drew Forbes, Beta Pi, spent New Year's eve working on a folder about the history. Claire is head of the advertising department of one of Seattle's large department stores. In her student days she was another Beta Pi member of Mortar Board and president of Associated Women Students.



If you are interested in the policies of fraternity magazines, hearken to the words of the editor of the *Octagonian* of Sigma Alpha Mu: a magazine not meant solely to be of interest in the same sense as a detective story, but to be educational, informatory, and communicatory; to act as a conduit through which should be transmitted the impulses of the entire fraternity.



# Dayton Has an Idea and a Kappa Helps Put It Into Execution

EDITOR'S NOTE: Elizabeth H. Nutting, who wrote the following article and read it over Station WSMK, Dayton, in December, is at present secretary of the character-building division of the Council of Social Agencies in Dayton, Ohio. She was a Kappa at the University of Iowa, Beta Zeta chapter. Modestly she reports that she taught sociology at Boston university, worked in the field of religious education and took her doctor's degree in that field in 1927. What she tells of the Dayton production unit experiment is of the utmost interest, since it proves that a well-organized community project can bring order out of the present chaos of unemployment and need.

IN THE face of both world-wide and local unemployment most of Dayton's citizens need more of food, clothing, shelter, professional services and other things than they now have. With a great many these needs are desperate; with a great many more they soon will be. Daytonians are facing this crisis in different ways. Some are using their time, energy and resources in a patient but futile effort to find employment. Others have given up this attempt and in tormenting idleness are waiting for business to pick up. There are those who are learning to accept idleness as a permanent way of life. Whether willingly or unwillingly, increasing numbers are maintaining life by taking help from the relief agencies, and with fear in their hearts they are wondering how long public and community chest funds will hold out. There are still others who commit suicide. All of these are accepting either the earning-buying or the accepting-charity plans of action as the only possible solutions.

But there is a growing number of Dayton citizens who, realizing they are in the midst of natural resources, mod-

ern machinery and mechanical and professional skills, are thinking in terms of *direct production for self-maintenance*. At a recent Dayton forum Ralph Borsodi, author and consultant in the field of economics, outlined the way in which he and his family achieved economic security through domestic production. With a few hundred dollars to invest and a few acres of rocky soil, they built their own home, spun, wove and made their own clothes and raised their own food. A number of experiments have shown this to be a practical and excellent idea for the unusually resourceful family; but it requires a new plan of action and so much of the resourcefulness which our modern way of living has failed to develop that many families lack the courage to try such an experiment by themselves.

But where the question "How can we as a family produce the things we need?" may seem impractical, the question "How can we as a group of 20, 50, or 100 families produce what we need?" looks much more possible. Less equipment would suffice because the same equipment could be made to serve many more people; a greater variety of skills would be available; shared responsibility would bring a greater sense of security; and unexplored educational and cultural possibilities would open up as such a group developed its varied capacities.

I am glad to be able to report to you tonight that just such groups of families, known as production units, are becoming an increasingly significant factor in Dayton community life. We are



now able to do more than theorize about the possibilities of production for self maintenance.

To define a little more exactly what we mean by a production unit. It is any group of families or individuals who systematically substitute a producing-using for an earning-buying plan of action; and who affiliate themselves with the Dayton Association of Co-operative Production Units—commonly known as the D.A.C.P.U.

The requirements for membership in one of these units are: willingness to work full time unless exempted for some good reason (an initial requirement of 36 hours work has been set by many of the units as a proof of good faith) and willingness to learn new skills, to co-operate with other people and to share responsibility. In return for this the unit member receives his share of whatever the unit produces along food, clothing and shelter lines, distribution for the present at least being made on the basis of needs. This does not mean that he can be immediately taken off relief or given everything he thinks he needs; it does mean that he will be making definite progress along those lines. In addition to these material things the unit member is able to substitute constructive activity for idleness, growth in skill, resourcefulness and social effectiveness for stagnation, and a growing sense of economic and social security for fear of unemployment and the sense of facing a baffling situation alone.

While the details of organization vary in the different units they are all developing along thoroughly democratic lines, the general manager and executive committee being elected from among and by the members, and the

policies being determined by the group as a whole. Two elected representatives from each unit form a central unit council, which council determines the collective policies of the units and helps to adjust inter-unit activities, especially questions of barter. Women's work and youth councils have also been developed on the same representative basis.

This movement has received generous community co-operation through the Council of Social Agencies. The council board has assumed direct responsibility for this work and has appointed the following administrative committee: W. A. Chryst, J. H. Davis, J. N. Garwood, Walter Locke, Mrs. Scott Pierce, Charles L. Seasholes, Frank D. Slutz, S. H. Thal, and Mrs. George Wood, with R. G. Corwin, president of the council, Arch Mandel, executive secretary, and Elizabeth Nutting, ex-officio members. Headquarters have been provided, and a staff of seven members, several of whom are donating their full time service, is continually on the job. Generous co-operation is being given by the city welfare department and the various relief agencies, and churches, schools and business concerns are doing the same. A surprising amount of interest has been shown by noon-clubs and other professional and business organizations.

Possibly the financial co-operation should be described more in detail. Of course production for self-maintenance involves some initial equipment and a supply of raw material. These needs have been taken care of by a small revolving fund built up by the community chest; loans by especially interested individuals; and the willingness of the unemployment relief bureau store to



supply advances of raw material in return for finished commodities of equal value made and turned in by the units. The units do not operate on a charity basis. They ask only for loans and the opportunity to barter their labor and other commodities for equipment and raw material.

Up to date the following units have been formed: Homeview, East Dayton, Belmont, North Dayton, Edgemont and West Side. Several others are now in the process of formation. The units now organized have distressingly long waiting lists. They will expand as rapidly as they are able to assimilate more people and new units will be formed as resources and leadership become available.

A summary of the various lines of production now being carried on may be of interest to you. Grist mills, both small and large, are in operation, and as a result cracked wheat, whole wheat flour, corn meal and other grain products are being made available for unit families in generous amounts. Direction is also being given in the use of these materials. Some experiments with the very cheap and nutritious soy bean are being carried on. Two bakeries are now in operation with an output of over 1,000 loaves of bread a day, the bread being for use and not for sale. Extensive canning of fruit and vegetables and a huge amount of sauerkraut has been put up. Rabbits are being raised for meat and a recent barter has netted 60 hogs for one of the units. Some members of the youth group are now arranging to spray and prune fruit trees, for which work they will be paid in fruit next summer, and barter of finished clothing and shoes for Columbia Conserve company products is being ar-

ranged. Barter for a variety of foods is continually being carried on at the unemployment relief bureau store. Along clothing lines the sewing of women's dresses, underwear, and men's shirts is going on rapidly; a start is being made in the washing and dyeing of wool felt, gotten from nearby paper mills. This material is being made into blankets and tailored garments. Extensive shoe repairing is being carried on at the East Dayton unit, and shoe-making machinery is being installed in the Belmont building; wool comforts are being turned out in considerable numbers, gloves are being made, and in the near future stocking-knitting machines will be put to work and the spinning and weaving industries developed. Shelter is not so easy, but work is being done for landlords in return for rent, headquarters for unit activities secured; the Belmont unit has put up a building largely out of materials secured from the city store yard, which Mr. Laist of Antioch, who has given his services as architect, estimates will be worth something like \$25,000. A cabinet-making shop is in operation, so much needed furniture, as well as spinning wheels, looms and fireless cookers will shortly be forthcoming.

Time and money have been invested in this project, both by unit members and the community at large. What returns are being realized? Financially the units are for the most part paying their debts as they go along, and they definitely plan to pay all their debts eventually. In addition to this, as much in essential commodities has been distributed to unit members as has been turned back in payment for raw materials, not to speak of additional cloth-

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# IN MEMORIAM

*"There is a mystic borderland that lies  
Just past the limits of our work-day world,  
And it is peopled with the friends we met  
And loved a year, a month, a week or day,  
And parted from with aching hearts, yet knew  
That through the distance we must lose the hold  
Of hand with hand, and only clasp the thread  
Of memory. . . ."*

*From "Borderland," By Helen Field Fischer, Sigma*

Susie Christie Mann (Mrs. C. W.),  
Iota, February 4, 1932.

Alberta K. Becker, Beta Tau, No-  
vember 8, 1932.

Elizabeth Mahan Bradshaw (Mrs.  
Harmon), Iota, October 24, 1932.

Mary L. Lowden Palmer (Mrs.  
David A.), Phi, December 29, 1932.

*Time* published the following obitu-  
ary of Kate Gleason, Psi, in its issue  
of January 23, 1933.

*Died.*—Kate Gleason, 67, Rochester gear ty-  
coon, first woman 1) national bank president;  
2) receiver in bankruptcy in New York State;  
3) member of the American Society of Me-  
chanical Engineers; of pneumonia; in Roches-  
ter, N.Y. Successful at everything (gears,  
machine tools, real estate), she exported U.S.  
turkeys to raise French turkey strain, im-  
ported French turkey-raisers to raise U.S.  
turkey-raiser strain. Her will memorialized an  
oldtime high school teacher with \$100,000 for  
a history alcove in the Rochester Public Li-  
brary, gave two French estates to the Paris  
post of the American Legion, \$100,000 to "Dr.  
Lorenzo Kelley" (an error for Baltimore Sur-  
geon & Radiologist Howard Atwood Kelly)  
and the residuary estate (about \$1,000,000) in  
trust for employe welfare at the Gleason  
Works.



# Alumnae Letters

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## Alpha Province

### *Boston—Established 1918*

For the November meeting our program committee made an agreeable variation in the usual routine. November 19 we gathered at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, made the round of the American rooms in two groups under the guidance of members of the staff, and finished with a charming tea specially arranged in the museum restaurant. Some of us had already seen the early American furniture and silver but were glad to have another look; some hadn't seen the things but "had always intended to" and were delighted with such a favorable opportunity.

This is the only meeting to be reported for the February KEY, as the Christmas party, scheduled for December 30, comes too late for the news-letter.

The association has kept in close touch with Phi during the fall and finds the girls wide-awake and enthusiastic. Ten promising pledges began their fraternity education November 9, when the pledging service was held at the home of a Phi Alumna, Mrs. Mary Hinckley Dearing of Cambridge. The Intercollegiate association and Boston association co-operated with Phi in the evening's entertainment.

#### *Personal*

Judge Emma Fall Schofield has been admitted to federal practice.

#### *Marriage*

Ruth B. Ruyl to Davis O. Woodbury of Ogunquit, Maine, October 18, 1932.

ELLA A. TITUS

### *Boston Intercollegiate—Chartered 1924*

November found the Boston intercollegiate meeting with Jeanette Matthews Gurshin, assisted by Marion Wood Dunn, Sallie Nullar MacMahon and Ann Todd Wyman. We were honored by the presence of our first grand president, Tade Hartsuff Kuhns, who gave us an inspiring talk urging us as women to

use our privileges as citizens by making constructive efforts toward the betterment of our government.

Beatrice Woodman, who had been to Scotland as delegate to the convention of the International Association of University Women, gave us an interesting description of her journey and experiences.

The December meeting was with Alpha province president, Irene Neal Railsback, with Emily Bright Burnham, Caroline Buttolph Williams, and Jessie McNamee Bell assisting. For our program we had a review and discussion of *The Chinaberry Tree*, Barbara Crosby Marcussen leading.

Lucile Leonard LeSourd told us of her visits to the chapter houses at Manhattan, Kansas, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Lincoln, Nebraska, and Norman, Oklahoma, speaking in warm praise of the fine houses and lovely girls.

We are glad to welcome to our association Irene Boyer Beal (Mrs. John W.), Beta Lambda, Esther Bales Weddle, Gamma Alpha, Meda Fraser Wright (Mrs. J. F.), Gamma Epsilon '30.

The pledges of Phi chapter with two pledges from each of the other Boston university women's fraternities were entertained by our president, Edith Reese Crabtree.

An evening party including husbands and other friends was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Railsback in November.

Ann Todd Wyman (Mrs. Ronald R.), Beta Beta, has opened a nursery school in Perkins manor, under the name of the Perkins manor play group. The school is co-operative, the mothers taking their turns as assistants to the teacher. The original enrollment included five boys from two to four years, the youngest, Mrs. Wyman's own son, Todd Lee.

LAURA E. BEAZELL ANDRES

### *Buffalo—Chartered 1928*

Buffalo Kappas are following the same plans with which we started. We invite all



Kappas who live in or near Buffalo to a luncheon and bridge party once a month. The parties being held at different times.

We were most disappointed to have two of our loyal members move away from Buffalo this year. Lucena Wood Proctor, Beta Tau, is now living in Cincinnati and Katherine Spears Church, Beta Beta, in Canton, New York.

Catherine Reed (Beta Tau) spent the summer in Europe and studied several weeks at Oxford. She is entertaining the Kappas in January so we will hear about her trip, although a few of us were fortunate in hearing the interesting talk she gave before the Syracuse alumnae.

#### *Births*

Mr. and Mrs. George Eesley (Edela Scaife, Rho), a son, November 29, 1931.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Clark (Beatrice Hoehman, Beta Alpha), a daughter, November 17, 1931.

HELEN R. WEBER

#### *Middlebury—Established 1923*

Home-coming week-end over Armistice day was certainly a success in every respect. The weather man was generous, and the football team conquered the Catamounts of the University of Vermont by a score of 7-0, and a large delegation of alumnae were present to enjoy the various features planned for their entertainment.

Among the Kappas back to celebrate the occasion were Lena Goodman Patchett, '05, with her husband and two children; Pauline Smith from Worcester, Massachusetts, where she teaches in the Commercial high school; Harriet Meyers Fish, '16; Ruth E. Quigley, '24, of Rutland, Vermont; Blanche Emory, '30, who is attending Boston school of occupational therapy; Marion Cruikshank, '30, now teaching in Worcester, Massachusetts; Helen Legate and Ruth Barnard of the class of '31; and Marion Jones, Marguerite Wellman, and Barbara Landis of the class of '32.

The annual fall meeting was held at Inez Cook's home on the same week-end, with a good number present, and plenty of live topics discussed.

Sunday morning of the home-coming week-end was held an alumnae-Panhellenic meeting at which the present fraternity situation on campus was discussed. Alumnae will be interested to know that at present undergraduate opinion is strongly in favor of retention.

Word has been received from Elizabeth Goodale, '26, telling of an interesting Kappa meeting in New York city attended by Elea-

nor Sprague, '25, Dorothy Higgins, '30, and herself.

Our president, Mrs. William Hazlett Upson, and family have recently moved from their home at Bread Loaf to the Middlebury inn for the winter.

Lillian Deans, '21, was married June 30 in Paris to Valdemar Carlson, professor of economics at Williams college, Williamstown, Massachusetts. Dr. and Mrs. Carlson remained in Europe until the middle of September.

DOROTHY T. SAVAGE

#### *St. Lawrence—Established 1920*

Soon after the rushing season closed we received a visit from our field secretary, Helen Snyder. We first had the pleasure of meeting her at a tea at Kappa lodge. The following day 10 alumnae entertained her at luncheon at Rose manor on the St. Lawrence river.

The annual party for the pledges was given at the home of Mrs. C. H. Gaines (Chloe Stearns, ex-'02), October 17.

Lena Idler, '02, of Ogdensburg, is planning an extended visit in California.

We are happy to have Mrs. John A. Church (Katherine Spears, ex-'18) as an active member of our group again.

Mrs. Frank R. Chappell (Ida Singlehurst, '17), is once more living at St. Mary's, Ontario, Canada, where Mr. Chappell has accepted a position with the De Long Hook & Eye Co.

Mary Mahoney, '08, has recently been elected secretary and treasurer of the St. Lawrence alumni association of central New York.

Alida A. Martin, '09, attended the national convention of the American Dietetic association in New York, November 7-12.

Mrs. Carl Pfund (Irma Hale, '03), is spending the winter in Canton at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ledyard P. Hale (Georgietta Bacheller, ex-'79). Mrs. Hale is confined to her home because of frail health. Mrs. Pfund with Jean Marshall, ex-'32, has opened an attractive tea room known as the "Honey Bun."

Mrs. Edgar A. Burnett (Nellie Folsom, '82) of Lincoln, Nebraska, visited an old classmate while in Colorado last summer. She writes, "I called on Alice Grace, '83, in Denver in August, and found her well and pleasantly situated in a cozy apartment, evidently enjoying the fine friendships formed during many years' teaching service in Denver." Mrs. Burnett is the wife of the chancellor of the University of Nebraska.



Mrs. Arthur S. Torrey (Josephine Leonard, '24) and her husband and children have moved from Ottawa to Montreal.

Adelaide Harvey, '29, Mary A. Wallace, '29, and Margaret Robinson, '29, spent the greater part of the past summer touring France, Switzerland, Germany, and England. Adelaide is teaching in the Hillsdale school, a country day school in Cincinnati, Ohio; Polly in Scotia, New York; and Peg in Bronxville, New York.

Of the class of '32, Helen Pfund is teaching French in Pulaski and Martha Young teaches in Morristown.

The members of the active chapter entertained the alumnae of this association at a Thanksgiving dinner at Kappa lodge Sunday, November 20.

Mrs. G. A. Manley (Alice Reynolds, ex-'17) spent a week with Mrs. Ellis L. Manning (Mary Ellsworth, '21) in Schenectady and while there called upon Mrs. Albert Woodhead (Dorothy Church, '21), in Albany, and upon Mrs. Joseph Wells (Marion Lauer, '17) in Delmar.

Ina Gotthelf (ex-'31), who was German exchange student at St. Lawrence university and a member of Beta Beta chapter, received her bachelor's degree from Wellesley last June, and this year is studying for a master's degree at Radcliffe.

Dorothy Drury, '31, who was badly hurt in an automobile accident recently, is reported as recovering steadily from her injuries.

Recently there have been two unusually enjoyable services at the Gunnison memorial chapel, a Thanksgiving vesper service and a special Christmas vesper service of carols followed by a candlelight service. The week before the holidays began a community sing was planned at which in the Cammie Pendleton Woods Gaines open air theater, the chapel choir, the glee clubs and a quartette of trumpeters took part.

#### Marriage

The marriage of Margaret E. Robinson, '29, to Edwin H. Tucker, a Laurentian of the class of '32, took place in New York at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. Mr. Tucker

is a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. He is with the promotion department of the *New York Herald-Tribune*.

#### Births

A son, William Everett, was born to Dr. and Mrs. Leslie A. Gould of Watertown, New York, October 23, 1932. Mrs. Gould was Hazel Overacker, '15.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bruce Campbell of Floral Park, New York, announce the arrival of a son, John Bruce, born November 29, 1932.

#### Syracuse—Established 1903

Syracuse Kappas are taking a well-earned rest for the Christmas season. They have been deep in work for the past several months; a bridge tea, rummage sale, pancake supper, all money-making schemes, to say nothing of our own gatherings. Supper and luncheon meetings have kept every one busy. These enterprises have all been worth while and the results have given us a great deal of satisfaction.

Our Mothers' club, made up of mothers of Kappas from Syracuse, entertained at a tea Sunday evening, December 11. This tea was given in honor of mothers of pledges, and also included the executive committee. This was an enjoyable occasion and the Mothers' club gained new members who are most enthusiastic in helping both the active chapter and the alumnae association.

We are all anticipating our holiday party to be given by the executive committee during Christmas week. It will be a luncheon, to be followed by a program, stunts, and games. Nor are we forgetting those who are less fortunate than we. At this time a collection of food will be taken and supplied to needy families.

#### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. James Evans (Kathryn Kingston), a son, David Kingston Evans.

To Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Orser (Charlette Wilson), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Winston Mergot (Wilda Webber), a son, Winston Button Mergot.

ELLEN BAKER PARMELEE

## Beta Province

#### New York—Established 1896

Our hostess tea at the New York City Panhellenic Sunday, November 20, and our benefit bridge at the home of Dr. Mary Crawford, Psi, December 3, were both highly successful events.

When Mrs. Westermann learned that Mrs. Kuhns would be in New York to be presented with her copy of Kappa History, a luncheon was arranged, and in spite of short notice attended by an imposing array of celebrities.

Three groups within our association have



also been busy. The younger business group (those out of college less than five years) have held two meetings, one with Edith Macon Cushman, Psi, October 25, and another with Mrs. Tolman, December 13. At the latter plans were made for our meeting January 10 for which the "youngsters" are responsible. The business and professional Kappas met with Dr. Z. Rita Parker, Beta Tau, November 17. The Westchester branch had a bridge for the benefit of the New York City Panhellenic at the home of Mrs. Robert G. Calder (Maud Martin, Beta Beta), December 9.

All our members are asked to help our exchequer by ordering and renewing their magazine subscriptions through the association. Alice Rising, Pi, 749 West End avenue, New York, is chairman for this project.

#### *Personal*

Helen Knox, Beta Xi, is chairman of the business and professional women's clubs for the women's division of the Emergency Unemployment Relief committee.

#### *Marriages*

Dorothy Von Arx, Beta Sigma, to Charles K. Mount, Jr.

Jean Elizabeth Prentiss, Gamma Psi, to Robert Hayes Heck, Jr.

#### *Death*

Charlotte Smith, charter member of Psi, August 11, 1932.

BEATRICE STONE BUCK

#### *Pittsburgh—Established 1919*

Friday evening, December 9, we held our annual benefit. This year it was in the form of a night of games. "A Night in Tijuana" was the name of the affair. Everyone there enjoyed it immensely. What with roulette wheels, chuck-a-lucks, dice, Spanish shawls, candle light, Spanish costumes, and bar maids, everything took on a glamorous appearance. Of course, no one lost any money, and no one won any, either; it was all just fun. At the end of the evening prizes were given out to those persons who held the highest amounts of the "Kappa Kurrency." Mrs. E. R. Loomis (Margaret Davis) and Mrs. A. B. Crawford (Ruth Brown) were the co-chairmen of the affair. Proceeds went to the scholarship fund.

#### *Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur D. Hockensmith, Jr. (Mary-Theo Locke, Michigan '28), a daughter, Althea Snively, October 31, 1932.

MARGARET BULLIONS SHAW

## Gamma Province

#### *Toledo—Established 1920*

Aside from two lovely parties things have been rather dull in Toledo during the last two months.

Six feet of snow (in some places) failed to keep most of the group away from the evening meeting in the home of Mrs. D. M. Robeson (Louise Noe, Kappa), November 17. Assisting the hostess was Sophia Bevins, Xi. Jelly, canned fruit and money contributions were collected from members at the time for Christmas charity work. A rainy day soon after gave Louise an opportunity to find most of the other members at home, from whom she

received additional contributions for charity work. Coal, food, clothing and a few Christmas extras were purchased for a needy family by Mrs. E. N. Bach (Gladys Hayes, Kappa), chairman of our welfare committee.

The annual Christmas luncheon was held at the Mayfair Saturday noon, December 10.

Toledo has no births or weddings to announce and is sorry to have to record two illnesses. Mrs. H. C. Broughton, Gamma Iota, underwent an appendix operation recently, and Ruth Frederick, Beta Gamma, is resting at Dr. Wehenkel's convalescent home, 19810 Farmington Road, Farmington, Michigan.

JANE ELIZABETH ELLIOTT

## Delta Province

#### *Adrian—Chartered 1924*

December 12 the alumnae met with the actives in their chapter rooms for a social pot-luck supper before the installation of newly elected officers. Eleanor Santose is their new president. The active chapter will surely progress under such capable leadership.

We anticipate a happy time at the bridge luncheon given during the holiday vacation for homecoming members of Xi.

The October KEY is outstanding in its interesting content. Several have expressed high commendation of the KEY cover.

Mrs. Kenneth Tolford (Dorothy Palmer, Xi) is now residing in Adrian.



The death of May Dever '91, is reported recently in Cleveland, Ohio. Miss Dever was a delegate to the National Educational association when the world convention met in Geneva, Switzerland.

#### *Births*

Mr. and Mrs. Orville D. Lefferts (Rose Claflin, Xi, '26) announce the birth of a son, Orville De Bruce II, December 4, 1932.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hines (Lois Farrah, Xi, '18), a daughter, Marilyn Jean, November 23, 1932.

M. LOUISE HOOD

#### *Detroit—Established 1901*

A large and enthusiastic group of Kappas met with Mrs. W. R. Kinder (Margaret Beardsley, Beta Nu) for dinner November 7. Several new members were welcomed to the association at that time. The rummage sale November 16 under the direction of Mrs. F. G. Fillman (Erma Tuhey, Iota) was a huge success. One hundred and four dollars were raised; shoes and boys' and men's clothing being the most salable articles. Of the money raised, \$12.50 were sent to the Christ church community house and \$25 are to be given to some local philanthropy.

A dessert and business meeting was held December 8 at the home of Mrs. Adam Strohm (Cecelia McConnel, Beta Lambda).

The annual benefit card party to be given in January at the Colony club is to be the next event of importance.

#### *Marriage*

November 8, Marguerite Chapin, Beta Delta, to Dr. Edward D. Maire of Detroit.

#### *Births*

September 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Schmitz (Frances Sutton, Beta Delta), a son, Donald.

November 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Smith (Aletha Yerkes, Beta Delta), a son, David Yerkes.

RUTH JENNINGS

#### *Indianapolis—Established 1898*

The Indianapolis alumnae club gave a delightful tea November 4 at the home of Mrs. Hugh Niven (Hallie D. McKern, Mu). An original playlet entitled *Quilt Patches* was given by Mrs. L. H. Millikan (Mabel Warner, Iota) and Mrs. Joe Rand Beckett (Mary Ann Baker, Iota). There were 45 members present.

Mrs. Sam Hurd (Lillian Burgess, Rho) reported 91 garments and \$8.50 turned into the

Needlework guild from the alumnae association this year. Mrs. Hurd and her committee are to be congratulated on this report.

Mrs. William T. Rose (Mildred Kuhn, Delta) was chairman of the annual Christmas party at the Marion county guardian home, December 17. There were 150 children entertained, each received a gift they had asked for and a treat.

#### *Marriage*

Lorena McComb, Mu, to Albert H. Fox, December 27. They will live in Mukden, Manchuria.

#### *Birth*

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Farson (Rachael Campbell, Mu) announce the birth of a son, John Campbell Farson.

RUTH IRVIN PATTEN

#### *Lansing—Chartered 1930*

Lansing's alumnae chapter is running along nicely on its business of the year. One rummage sale has helped the treasury a bit, and plans are forming for a remunerative get-together at Michigan State's chapter house during the Christmas holidays. For this party all local Kappas and their husbands are invited, following the same plan we had last year.

In November the actives had a tea for all returning alumnae for the homecoming game. At another time the actives invited six of the alumnae for dinner at which were assembled all of the pledges.

Mrs. Robert L. Dillon (Marvel Garnsey) has given two dramatic readings of a play at a Lansing Literary club and the Michigan State Faculty Folk club. This play was written by a Lansing woman and has gained much favorable comment.

Finally, the monthly bohemians have given us jolly times to be together. Lansing and East Lansing members meet for the fun and business of the association.

HENRIETTE SCOVELL

#### *Vincennes—Chartered 1927*

Our first meeting was held at Mary Katherine Franke's home, November 18, 1932. It was a most beautiful tea. Only a few of our members were absent. A Christmas card party was planned. Louise Stout, Delta, will be hostess. Susan Jordan, Katherine Lewis, Mrs. James Honan (Miriam Keller), Mrs. Homer Cooper (Ruth House), Edna Miller will be in charge of arrangements.

Irene McFarland, Delta, and Reynolds Selfridge were married in Vincennes November 13, 1932. They will live in Indianapolis.



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers (Patty Ryan) are located in Tyler, Texas.

Mrs. James Honan (Miriam Keller), Delta, is a new member of our association.

Mrs. Russell Wolf (Helen Watson) of

Hammon is visiting her parents.

Katherine Lewis is now teaching piano and has a large class of students.

Helen Franke is pledged to Iota, Ruth Conrad to Delta.

ESTELLE EMISON

## Epsilon Province

### *Bloomington, Ill.—Established 1895*

The first program of the year was a supper meeting at the home of Mrs. Reuben Stoddard (Mattie Wilcox) in Minonk, September 29. A large number of old members welcomed several new ones including: Theresa Colteaux, Marian Hildabrand, Mary Jeannette Munce, Mrs. A. C. Bartlett (Mildred Springer), and Mrs. J. E. Lewellyn (Almeda Fry), all former Epsilon members. Constance Ferguson gave us a splendid picture of convention which helped to interpret the convention programs we had received.

The anniversary tea at Charlotte Probasco's October 13 was lovely. Laurastine Marquis gave an interesting program on fraternity study.

Many alumnæ members returned for homecoming October 22. Friday evening the active chapter entertained with a spread at the house. Many "old alums" get together before the play and reviewed other previous homecomings.

The actives and pledges of Epsilon were entertained by the association at the home of Ruth Ahlonius with a harvest party November 3. Theresa Colteaux presented a political skit cast by the pledges. Mr. Colteaux, talented brother of Theresa, also entertained with magic and slight-of-hand performances.

#### *Marriage*

Geraldine Rhodes (Epsilon) to Olin Kettcamp (Tau Kappa Epsilon) October 29. At home, 401 Woodland, Bloomington.

#### *Birth*

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kemp (Rozanne Parker), a son, Parker, born September 24.

MARJORIE MACKAY

### *Chicago—Chartered 1931*

Mrs. Godfrey Lundberg (Beta Lambda), better known to the world as Eleanor Jewett, art editor of the *Chicago Tribune*, entertained an enthusiastic group of Kappas at our luncheon meeting, December 16, at the Interfraternity club in Chicago. Mrs. Lundberg spoke in a charming manner about the Chicago artists and reminisced on her experiences

at the University of Illinois and her early work with the *Tribune*.

We felt greatly encouraged by the attendance and interest shown in this new organization. Kappas from many chapters including Beta Delta, Beta Tau, Upsilon, Beta Lambda, Gamma Omega, and Gamma Chi, braved the zero weather to be present at this meeting. We are looking forward to the visit of Helen Snyder, our field secretary, who will be here in Chicago in February.

#### *Marriage*

Alice Henderson (Beta Lambda, '29) to Frederick Metcalf.

HELEN RUGG CONDIT

### *Madison—Established 1917*

For Christmas the members made dresses for Madison's needy school children. The Red Cross gave us two bolts of cloth and Mrs. Higby, Mrs. Marling, Mrs. Levis, and Mrs. Nelson cut our twenty-three dresses. Individual members made them, trimming each one differently.

We regret to report the death of Dr. Charles Gorst, father of Mrs. Theodore Herfurth (Genevieve Gorst), and the death of Mr. William Swensen, father of Mrs. Hale Alvorsen (Mary Swensen) and Elizabeth Swensen.

MARY F. BYARD

### *North Dakota—Chartered 1926*

The December 6 dinner meeting was held at the home of Susan Freeman with Jayne Sudro and Lillian Pearson Simpson as assisting hostesses. We were glad to have with us at that time Elizabeth Woolledge who had just returned from completing a student dietitian course at the Peter Bent Brigham hospital in Boston, and Elene Weeks Huston of Tirenna, Albania, who is visiting her parents for a few weeks.

We are not having the Christmas bazaar this year.

Sunday, December 11, we gave an informal tea at Avery Trask Barnard's, Chi, for all the Delta Phi Betas in Fargo.

The traditional Christmas party for the



Gamma Tau chapter rooms was held Monday evening the 12 and those who attended had a very enjoyable time.

Susan Freeman has been appointed cataloguer for this year.

The alumnae gave a radio to the active chapter this fall.

Lucille Roberts Woledge received her master's degree in education at Northwestern in August.

Frances Ross was elected treasurer of the Illinois State Dietetics association this fall.

The plans are now that there is to be an initiation in January for the Delta Phi Betas who wish to join Kappa at that time.

#### *Marriage*

Gwen Gregg to Paul Zerby, Theta Kappa Nu, December 27, 1932.

#### *Birth*

November 25, to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pearson (Marjorie Lieberg), a daughter, Nan.

CAMILLE ALFRED

#### *North Shore—Established 1910*

Every month brings a larger attendance to the Kappa alumnae meetings, the luncheon held at the Lake Shore drive apartment home of Mrs. J. B. Wescott (Mary Hotchkiss, Upsilon '12), was no exception. After the business meeting we played bridge when we could keep our eyes off of the beautiful view across Lake Michigan which stretched ahead of us seventeen floors below.

The Christmas monthly meeting will be a tea at which the active chapter will be guests of the alumnae Wednesday afternoon, December 14, at the Northwestern chapter house. Mrs. R. C. Evans (Marjorie Reynolds, Upsilon, '28) will be in charge of the arrangements. We will miss our president, Mrs. Norman Brunkow (Wanda Ross, Beta Theta and Omega, '20), who has gone to Oklahoma for the holidays and will divide her time with her.

parents in Oklahoma City and two Kappa sisters who live in Tulsa.

#### *Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. James L. Rollins (Barbara Greer, Upsilon, '27), a son, James L., Jr.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Scott (Mary Louise Gent, Upsilon, '24), a son, Walter Dill Scott, II.

#### *Engagements*

Mary Coyle, Upsilon, '29, to Christian Schaffer, Sigma Chi, Illinois.

Elizabeth Hunt, Upsilon, '28, to William Herman Siegmund.

Susan Pratt, Upsilon, '32, to Bert Thayer.

MARY MEREDITH WALKER

#### *Winnipeg—Chartered 1928*

Our October meeting took the form of a party in honor of our new pledges at the home of Ruth McKenzie. Originality was the keynote of the games played by "grandmothers" and "babies" alike and the evening proved a great success. This party has turned out to be an annual affair and is a splendid means for the alumnae to become better acquainted with the new pledges each year.

November saw us busily sewing Christmas bags for the poor kiddies back on the land. Edith Pitblado kindly lent her home for this meeting and arrangements were made to bring Christmas cheer to two needy families by providing them with clothing, hampers, and toys.

The usual Christmas tree party will be held at the apartment the day after Christmas. There is always a large turnout of alumnae, actives, and pledges to this and a great deal of fun is had exchanging "Woolworth" gifts. The apartment, too, comes in for a shower of needed articles and this year there is talk of it receiving a radio.

Examinations are in full swing now and consequently everything is quiet.

NINA CADHAM

## *Zeta Province*

#### *Des Moines—Established 1920*

As usual, these few weeks just before Christmas are busy ones for us all. The Des Moines alumnae association is even busier than heretofore, as we are trying to make the day a happy one, full of cheer and hope, for a large family given us by the welfare agencies, in addition to our own personal giving.

Each of the six children in this family is to be remembered with a toy, as well as an

article of clothing. And, of course, they'll receive a large basket of food, necessities, and a few extra Christmas goodies. Besides this we are gathering up out-grown clothing from our own children to augment their almost negligible supply.

At all of our monthly meetings this fall each of us has brought a can of food to be put into a large carton and delivered to the needy. It is surprising to see the collection we get by each one's doing so little.



Red Cross sewing was done at our last alumnae meeting, and it was decided that we would all give a definite amount of time to serve at the Red Cross work room. The present need is almost as great, and we're happy to report the response has been almost as generous as during the World War. In addition, the girls are serving at the various soup kitchens established this winter. So, you can see that all in all, we are a very busy association.

RUTH BEWSHER STUART

### *Topeka—Chartered 1925*

The Topeka alumnae association started a busy year with its first meeting, October 3, at the home of Mrs. Richard Matthews (Katherine Allen). The handy new yearbooks were passed out with the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of the members, and a list of the meetings for the year. We were glad to have three new members, Ruth Miller, Omega; Helen Louise Swan, Gamma Alpha; and Anna Louise Sloo, Omega.

At Mrs. Stuart Campbell's (Jean Hoyt), November 7, we made plans to adopt a family for the winter. Before Thanksgiving we collected enough clothing to outfit the five children and the parents. The donations for the Thanksgiving basket were so generous that we put aside some of the staple goods for their Christmas dinner.

Our Christmas meeting was a dinner at

Mrs. Arthur Gray's (Edith Earle) home. We decided that instead of giving showers for Kappa babies, we would present the new son or daughter with a silver cup engraved with KKG. Now we are looking forward to a holiday meeting with some of the active girls from Gamma Alpha and Omega.

#### *Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dibble (Sally Lillard), a son, Daniel Maynard Dibble, II.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jay Coats (Juanita Strong), a son, Jay Coats, Jr.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Murray (Beatrice Brown), a daughter, Nancy Diane Murray.

ANNA LOUISE SLOO

### *Wichita—Chartered 1926*

Our November meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Hubert Dye (Marian Dillenbeck, Omega) with Geraldine Shelly, Omega, as assisting hostess.

We are planning a Christmas party for about twenty-five orphans from three to five years old. Geraldine Shelly is in charge of the party.

We will give a tea for our new pledges December 21, in the home of Mrs. Lorentz Schmidt, Gamma Alpha, with Mrs. F. J. McEwen (Jessie Rankin, Omega), as assisting hostess.

SALLY RITCHIE

## *Eta Province*

### *Albuquerque—Established 1921*

Visiting officer, the Christmas party, stunt night, and vacation. So much is crowded into so little time.

The membership of the Albuquerque association has notably increased over last year, so we have able assistance for all the business of the association.

Helen Snyder, national field secretary, visited us in November. Her personality and charm will always be remembered by all of us, also her many constructive ideas and suggestions have already been a help.

The alumnae had charge of the Christmas party at the house. Seventy-five actives, pledges, and alumnae, enjoyed thoroughly the most pleasant of the year's get-togethers. The party was ably managed by Mrs. L. F. Elliott (Hazel Hawkins), and the actives and pledges entertained us with a stunt. The Christmas present from the alumnae was a much-needed card table for the house.

REBECCA FEE JUDY

### *Denver—Established 1900*

November 25 we entertained our husbands at a buffet supper. The lovely home of Dorothy and Janet Knox was turned over to us and the evening which was spent in dancing and playing cards was quite a success.

We are having a series of duplicate bridge tournaments to raise money for the Rose McGill fund. The fifty cents charged to play is refunded to the high east-west and north-south players. Tea is served sometimes and we find it a pleasant way to make money.

At the meeting, December 17, we will entertain the Beta Mu actives at our regular Christmas party. At this time we are going to welcome into our association twenty-five new members who were alumnae of the Hypatia society at Colorado college, and who were initiated into Kappa in November when Delta Zeta chapter was installed.

#### *Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muth (Elizabeth Knox), a son, December 10, 1932.



To Mr. and Mrs. Everett B. Burnside (Pat Turley, Sigma), a daughter, Barbara Ann, May 15, 1932.

#### *Marriages*

Barbara Reeve (Beta Mu) to Frederick Hile, in November. Mr. Hile, formerly with Robert Mantel, will take the leading part in *Brother Service*, a play which will be given in the leading middle-west and western cities under Masonic sponsorship. Mrs. Hile will accompany him on this tour.

OLIVE M. OAKES

#### *Laramie—Chartered 1927*

The month of November brought to the Laramie association the visit of Helen Snyder. Being optimists, we had first planned to entertain at dinner at the Summit tavern, lo-

cated at an elevation of 8000 feet, which commands a glorious view of the surrounding country. A snow storm of no mean proportions caused arrangements to be made hastily for a dinner in town. Since no formal program had been planned, we all enjoyed chatting informally with our guest. It was a real treat.

The high point of December's activity was the annual Christmas party and breakfast given at the Gamma Omicron chapter house Sunday, December 11. Actives and alums exchanged ridiculous gifts and great was the excitement. At this time the alumnæ gifts to the active chapter and to the house mother were presented. The party closed with a clever freshman stunt. We were proud of our pledges.

ELIZABETH WENTWORTH

## Theta Province

#### *Arkansas—Established 1922*

Winter has put in a premature appearance and covered southern Arkansas with a coating of sleet, snow, and ice, which is rather unusual at any time of the year.

Alumnæ activities have been meager since the last KEY letter, except for the fêting of Erline Blackshire who was married December 17 to Walter A. Swarengen, Monroe City, Missouri. The couple will live at Kirksville, Missouri. Erline has taken a leading part in our association and was a Kappa representative on the Panhellenic board of directors.

Jimmie Porter, Fayetteville, brought new honor to herself and Kappa this fall when she was chosen president of the Arkansas Library association. Jimmie, who is an assistant librarian on the University of Arkansas library staff, was delegate to the meeting of the Southwestern Library association at Little Rock. She is also active in Kappa affairs, busy at present as chairman of Gamma Nu's building program.

The local Panhellenic association recently sponsored a movie preview for the benefit of rural libraries and has scheduled other benefit affairs for early spring.

MARY SCHILLING

#### *Fort Worth—Chartered 1924*

Our three meetings this fall have been characterized by ever-increasing enthusiasm and attendance. They have been held at the homes of Mrs. Roger Owings (Lucy Marie Penrose, Beta Iota), Mrs. Fred Wallace (Helen Kixmiller, Iota), and Frances Fry, Beta Xi. And let me add that these meet-

ings have been spent in no frivolous fashion, for we have turned out dozens of "baby things" fashioned from Red Cross material. Also, we have more or less adopted a needy family, making it possible for both the children to attend school and adding a bit of needed cheer to the household.

We have welcomed five new members into the association. They are: Janet Andrews (Beta Xi), Christine Thomson (Gamma Kappa), Lydia Sellars (Gamma Alpha), Helen Louise Robinson (Sigma), and Kathryn Polk (Beta Theta).

Four of our group made their debuts this fall—Emmy Lou King (Beta Xi), Virginia Bond (Beta Theta), Kathryn Polk (Beta Alpha), and Christine Thomson (Gamma Kappa).

We are sorry to have lost some of our most active members. Mrs. E. V. Foran (Virginia McRae, Beta Kappa) has moved to Texon, Texas. Mrs. Stewart Boswell (Dora Thornton, Beta Xi) has gone to Chicago. Mrs. Duncan Boisseau (Agnes Buchanan, Gamma Theta) to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Mrs. John Bonaforte (Beta Pi) to Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

#### *Births*

A daughter, Neal, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Thomas (Calista Chaplin, Kappa) June 17.

A daughter, Isabel, to Mr. and Mrs. Porter Brown (Ruth Haltom, Beta Xi) in October.

#### *Houston—Chartered 1928*

Our November luncheon was a lovely affair held at Cohen house. Mrs. Wortham was



elected president for next year. Kappas have been busy in various organizations. Mrs. Schumacher (Betty Buddy, Beta Xi) is vice-president of the Junior league and several Kappas are on committees. Mrs. Paul Putman (Frances McQueen, Beta Xi) was elected president of the Texas League of Women Voters. Ruth Hastings, Beta Xi, a talented young lawyer, visited here from Washington, D.C. The December tea was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Fondre, Jr., in Brae's wood. Mrs. Thomas Weigel (Marietta Duncan, Beta Xi) has moved to Houston.

FLORENCE WEST STALNAKER

### *Tulsa—Established 1922*

The high spot of our news this time is the marriage of Velma Jones, our province vice-president. She was married early in November to John L. Collins of Bristow.

Our November luncheon was given in the home of Jane Seger. We were happy to see so many of the younger members at this meeting.

We do want the girls just out of college to be interested in the work of the association, and to feel that they form a vital part of our group. We were glad to welcome into our membership, Mrs. T. B. Burris, who was formerly Lois Mills of Eta chapter.

Our December meeting was in the form of a get-together luncheon at the Junior League tea room, where we tickled our palates with good food while we feasted our eyes on the attractive models who paraded in lovely clothes for our delight.

Tulsa Panhellenic, in cooperation with the *Tulsa Tribune*, is staging a bridge tournament. The winner is to be given a free trip to Jacksonville, Florida, to compete in the national tournament there. Everyone playing in the preliminaries pays twenty-five cents to Panhellenic. The money obtained in this way is used to maintain free hospital beds for crippled children and other deserving cases. Tulsa Kappas are enthusiastically supporting the project.

DOROTHY OHMART WRIGHT

## Iota Province

### *Pullman—Chartered 1930*

Another year rolls around and the new year finds us with two new members, Mrs. Max Boone (Ira Shinkowsky) and Mary Doddworth (Beta Pi) who is doing graduate work this year at the college in veterinary medicine. Ira's husband is attending college here. This makes our group have a membership of fifteen.

January 12 we entertained the Kappa mothers in Pullman at Mrs. Fred Yoder's (Wilma Porter) home at an evening party, with bridge and sewing the chief diversions.

The principal business of our November meeting was making a quilt for Mrs. James Hubbard's (Faith Fassett) new boy, most of the work being done by those who had children.

#### *Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. James Hubbard (Faith Fassett), a boy, James, Jr., November 9.

MARY V. DOOLITTLE

### *Seattle—Established 1919*

In conjunction with our regular November luncheon and meeting, we held a food sale. We are so pleased with this, our initial experience that we hope to try it again next year.

During the holidays we are planning a tea for the Kappa mothers. We are choosing this season of the year as Helen Snyder, the field

secretary, hopes to be home and we want her as our honor guest. We are asking the new members of the alumnae association to serve at tea.

Mrs. Charles H. Grinell (Esther Snoddy) is in Seattle while her husband is in England on a business trip.

Mrs. Ralph Graves (Laura Robinson) is taking a graduate course in kindergartening at Columbia university.

MARIE BEACH BROWN

### *Tacoma—Established 1923*

Our meetings are flourishing this year. Twenty enthusiastic members were present at the November gathering which met the evening of November 1 at the home of Mrs. Winfield McLean (Elizabeth Lewis). Nancy Grimes was the assistant hostess.

December 3, Tacoma's first Panhellenic meeting was held at the Y.W.C.A. with an attendance of 200 people. The Kappa alumnae were grateful to their president and committee of alumnae members for taking charge of decorations and arrangements. We were proud of the fact that Kappa was in the majority of attendance.

Several engaging speakers were on the program, including Mrs. Inez Smith Soule, one of the founders of Pi Beta Phi, and a woman of whom Tacoma is justly proud. Mrs. Frederick Morgan Padelford, wife of the dean



of the graduate school of the University of Washington was the principal speaker on the program—Mrs. Padelford is a Kappa mother.

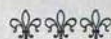
#### *Engagement*

Frances Elizabeth Alley to Richard Warner McDuffie, Delta Tau Delta.

#### *Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harnedon (Grace Young), a daughter, Betty Lee, September 12, 1932.

FRANCES ALLEN



## Kappa Province

### *Long Beach—Chartered 1926*

Long Beach Kappas have been kept busy this fall. Nearly every one of us has had some particular community work to do.

Mrs. Dean Godwin (Myrtle White, Beta Delta) captained a group in the recent Community Chest drive, using many Kappas as her group workers. Among these were Mrs. Paul Fouke (Ida McKnight, Omega), and our president, Mrs. George P. Taubman, Jr. (Elizabeth Clare, Beta Chi), who is also president of the Long Beach Junior Charity league.

We have always been proud to claim Mrs. W. L. Stephens (Veda Schaffer, Beta Zeta), who acts on the executive board for the day nurseries of the city and is president of the Red Cross of Long Beach.

Mrs. George E. Wing (Emma England Cooley, Xi) has been active in Ebell club for the past two years.

To all of you who are anticipating a visit from Helen Snyder, national field secretary, let us tell you that you have one wonderful treat in store for you. Helen visited us December 5. Mrs. Godwin entertained at a luncheon for her, inviting the officers and directors of our association as guests. Then in the afternoon Mrs. Taubman acted as hostess at a tea honoring Miss Snyder. To this event all Kappas in Long Beach were invited. The library was lighted only by two blue and blue tapers and an alumnae meeting was conducted using the alumnae ritual. Miss Snyder gave an interesting and instructional talk. The afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed and was particularly profitable for us because we gained two new members.

Our January meeting will be given over to sewing for the Red Cross.

HELEN S. THOMPSON

### *Los Angeles—Established 1904*

The Los Angeles alumnae association entertained with a luncheon November 12, at the home of Helen Jane Youngworth, Baldwin Hills, Culver City. Several members were away from Los Angeles for the Armistice day week-end; however, a goodly number enjoyed the good food provided by Lorraine Woerner

and her committee and spent the afternoon informally chatting and playing bridge.

December 2 proved to be a busy day for active and alumnae Kappas here. Helen Snyder, field secretary, was honored in the afternoon by a tea at the home of Mrs. I. J. Boothe (Helen Dickenson), and in the evening by a banquet at the Jonathan club. Members of the active chapter and alumnae attended both events. Miss Snyder made inspiring talks in the afternoon and evening and certainly captivated one and all by her charming personality and encouraging news of her findings in visiting Kappa chapters throughout the country.

PAULINE PEIPERS

### *Palo Alto—Chartered 1924*

The weeks preceding the presidential election were filled with excitement. Sue Dyer (Beta Eta) was chairman of the Palo Alto women's Hoover-for-President club and did splendid work in organizing the voters of Palo Alto.

It was a gala day for Palo Alto and Stanford university when, November 8, President and Mrs. Hoover (Lou Henry, Beta Eta) arrived. There was a cheering reception in Palo Alto and the students and faculty warmly greeted Stanford's distinguished alumni at the Memorial court. That same evening old friends and faculty members were invited to the Hoover's lovely home on San Juan hill. About 10:00 in the evening the students formed an impromptu rally and went up to serenade and cheer the President who came out on the terrace to acknowledge their good wishes.

The chapter and alumnae association have just recently been visited by the field secretary, Helen Snyder. During her visit the alumnae entertained her at the Allied Arts guild, a unique place situated near the campus on an old Spanish land grant. The guild is composed of several tile roofed plaster buildings connected by court yards and patios and having about them an old world atmosphere. Artists are encouraged in the production of all kinds of handicrafts. On exhibition in the various studios and showrooms are hand-wrought iron, hand-blocked fabrics, wood



carvings, weavings, all made here by the artists connected with the guild.

It was after the guild luncheon that the regular monthly meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Frances Theresa Russell (Sigma). It was interesting to all there to know of Mrs. Russell's new book, *Touring Utopia*, which had just come from the press.

Because of California's "unusual weather" it deserves mention that in the early part of December we had snow! Not only were the nearby foothills covered, but the towns were cloaked in snow for several hours at a time. Many people seemed to be enjoying the novelty of it all, and also thinking of people in colder climes!

#### Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Alan H. Robertson (Chesterlyn Thomas, Beta Eta), a second son, Alan Thomas Robertson.

PAULINE WILSON

### San Francisco Bay—Established 1919

The annual fall tea of the San Francisco Bay alumnae association was held at the home of Mrs. William H. Orrick in San Francisco, December 8. Helen Snyder, field secretary was the honor guest.

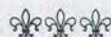
Miss Snyder spent the week-end of December 8-12 as the house guest of Miss Eleanor Bennet. Miss Bennet gave a dinner in her honor, having as guests the chapter advisers of Pi chapter.

#### Engagements

Marian Martins (Pi) to George Collins Ehrman (Zeta Psi).

Marion Goodfellow (Pi) to Edward Morse Hamilton.

SIMMONNE CRISE



## Lambda Province

### Baltimore—Chartered 1926

The last meeting of the year was held with Ruth Hocker. Mrs. Richard Haworth (Louise Chester), Katherine Dodge and Mrs. Elizabeth Thorington were co-hostesses.

We had the largest attendance of the year and were delighted to have the following guests: Jane Sykes, Beta Rho; Mrs. Walter Calhoun (Louise Bond), Beta Nu; Mrs. J. C. Sharpe (Lillian Fisher), and Mary Ellen Fisher of Sigma; Katherine Shaw, president of Tau Kappa Pi fraternity of Goucher college, which as you know is petitioning Kappa Kappa Gamma; also two of her fraternity sisters, Marion Barber and Margaret Kaestner.

After a social hour and a buffet supper our meeting was called to order by our president. One important discussion was concerning ways of helping those less fortunate than ourselves. We voted to contribute to the Baltimore relief fund, Kappa student aid and Rose McGill fund. Many members are spreading joy and cheer by donating lovely baskets and decorating Christmas trees for the poor.

Our most recent tea was given at the home of Mrs. Richard Haworth (Louise Chester) for Mrs. Thomas L. Stokes, Jr. (Hannah Hunt), Iota, and Mrs. Raleigh Gilchrist (Elizabeth Riegar), Psi, of Washington to meet our Kappa alumnae and members of the Tau Kappa Pi fraternity. We appreciate their visit, particularly on such a rainy day.

We shall enjoy hearing of the holiday ex-

periences of our group, which is composed of Kappas interested in many phases of social and business life.

We are also anticipating a pleasant visit with Mrs. Shyrock at our next meeting.

RUTH HOCKER

### Durham—Chartered 1931

Are you listening! One of Kappa's smallest alumnae groups is making its first broadcast from station K E Y on the "We Want You to Know About Us" program. This is the Durham alumnae association located in Durham, North Carolina. It is a small group, but a most enthusiastic one. In fact the membership is so small—but it includes every Kappa living near enough to attend meetings—that we are going to give the members and their chapters. Listen carefully for your own chapter.

Delta Beta: Elizabeth Carlton, Frances Currin, Edna Kilgo Elias, Virginia Hobgood, Eva Malone, Katherine Markham, and Margaret Rogers.

Beta Chi: Mrs. E. P. Alyea (Nancy Anderson), and Mrs. A. R. Shands (Elizabeth P.)

Gamma Omega: Mrs. T. S. Johnson (Marian R.), and Mrs. W. F. Upshaw (Myrtle Miller).

Iota: Mrs. J. R. Eden (Florence B.).

Beta Alpha: Mrs. R. H. Shyrock (Rheva Ott).



Gamma Gamma: Mrs. J. H. Martin (Elsie Wilson).

Chi: Mrs. Walter M. Neilsen (Katherine T.).

Eta: Mrs. H. C. Nolan (Catherine W.).

Gamma Kappa: Margaret Bowman.

Gamma Pi: Alexina Demouy.

The most interesting feature of our association is its close contact with Delta Beta chapter at Duke university. We took an active part in rushing and felt that our efforts had not been in vain when sixteen Kappa pledge pins appeared on the campus. At each of our meetings two of the actives are always our guests. And lastly, we have an annual social function together that we may know one another better.

And now to the strains of "There's a Warm Spot in My Heart for K K G" this program by the Durham alumnae association comes to a close, so good-bye until April.

EDNA KILGO ELIAS

### *Washington, D.C.—Chartered 1924*

Our September meeting was at Stonleigh court where it was preceded by a dinner. Mrs. David W. Davis (Nellie Johnson), Kappa, president of the Washington alumnae association and our delegates to the national convention, gave a vivid and interesting story of the convention, to which sidelights were added

by Hannah Hunt Stokes, Alice Watts Hostetler and Jane Knox.

We celebrated Founders' day with a banquet in the garden house of the Dodge hotel. Our guests of honor were: Mrs. J. W. Cooper (Edna Curtis), Pi, president of the American Association of University Women, and Helen Snyder, our field secretary. Mrs. Cooper gave a delightful witty speech inspired by excerpts from old KEYS of her college period. Helen Snyder pleased by bringing direct word from our various chapters and told of chapter activities. The music was under the direction of Mrs. Edward Wallace (Abby Noyes), Omega.

Gamma Chi girls who visited Washington this fall are Mrs. W. Greenhill (Dorothy Daugherty), of Chicago, Mrs. Mark Miller (Ruth Gregory), of Great Neck, Long Island.

### *Engagement*

Louise Scarborough Townsend, Gamma Psi, to Dr. J. E. Savage, Phi Sigma Kappa, Nu Sigma Nu, University of Maryland.

### *Marriage*

Mary Bixler, Gamma Chi, to Schuyler Colfax Enck, November 26, 1932.

### *Birth*

Mr. and Mrs. W. Vermillion (Elizabeth Wangelin), Gamma Delta, a daughter.

AUGUSTA PRICE HUDSON

## **Mu Province**

### *Atlanta—Chartered 1931*

While our group is very small, we have made a remarkable showing this fall in connection with our philanthropic work, and we are mighty proud of our record.

Our chairman, Mrs. S. B. Mitchell (Sally Barclay, Beta Alpha), has organized all day sewings with a "pot-luck" luncheon. Not only have we had grand times at these, but we have accomplished wonderful results, and have just given 180 new articles for our section in the Needlework guild.

We are looking forward to a possible visit from our field secretary, Helen Snyder, in February, and are quite thrilled at the idea, as we had such a delightful visit from her last year.

We are mighty happy to welcome two new members to our association this fall. They are: Mrs. H. Richmond Favrot (Dorothy Gamble, Beta Omicron), and Mrs. George Reid (Elizabeth Havens, Psi).

GEORGINE GEISLER MORGAN

### *Birmingham—Chartered 1927*

We had quite a lovely December meeting with our new member—Mrs. W. M. Reno. Everyone was full of plans for Christmas and the holidays.

We are looking forward to a visit from Helen Snyder the first part of March. She will visit Gamma Pi and also our Birmingham alumnae group, so I will have more news to tell in my next letter.

ELIZABETH VAN DER VEER

### *Miami—Chartered 1925*

This has been an eventful year for Miami Kappas. Located as we have been far from any active chapters, we were thrilled over assisting at the installation of Delta Epsilon chapter, Rollins college, early last January. Although most of us could not carry a tune, we had great fun practicing and recalling the words of many Kappa songs, which most of us had almost forgotten. Mrs. Russel Severance (Marjory Wells, Beta Tau) with her



musical ability appeared at Rollins, and saved the day, so far as music was concerned for an already over-worked group from central office.

We rushed back to Miami, thrilled with the prospects of entertaining our grand president, Mrs. Barney, Clara Pierce, Mary Hatfield, Polly Edelen and Mrs. Jack Meeks (Virginia Harper), who came to us for one brief day. We only hope they received as much pleasure from loafing on the beach and swimming in the ocean as our group enjoyed entertaining them. Miamians are proud of their city, so after lunching at the Roney Cabana club, we took our guests for a ride about the greater Miami area. A formal dinner at the Miami colonial completed the entertainment for our honored visitors, who had to leave early the following morning.

Our first meeting this fall was on Founders' day, at the home of Mrs. E. S. Nichol (Dorothy Evans, Theta). We gained a new member in Mrs. Allen Cross (Delta Deitz, Gamma Omega), and a new associate member Mrs. Robert Jones (Mary Moore, Iota and Upsilon).

In November, we entertained members of Miami Panhellenic and their mothers at a musical tea in the Miami Biltmore club.

The group of girls sponsored by us at Miami university are to be our guests at a buffet supper in the home of Mrs. C. B. Stearnes (Tace Meeker, Mu) in December.

We enjoyed entertaining many visitors last year at our monthly meetings, and now we are looking forward to seeing new wearers of the key with the approaching winter season. Here, I feel like quoting from Almira McNaboe's friendly invitation to other Kappas, in her correspondence in the October KEY: "Do, please every Kappa newcomer, transient or permanent announce your presence" here in Miami. Notices of our meetings are published in the local papers so that any of you can get in touch with us.

### *Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. John Dupuis, Jr. (Elizabeth Ballard, Rho), a daughter, Elizabeth Anne Dupuis, December 5.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Mayes (Bernice Reed, Gamma Iota), a son, Thomas C. Mayes, Jr., November 27.

LEILA ADAMS

### *Winter Park—Chartered 1932*

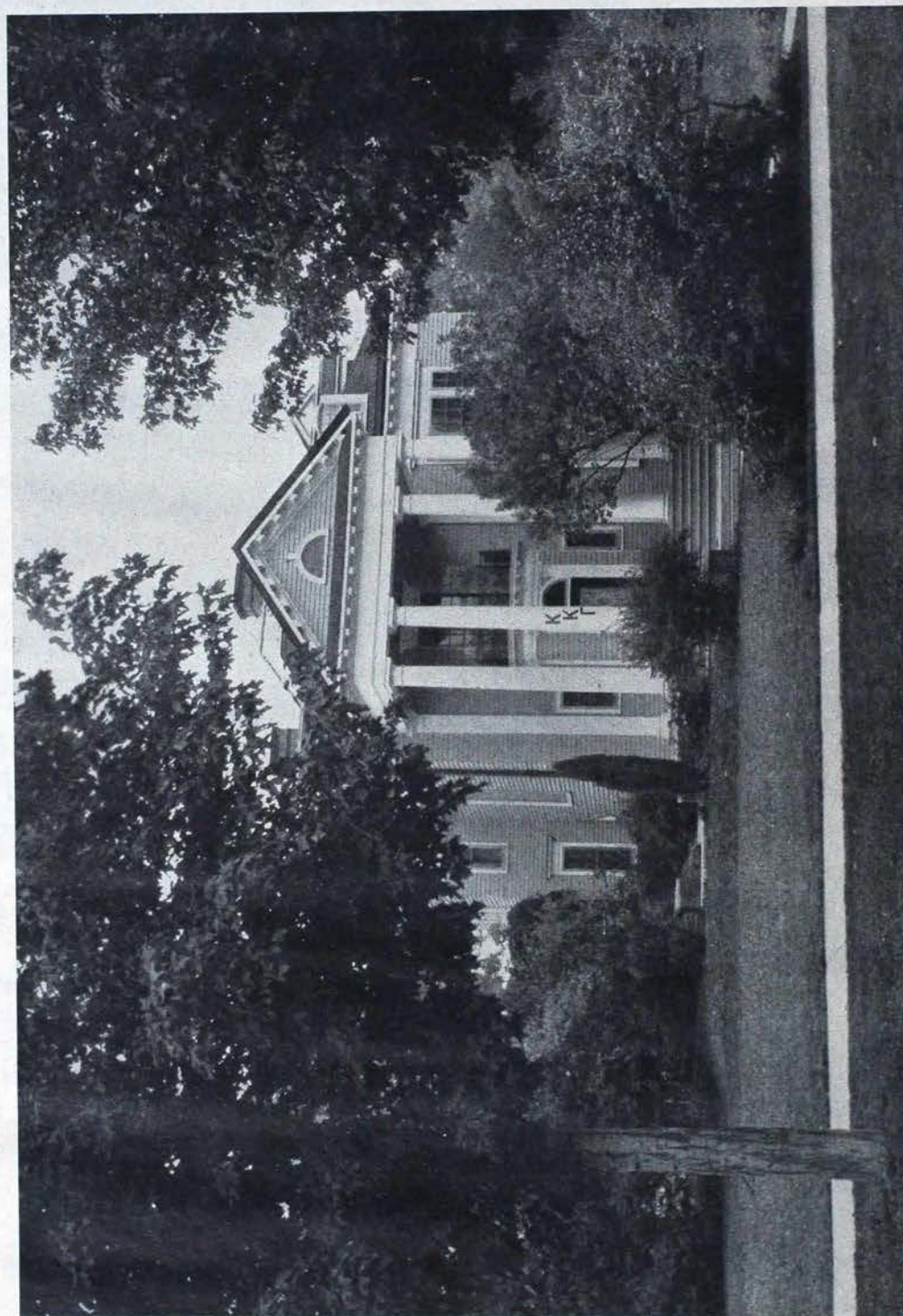
The alumnae members gathered at the home of Mrs. W. W. Rose (Stella Smith) for an informal dinner, November 9. Mrs. H. K. Kelly (Helen Dickinson) gave an official report on the convention at Swampscott; Mrs. J. Irvin Chaffee (Betsey Marvel) made a splendid talk on a "Trip to Wayside Inn" and also the "memorial service"; Mrs. H. E. Oesterling (Mary Patton) told about the "birthday dinner" at convention; and Eleanor Wright, Rollins active chapter president and convention delegate, gave a fine talk on co-operation between the alumnae and the active chapter.

The meeting, December 16, with more than fifty present, took the form of an old-fashioned Christmas party at the chapter house. After the business meeting all actives and pledges were guests of the alumnae with Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Chaffee as joint hostesses. Ferns, poinsettias, a beautifully decorated tree, and that faint odor of pine gave the house an air of Christmas festivity. Mary Lynn Rogers, active president of the chapter, took the place of Santa Claus and Eleanor Wright, past president, accepted for the chapter house the many presents banked under the tree. Nancy Cushman read from Dickens' *Christmas Carol*. Coffee, sandwiches, and cakes were served in the patio. The merry evening ended with the singing of Christmas carols and Kappa songs.

GEORGIANNA HILL

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## Alpha Province

### *Beta Beta—Chartered 1881*

#### *St. Lawrence University—Canton, New York*

Christmas vacation ended a successful fall for Beta Beta. We finished the season with a Christmas party given by the seniors December 5 at which we entertained two little poor children with Santa Claus and presents.

Since our Thanksgiving holiday was cut short this year and many of us could not go home, we held a supper and Victrola dance at the lodge. It was a great success, and we hope to be able to have another open house in the near future.

We are proud of Carolyn Hildreth, a junior, who has recently completed a plaque modeled in clay of the head of one of the university's most honored former faculty members, Charles Kelsey Gaines. It is to be presented to the college museum.

Our first house party this year was an informal "owl" dance November 12.

MARGARET SANFORD

### *Phi—Chartered 1882*

#### *Boston University—Boston, Massachusetts*

*Pledges:* Ruth Hewitt, Ruth Hutchinson, Mary McKay, Ruth Moir, Ruth Munroe, Eleanor Richardson, Ernestine Ross, Priscilla Spere, and Rhoda Work.

Phi chapter is happy to announce a successful rushing season. Nine girls were pledged, four from the college of liberal arts and five from the college of business administration. The pledge service was held at Mrs. Deering's in Cambridge, November 9. An impressive ceremony was followed by refreshments and an informal evening. November 21 the pledges gave a tea for delegates of other women's fraternities and the active Phi members at the home of Mrs. Edith Crabtree in Brookline.

Close attention has been given by the scholarship committee to the marks in general. Plans are being made by the social committee for an informal Christmas party and

a New Year's formal to be held at Riverside.

MARGARET CONROY

### *Beta Tau—Chartered 1883*

#### *Syracuse University—Syracuse, New York*

Beta Tau deeply mourns the loss of Alberta Becker, who died early in November. She is mourned by the university as well, because she was an outstanding girl on campus as well as in her chapter.

We are proud of Elizabeth Dougherty who, in her sophomore year, has been pledged and initiated into Zeta Phi Eta, honorary speech fraternity. December 11, the Kappa mothers and the chapter entertained the mothers of the pledges at a tea at the house. Esther Fielding, social chairman, planned a successful Christmas formal given December 16. December 18 Santa Claus came to our jolly Christmas party with an inexpensive gift for every one. The following evening, Beta Tau entertained the Phi Delta Thetas at one of those "gang dates" which are so popular at Syracuse.

At the Christmas recess several Kappas, including Margery Hamill, who was a bridesmaid, went to East Orange, New Jersey for the double wedding of Isabel Gates and her sister Elizabeth.

#### *Marriages*

Isabel Gates to Richard Lacey, Phi Delta Theta, Colgate university.

ELIZABETH DOOLEY

### *Psi—Chartered 1883*

#### *Cornell University—Ithaca, New York*

*Pledges:* Lucille McHugh, '34, West Orange, N.J.; Catherine Calvin, '34, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Marie Mantell, '33, Port Washington, N.Y.

The chapter has been busy studying lately, for prelims are upon us. As a result of this study, Dorothy Sheridan was elected to Phi Kappa Phi and Ethelyn Shoemaker to Phi Lambda Theta, honorary in education.



Virginia Wray had the lead in the dramatic club production of "Dolory" by the late Professor Martin Sampson.

Constance Sheedy had a part in the production "The Drunkard" and is cast for a part in "East Lynn." She has been elected to associate membership in the club.

Sunday, December 4, the pledges entertained the pledges of the other sororities at a breakfast served at the house.

December 14 we held our annual Christmas party. We exchanged 10-cent gifts and had many laughs over the appropriateness of some of them. Each girl also gave 10 cents toward buying Christmas gifts for the poor children.

Virginia Morgan visited us over Dartmouth week-end, and Mary Milmoë was our guest November 19.

#### *Engagement*

Linnea Peterson to Dr. Ward Ceilly, Delta Tau Delta, Iowa university.

#### *Marriages*

Marion Milligan, '31, to Arthur Tucker of Philadelphia.

Marion Kelly, '31, to Robert Reid of Passaic, New Jersey.

Marjorie Knapp, '30, to Ronald Babb, Cornell, Phi Kappa Sigma.

Alice Warner to Edward Mathewson.

CATHERINE L. ALT

#### *Gamma Lambda—Chartered 1923*

##### *Middlebury College—Middlebury, Vermont*

The last two months seem to have been a general checking up period in Gamma Lambda. First, to help us remember our reports, the standards committee appointed an efficiency chairman, whose duty it is to remind us all each week of our reports due. Then, too, we are trying to raise our scholarship this year. Our alumnae, always ready to help us, are offering two prizes at the end of this

year; and we hope to see some high marks. This year, for the first time, the standards committee acted as a nominating committee.

Although, because of the present situation our social activities have been minimized, we decided to give our traditional Christmas party to the poor children in the village. I think that we perhaps enjoyed the tree, ice cream, and Santa Claus stuffed out with pillows, as much as the children did.

JANET E. STANTON

#### *Delta Delta—Chartered 1930*

##### *McGill University—Montreal, Canada*

*Initiates:* Patricia Budden, Montreal; Margaret Byers, Montreal; Mary Coleman, Montreal; Janet Hamilton, Montreal; Andrea Hingston, Montreal; Alma Howard, Montreal; Helen Marriott, Ottawa; Ragnhild Tait, Montreal; Alice Vercoe, Montreal.

*Pledge:* Joan Clarke, Montreal.

This year we celebrated our chapter's second birthday, November 21, with a luncheon in the private dining room of one of our main restaurants.

So far we have had only one guest speaker. Miss N. K. Bryan, who is a noted authority on literature, and on that of Ireland in particular, spoke to us on the poetry of Yeats, and followed her talk by a most interesting discussion of Irish politics.

December 10 we initiated nine of our pledges. Following the ceremony we held a successful banquet, at which each of the Canadian chapters was represented. We are proud of the training which our initiates received from the pledge captain, Helen Thompson. Peg Byers, as well as being the owner of the neatest of 10 very neat pledge books, passed the pledge examination with 97 per cent; nor were the others far behind.

Marjorie Lynch is now wearing the much-coveted pearl guard, which is presented each year for scholarship.

SALLIE WARD

## Beta Province

#### *Gamma Rho—Chartered 1888*

##### *Allegheny College—Meadville, Pennsylvania*

Our pledge dance was given November 12, at Cochran hall. Our pledges are fine girls, and we are more and more pleased with our future Kappas.

Gamma Rho entertained November 22, with a faculty tea in honor of our new dean of women, Dr. Miller.

Two sophomores, Ada Sherwin and Clarissa Duff, were initiated into the Quill club at its December meeting.

The little sister party this year was in the form of a theater party in Meadville, December 5.

We are looking forward to our mid-winter formal, which will be given January 14.

CLARISSA DUFF



*Beta Iota—Chartered 1893**Swarthmore College—Swarthmore,  
Pennsylvania*

It has seemed queer this year with no rushing, but the plan really has worked out quite well. Unfortunately, we have not yet arrived at any more definite solution of the problem, so that everything is still very much "up in the air." We hope to get it settled soon, however, with everybody satisfied.

Our annual Hamburg show was great fun this year. Almost the whole chapter had some part in it, either in individual or in group skits. The last act is always the senior chorus in which the girls dress in tuxedos and the men in evening dresses. Five of our seniors were men for the evening: Margaret Ball, Eugenie Harshbarger, Katharine Morris, Yvonne Muser, and Mary Tupper.

Agnes Metcalfe is assistant hockey manager for next year, and was elected into Gwimp; Marguerite Tamblyn had the lead in the Little Theater club play, "Children Of The Moon" which was given just before the Christmas dance.

KATHERINE E. GRIER

*Beta Sigma—Chartered 1905**Adelphi College—Garden City, New York*

*Initiate:* Mabel Yates.

Although the announcement is late, we are going to be boastful and tell of the honors we hold. In the sophomore class, Grace Bender is treasurer and song leader; Ruth Lange is an executive, and Doris Conover has received honorable mention for a song she wrote. Among the juniors, Virginia Wilson is class executive; Ethel Brown, secretary. Dorothy Wetzler and Prudence Greer have been elected to Gold Mask, the college dramatic association. In the senior class, Betty Thackray is president of Panhellenic association and the college athletic association.

Formal rushing having begun, the Beta Sigmas are all agog. Christmas vacation several of the girls entertained at their homes.

The going out of the old year will always have a special significance to Elsie Ireland, for she was married on New Year's Eve to George Fleming Yates.

ETHEL BROWN

*Gamma Epsilon—Chartered 1919**University of Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh,  
Pennsylvania*

December brought many honors to Gamma Epsilon. Three seniors received honorary com-

mands of divisions in the university R.O.T.C.: Jean Statler, cadet captain of battery B; Charlotte Walker, cadet captain of battery D; June Miller, battalion commander.

An interclass sing was held at Heinz house, December 2. The junior class, under the leadership of Florence Price, was awarded the prize.

Pitt Players, our dramatic club, produced the most successful play of the year "Enter Madame," December 17. Betty Quarrie was excellent in the rôle of "Madame," and Jean Statler was equally good as the maid. Helen Bair was assistant director of the play.

Our traditional Christmas party was held December 12. Santa, alias Jean Statler, arrived shortly after our feast and presented an appropriate gift to each Kappa.

JEAN L. WINELAND

*Delta Alpha—Chartered 1930**Pennsylvania State College—State College,  
Pennsylvania*

*Initiates:* Betty Sue Clark, State College; Marcia Daniel, Philadelphia; Lucy Erdman, Quakertown; Emily Espenshade, State College; Ruth Everett, State College; Kathryn Hertzler, Camp Hill; Mary Jennison, State College; Margaret Kinsloe, State College; Jean McIntyre, Six Mile Run; Sarah Anne McKee, Camp Hill; Cherrille Merrill, St. Davids; Dorothy Perkins, Huntingdon Valley.

*Pledges:* Mary Elizabeth Brice, Bedford; Marjorie Miller, Lemoyne.

Rushing season was an exciting time what with treasure hunts, early morning breakfasts in the woods, teas, and a formal banquet; and as a reward, we found ourselves with 13 pledges.

Alumnæ day brought many of our old friends back. An alumnæ breakfast gave us an opportunity to talk over old times, and learn about old friends.

November 19, 12 pledges were initiated, and a formal dinner followed.

Plans are being made for the province convention to be held here the week-end of March 24. We cordially invite the national officers and chapters of Beta province to attend.

Eva Blichfeldt was elected vice-president of the Women's Student Government association; and Luck Erdman treasurer.

Of the initiates Lucy Erdman, Ruth Everett, Margaret Kinsloe, and Sarah Ann McKee, are Cwens.

Marion Howell is women's editor of the



*Collegian*, bi-weekly newspaper; Jeanne Barwis is exchange editor of *Froth*, humorous magazine, and women's editor of *Old Main Bell*, literary magazine.

Betty Thompson has been chosen fencing manager. Margaret Kinsloe was appointed to the committee for soph hop.

### Marriage

Winifred Forbes to William E. Smith, Alpha Chi Sigma.

### Birth

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Miller (Margaret Hopwood), Philadelphia.

MARCIA DANIEL

## Gamma Province

### Lambda—Chartered 1877

#### University of Akron—Akron, Ohio

Since pledge day is nigh, we Kappas have been busy with rushing parties. December 2 we gave a cabaret party. It was realistic to say the least. Outside we had an electric sign reading "Blue Owl Night Club," and a little owl merrily blinked one eye. We had an interesting entertainment provided by a violinist, a pianist, and some radio singers. December 15 we had our annual old-fashioned party where the girls wore lovely old style gowns. After dinner we gathered around the fire and sang Kappa songs.

We are anticipating the party to be given us by our alumnæ sometime in the holidays. Elizabeth Miler gave a bunco party for us Armistice day.

Our Mothers' club just recently gave us the most delightful Christmas party and presented us with one-half dozen card tables and two tapestries.

We are adopting a new plan of having a member of the faculty speak to us every Monday after meeting.

Again this year three of our Kappas were chosen as sponsors of the R.O.T.C.; Madeline Wilson, battalion sponsor; Irma Rugers, company C sponsor; and Eleanor Gregory, company D sponsor.

VIRGINIA C. BUTLER

### Rho—Chartered 1880-1925

#### Ohio Wesleyan University—Delaware, Ohio

The main feature of the early winter was the Greek conclave, held December 2-4. Clara O. Pierce, executive secretary, and Mrs. John K. Boardman, Gamma province president, were Kappa's national delegates. During the week-end the chapter, alumnæ advisers, and pledges gathered with the national officers for an informal discussion of group problems.

The following week-end our winter dinner formal took place in St. Mary's gymnasium.

At the recent scholarship breakfast, Mar-

jorie Yeomans and Bettina Beach, '32, were awarded the cup for their straight A grades. Mary Rickey, newly-elected Phi society member, received the pledge ring.

Elizabeth Monahan has been working as scenic director of "Journey's End." Martha Slusser and Louise Hartman are on technical crews. Doris Dean has been chosen as associate member of Wesleyan players.

Rho is proud of the steps her pledges have taken in activities. Helen Pennywitt is vice-president of Freshman players and Eleanor Dice, secretary; Dorothy Horton, Jean Herbert, Harriette Hatch, and Margaret Morgan are also members. Eleanor Dice and Virginia Kinnison hold offices in the Bible club. The French club has added Mary Rickey and Martha Sinsabaugh to its lists.

A new series of informal Sunday afternoon teas was inaugurated December 11.

At the chapter elections Lois Manchester was selected to succeed Marjorie Yeomans as president. Lois was a visitor at convention, and we know she will have a successful administration.

As a climax to the pre-holiday season the annual Christmas party was held at the rooms December 19.

MARGARET EASTON

### Beta Nu—Chartered 1888

#### Ohio State University—Columbus, Ohio

*Pledge:* Lousia May Miller, Hillsboro, Ohio.

Having returned from four hectic days of vacation members of Beta Nu are preparing to bridge the gap between Thanksgiving and Christmas with one final hectic spurt of studying. And speaking of studying we want to brag about Peggy Johnson, to whom we awarded the scholarship cup.

December 4 was the date of our fall dance given in honor of the pledges. It was held at the University club and was proclaimed a great success; the credit is due to our social chairman, Betty Malloy.



The alumnae chapter entertained the actives with a delightful spread at the chapter house December 13. Afterwards a joint meeting was held which was productive of so many constructive suggestions that it is hoped the two groups will meet more often during the year.

Olive Gooding was recently elected vice-president of the senior class. Soon afterwards we elected our new officers. Jane Gibbs is re-elected president; Jane Hoffman is recording secretary; and Betty Wright, sergeant-at-arms.

Our Christmas party, December 12, was made merry by Santa Claus, in the person of Eileen Littrell, who distributed gifts from the 10-cent store with a lavish hand. We sent two

Christmas baskets and the pledges sent one to the white Christmas celebration held annually by the Y.W.C.A. and Y.M.C.A.

That Beta Nu possesses its share of beauty is testified by the selection of Jane Berry and Nadine Berry from 50 candidates competing for the honor of being homecoming queen. These girls are two of the five final candidates selected by an experienced committee of judges.

#### *Engagements*

Dorothy Horton Pershall to Kennett Dillman of St. Louis, Missouri.

Miriam Elyse Francisco to Frederick Raymond Rice, Sigma Chi, of Atlanta, Georgia.

GRACE POSTON

## Delta Province

### *Delta—Chartered 1873*

#### *Indiana University—Bloomington, Indiana*

Fall elections of Phi Beta Kappa brought Delta another honor when Doris Scripture was elected a member.

"Doll's House" was acclaimed the best dramatic performance at Indiana for several years. Kappa received a share in the praise, for Sarah Ann Matthews played the leading rôle all four nights. Kathryn Feltus, Dorothy Guy, both pledges, and Gene Portteus, also had parts in the play, which has only four women characters.

The Bloomington alumnae association will entertain the active chapter with a buffet supper at the chapter house for their January meeting.

Rosemary Hussey, Gene Portteus, Mary Siebenthal, Phyliss Toothill, and Margaret McConnell were bridesmaids at the wedding of Marian Kemmer.

Mrs. Olive Dailey Pierson, who was president of Delta chapter in 1903, was elected as a representative to the legislature of Connecticut. She is the first woman representative to be elected to the legislature from the thirty-third district.

#### *Marriage*

Marian Kemmer to Joseph H. Lesh, December 10. Mr. Lesh, who is a Sigma Chi, is practicing law in Huntington, where the couple will make their home.

FRANCES SHERWOOD

### *Mu—Chartered 1878*

#### *Butler University—Indianapolis, Indiana*

Our pledges entertained the active chapter with the annual pledge dance at the chapter

house November 18. The house was decorated with large illuminated pledge pins and blue candles.

Open house, which we hold every year to introduce our pledges to the campus, was very successful. In the receiving line were Jane Williston, social chairman; Mary Elizabeth Search, president; Mrs. Helen Shimer, house mother; and the new pledges.

Mabelle Sherman added spirit to our Christmas party by acting as Santa Claus. Each member received a 10-cent gift accompanied by a limerick.

Jane Williston was in charge of our Christmas formal December 16. The house was decorated with large white cathedral candles, holly, cedar, and mistletoe.

Betty Kalleen was elected secretary of the freshman class.

Helen Ditzler is our new corresponding secretary, and Kathryn Fitchey, correspondent to the KEY.

Marjorie Watkins was elected to Theta Sigma Phi.

KATHRYN FITCHEY

### *Kappa—Chartered 1881*

#### *Hillsdale College—Hillsdale, Michigan*

Chapter elections have come and gone, and we are more than happy to have Doris Buell, our rushing chairman of last fall, as president. Dorothy Freeman is our new recording-secretary; Patricia Killam, corresponding-secretary; Frances May Patton (retiring president), treasurer; Virginia Perkey, assistant treasurer; and Jean Blackman, marshal. Dorothy Freeman was re-appointed so-



cial chairman. Our fall informal open house dance was an election party November 8; our winter formal was December 9, at the Hotel Hayes, in Jackson.

Our all-night Christmas party for pledges and actives, which is held annually at the chapter house, was prefaced this year by an open house radio party. It was quite festive with Christmas decorations.

Five of our pledges were honored as members of the freshman commission: Mary Ambler, Bonnie Beatty, Donna Draper, Kathryn Howell, and Hazel Rice.

#### *Engagements*

Doris Buell to Fayette Howell, Delta Sigma Phi.

Patricia Killan to Virgil Drake, Delta Tau Delta.

Carolyn Narrance to Robert Baker, Delta Tau Delta.

ALICE M. ELLIOTT

#### *Xi—Chartered 1882*

##### *Adrian College—Adrian, Michigan*

*Pledges:* Alice Baldwin, Adrian; Willow-  
een Exelby, Britton; Virginia Heckert,  
Adrian; Avonell Moll, Blissfield; Phyllis Robb,  
and Dorothy Severance, Adrian.

We have finished our rushing season by giving out six bids, all of which were accepted Friday, December 9. We held our formal pledging service that evening. We had two rush parties: the first, an all-night party at the home of Jamie Foresythe in Blissfield, and the other, a formal progressive dinner, served at the home of Josephine Wyatt. Each course of the dinner represented a Kappa symbol: the first, the "blue and blue" course; the second, "Athena's garden"; the third, "the owl"; and the fourth, "the key."

The Panhellenic party was the outstanding social event of the city preceding the holiday season; it was attended by 150 couples.

The drinking fountain which we installed as a memorial on Xi's 50th anniversary was received gratefully by the trustees of the college. Instead of the traditional exchange of gifts at our Christmas party we decided to furnish a basket for a needy family and to dress dolls for the Associated Charities. We had a Christmas party in the chapter rooms December 12 with alumnæ and pledges present.

HELEN MAXHAM

#### *Beta Delta—Chartered 1890*

##### *University of Michigan—Ann Arbor, Michigan*

*Initiates:* Marjorie Beck, Boston, Massachusetts; Margaret LeMire, Ann Arbor; Nal-

da McCamly, Battle Creek; Catherine McHenry, South Bend, Indiana; Vida Patten, Chickasha, Oklahoma; Elizabeth Spray, Canton, Ohio; Harriette White, Jonesville.

Although we have cut severely our budget for social affairs, we still know how to have good times. Our pledge formal, November 4, was successful from every point of view. Two weeks later we entertained the women deans of the university at dinner.

Beta Delta initiated seven pledges December 7. At the banquet afterward Ruth Duhme was given the scholarship award for 16 hours of A work for the previous semester, and Corinne Henry was honored for having contributed the most to the chapter during the past four years.

We are proud of one of our initiates, Catherine McHenry, who led the sophomore prom December 2, and also of Phyllis Swift, who has been elected to Wyvern.

The Monday before Christmas vacation was held our annual Christmas party. After dinner we exchanged gifts, which were afterwards taken to the hospital and given to the children there.

MARY ALICE FREDERICK

#### *Gamma Delta—Chartered 1919*

##### *Purdue University—West Lafayette, Indiana*

Following our plan made early in the semester to be rush and fraternity-minded all year we have been having the following parties:

December 3 we had a bridge-luncheon for 18 rushees. We had a dinner party, December 14, for 10 town rushees. Panhellenic has limited further rush parties to three for the remainder of the year so this will close our rush season for a while.

A holiday dinner was given December 18 for the women members of the faculty. The house was decorated in keeping with the season, and the pledges entertained with a stunt.

Our annual Christmas all-night party was December 20. The pledges again provided the entertainment with stunts and songs. Dean Shoemaker and other friends of the chapter were present.

Much to our disappointment we were unable to have our usual children's party this Christmas, because of an epidemic of diphtheria. We gave toys and clothes to a local organization for distribution among the needy and donations to the Red Cross and the Tuberculosis association.

Since finals are nearing, our activities have been confined mainly to the classroom; however, Mary Weinland and Jeanne Beaver offi-



ciated at the swimming meet, December 15.

The new Kappa history was received with much enthusiasm and interest.

#### *Engagement*

Sally Marjorie Tanner to Richard William Bardach, Delta Upsilon.

#### *Marriages*

Elizabeth Virginia Morrow to Howard Winfield Lowe, Delta Upsilon.

Margery Isabelle Mathias to Howard Raymond Kissell, Phi Kappa Tau.

#### *Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon Worthington (Margaret Alice Lowe), a son, William Lowe.

MARIWYN E. BRENNAN

#### *Delta Gamma—Chartered 1930*

##### *Michigan State College—East Lansing, Michigan*

Our activities the latter part of this term have been rather limited as finals are now upon us.

December 8 we gave a luncheon in honor of our housemother. The guest list included all of the housemothers on the campus.

At midnight, December 17, all the members gathered around the fire place and sang Christmas carols. Sunday morning we had our Christmas tree and breakfast. December 29 the alumnae of Lansing and East Lansing held a party at the chapter house.

Harriet Rix took part in "Holiday" produced by Theta Alpha Phi. Miriam Ryan and Elizabeth Shigley took part in the production "Death Takes a Holiday."

VIRGINIA NAY

## Epsilon Province

#### *Epsilon—Chartered 1873*

##### *Illinois Wesleyan University—Bloomington, Illinois*

November 18 we had our annual farmer's feed in the Y.W.C.A. hut. Everyone dressed up in old clothes, and we all had a good time.

November 19 our alumnae sponsored a scrip dance. This was held at the Bloomington club, and the music was furnished by Lyle Smith and his orchestra.

Wesleyan football team won the Little Nineteen conference and Ruth Kies was "Queen of the Little Nineteen." Because of this championship classes were dismissed a day early for Thanksgiving vacation.

November 29 the marriage of Alice Kuhn to Robert Copenhaver, which took place March 28, 1932, was announced.

For December 15, we are planning a party for 25 children of the unemployed of Bloomington.

Our Christmas formal dance will be given December 16 and will be at the Maplewood Country club. A buffet supper will be served.

HELEN ALDRICH

#### *Chi—Chartered 1880*

##### *University of Minnesota—Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Pledges:* Mary Ives, Jane Wright, Jane Yerxa, Ellen Brown, Margaret Champine, Jane Moore, Jane Grace, Marlys Hanson, Jane Greer, Eleanor Belden, and Betty Reinhard, Minneapolis; Genevieve McMillan, Jane Dennis, Geraldine Thompson, Deborah Thomp-

son, Diana Doty, Elinor Smith, Miriam Seeger, Elizabeth Ann Stearns, and Caroline Earl, St. Paul; Beatrice Barnard, Fargo, North Dakota; Mary Appelget, Calumet; Betty Grove, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Isabel Baer, Bemidji; Edith Wheeler, New York City; Grace Bliss, Mitchell, South Dakota.

*Initiates:* Virginia Lewis and Frances Gifford.

This has been a busy, thrilling fall for Chi chapter. Fall quarter gave us a hectic start, but we feel that our pledge class of 26 grand girls was more than worth the effort. After pledging, we were entertained at supper at the home of Jean Dickey.

Homecoming was a big day for the chapter. Mary Spooner was co-chairman of the homecoming committee; and Marion Sanders, captain of our prize-winning button-sales team, was chosen queen of homecoming. We won honorable mention on both our house decorations and our float, and topped off the "grand and glorious" day with a highly successful open-house dance, at which our pledges were introduced.

November 5 we honored our dads at a dads' day luncheon at the house, and the Founders' day banquet, October 13, gave us an opportunity to become better acquainted with the alumnae. A few days later, we made merry at an informal party at the house. December 10 we held initiation for Virginia Lewis and Frances Gifford; and two days later, the alumnae gave a lovely tea for the actives and pledges and their mothers. At our last meeting, we had a Christmas party and



packed toys, food, and clothing that we had provided for two needy families in Minneapolis.

Isobel Gregory was honored with a place in line at the military ball, and Ruth Dietrich shed glory on us by her beautiful performance of the title rôle in the world premiere of Maxwell Anderson's "The Sea Wife."

#### *Marriages*

Evelyn Boutell to Dr. Ralph Boos.

Moana Odell to Raymond Beim, Psi Upsilon.

Anne Lyon to Weston Grimes, Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Emily Knoblauch to Samuel Thorpe.

Betty Bauer to Winfred Wendell.

#### *Engagement*

Jane Arey to Edward Thompson, Delta Tau Delta.

BETTY GAY BAXTER

#### *Upsilon—Chartered 1882*

*Northwestern University—Evanston, Illinois*

*Pledge:* Jean Kerr.

The middle of the first semester found many Kappas still participating in various school activities.

Mary Elysabeth Townsend and Joyce Snider are prominent members of the Women's Self Government association social committee. Cora Kling is a member of the sophomore commission, and Mary Elysabeth Townsend is on the junior class social committee.

Our chapter is proud of its representation in the athletic field this year; the Women's Athletic association took among its new members this fall 10 Kappas: Mary Elysabeth Townsend, Jane Rogers, Elizabeth Blair, Elizabeth Dostal, Janice Hall, Elizabeth Hartley, Jean Kerr, Nancy Kling, Doris Kendall, and Frances Terrell. These girls were outstanding in the hockey and soccer games of the season. We are proud to note also that three of our Kappas, two of whom are pledges, made the much coveted varsity hockey team; they were Nancy Kling, Doris Kendall, and Eloise Kremer.

During the week of December 5, the annual campus musical review, "Scrap Book," was given. The Kappa talent in the show was outstanding. Three of our pledges, Janice Hall, Joan Cotter, and Jane Iredale, helped to make the chorus one of the best ever appearing on the campus. Mary Apmadoc's two song numbers established her reputation as a talented singer. Joyce Snider, an old-timer in campus musical reviews, performed in a specialty dance number, and Mary Elysabeth Townsend played in a pantomime skit.

December 5 the chapter held its election of new officers. Margaret Welsh, president; Charlotte Bortree, vice-president; and Marjorie Welsh, secretary; were reelected to these same offices; Jean Thackey and Louise Haines were elected treasurer and corresponding secretary, respectively. With these officers we hope to have a very successful semester.

#### *Engagement*

Elizabeth Hunt to Herman Seigmund.

#### *Marriages*

Vesta Swenson to Walter Colbath.

Gertrude Winzenburg to Cleo Hoagland.

#### *Birth*

Nancy Christie to Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Christie (Frances Stevens).

LORETTA WHITE

#### *Beta Lambda—Chartered 1899*

*University of Illinois—Urbana, Illinois*

*Pledge:* Barbara Granger, Belvidere, Illinois.

Beta Lambda has just given its annual Christmas tea for faculty and friends, with Virginia Disosway as social chairman.

Our honors go to Sara Hughes, who was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa; to Bethel Paradis, initiated into Mu Kappa Alpha, a musical honorary; and to Isabella Lawton and Marjorie McKee, who were initiated into Shi-Ai, a sophomore honorary.

Our Christmas dance is to be given December 16.

ANNE ASH

#### *Gamma Sigma—Chartered 1928*

*University of Manitoba—Winnipeg, Manitoba*

Apart from our weekly Sunday afternoon teas we have participated in few social activities since our last Key letter.

Our newer members had charge of our rummage sale November 25, thus increasing our finances through their efforts.

Virginia Davies was in charge of the committee which made arrangements for the junior prom this year; and two of our pledges, Margaret Davis and Roberta Lee, were also included on the committee.

Margot Duff took one of the major parts in the annual one-act plays, sponsored by the university.

As examinations are drawing near we are all studying more than usual and hope to have a better average than ever.

RUTH CARLYLE



## Zeta Province

### Theta—Chartered 1875

#### University of Missouri—Columbia, Missouri

We started the Christmas round of parties in Columbia with a dance, December 2. The house was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens, and a lighted tree lent a festive air.

Three of our girls have received recognition for their scholastic ability. Helen Hunker was named for junior five of Phi Beta Kappa; and Julia Callaway and Jane Kelly were initiated into Sigma Epsilon Sigma, honorary scholastic sorority. Dorothy Castle has made Zeta Sigma, intersorority.

Pat Shrader was elected "Miss Mizzou," queen of Missouri university's homecoming, and Jane Kelly was official greeter. Margaret Brewster is a member of Missouri Mermaids, and Helen Hunker and Hilda Butts are on the cabinet of the Junior League of Women Voters. Elise Schmidt and Inez Carr have parts in the journalism show, and Laura Allee had her second part this semester in a major Workshop production.

JANE KELLY

### Beta Zeta—Chartered 1882

#### University of Iowa—Iowa City, Iowa

An honor of unusual importance was accorded Wanda Trumbauer, a pledge, when she was chosen to be Cleopatra at the Dolphin water pageant, December 1-3.

The pledge class gave its annual party December 9. It was distinctive by virtue of the music and the unique container for the punch, which was a 400-pound piece of ice chipped in the center in the shape of a key. More ingenious plans are being made for the stunt with which the pledges will entertain us December 17. Whisperings herald the coming of the holidays and our Christmas gift exchange. Jean Ferris has already sent us a Christmas tree.

Priscilla Morrison is among the final three from whom the honorary cadet colonel will be chosen in January.

When "The Cherokee Night" by Lynn Riggs was produced December 7, 8, and 9, the Kappas were represented by Margaret Rule, Priscilla Morrison, Rae Sorey, Lorraine Gibson, and Mary Frances Riley.

#### Death

Mrs. Jerry Yetter (Valissa Cook), December 11, 1932.

PRISCILLA MORRISON

### Omega—Chartered 1883

#### University of Kansas—Lawrence, Kansas

In the freshman class election held last month, Dorothy Bangs and Flavia Hay, pledges, were elected vice-president and secretary of the class. These officers automatically place them as members of the Women's Self Government association council.

December was a busy month for our chapter. The musical comedy, in which Marcia Ritter, Dorothy Jane Breidenthal, and Helen Skinner had parts, was presented during this month. Earlier in the month, we gave our fall party at the chapter house. Many of our alumnæ came back for the party and were our guests at that time. We had our formal Christmas dinner the evening of December 15, at the chapter house. Following the dinner, the pledges presented their annual freshman farce.

Our intramural athletic activities have been successful this year. We won first place among women's fraternities in the volleyball semifinals and also in the tennis matches which were held recently.

MARJORIE HUDSON

### Sigma—Chartered 1884

#### University of Nebraska—Lincoln, Nebraska

The freshman class gave us a lovely house party November 18. The decorations were in blue and blue, and the favors were glass powder boxes of pastel shades. We have continued our exchange dinners, exchanging with Beta Theta Pi, November 4, and Sigma Nu, November 19.

The Kappas at Nebraska are becoming noted for their part in the Kosmet Klub Thanksgiving revues. Last year we won first place together with Delta Upsilon, and this year we took second place with an act entitled "A Story Book." Robin Hood, Red Riding Hood, Goldilocks and the three bears, Captain Kidd and his pirates all made up a delightful review of songs and dances. We have been asked to present our act at the next Junior Chamber of Commerce luncheon.

November 19 we had our Christmas party and tree. The freshmen gave a little Christmas stunt, and then we received our presents with their explanatory verses. Betty Everett, our president, showed some movies that were taken last spring, and she also took movies of the freshman stunt.

#### Engagement

Florence Miller to Norman Galleher, Delta Tau Delta.



*Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lawlor (Mildred Doyle), a son, John Michael.

MARGARET LAWLOR

*Gamma Alpha—Chartered 1916**Kansas State College—Manhattan, Kansas*

*Pledge:* Virginia Dole, Salina, Kansas.

The second half of this semester has just whizzed by for Gamma Alpha . . . something doing every moment. First, there was our fall party of which the pledges had charge. Then just before Thanksgiving vacation we started to work on the stunt we entered in Aggie Pop. The judges awarded us second place. Jeanne Bryan and Dorothy Cortelyou both had parts in "The Spider," staged by the Manhattan Little theater.

Katherine Black made the freshman tenneguoit team; and Katherine Reid, the junior team. Rosemary Schmidt and Margaret Carr passed the entrance test for Orchesis. Dorothy Cortelyou received recognition for her scholastic standing for last year at the Phi Kappa Phi recognition chapel.

Our recent elections placed the following girls in office: Barbara Lautz, president; Helen Ehrlich, treasurer; Helen Pickrell, corresponding secretary; Mary Ransopher, recording secretary; Helen Louise Davis, marshal; Vera Martin, commissary manager; and Margaret Kelly, house manager.

MARY HAUSER

*Gamma Iota—Chartered 1921**Washington University—St. Louis, Missouri*

The week or two before Christmas vacation is always filled with activities of both the scholastic and social type. Such are our days here at Washington. Since our last letter there have been several interesting events. Following the fall house party the pledges and actives again got together at two of our monthly supper meetings. At our last supper meeting we had a former Kappa pledge, Katherine Fink, with us. Katherine has a voice of fine stage quality and entertained us royally.

We are proud of several of our girls who obtained parts in the Washington university Quadrangle musical comedy, "French Class." Helen Ustick has the rôle of a French maid, and Myrtle Lothman and Martha Milan are in the chorus.

December 5 we elected the following officers: president, Elizabeth Leavitt; recording secretary, Emily Beckers; corresponding secretary, Jane Scholz; assistant treasurer, Virginia Grace; marshal, Eleanor Kraus; registrar, Susan Chaplin; standards chairman, Dorothy Doheney; social chairman, Martha Jane Taylor; assistant social chairman, Jeanne Milan.

December 14 the pledges are giving the actives a party. We will end our pre-Christmas season with a Christmas party.

JEANNE LOUISE HERRING

## Eta Province

*Beta Mu—Chartered 1901**Colorado University—Boulder, Colorado*

The first quarter nearly over, Beta Mu feels happy over an unusual season. The installations at Colorado college and Utah were a new experience and pleasant in spite of the overnight trip to Utah in a coach.

Among the honors that the girls have won on the campus this fall we list first the fact that Mary Ingley is the first girl to make junior Phi Beta. Both she and Ruth Stauffer were exempt from taking finals this year because of their high status in the new honors system. They are two out of five students from the entire university to win this privilege.

Cordelia Buck and Betty Fedou were elected to membership in Sigma Epsilon Sigma, national scholastic honorary society for sophomore women. Ruth Schureman was the only sophomore to be elected to membership

in Theta Sigma Phi, national honorary journalistic society for women. She is a member two quarters before other sophomores are usually eligible.

Amy Witham is a member of the junior prom committee. Mary Dart is the new associate editor of the campus newspaper. Barbara Lee Skinner had one of two feminine leads in the homecoming play. Cordelia Buck had a lead in one of the Little theater plays. Mary Jo Halley, a pledge, is secretary of the freshman class.

In our annual chapter election we chose Betty Brown as our new president.

*Births*

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muth (Elizabeth Knox), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ira Nye (Idabelle Barnes), a daughter, Joan.

BETTY SHAUCHZE





GAMMA BETA

*Gamma Beta—Chartered 1918*

*University of New Mexico—Albuquerque,  
New Mexico*

The biggest event since our last letter to THE KEY was the visit of Helen Snyder, field secretary. We gave a tea for her so that she might meet all the alumnae and mothers. At a meeting Helen talked to us, telling us how we could improve our chapter; it was truly inspiring, and we have all started out for a bigger and better goal. One afternoon some of the girls drove her to Isleta to show her what a real old Indian village looks like. We were all thrilled when she told us our house was the only one of its kind in the United States, and that the Indian style was beautiful.

During homecoming the Kappa house was quite cleverly decorated with a huge sign, "Welcome," made of strands of bright red chile. Probably the girls in the east hardly know what chile is, but I'm sure the westerners do. At night, with huge flood lights lighting up the chile, the house was quite a sight.

In November we staged a "shipwreck" dance, which was a great success. The main room was decorated with green cedar and rocks, giving it the appearance of an island; in the background we had a painted ocean. Everyone came in clothes typifying a shipwreck, some in sailor outfits, others in tattered evening dresses.

Now, to get down to Kappa honors. Betty Gill was the leading lady in the play, "Dreams Come True," giving a great performance; she was also tapped for Theta Alpha Phi, honorary dramatic club. Vena Gault was tapped for Pi Gamma Mu, social science honorary club.

MARIAN CLARK

*Gamma Zeta—Chartered 1920*

*University of Arizona—Tucson, Arizona*

*Pledge:* Winifred Norton, Phoenix, Arizona.

For the past two months Gamma Zeta has been busy with both social affairs and college work. A scavenger hunt and a Christmas dance were the outstanding social affairs. At a successful benefit bridge we raised \$200 which will be a great help in paying for the plans of our new house.

Many honors have come to our girls this semester. The greatest of them was the election of Eleanor Arthur, our new president, as Miss Arizona by a vote of the entire student body. We had six girls on the honor roll for last year. At the annual horse show Louise Bellows received the first prize for Roman riding and placed second in the performance of the advanced riding class. Mary Ewing, Florence Hornberger and Edith Leverton were initiated into Rattlers, sophomore honorary society. Dora Lee Byars and Gwen Sutton



pledged to Sigma Alpha Iota, honorary music society.

Helen Snyder visited our chapter house from November 19 to 23. We enjoyed and appreciated her visit.

December 14 we had our annual Christmas party.

MARIE-ANGE CONTER

### *Gamma Omicron—Chartered 1927*

#### *University of Wyoming—Laramie, Wyoming*

*Pledge:* Susan Davie Macfarlane Harris.

*New officers:* President, Doris Abrahamson; marshal, Carol Beck; corresponding secretary, Virginia True; registrar, Sally Henrick; treasurer, Ruth Davis; recording secretary, Virginia Kutcher.

The Gamma Omicron Kappas were honored November 8, by a visit from Helen Snyder. That afternoon a tea was given in her honor followed by a dinner and a meeting. The next evening the alumnae entertained her at a dinner which, from all reports, was quite grand. We certainly do love having her visit us and only wish she could come more often.

November 10 all but two actives and two of the alumnae left for Salt Lake City to install the Utah chapter. It was a thrilling experience and everyone reported the Delta Etas perfect hostesses.

November 19, the actives gave their annual dance honoring the pledges.

Virginia True again this year had the lead in a Theta Alpha Phi play, "The Ivory Door," by A. A. Milne.

A Christmas tree and Santa Claus started the yuletide spirit stirring around the Gamma Omicron's chapter house December 11. First we had a breakfast; then many gifts, both funny and exciting, were given each girl; and the party was brought to its finale with stunts by the pledges. The alumnae were there and gave the chapter a present.

ROSEMARY SCHMUCK

### *Delta Zeta—Chartered 1932*

#### *Colorado College—Colorado Springs, Colorado*

*Pledges:* Gratia Belle Blackman, Colorado Springs; Jim Browder, Memphis, Texas; Leonna Dorlac, Colorado Springs; Harriet Engle, Colorado Springs; Elizabeth Foster, Montrose; Helen Gilmore, Colorado Springs; Emma Louise Jordan, Colorado Springs; Margaret Kirby, Manitou; Frances Lewis, Colorado Springs; Mary Katharine Rohrer, Colorado Springs; Gretchen Sherk, Greeley.

Greetings to our sisters from a thriving baby chapter! Our officers for the year are:

president, Dorothy Martin; recording secretary, Martha Murray; corresponding secretary, Alice Hersom; treasurer, Ruth Laughlin; assistant treasurer, Elizabeth Foster; registrar, Josephine Campbell; assistant registrar, Georgia Lindley; marshal, Betty Britain; correspondent to the Key, Alice Hersom.

On the campus: Dorothy Smith, president of the junior class, president of Exclamation club, treasurer of Tiger club; Josephine Campbell, treasurer of Dais and homecoming queen attendant; Emma Louise Jordan, president of Crescent club and homecoming queen attendant; Harriet Engle, leading lady in two Koshare plays; Evelyn Eastman, president of Koshare and treasurer of Panhellenic; Ruth Laughlin, president of Tiger club.

A pledge dance was given at Broadmoor Night club November 10. A group of needy children was entertained at our Christmas party, December 13. A superstition party was enjoyed January 13.

### *Marriage*

Dorothy Smith, to Kenneth Pomeroy, Beta Theta Pi.

ALICE HERSOM

### *Delta Eta—Chartered 1932*

#### *University of Utah—Salt Lake City, Utah*

The newest chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma, Delta Eta, celebrated its installation with a formal dance, November 27, at the Newhouse hotel. Golden keys adorned many proud and happy girls.

All of the women's fraternities on the Utah campus have honored us with teas and receptions.

Winter rushing will start January 5, and of course the campus spot-light will be upon the latest national fraternity to be installed in Utah. We shall be watched; and every new Kappa will be on her tip-toes in anticipation of the day when "the pick of the campus" will be wearing the blue and blue pledge pin.

### *Marriages*

Virginia Ostler to William Mornay, University of Utah.

Arline Daynes to Melvin Thorley, University of Utah, Phi Delta Theta.

HELEN WOOLLEY

### *Beta Xi—Chartered 1902*

#### *University of Texas—Austin, Texas*

*Initiates:* Mary Virginia Barron, McAllen, Texas; Zoe Bevil, Beaumont, Texas; Augusta Boyle, San Antonio, Texas; Virginia



Colvin, Fort Worth, Texas; Shelia Conley, El Paso, Texas; Frances Crain, Longview, Texas; Emmagene Hale, Abilene, Texas; Helen Hartgrove, San Angelo, Texas; Paula Holland, Baytown, Texas; Floy Robinson, Austin, Texas; Lucile Starcke, Seguin, Texas; Bettie Tippitt, Greenville, Texas; Frances Veale, Breckenridge, Texas.

Initiation was held November 16 for 13 pledges. After initiation we had a buffet supper at the house.

Several honors have come to Beta Xi this fall. Eileen Crain was elected to Sigma Delta Pi, national Spanish fraternity; and Evelyn Calhoun Miller, president of Mortar Board and Co-ed council, was recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Claire Tabor made Theta Sigma Phi, journalism fraternity; Martha DeLay, Pi Lambda Theta, national educational fraternity; Mary Craig, Zoe Bevil, and Emmagene Hale, Turtle club; Claire Tabor, Bit and Spur; Augusta Boyle, Orange Jackets; and Bettie Tippitt, Glee Club. The Nu Upsilon Tau Tau (NUTT) new members from Beta Xi are Emmagene Hale and Eileen Crain.

We are proud of the fact that we rank fourth on the campus in scholarship.

December 19 there was a buffet supper at the chapter house, after which both initiates and pledges enjoyed the clever presents which jolly Santa distributed.

The new officers are: Eileen Crain, president; Frances Neville, recording secretary; Benita Harding, registrar; Zoe Bevil, assistant registrar; Carolyn Carpenter, assistant treasurer; Emmagene Hale, marshal; Esther Hasskarl, parliamentarian; Martha DeLay, correspondent to THE KEY.

MARTHA DELAY

#### *Beta Theta—Chartered 1914*

##### *University of Oklahoma—Norman, Oklahoma*

*Initiates:* Annette Lowrey, Jean Adams, Betty Stewart.

Mrs. R. S. Shapard, Dallas, Texas, president of Theta province, was honored at a tea given by Beta Theta chapter, December 6. A centerpiece of white chrysanthemums flanked by white tapers decorated the table at which Miss Norma Gates, faculty adviser, and Helen Virginia Kelly presided. Mrs. Shapard was the guest of Beta Theta two days, and we certainly enjoyed having her with us.

The pledges entertained at a clever Christmas party December 19, at which time they presented the house with some new furniture

and also gave Mrs. Lucille West, our hostess, a gift.

One of the most outstanding honors given a member of Beta Theta was election of Helen Heyward to Gamma Epsilon Pi, honorary fraternity for women in business. Of equal interest is the nomination of Jean Garnett as a candidate for honorary R.O.T.C. colonel.

Beta Theta has three entries in the beauty section of the *Sooner*, yearbook for 1933. Annette Lowrey, Mildred Chase and Martha Lake Dudley.

Work has been started on redecorating our chapter room. The room is to be painted in silver, dark blue and light blue. Modernistic designs and stencils of fleurs-de-lys are to be used in the wall decorations.

At the present time everyone in the house is busy making scrapbooks to be given to the crippled children's ward at University hospital in Oklahoma City. The girls also furnished toys for a Y.W.C.A. party December 14. These toys were distributed among the poor children of Norman the day before Christmas.

A singular honor came to Mildred Maxey, whose play "Tim, the Chimney Sweep" was the winner of the Samuel French award for the best juvenile play. The play was recently produced for the Junior League of Oklahoma City, and leading rôles were taken by Kappas.

#### *Engagements*

Louisa Wilson to J. T. Haun, Kappa Alpha.  
Leta Holtzendorff to William Perryman, Sigma Chi.

#### *Marriages*

Velma Jones to John Leland Collins; at home in Bristow, Oklahoma.

Phyllis Stuart (pledge) to Adelbert Cather, Sigma Chi, at home in Shawnee, Oklahoma.

#### *Births*

To Lieut. and Mrs. J. F. Byrd (Elizabeth Sherman), a son, December 1.

To Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell Looper (Mary Ann Kennedy), a daughter, Suzann, November 27.

MARTHA JANE DOWELL

#### *Gamma Nu—Chartered 1925*

##### *University of Arkansas—Fayetteville, Arkansas*

More honors to Gamma Nu! November 18, Dorothy Kenney was chosen queen of the army down here at old A.U. She will be seen in all dress parades of the R.O.T.C. and will lead the military march at the military ball in the spring. Two weeks later, December 8, the student paper announced that Dorothy Kenney



was elected queen of the campus by popular vote. This is the highest honor bestowed on any co-ed in the university, and we are mighty proud of our campus queen.

Mrs. R. S. Shapard, Theta province president, paid us a visit in November. She is always welcome, and we hope she will be back to see us often.

The interesting parties we have had are: open house, pajama party, an attractive buffet dinner, kid party and our annual Christmas party, which was the climax of the gaieties.

WANDA MILHOAN

#### *Gamma Phi—Chartered 1929*

##### *Southern Methodist University—Dallas, Texas*

December 2 was a red letter day for Gamma Phi, we had our annual tea-dance at the Dallas Country club. Afterwards came the dinner for just the Kappas and their "dates" in the grill.

Our new officers for the year are: Dorothy Rogers, president; Marcella Browning, re-

cording secretary; Erline Schuessler, corresponding secretary; Anna Henderson, treasurer; Margaret Blakey, marshal.

Elizabeth O'Beirne was elected vice-president of the senior class in the most turbulent class elections in years. Dorothy Rogers has been elected to Psi Chi, honorary psychology, and Alpha Kappa Delta, sociology. Frances Tucker and Betty Kaiser, pledges, have also been elected to Psi Chi. Bettie Johnson has been appointed to the *Rotunda* staff. Nellie Harris has been invited into Gamma Sigma, honorary educational society.

Our activities have been greatly curtailed by an epidemic of influenza.

#### *Marriage*

Joel Lichte, '32, to Willis Tate, Lambda Chi Alpha, December 24.

#### *Birth*

To Mr. and Mrs. Reeve Holmes (Lila McGinty), a daughter, Sara Sue.

VIRGINIA LEE-HUNDLEY

## Iota Province

#### *Beta Pi—Chartered 1905*

##### *University of Washington—Seattle, Washington*

*Pledges:* Helen Blake, Spokane, Washington; Betty Jane Lochrie, Butte, Montana.

Now that we are nearing the end of the quarter we are primarily interested in keeping up our high scholarship average. That is something we do not wish to lose. At the same time the girls are all taking an active interest in many phases of campus work. Eleanor Bushnell took honors for us again by winning the women's intramural debate trophy. Semi-annual elections being just over, we are all pleased that Jean Eagleson will still be our president.

Katherine Comrie, our promising actress, had a part in another university play recently, which, besides playing here, was taken on tour. The Y.W.C.A. sophomore council elected Peggy Watkins secretary; Peggy is also swimming on the sophomore swimming team.

An exceptional honor came to Clara Louise Schmidt, who was invited to join the Ladies' Musical club of Seattle, an organization composed almost entirely of professional musicians. We are proud of these girls and hope we will have many more such honors to report in the next issue.

#### *Marriages*

Jean Gamble to Dynes Lawson, Phi Gamma Delta.

Ann Parker to Mark Mathewson, Alpha Delta Phi.

ANN RASMUSEN

#### *Beta Omega—Chartered 1913*

##### *University of Oregon—Eugene, Oregon*

Since the last issue of *THE KEY*, the University of Oregon has had opportunity for much rejoicing; the defeat of the Zorn-Macpherson bill, which was to have consolidated the university with Oregon State college at Corvallis. Every Oregon student played his part in defeating this movement; and as a result of our victory, we were given a holiday November 5.

Our pledge dance November 18 was most successful. The chapter house was transformed into the "High Hatters' Club," with decorations in black and white. December 11 was the date of our annual Christmas party, at which we entertained 15 poor children with a Christmas tree, Santa Claus, packages, toys, candy, refreshments, and everything that goes to make a real Christmas.

In the line of activities, we have just recently had several honors bestowed upon us: Nancy Achbold was elected secretary of the sophomore class; Florence Kelley was initiated into Amphibian; Mary Bohoskey was made a member of Theta Sigma Phi; Marylou Patrick now holds the position of promotional manager of the *Emerald* and is chairman of



the Gamma Alpha Chi fashion dance; Ann Reed Burns and Patsy Sherrard were guests at Matrix Table, the former being one of two freshman women to achieve this honor; Kappa was one of five houses selected to compete in the finals of the all-campus singing contest.

MARGARET WAGNER

### *Gamma Gamma—Chartered 1918*

#### *Whitman College—Walla Walla, Washington*

The time just before Christmas vacation is always busy; this year has proved no exception for Gamma Gamma. Two weeks ago we participated in the all-college revue in which, although we did not place for first prize, we had a marvelous time and some good practical experience. The skit was called "The Gay Nineties."

Three of our members were pledged to the dramatic club: Dorothy Cruden, Catherine Landt, and Marian Collins.

Our pledges are to entertain at a dance featuring the idea of *Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea*.

The Arrows, honorary sophomore group on the campus, corresponding to the Spurs in other schools, elected Mary Elizabeth Ennis and Doris Hart to membership.

Tonight the alumnae are entertaining members and pledges at a Christmas party.

### *Marriage*

Margaret Collins, Spokane, Washington, to Edward E. Ruby, Jr., Phi Delta Theta.

ERMA SHUHAM

### *Gamma Eta—Chartered 1920*

#### *Washington State College—Pullman, Washington*

Two extremely attractive dances have been given by Gamma Eta chapter in the past few weeks. The first, our annual pledge dance, was carried out in a way befitting Washington State's successful football season. Blue and blue goal posts, footballs, college pennants, —turned the house into a festive stadium. The second dance, December 10, was a Christmas

formal. The house on this occasion was decorated with firs and holly and mistletoe; snow ceilings, silvery Christmas trees, and stained glass windows added more to the holiday atmosphere.

The Kappas have taken an important place in campus dramatics. Four outstanding parts in "Berkeley Square," a recent all-college production, were successfully played by Mary Anne Jackson, Evelyn Cooke, Mary K. Trumbull, and Marjorie Anderson. Gwendolyn Lewis and Eleanor Allen have captured important rôles in the freshman play.

Marjorie Anderson has passed the requirements for Orchesis, national dance organization; Janet Chalmers has made Eurodelphian.

ADELAIDE VAUGHN

### *Gamma Mu—Chartered 1924*

#### *Oregon Agricultural College—Corvallis, Oregon*

*Pledge:* Elise Scudder.

Gamma Mu began its Christmas vacation December 16 when final examinations ended. The chapter regretted that Helen Snyder's visit came that week but rejoiced that she was able to stop at all. Her visit was short, but the pledges (also the older members) received a new thrill from her information about Kappa.

New officers who were installed at the last chapter meeting were Susan Miller, president; Helen Lindsay, vice-president; Janet Collie, secretary; Mary Elliot, marshal. Other officers are Winnifred Warner, corresponding secretary; Virginia Holt, manager; Mrs. Anna Haseltine, commissary manager; Isabel Van Waning, treasurer.

Margaret Engel was recently initiated into Kappa Kappa Alpha, national art honor society. We are hearing pleasing reports of Alice Fisher's work with the new chapter in Colorado and also complimentary reports of the new chapter itself.

The Kappa history which just arrived is the center of interest right now; the book is interesting and the pictures charming.

ISABEL VAN WANING

## Kappa Province

### *Pi—Chartered 1897*

#### *University of California—Berkeley, California*

*Pledge:* Ann Ayres.

The officers installed in November for the spring semester are: president, Carol Stevens; chairman of standards committee, Mary Belle Moore; treasurer, Ruth Bidwell; corresponding secretary, Margaret Bell; marshal, Vir-

ginia McEneary; recording secretary, Margaret Field; freshman adviser, Catherine Burton.

November 22 we had a rush dinner for girls planning to enter college next semester; and the last Monday in November, there was a gay Christmas party with every one in costume.

EVA DOUGLASS



*Beta Eta—Chartered 1892**Stanford University—Palo Alto, California*

*Initiates:* Julia Collier Keenan, Berkeley, California; Jane Prichard Loomis, Oakland, California; Barbara Tompkins Roberts, Oakland, California; Dorothy Swan, Piedmont, California.

Saturday afternoon, November 12, we held initiation for our four pledges and, following the ceremony, an informal banquet. We were honored on this occasion by the presence of our grand vice-president, Eleanor V. V. Bennet, and our province vice-president, Beatrice Ludlow.

The Dramatic council of the university produced the annual "Big Game Gaieties," November 18. Sixteen of our members were in the cast.

Mary Rochefort, one of our seniors and the present head sponsor of the freshman women in Roble hall, was one of the three women recently elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa.

We enjoyed the visit of Helen Snyder, our field secretary, December 6-10. She made several helpful suggestions which we hope to put into effect.

Elinor Ophuls is the only senior graduating this quarter.

JANE DEARING

*Gamma Xi—Chartered 1925**University of California—Los Angeles, California*

This month Gamma Xi chapter had the pleasure of entertaining Helen Snyder. All

the officers had appointments with her which proved interesting.

On the Friday night of her visit we had a banquet which was one of the most successful ever held by the chapter. Alumnae from Kappa chapters from many other parts of the country as well as ours were present; and they, with the songs by chapter members and the talk by Miss Snyder, made the dinner outstanding. With the conclusion of Helen's visit we were left with the feeling that we were a part of a fine national organization, and that, as such, we should work to make ourselves worthy of that distinction.

On our campus in the past few weeks intersorority swimming and volleyball have been in progress. We were successful in winning both sports, and these victories put us definitely ahead in the race for the intersorority cup, which we have won for two consecutive years.

Two distinct honors came to this chapter recently: the election of Tomlin Edwards to Spurs, national sophomore honorary, and the participation of Constance Briscoe, in one of the leading rôles, in the semi-annual play of the University Dramatics society.

*Engagement*

Jean Wadsworth to Frank Knox, Alpha Sigma Phi.

*Births*

Maryanna Haskins to Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Haskins, Jr. (Mary Stimson).

Hope Riley to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley (Caroline Tschopik).

ORIAN SMITH

## Lambda Province

*Beta Upsilon—Chartered 1906**West Virginia University—Morgantown, West Virginia*

According to its custom, Beta Upsilon entertained a child from Scott's Run, a mining district near Morgantown, at a Christmas party December 10. December 15, we entertained the actives and pledges at a Christmas party at the house. Daisy Fultz acted as Santa Claus.

Mary Welch, Eleanor Ramage, Peggy Preston and Melrose Boor were chosen as sponsors for the Mountaineer dance at the American Legion armory November 3. Eleanor was selected to march with Dr. Turner, the president of the university.

Carolyn Mitchell and Peggy Preston were

pledged to Matrix, honorary journalistic society for women.

Individual honors have come to the pledges in various forms. Mary Welch, Marie Gaydosh, and Eleanor Ramage were models in the annual Press club style show. Marguerite Laughlin was pledged to Beta Pi Theta, honorary French society. Carolyn Mitchell had charge of the second act of the Press club vaudeville.

MARY REBECCA SCANLON

*Gamma Kappa—Chartered 1923**William and Mary—Williamsburg, Virginia*

*Pledges:* Nancy Jones, Long Island, New York; Elizabeth Crouse, Hampton, Virginia.

Following Kappa's method of working from the bottom up, two pledges, Nancy



Peoples and Jean Wilson, were elected secretary and poetess respectively of the freshman class. Virginia Tucker Jones reached the top when she won the coveted Phi Beta Kappa key. She has done much dramatic work and had a prominent part in the senior play.

Marion Banks and Anne Chalkley earned high positions on the *Flat Hat* staff (weekly college paper).

December 19 we transformed our chapter-room into a picture book Christmas scene. Holly, candles, an open fire, over which hung 42 overflowing red stockings, and a big Christmas tree, made possible the change. After a delicious buffet supper, served there, joke

Gamma Chi has been digging into the last half of 1932 with good results!

We have all become students, but who says we are not athletes, too? Anita Watson, Mar-



*Gamma Chi's leading lady, Ruth Molyneaux, who won the popularity contest for the spring of 1932, and played leads in the Drama club productions and in "Troubadours" for 1931-32 at George Washington university.*

garet Blackistone, Katherine McCain, Marjorie Seahorn, Frances Douglas and Louise Linkins wear letters for hockey or soccer. Betty Cochran and Judith Fishburn were runners-up in the fall tennis tournament.

Gamma Chi has held its annual "housewarming" to which all campus fraternities are invited. Our formal dance is to be held January 6.

Gamma Chi has inaugurated a Sunday evening "at home" for which Jane Casky, Cordelia Baldwin, Betty Cochran and Jane Rhoades have offered their homes.

The holidays would not have been complete without our usual Christmas party; it was held this year in Marywade Moses' studio. "Troubadours," in which Ruth Molyneaux, Edith Brookhart, Jane Rhoades, Grace Giffen, Helen Sherfey, Betty Bacon, Meriam Kennedy and Katherine Wessels took part, was said by the Washington papers to be good enough to go on the New York stage.

Eleanor Spenser, from North Carolina, and Mrs. William McLendon (Virginia Frye) are two faithful Gamma Chis who came all the



*Gamma Kappas submit this picture of Virginia Tucker Jones in proof that "all Phi Beta Kappas aren't 'greasy grinds.'"*

presents with appropriate verses were exchanged. When the hilarity ended Christmas carols were sung.

CARLEEN ELIZABETH LOEFFLER

### *Gamma Chi—Chartered 1929*

*George Washington University—Washington, D.C.*

*Officers:* president, Betty Reynolds; vice-president, Marywade Moses; registrar, Marcia Stauffer; treasurer, Jane Hill; marshal, Rosalie Palmer; corresponding secretary, Amanda Chitum; recording secretary, Katherine Wessels.



way back to D.C. for the homecoming week put on by the university.

Gamma Chi members wish to extend their deepest sympathy to Lucia Booth, whose mother died this December.

#### *Engagement*

Hellie Hallet to Chester Bergey, Kappa Sig.

MARYWADE MOSES

#### *Delta Beta—Chartered 1930*

##### *Duke University—Durham, North Carolina*

*Initiates:* Margaret Bates, Elkton, Pennsylvania; Margaret Edwards, Durham, North Carolina; Clare Feldman, Easton, Pennsylvania; Kathleen Roberson, Durham, North Carolina.

In the chapter elections recently held Jes-

sie Hertz was elected president; Catherine Serfas, treasurer; Margaret Edwards, recording secretary; Betty Knight, corresponding secretary; Eve Davis, marshal; social and activities chairman, Dorothy Hines; scholarship chairman, Betty Knight; and standards chairman, Elaine Tenney.

Martha Kindel has made an excellent pledge mistress. At our presentation dance in November we were able to introduce to the campus 16 pledges and four initiates.

The following girls have recently received bids from honorary societies: Doris Fish, and Jane Ritter, Forum club (classical language); Elaine Tenney and Doris Fish, Chi Delta Phi (national literary); Ethel Garrett, Delta Phi Rho Alpha (athletic); Catherine Serfas, Kappa Delta Pi (education).

ELAINE CAMERON TENNEY

## Mu Province

#### *Beta Omicron—Chartered 1904*

##### *Newcomb College—New Orleans, Louisiana*

The big event of the past months was the tea dance the actives gave in honor of the pledges, December 9, at the Orleans club.

The pledges are going out for athletics enthusiastically; Ethelyn Leverich and Dorothy McCloskey made the freshman basketball team.

Katherine Nolan took part in the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "The Gondoliers," presented December 16.

Marie Louise Tobin, our dramatic star, made a hit in the play "Caste," given by the Newcomb Dramatic club December 20.

The active chapter and the pledges, duly imbued with a charitable Christmas spirit, fixed up several baby beds for the Child Welfare association.

#### *Engagement*

Miriam Mooney to William Elliott Lauderman.

LILIAN DAMERON

#### *Gamma Pi—Chartered 1927*

##### *University of Alabama—Tuscaloosa, Alabama*

*Initiates:* Helen Abbott, Spring Hill; Margaret Berry, Tampa, Florida; Gean Dryburg, Chicago, Illinois; Margaret Ann Rademacher, Mobile.

Gamma Pi is well represented in student government work this year. Mary Rainey was elected freshman representative on the Women's council. Elizabeth Allen and Sarah Fran-

cis Willingham are sophomore and graduate representatives respectively.

We are proud of Margret Eddins, who was elected to Phi Beta Kappa recently. Both Margret Eddins and Juliet Morgan were tapped for Mortar Board last spring.

December 10 we entertained our pledges at a tea dance. The music was furnished by the University Capstone orchestra.

At the Military Ball December 12, Gladys Helberg was presented as honorary lieutenant for the engineers.

ELIZABETH ALLEN

#### *Delta Epsilon—Chartered 1932*

##### *Rollins College—Winter Park, Florida*

*Initiates:* Mary Rogers Trowbridge, Englewood, New Jersey; Marion Elizabeth Rickard, Cleveland, Ohio.

*Pledges:* Dorothy Jean Alexander, Atlanta, Georgia; Dorothy Powers Ellis, Waban, Massachusetts; Joan Igou, Kissimmee, Florida; Helen Frances Jackson, Swarthmore, Pennsylvania; Mary Jane McKay, Tampa, Florida; Mary Virginia Mills, Spring Lake, Michigan; Janet Rutherford Murphy, Branford, Connecticut; Cornelia Leonard Nevins, Tampa, Florida; Victoria Glenn Peirce, Brooklyn, New York; Ann Louise Poling, New York City; Elizabeth Rand, Belmont, Massachusetts; Alice Mason Trowbridge, Englewood, New Jersey; Frances Lee, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Beatrice Graham, West Palm Beach, Florida.

After initiation a banquet was held for the initiates. We had as guests Helen Bime, transfer from Chi chapter, and alumnæ.



Rushing was more than successful. The pledges and the actives showed real talent in our benefit musical comedy directed by Nancy Cushman.

Dramatic arts at Rollins are once more in full swing. Eleanor Wright, Kathleen Hara, Celestina McKay, and Peggy Jenkins had parts in the first production of the season, "Philip Goes Forth." Kathleen Hara and

Peggy Jenkins have appeared since in matinees, as has Nancy Cushman. And now, Eleanor Wright has been chosen to take the lead in Philip Barry's "Holiday."

Our pledges entertained all the other pledges on campus with a scavenger hunt in November, and we are still returning stray properties!

CELESTINA MCKAY

# ?? DO YOU KNOW WHERE THEY ARE ??

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ing and food on the shelves ready for distribution. Also considerable capital equipment has been accumulated which will help to simplify future food and clothing problems. Investments in the production units serve to prime a pump which will run indefinitely, producing many times the value of the initial investment. In addition to this, and possibly more important, are those things that are happening to human personality; morale is being built, leaders developed, a sense of social responsibility is growing; *a community is being integrated*, as rich and poor, young and old, educated and uneducated, liberals and conservatives, work together on this stimulating life-giving project, which holds even more hope for the future than good for the immediate pres-

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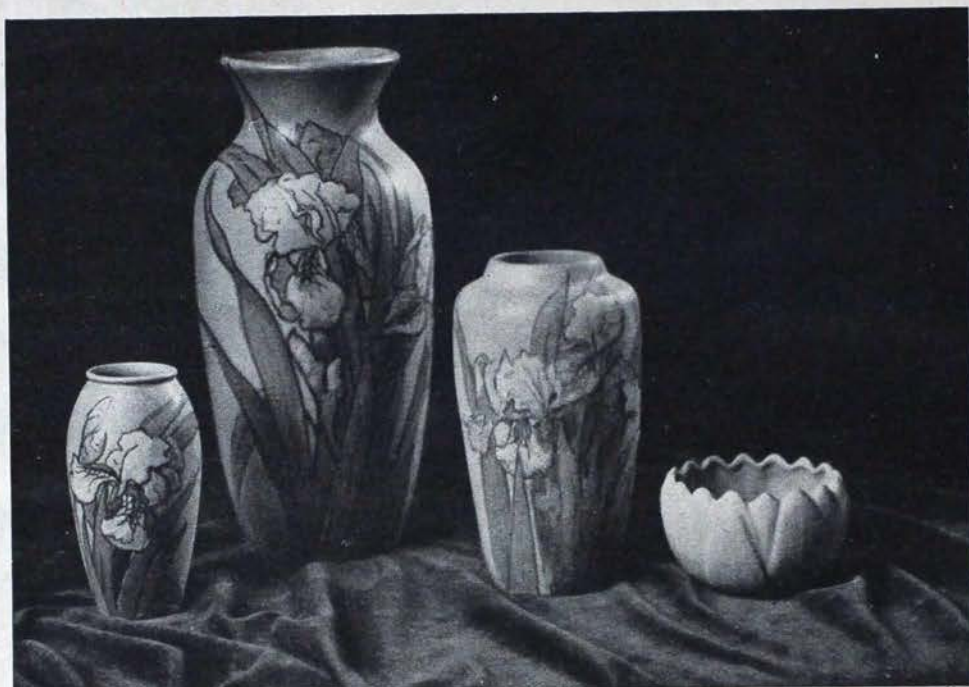
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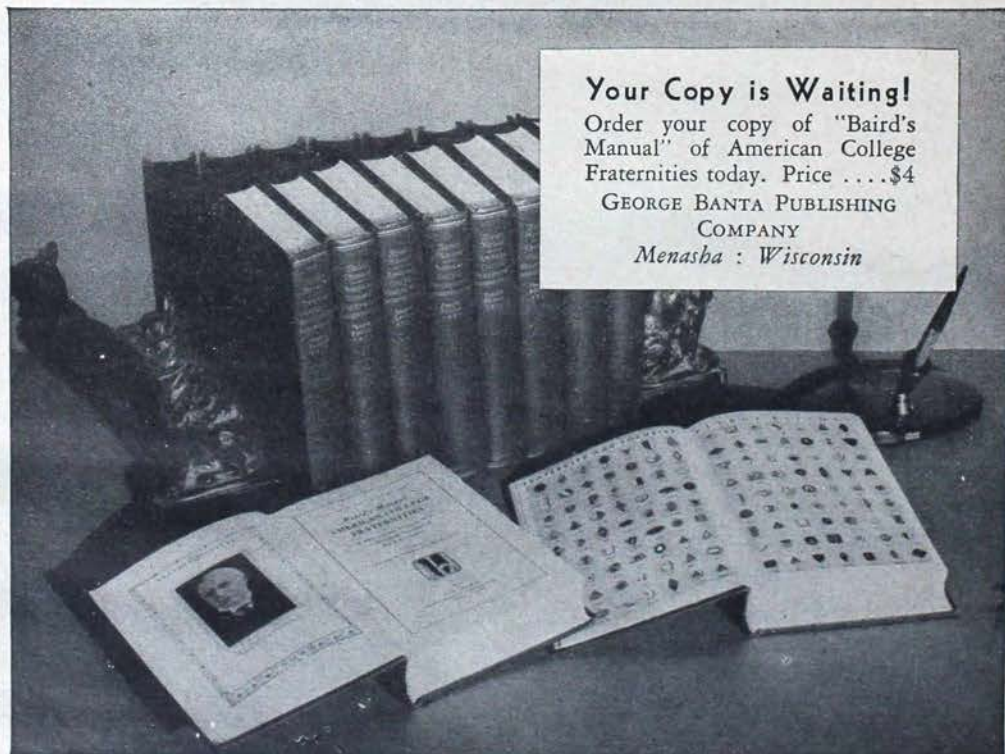
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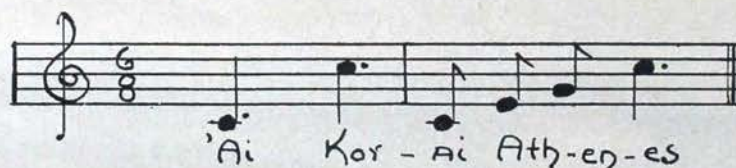
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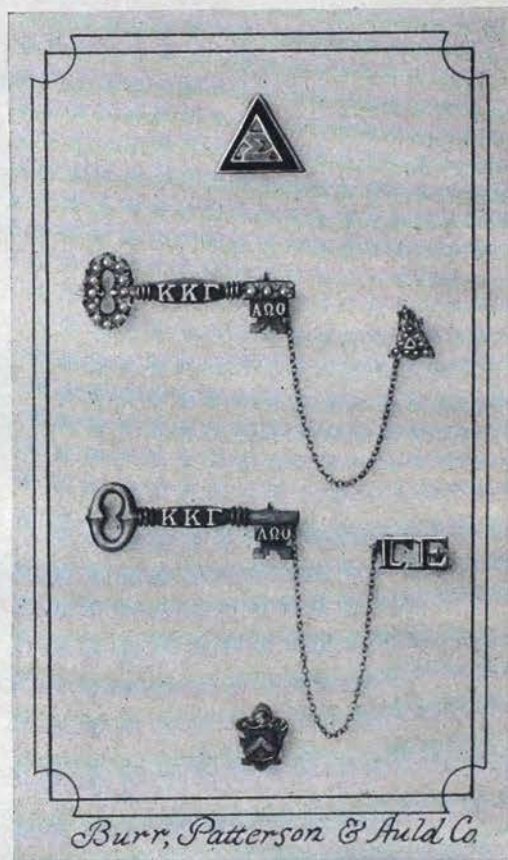
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- February 28—Registrar sends to executive secretary annual catalog report on blanks provided by central office.
- March 1—Scholarship chairman sends to central office, national scholarship chairman, and province president a report of the scholastic standing of her chapter for the previous year, 1931-32, in comparison to the other groups on the campus, on blanks provided by the central office.
- March 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.
- March 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.
- March 15—Chairman of alumnae advisory board sends to province president report of monthly meetings.
- April 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.
- April 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.
- April 8—Registrar sends annual chapter examination papers to province president to be graded.
- April 15—Unhoused chapter treasurer places budget for 1933-34 in mail for national accountant.
- April 15—Registrar sends supplement to the annual report for the grand roll to the central office on blanks provided by central office.
- April 25—Housed chapter treasurer places budget for 1933-34 in mail for national accountant.
- April 30—(on or before) Chapter treasurer sends to executive secretary per capita tax report and per capita tax for each member active at any time during second semester.
- April 30—Corresponding secretary mails the typewritten annual chapter report on blanks provided for this purpose to the central office.
- April 30—Chairman of Music sends annual report to National Chairman of Music on blanks provided by the Central Office.
- May 5—Corresponding secretary sends detailed chapter report to grand president and province president (copy to director of provinces).
- May 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.
- May 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.
- May 8—(or fourth meeting preceding commencement) Election of officers except treasurer and corresponding secretary. Corresponding secretary sends names and addresses of officers and alumnae advisers to central office on blanks supplied for that purpose. KEY correspondent is appointed by chapter president.
- May 15—(or third meeting preceding commencement) Installation of newly elected officers.
- May 15—Chairman of alumnae advisory board sends to grand president and province president informal report covering entire year.
- May 20—Chairman of standards sends annual report to national chairman of standards.
- May 25—KEY correspondent places chapter news letter for October KEY in mail to editor's deputy.
- June 1—Alumna member of rushing committee sends to province president a report covering the entire year.
- June 1—Province president sends to grand president and director of provinces report covering entire year.
- June 7—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to national accountant and province president.
- June 7—Alumna finance adviser places monthly report in mail to national finance chairman.
- July 15—(on or before) Treasurer places all material for annual audit and check for same in mail to national accountant. Send material earlier if possible.

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(FOR ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION OFFICERS AND PROVINCE VICE-PRESIDENTS)

- October 13—FOUNDERS' DAY.
- October 25—Secretary places alumnae news letter for December KEY in mail to alumnae editor. Letter is to be written on blue KEY stationery provided by central office.
- December 1—Secretary sends report to the grand vice-president and province vice-president on blanks provided by the central office.
- December 15—Secretary places alumnae news letter for February KEY in mail to alumnae editor.
- December 20—Send Christmas gifts to Kappa's philanthropic funds.
- January 20—Province vice-president sends report of her province to the grand vice-president.
- February 25—Secretary places alumnae news letter for April KEY in mail to alumnae editor.
- April 15—Secretary sends report to the grand vice-president and province vice-president on blanks provided by the central office.
- April 15—Alumnae associations elect officers, and secretaries send names and addresses of new officers immediately to central office, province vice-president, and grand vice-president on blanks provided for this purpose.
- April 30—(on or before) Treasurer sends to executive secretary the annual per capita tax report for her association members.
- May 20—Province vice-president sends report of her province to the grand vice-president.
- May 25—Secretary places alumnae news letter for October KEY in mail to alumnae editor.

NOTE: Alumnae associations elect delegates to province conventions not later than April meeting.

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