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## The Jewels of Stanford

**I**T is for me to tell the story of a box of jewels.

There was once a man—a real man—vigorous, wealthy, powerful. He loved his wife very much, for she was worthy of his love—wise, loyal, devoted. And because of all crystals in all the world the one we call the diamond is the hardest and therefore sparkles brightest, and because the ruby is charming and the emerald gentle, the man bought them all and made them a gift to his wife.

As the years went on, they lost their only child, in the glory of his youth. Then these two became very lonely and they longed to help other children. And so they bethought themselves of the ways in which their wealth and power could aid the youth of future generations to better and stronger life—the men and women who are children now, or who will be children after these have passed away.

And because they lived in California and loved California, and because California loved them as she loves all children of men, this man said, "The children of California shall be my children." And so they were; and that they might be so in very fact, he built for them a beautiful castle in Spain, with cloisters and towers and red tile roofs against the azure sky—for skies are bluest in the heart of Spain. And this castle is theirs alone, for it belongs to all who have once entered its doors. And the Castle of Hope, which they called the University, was the fulfilment of the dream of

years, a dream of love and hope, of faith in God and goodwill towards men.

And as the years go on, many things came to pass. In the fulness of days the man died, the power he bore had vanished, and his wealth was scattered, so that the work he began seemed likely to fail, and the devotion of many weary years was necessary before all could go on again, as the man had planned it.

But "the children of California shall be my children." That word, once said, was never unsaid, and the doors of the castle, once opened, should never be closed. And the man's wife said: "If we lose the farms and the railways, the bonds and mortgages, still the jewels are left. The University may be kept alive by these till skies may clear, and the money which was given to the future might fall into the future's hands."

And to me, whose fortune it was to help in those days, she said: "We shall keep the University open. When there is no other way, you shall have my jewels."

And because there was still one last resource, she never knew defeat. No one can, who strives for no selfish end. "God's errands never fail," and her errand was one of good will and mercy. When we ask how the University survived the panic of 1893, the picture comes to me of this sorrowful, heroic woman going alone to London, with a bag of jewels carried in her own hands, that she might sell them to the money changers who flocked to the Queen's Jubilee. Sad, pathetic mission, fruitless at the time, but full of all promise for the future of the University, thus founded on faith and hope and love, the trinity, St. Paul tells us, of the things that abide.

People said that the University was sustained in these days from the founder's private purse, because it seemed to have no other visible means of support. But there was no private purse. All was given to the cause, and more than all, for more than all visible strength was the power of love and devotion.

But the jewels were not sold in London—only a few



of them—and these few helped to place a roof of real tiling on the Assembly Hall and on the old Library instead of the old tiling of iron, which was all those trying days could afford. All the rest found their way back to California again. They saw better times. A noble church had been erected, one of the noblest in our land—all a part of the beautiful dream castle which we call our University. It lacked only the warmth of ornamentation, the glory of the masters who wrought “when art was still religion,” and who thus adorned the cathedrals of St. Mark and St. Paul. So the jewels were sold by the University. They were bought by her who had given them, and their cost was all spent in the exquisite mosaic work which even the precious stones of Venice cannot outrival.

And now once more the jewels have been given to the University. They are yours to-day, as the whole University is yours, the enduring possession of all of you who may tread these fields or enter these cloisters. And so they are yours thrice over, in the Quadrangle, in the doors which never were closed, in adornment of the Church, which shall be to all generations of students a joy and rest and a refining agency, and last of all they find their resting place in this library building. You shall soon hear the way in which this comes about, but you shall never live to hear the last of the waves of influence which find in these jewels their first impulse.

They say that there is a language of jewels, but I know that they speak in diverse tongues, their speech depending on the place in which they fall. Sometimes diamonds tell strange tales, but not these diamonds.

You can read the language of diamonds and rubies and emeralds, in these stones, the lesson of faith, hope, and good will. This is the language they speak to us. They tell us how Stanford was founded in the love of things that abide.

David Starr Jordan,  
*President of Leland Stanford, Jr., University.*

### A Letter from Stanford

It is five days since the terrible earthquake shook us into consciousness at five o'clock in the morning and completely changed the course of events. The shaking was the most terrible you can imagine. It was as though a giant hand held our house by the roof and shook it as one would shake a naughty child. Everything in our room was thrown to the floor, book case, dresser, chiffonier, while the chimney crashed on the roof. I was lying in bed not ten feet from the door, and yet I fell twice before I could get out, and all the way downstairs I clung desperately to the railing. When I reached our front lawn, the earth was rolling in waves, and as I looked to the right the gilded cross of the tower of our beautiful church was swaying, like the branch of a tree in the wind, then it fell. All the large buildings were wrecked. The library, still in the process of construction, the new gymnasium, the Memorial arch and entrance gates are ruined. The buildings containing the class rooms and laboratories suffered less. They can easily be repaired and ready for use next semester. Doesn't it seem almost a sin that such things must happen and destroy the work erected in such a noble cause?

All the students had to sleep out of doors for three nights, as the smaller shocks that followed rendered our houses unstable and frightened us. Little by little we stepped back into civilization and appreciated it all the more. I never was so happy as when, six nights later, the electric lights were burning again and we had hot water and could abandon the improvised stove in the yard.

We should be thankful, however, that we did not suffer from fire as San Francisco. I never thought that a great city could be so completely wiped out of existence in so short a time. Only a very small section of the residence portion and the park remain. The business portion is leveled, but people are not discouraged. They are going right ahead to clear out the debris and erect temporary business structures and have planned a beautiful city for the future. It does



one good to see so much faith and courage, a wonderful display of the American spirit.

We have received messages of sympathy from many Kappas and appreciate them deeply. Our chapter house fared very well compared with some. The Chi Psi house will have to be rebuilt. Only the plaster fell in our rooms downstairs, the chimney and many dishes are broken, but the Kappas are all safe and eager to set to work again next August when college opens.

Mercedes de Luna,  
Beta Eta, '05.



## The Kingdom of Kappa

I dreamed one night of a gate of gold,  
And perched on top an owl old,  
And standing guard was Minerva bold.  
I asked her if a mortal might dare  
To hope some day to enter there  
Into a realm so wondrous fair.  
She answered thus: "A golden key  
Of perfect love, will ope to thee  
This marvelous land of mystery."  
So I sought this love for many days through  
'Till I found one day some sisters true  
United in Kappa—and then I knew!  
So with my key and a wealth of love  
I returned to the gate and the owl above  
And eagerly, eagerly turned the key.  
The gates oped wide and showed to me  
A beautiful land of fleur-de-lis.

And this is the Kingdom of Kappa true  
That means so much to me and to you.  
If we give the best that is ours to give,  
And live the life that we ought to live:  
Of good, of truth, of love, of beauty,  
Then each one does her Kappa duty.

H. M. B., Beta Omicron.

### The College Woman in the Suffrage Movement

In the winter of 1900 Mrs. Charles Park, Mrs. Inez Gilmore and Mrs. Otto B. Cole organized an association known as the College Equal Suffrage League, with headquarters in Boston, Massachusetts. The object of this League was the furthering of the sentiment of equal suffrage among the college women of Massachusetts, both graduate and undergraduate, and the general advancement of the equal suffrage cause among all classes. Mrs. Park, who is an untiring worker in the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association, was the first president of the League and has also served in that capacity for the last three years.

The organization, which now numbers 250, is engaged in various lines of work. Two large meetings, addressed either by the members themselves or by prominent speakers, are held every year. Membership teas, where suffrage is discussed informally, and to which members bring their friends, form one of the means by which graduates are reached. Whenever the opportunity arises, meetings are arranged at the various colleges; and suffrage pamphlets with membership blanks are distributed in large numbers among college women, especially among the graduating classes of each year. The dues are low and the treasury is augmented by receipts from private theatricals which have met with great success.

Active as the League is in Massachusetts, it still found time, in the winter of 1905, to establish a branch in New York, known as the College Equal Suffrage League of New York State.

Starting with a nucleus of less than twenty-five, this organization now numbers 110. The same general aims pertain to both organizations; and, to some extent, the same methods of work.

Still, though very earnest and persistent efforts are directed toward increasing the membership roll of the New York League, the chief interest of this branch is centered in the work of the Committee on Research and Investigation.



As its name signifies, the object of this committee is to superintend a thorough and original inquiry into conditions prevailing in those States where women are enfranchised.

Aside from the value which such work, properly conducted, will have for the public at large and students of sociology in particular, the League feels that it is a very definite and practical way of interesting college women in the principle of suffrage; and of transforming their impression that it is merely an academic theory into a lively conviction of the imminence and importance of the issue. Wisely or otherwise college students are not accustomed to treat with great seriousness the numerous pamphlets written either by the advocates or the opponents of this movement. No concise, readable, and authoritative treatise on the expediency or in expediency of granting the suffrage exists; no statement of the actual working of the suffrage has ever been made, so far as the League has been able to ascertain, by a student of social questions generally acknowledged to be unbiassed in her point of view.

Having determined then that here was a definite need to be supplied, the League recognized two pit-falls of which it must be especially wary. Superficiality of treatment and preconceived ideas, either favorable or unfavorable to the suffrage cause, which have rendered invalid and useless so much of the literature on this subject, must be avoided at any cost. Indeed, the League desires that this investigation should stand as a monument to fairmindedness, and as an authority to which the student of the development of women, bewildered by the contradictory statements of suffragists and anti-suffragists, can turn with the assurance of finding material collected and compiled with scientific precision and untinctured by partisanship.

To succeed in this very ambitious undertaking an investigation of special qualifications is essential. Obviously, she must be a trained statistician and sociologist, familiar with the general conditions of Colorado and unprejudiced in her attitude toward suffrage. Moreover, she must enjoy the confidence of the university world and possess a record for con-

scientious scientific work which will be unchallenged by students of social science.

For the past eight months continuous effort has been made to secure a woman of these qualifications; and, though, when this article was written, no final arrangements had been made, the League was about to complete negotiations with one whose wide experience and high recommendations from economists and sociologists of undoubted repute point to her peculiar fitness for this kind of work.

With such an investigation in view, the efforts of the League have been turned, for the last two months, toward raising the Colorado Research Fund destined to meet all the expenses of an investigation covering from fifteen months to two years and including in that period a State and a municipal election. In this short space of time about one-half of the required \$3,000 has been raised, and, in order that the manipulation of this money may be entirely legal, the association is about to incorporate under the laws of New York State. The New York Branch enjoys, in this undertaking, the hearty sympathy and co-operation of the Massachusetts League, which has given a large and generous contribution to the Research Fund.

What questions shall such an investigation cover is the query which immediately arises in the mind of the reader and which can be answered here only in a most general way.

It will be impossible, of course, to prove or disprove the sentimental claims of either side. On the assertions of the anti-suffragists that chivalry is dead, or of the suffragists that true courtesy has never before been accorded women, the report of the investigation will, in all probability, throw no light.

On the other hand, there are certain definite and important points about which the discussion has raged and which will be given careful consideration. These embrace such questions as the extent and character of woman's political activity, her industrial and social position, her economic independence; the practical work, if any, which she has accom-



plished, especially toward improving the conditions under which women and children live.

Since we know that the millenium has not dawned in Colorado, we do not expect to find that either man or woman has yet evolved into the perfect citizen. What we wish to discover is whether or not the sum total of human happiness and well-being has been increased by the enfranchisement of all adults; whether women as a class show potential or actual capability of seizing upon the special needs of their children and sisters and creating for them a more favorable environment.

The League recognizes, moreover, that whatever the conclusions drawn from this investigation they will in no wise be final. Many may question whether even tendencies can be shown with only twelve or thirteen years of complete enfranchisement to work upon. It is absurd, of course, to attempt to predict in detail the result of such an inquiry. This much, however, is certain, that a body of fact will be collected impartially and compiled into a form convenient for reference; and that this body of fact, increased by future workers along the same lines, may become the data from which historians and sociologists can draw the inferences.

Caroline Lexow, *Beta Epsilon*.



## **The Social Settlement**

The settlement came into being as a response to a passionate desire to understand the life of working people and to help, if possible, to improve the conditions under which they live. No understanding is possible unless those who are engaged in the work are intelligent and sympathetic. Personality is of the first importance. Freedom to act is the next essential. If the people, who come to understand the life of their neighborhood, work out plans that are satisfactory to them they should be allowed to carry them out, for

the very essence of a settlement is that experience alone gives knowledge and only on the basis of this knowledge is action valuable. It is therefore of vital importance that the residents of the settlement should have a large share, if not the whole, of the management of the settlement. If it is objected that the residents are not persons of real force or culture, not persons who are capable of a profound understanding of the problems which they meet, then such residents are of no value and the settlement is a failure.

If the reader of this article is thinking of starting a settlement in some industrial centre, get first, not a house, not a "plant," but a person, and give that person a chance freely to work out the problems encountered. The settlement must be free to express in some vivid way what it discovers. The facts must come out, for it is only on fact that any valuable work can be based.

We must then look to the settlement as a source of accurate information in regard to the education, health, poverty, morality and social life of its neighborhood. If it cannot furnish this information it is an incompetent institution and really negligible as an influence. To understand, to express and to accomplish something are the three functions of the settlement. Anything else is secondary and relative to the stage of development of the given community. Thus in a highly differentiated community like New York we may expect more and more that all club and class work will be undertaken by the public educational system. In a socially less developed town the settlement may have to undertake work which elsewhere would be relegated to health, school, factory and charitable agencies called into being to meet these definite needs.

The settlement as such will never be a propagandist institution with any industrial, economic or religious panacea to offer, although the residents may be presumably partisans of various kinds.

A true understanding of a neighborhood involves a democratic relationship as the first essential. We truly understand only that with which we are identified. To cast one's



lot with that of one's neighborhood, therefore, is the first duty of the resident.

Democratic relationships, an understanding of the social problems that one meets, a revelation of the neighborhood life and an effort to get needed changes effected are the elements that make up a real settlement.

Mary Simkliovitch.



### Kappa Kappa Gamma

Here, beside the ancient river,  
Where the broken moonbeams quiver,  
Bear we to Athena's shrine,  
Where the blue and blue entwine,  
Rich oblations of the vine,  
Blessing thrice the joyous giver.

Pour we out our song of treasure,  
Lift our songs in lofty measure,  
From the sea, whose blue we bear,  
To the sky, whose tint we share,  
Tribute to our goddess fair,  
Tribute for Athena's pleasure.

Where the Druid oak-trees tower,  
Twine we for our lady's bower  
Fairer bloom than aught that blows,  
Than the jasmine or the rose;  
Fabled Fleur-de-lis that grows  
But for us—our symbol flower.

On the trees, the moonlight glancing  
Lights the shadowy leaflets' dancing,  
Pierces to the mystic gloom  
Where the owl of sombre plume  
(Emblem of our foemen's doom)  
Broods, the midnight awe enhancing.

Six and thirty years are ended  
Since the blue and blue were blended;  
Yet our loved Fraternity  
Still holds fast the mystery  
Locked within the golden key,  
By the faithful sisters tended.

Clara Boise Bush.

## Parthenon

### Convention

From this time forward, that should be the thought in every heart, and the word on every tongue. The older girls in the chapter, and those who went to the last national Convention, should talk it up to the other girls, should try to impress on them the importance of it, and of their presence in Madison next summer. Besides the notices which were sent out to alumnae recently, every girl should make an earnest effort to see alumnae personally; and by their talk of Kappa Convention, etc., get them so interested in it, and so enthusiastic, that they will feel within themselves a rekindled love for the fraternity, and a great desire to have an active part in fraternity life again.

This Convention should mean so much to us, it means coming into personal contact with women from all over the country, it means that we may become well acquainted with sisters from every one of our thirty-two chapters. And what a chance this gives us to broaden our knowledge and ideas of fraternal life! Letters are so unsatisfactory, the Key is indeed a bond between us, a means of communication, but sometimes we cannot help but feel that most of our chapter correspondence consists of nothing but letters of a business nature.

We are too apt to be narrow and self-satisfied, proud of our sister chapters, of course, but still feeling quite contented with our own small nucleus, forgetting oftentimes that we have sisters everywhere, who are striving as earnestly as we are to uphold the high ideals for which we stand.

Convention gives us a better knowledge of the fraternity in general, a broader view of its national life, and a much better idea of what fraternity really means. The girls who went down to Columbia two years ago came back so enthusiastic, so earnest, and so full of Kappa love that they inspired all the rest of us likewise. Therefore, let each one of us do her very



best to go to Madison this year. It will do so much for every Kappa—individually, as a chapter, and as members of a great national organization. It will be worth every effort we may put forth; we shall be repaid a hundred-fold.

Florence J. Speck, *Upsilon*.



**A Plea for  
Province  
Conventions**

We are all thinking of our National Convention, of the pleasure and profit the week will bring to Kappas everywhere. We are already rejoicing over the inspiration and help our delegates will bring back to us and the thought comes to us, if the National Convention means so much, would not province conventions bring us a measure of the same good?

The danger of becoming narrow threatens every chapter. We are apt to think the fraternity is bounded by our own chapter. A Kappa who had just come from Convention said to me, "Our girls need to have a broader view of our fraternity. I never realized how much it stands for and how splendid Kappa Kappa Gamma is until I went to Convention." However loyal we may be to the fraternity, that loyalty increases and becomes more definite as our circle of Kappa friends grows. We read with special interest the news letters from those chapters where we may know one or two members.

Province conventions would bring every chapter into personal contact with five or six other chapters, and who can estimate the benefits to be derived from such associations? If at least one grand officer might be present at each convention, the council would have an opportunity to come nearer more girls.

Think how small a percentage of Kappas are ever able to attend a National Convention. It is a privilege granted to only a few. The delegates bring back all the inspiration and enthusiasm they can, yet they cannot give all they get. Many more might attend province conventions and reap their benefits. I believe, too, we would all have more intelligent appre-

ciation of our fraternity, and we would be better able to live up to the fraternity ideals.

We plead then for province conventions, not to take the place of the National Convention in the interest of chapter, but to supplement and carry out its beneficent influences.

Edith Eudora Reese, *Beta Gamma*.



**The Need  
of  
Fraternity  
Scholarship**

Scholarships, maintained at the expense of fraternities, is a need which must necessarily be felt by many. It is impossible for the college aid to reach all worthy applicants, and often one of our girls, deserving but unfortunate, is forced to leave college. It is then that the question comes home to us, and we see the necessity for some such fund.

While personal help may some time be available, it does not solve the problem for all time. It may clear away a present difficulty, but it is a varying quantity, and we have nothing of which we may be sure for the future—no basis. But to gain this basis, the co-operation of all is necessary—alumnae, as well as active members. Each must make it her personal responsibility to establish and maintain this fund, not by spasmodic gifts, but rather by systematic donation of small amounts if necessary. In this way the interest will be kept alive, and the sum will grow, slowly perhaps, but steadily.

If, then, some day we have it in our power to aid our girls, we shall find that we have gained a strength for ourselves. We shall have a concrete something which will make us a practical and substantial help, and this cannot fail to give us prestige in the eyes of all.

G. Evelyn Fischer, *Phi*.





## College and Fraternity

The part that fraternity should play in college life is a question worthy of some consideration. Within the last few years, secret fraternities have been frowned upon in some of our largest universities, and in some instances abolished, because the authorities considered them detrimental to the best interests of the college community.

This is due in a marked degree to their tendency of subordinating college to fraternity, and, as a result, the breaking down of true college spirit. In her eagerness to do the best for her fraternity, a girl will often overlook the fact that she reflects most credit on her fraternity when she reflects most on her Alma Mater. It is very fine to have one's friends distinguished by prominent positions, but such honors should never come to a girl because of her fraternity affiliation; merit alone should be the basis of their bestowal.

A fraternity should help the community, and not force the community to help it. If Kappa Kappa Gamma is to survive the general feeling of condemnation that is little by little finding expression in the press, and in actions taken by trustees and faculties, every one of her members must realize that in the sum of all things, college is first, and fraternity a happy incident of that life.

Martha E. Dodson, *Psi*.



## Co-operation in the Chapter: A Plea

Perhaps, at first, it may seem somewhat unnecessary to make a plea of this sort. But, after all, such an essential part of our chapter life cannot be too constantly emphasized. And, besides, I think we do not always realize when we fall short in that respect. It is not that any lack of this spirit of co-operation is very apparent, that the girls evidently do not pull together, it is more a feeling that each girl is not showing a sense of personal responsibility towards her chapter as a whole, and towards every one of her chapter sisters in little matters, that are often overlooked as being unimportant.

Take the case of the girl and her chapter. Let each of the younger members particularly ask herself if she is doing all that is in her power to make it a unit. For instance, it is very easy when visitors from other chapters or "old grads" come to meetings or spreads to think, quite unconsciously, that it is not so much the duty as the place or privilege of Seniors or the Executive Committee to see that they are shown the hospitality of the chapter. That is very true, too, and perfectly just, but it is not enough. If you have ever been to a place where every one seemed to do some little thing to show how glad they were to have you with them, you will understand what an impression such a reception would make on our visitor. She would go away carrying a picture of a chapter that works as a unit in whatever it does. And a chapter could not have a much better reputation than that, since unity ought to mean strength in fraternities, as well as in other things. Suppose it is a question of meeting. Here again it is easy to leave the discussion of important points to a few of the older and more experienced girls. In a way that is right, too. The younger ones dislike to push themselves forward, and they can often learn a great deal from listening to such discussions. But if they do not follow closely, if they do not take part by asking questions and venturing suggestions, how are they to know whether they themselves can carry on the chapter policy successfully a year or two later? Or it may be a question of freshmen and voting—the most difficult thing to co-operate in. This, however, has been so much written and talked about that it seems unnecessary to say anything here. If you were made to feel, though, that every other girl was willing to do all that she can for you, how much easier your own decision would become!

Then again there is the co-operation of girl with girl. Do the older girls give all the time that they might to training up the younger ones and moulding each year's incoming material to make fit leaders? Do the stronger ones help the weaker over difficult places? Do the quicker and more brilliant take all their opportunities to make certain points easier for their less gifted sisters?



That, it seems to me, is what co-operation means and what we ought to work for every day we are in college. Unfortunately it is often our strongest chapters that show the greatest lack of it, partly as a consequence of their very strength, which implies a great diversity of types and a broad field of interests. When this individual responsibility is felt by every girl for her chapter, then that chapter will stand as a unit and need have no fear for the future.

Margaret Hart Bailey, *Beta Epsilon*.



## Chapter Customs

It is the little customs that have grown up gradually in a chapter and have been handed down from year to year, that give it its interesting individuality, for chapters have their individuality as well as people. Often a chapter takes it for granted that other chapters have the same habits, not realizing that certain habits are unique with it, until a Kappa from another chapter pays it a visit, and then all strange ways are noticed and remarked upon.

For a number of years it has been the custom in Chi for each senior, about to graduate, to be presented by the other active girls with a little Sigma-in-Delta clasp pin. It makes her feel almost as proud as when she was first pledged. Prudent seniors guard their pins well the next fall, for they are much in demand in rushing season.

Another custom of Chi's, which other chapters do not seem to have, is the presentation, by alumnae and active members, of a loving cup to each bride. The cups are about nine inches high, with three handles, and are engraved with the bride's monogram, the name of the chapter, and the date of the wedding.

Marjorie Bullard, *Chi*.



**A  
Broader  
View**

A greater opportunity is given to us than ever before, since college halls have been open to women, to gain the knowledge which comes, not alone from the study of the conditions of life in the past, but also from mingling with men and women of the present. To be able to tolerate the actions and the opinions of others and to show a sympathetic interest in all people with whom we come in contact, is to possess the secret of success and happiness in life.

Fraternity life, when realized in its true meaning, teaches us to look beyond ourselves and our own selfish interests. But, after all, the factor which determines to what extent our outlook on life is to be broad or narrow is our personal attitude toward the world. The spirit of our college may be liberal and democratic and the policy of our chapter may be one of charity and goodwill to all, and yet we may fail to open our hearts to broadening influences, we may still be intolerant and critical. It is only when we voluntarily seek to look at life through the eyes of those about us that our horizon will be enlarged; it is only then that we shall realize how circumscribed our own view has been.

Perhaps there are certain associations of our fraternity life which tend to isolate us from outside friends and interests. If so, that is all the more reason why we must guard against narrowness and selfishness, and we shall be stronger for the effort. The deeper realization of life's meaning must come to us gradually; we must give up old prejudices one by one and make room in our minds for new ideals. With Henry Van Dyke, let us seek "to despise nothing in the world except falsehood and meanness, and to fear nothing except cowardice."

Belle Ammerman, *Kappa*.





**Caps  
and  
Gowns**

Despite the "fact" that Dr. Holmes decries a treatment of fact undiluted by original thought, Commencement raiment bids us have recourse to the Encyclopedia. Since education was for so long a time in the hands of the clergy, and at a time when men proclaimed their calling by their garb, we should expect to find to-day, as we do, some resemblance between the dress of the priest and the scholar. The plain black gown of the student is worn also by the divine, as well as by the juror, but the black cap of the college man, though once a part of the ecclesiastical dress, is now practically used only by the student.

Cap and gown were not originally separate pieces of apparel, but merely two parts of the same garment. The hood which now adorns the back of the gown by its lining, once served a useful purpose as a cap. The hood was later removed from the gown and used as a separate headcovering, set on as hoods now are vertically. Finally the hood gave place to a cap or hat, a horizontally placed portion, with a loose flowing end behind, this pendant extremity at times long enough for a neck scarf, but gradually shortened and discarded.

The early cap was round, but in the latter part of the sixteenth century a kind of square cap was designed, and for some time a square cap with seams raised in the form of a cross was worn, the cross being to the priest a symbol of his faith, to the scholar a pointer to the four corners of the earth whence knowledge was gleaned. The cap underwent a variety of changes, special forms by action of ecclesiastical, civil, or academic authority assuming a peculiar significance. In 1769, says F. W. Robinson, "the undergraduates at Cambridge who had been wearing round caps petitioned for a change to square caps, which was granted to them." The earliest mention of the square cap of the scholar occurs in the injunction of the Royal Visitors of Cambridge in 1549, and this particular type of cap is the ancestor of the modern mortar-board, so called from its resemblance to the square board upon which the laborer mixes his lime and sand.

In the recent Franklin Celebration at Pennsylvania, attended by scholars from all parts of the world, college regalia commanded a well-deserved attention, forming as it did a historic background for the modern concentration of fact by thought.

Bessie Hanley, *Beta Alpha*.



**Inter-  
Fraternity  
Feeling**

The question of the attitude of fraternity women toward non-fraternity women has been dealt with again and again, but no one seems to pay any attention to the equally important question of the attitude of fraternity women toward one another. Of course rushing season, with its attendant restrictions, does much to raise a barrier between the different fraternities, and many of us make this an excuse for not being acquainted with the members of another; but when we stop to think, rushing season is but of a few weeks' duration, and the rest of the year is left for us in which to make acquaintances and form friendships.

It is so easy for us to be entirely satisfied with the girls in our own fraternity and live with them, day after day, without any desire to change our associates or enlarge our circle of friends. And it is in this that I think fraternity women make a grave mistake. There are splendid girls in fraternities other than our own, and the sooner we find it out, the better. How much broader would be the culture side of our education if we associated with them and grew to know them.

Can not inter-fraternity relations be a little less strained, a little more sincere? This should not be a difficult matter. Next year let all of us Kappas make an extra effort along this line. I am sure that if we take the first step in this direction the other fraternities will come to meet us and inter-fraternity feeling will be vastly improved.

Beth Hughson, *Beta Eta*.





## Editorial

To Dr. Jordan the Key is greatly indebted for the article, The Jewels of Stanford. Though this article was not written especially for the Key, the beautiful lesson, which one noble woman's unselfishness and constancy to a purpose should teach us all, makes it most appropriate. Then, too, it shows in what spirit Stanford was founded; Stanford, which is probably of greater interest to the world than any other university because of the great misfortune that has befallen it. We are assured that, with such a spirit behind it, Stanford must rise above this misfortune and continue to hold its well deserved place among the leading universities of the world. We wish it all success in the future.



The following should be of interest to all of us, for Miss Blatch is a Kappa. We are glad to learn of Kappas who are making a name for themselves in the world, and for articles such as this the Key is most grateful. Can we not have more for the subsequent numbers?

To the long list of diversified professions followed by New York women is now added that of civil engineering. Two women graduate engineers are now practising this profession in New York with considerable success. They are Miss Norah Blatch, the young granddaughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, of suffrage note, and Miss Elmina Wilson. Miss Blatch is a graduate of Cornell, while Miss Wilson obtained the diploma making her a full-fledged engineer from the Iowa State College at Ames.

Miss Blatch plans and helps to build bridges, being employed by the American Bridge Company. Miss Wilson draws the plans for the steel construction work for New York skyscrapers, her employers being the firm of Brooks & Son, civil engineers. Miss Blatch, who has been a practical engineer since last September, is only twenty-two years old. She bent her shapely head over a big pile of blue prints and drawings and odd-shaped tools yesterday when she was interviewed.

She said, as she reluctantly laid down her tracing paper, "I am very much in earnest over my work. But people are apt to say: 'It's only a fad with her.'" Miss Blatch's pretty girlish face showed just the slightest trace of cynicism as she said this.

"While I was in college," she continued, "many of my friends found considerable delight in teasing me about my profession. It is very annoying not to be taken seriously when you are very much in earnest, so I made up my mind I just would not say a word about myself until I made a success of it. Perhaps in five or ten years from now success will come and I shall be very happy, because," she said with unmistakable sincerity, "I am very much in earnest."



It has long been the plea of the editor to the chapters that they spend time and thought in selecting subjects for the Parthenon articles that are not worn threadbare by long years of discussion and which will be of interest to all readers, not subjects that are necessarily noble sounding ideas and ideals, but which deal with tangible things such as the problems of the college life of to-day.

A very important step has been accomplished when the subject has been chosen, but the article itself has not been written; this, too, requires time and careful thought. Know what you are going to say and say it as briefly as possible, but reach the conclusion before concluding. Work up to your climax, then stop before an anti-climax can enter and detract from the point made.

Do not say things which others may interpret as expressing ideals unworthy of you. For example, a chapter in one fraternity writes, in making a plea for the large chapter, "there is less danger of the chapter 'going to the wall' through failure to bring back an adequate number of old members." There may be and are justifications for the existence of a large chapter, but this reason is undoubtedly an unjustifiable one. This statement in itself is a confession of weakness. In choosing a freshman more stress should be laid upon her motive for coming to college; has she a serious purpose, and does she intend to stay until she finishes her course? I deem this the first requisite of every freshman who is



asked to join a fraternity and when this is made a universal rule, the chapter will not be faced continually by the problem of what they are to do next year, and besides the scholarship of every chapter will be raised. It is true that some are compelled to leave college for some unexpected reasons, such as illness or reverses in fortune, but how many chapters lose all or even the majority of their members in one year from these causes? The exception may be brought about by a terrible epidemic, or, as recently, by an earthquake, but in such cases a large chapter suffers as severely as a small one.

A large chapter is not necessarily a strong one, nor is a small chapter necessarily weak. It is quality that we wish, whether we are large or small. Unity is more easily brought about when there are but few, and, for this reason, a large chapter, in which there is perfect unity, is all the more to be admired. By this unity I do not mean that every girl should lay aside her individuality and agree to everything that anyone else thinks or proposes. Each one should bring her individuality into the fraternity meeting and give her opinion on the question discussed. When the final decision is made let the chapter act unanimously. Outsiders are the first to notice any lack of unity in a chapter, and likewise are the first to criticize such a lack, therefore the best plan is to give them no chance to criticize.



## Notices

Catalogues, left from the 1898 edition, can be obtained from Psi chapter at fifty cents apiece, which covers cost of postage.



A second edition of the Kappa Symphony cards has been printed. These are on sale at the same place as before, ten cents apiece. Orders for the same should be addressed to Adeline Jacobs, 1307 N. Marshall Street, Philadelphia, Pa.



Beta Epsilon expects to have two or three rooms available in the Kappa Apartment, 501 West 120th Street, New York City. If any Kappas, who intend to live in New York next winter, care to occupy a room there, they would be very welcome. For particulars, write to Miss Margaret Bailey, Say Brook, Connecticut.



## Alumnae Notices

The Grand Registrar wishes copies of all numbers of Volumes I., II., III., IV. (1882-1887), also of Volume VIII. (1891), and Volume X., Number 1 (January, 1893).





## Public Annual Reports

### Alpha Province

#### Phi—Boston University

#### Active Members

Elsie Burdick, '06.	E. Josephine Martin, '07.
Emma L. Fall, '06.	Agnes Woodbridge, '07.
Martha D. Chase, '06.	Mabel R. Case, '08.
Helen M. Wright, '06.	Eleanore S. Cummings, '08.
E. Francesca Skerry, '06	Julia E. Tirrell, '08.
M. Louise Dyer, '07.	Helen D. Rhines, '08.
Augusta M. Farnum, '07.	Marion C. Butterworth, '09.
Ethel M. Rich, '07.	Florence Felton, '09.
Genevieve Elder, '07.	Georgia Thompson, '09.
G. Evelyn Fischer, '07.	Marion Treadwell, '09.
Margaret M. MacLean, '07.	Mary French, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 22; total number of members since founding of chapter, 193; number of year's initiates, 5; honors conferred by faculty: Members of Philosophical Club: Elsie Burdick, E. Francesca Skerry, Mrs. Martha D. Chase. Genevieve Elder, secretary and treasurer of Philological association. Honors conferred by students: Augusta Farnum, vice-president Y. W. C. A.; Marion Butterworth, vice-president of class of 1909. Members of Historical Club: E. Francesca Skerry, Florence Felton.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 28; number of students in collegiate department, 513; number of women in collegiate department, 371; separate lists of men's and women's fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 22; Alpha Phi, 21; Gamma Phi Beta, 27; Delta Delta Delta, 25; Pi Beta Phi, 27; Sigma Kappa, 27. Men's—Beta Theta Pi, 33; Theta Delta Phi, 21.

March 16 the Annual Kappa Banquet was held at Hotel Bellevue.

March 20, Beta Theta Pi entertained the active chapter at their fraternity house.

Our alumnae arranged for two lectures to be given at the fraternity rooms to start a fund for the establishment of a History Chair at the University. April 11, Prof. Carlton Black delivered one on "Dr. John Brown." April 16, Miss Sara Cone Bryant gave a lecture on "The New Irish Literature," with readings.

April 18, Theta Delta Chi were entertained by Phi.

April 28, reception given to the other Women's Fraternities of the University.

April 30-May 4, our third, and most successful, Junior Week.

May 16, Pen Hellenic Meeting and informal reception held at fraternity rooms. A spirit of goodwill and hearty co-operation seems to have been obtained from all.

G. Evelyn Fischer.



## Beta Epsilon—Barnard

### Active Members

Elizabeth Hall, *Beta Iota*.  
 Mary Harriman.  
 Lily S. Murray.  
 Martha S. Stapler.  
 Margaret H. Stone.  
 Marjorie F. Brown, '06.  
 Alice Haskell, '06.  
 Lucie Mayo-Smith, '06.  
 May Newland, '06.  
 Josephine Badock, '06.  
 Margaret H. Bailey, '07.  
 Jean Disbrow, '07.

Juliet S. Points, '07.  
 Mary Barbour Walker, '07.  
 Clairette P. Armstrong, '08.  
 Laura J. Armstrong, '08.  
 Elizabeth F. Fox, '08.  
 Eleanore C. Hunsdon, '08.  
 Marguerite C. Newland, '08.  
 Katharine B. Woolsey, '08.  
 Winifred Barrows, '09.  
 Priscilla D. Stanton, '09.  
 F. Comfort Tiffany, '09.  
 Julia de Forrest Tiffany, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 24; total number of members since founding of chapter, 97; number of year's initiates, 4. Honors conferred by students: M. Brown, '06, class poet; May Newland, '06, chairman of senior dance committee; Alice Haskell, '06, valedictory



and graduate vice-president of Barnard Union; Margaret Bailey, '07, editor of "Barnard Bear"; Jean Disbrow, '07, vice-president of undergraduate association, president of Barnard Union; Juliet Points, '07, undergraduate president; Marguerite C. Newland, '08, junior president; Elizabeth Fox, '08, secretary of the undergraduate association; Clairette P. Armstrong, '08, president of the athletic association; Eleanor Hunsdon, '08, member of the Mortarboard committee; Comfort Tiffany, '09, treasurer of athletic association; Julia Tiffany, '09, member of the tennis committee of athletic association.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 50; number of students in collegiate department, 321; number of women in collegiate department, 329. Separate lists of men's and women's fraternities in order of establishment, with number of active members in each; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 24; Alpha Omicron Pi, 19; Kappa Alpha Theta, 16; Gamma Phi Beta, 22; Alpha Psi, 17; Delta Delta Delta, 13; Pi Beta Phi, 16.

April 21, we initiated the following freshmen: Winfield Barrows, L. Comfort Tiffany, Julia de F. Tiffany and Priscilla Stanton.

May 13, Barnard celebrated Field Day, on which occasion it was announced that a gift of \$150,000 had been received, which completes the amount necessary for a permanent dormitory.

Marguerite C. Newland.



## Beta Sigma—Adelphi College

### Active Members

Ida Poole Brown, '06.  
Bertha Chapman, '06.  
Mary Kirk Flagler, '06.  
Dora Davenport Stone, '06.  
Clare Louise Wentworth, '06.  
Neva Haight, '06.  
Edith Belle Wall, '06.  
Marguerite Welles, '06.  
Edna Wakefield, '07.  
Grace Broadhurst, '07.  
Florence Boole, '07.

Irma Weekes, '08.  
Lorette McGuire, '08.  
Frances Compton, '08.  
Susie Ireland, '08.  
Ethel Kipp, '09.  
Winifred Marshall, '09.  
Ruth Waldo, '09.  
Marian Cuddys, '09.  
Alice Nason, graduate student.  
Ruth Cutter, graduate student.

Chapter:—Active members, 21; total number of members since founding of chapter, 31; number of year's initiates, 8. Honors conferred by faculty, not announced; honors conferred by students: Ida Brown, president Students' Association, '05-'06; Bertha Chapman, president Social Study club, Class Day; Molly Huyler, editor-in-chief, "Literus," '05-'06, president athletic association; Clare Wentworth, college play; Neva Haight, vice-president dramatic association; Belle Wall, Class Day; Marguerite Welles, president senior class, president Dramatic association, executive committee students; Grace Broadhurst, president junior class, president Cercle Sevigne, '06-'07, Florence Boole, vice-president students' association, '05-'06; editor-in-chief "Literus," '06-'07; Irma Weekes, executive committee, students' association; Lorette McGuire, president sophomore class, executive committee, students' association; Ethel Kipp, treasurer students' association, '05-'06, executive committee students' association, '06-'07; Winifred Marshall, vice-president freshman class; Ruth Waldo, secretary freshman class, treasurer athletic association, '06-'07; Marian Cudligns, executive committee of students, '05-'06.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 41; number of students in collegiate department, 512; number of women in collegiate department, 488; separate lists of men's and women's fraternities in order of establishment, with number of active members in each: National-Kappa Kappa Gamma, 21.

Miss Challoner visited us in March.

March 24, we initiated Alice Nason and Ruth Cutter, graduate students.

Pledge, Clara Kaufman, '09. Initiation to be held June 13. May 19, we celebrated our first anniversary.

First week in July, annual house party at Wading River, Long Island.

Florence A. Boole.



## Phi—Cornell University

### Active Members

Charlotte H. Crawford, '06.  
 Alice J. Du Breuil, '06.  
 Anna E. Kirchner, '06.  
 Blanche Eggleston Seelye, '06.  
 Margaret Loomis Stecker, '06.  
 Martha E. Dodson, '07.  
 Amy Teagle Rhodes, '07.  
 Charlotte Baber, '08.

Margaret Ross Cuthbert, '08.  
 Phebe Du Bois, '08.  
 Agnes G. Gouinlock, '08.  
 Jane Gouinlock, '08.  
 Alice Holbert, '08.  
 Anna Clegg Stryke, '08.  
 Anna M. Deniton, '09.  
 Elizabeth A. Bruyn, *Special*.



Chapter:—Active members, 16; total number of members since founding of chapter, 141; number of year's initiates, 5. Honors conferred by faculty: Charlotte H. Crawford, Anna E. Kirchner. Honors conferred by students: Martha Dodson, 1907 class book, *Der Hexenkreis*; A. Rhodes, crew manager, *Der Hexenkreis*; A. Kirchner, president of dramatic club; A. Gouinlock, vice-president dramatic club, *Raven and Serpent*, 1908 basket ball team; J. Gouinlock, *Raven and Serpent*, 1908 basket ball team; A. Stryker, *Raven and Serpent*; A. Deniton, *Ichthus*; Martha Dodson, president of Pennsylvania club; Anna Stryke, treasurer of Pennsylvania club; Charlotte Crawford, 1906 class poet; Amy T. Rhodes, crew manager; Anna Kirchner, president of Sage dramatic club; Agnes Gouinlock, executive committee; Margaret Cuthbert, 1908 basket ball team.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 156; number of students in collegiate department, 693; number of women in collegiate department, 261. Separate lists of men's and women's fraternities in order of establishment, with number of active members in each: Men's—Zeta Psi, 26; Chi Phi, 24; Kappa Alpha, 25; Alpha Delta Phi, 28; Phi Kappa Psi, 28; Chi Psi, 28; Delta Upsilon, 23; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 26; Theta Delta Chi, 33; Phi Delta Theta, 29; Beta Theta Pi, 28; Psi Upsilon, 28; Alpha Tau Omega, 31; Phi Gamma Delta, 27; Phi Delta Phi (Law), 21; Phi Sigma Kappa, 31; Delta Tau Delta, 31; Sigma Phi, 23; Sigma Chi, 31; Delta Chi, 25; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 34; Delta Phi, 20; Kappa Sigma, 24; Nu Sigma Nu (Medical), 39; Skull, 16; Sigma Nu, 22; Phi Alpha Sigma (N. Y. Med. College), 29; Alpha Kappa Kappa (N. Y. Med. College), 17; Omega Upsilon Phi (Medical) 32; Alpha Zeta (Agricultural), 17; Theta Xi, 23; Theta Lambda Phi (Law), 15. Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, 16; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 16; Delta Gamma, 15; Alpha Phi, 15; Alpha Epsilon Iota (Medical), 17. Honorary:—Phi Beta Kappa (Literary); Sigma Xi (Scientific).

The French Society, *Les Cabotins*, presented "*Les Batailles des Dames*," with Charlotte Crawford and Alice du Breuil in the leading roles.

Margaret Cuthbert and Jane and Agnes Gouinlock played on the 1908 Basket Ball team, which won the championship.

March 10, we initiated Elizabeth Bruyn and Charlotte Baber.

Alice Holbert.



## Beta Tau—Syracuse University

## Active Members

Grace A. Henderson, '06.  
 Ida Louise Allis, '07.  
 Kathleen Bogwell, '07.  
 Marion Ballou, '07.  
 Jessie Carpenter, '07.  
 Gwladys Erskine, '07.  
 Marjorie Gardner, '07.  
 Bertha Jewell, '07.  
 Ella B. Wallace, '07.  
 Cora Williams, '07.  
 Clara Steinlicker, '07.  
 Grace Campbell, '08.  
 Pearl Clark, '08.

Blanche Bicknell, '08.  
 Jessica Doty, '08.  
 Florence Lowry, '08.  
 Christina Miller, '08.  
 Ruth Adams, '09.  
 Marion Brainard, '09.  
 Marie Houley, '09.  
 Blanche Hinman, '09.  
 Sarah Lamoreaux, '09.  
 Marguerite Stewart, '09.  
 Katharine Wright, '09.  
 Flora Wright, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 25; total number of members since founding of chapter, 218; number of year's initiates, 8. Honors conferred by students: Grace Henderson, '06, historian of senior class, Boar's head; Ella Wallace, '07, Boar's head; Gwladys Erskine, '07, vice-president I Sem.; Grace Campbell, '08, Oumdagán; Bess Taylor, '08, vice-president I Sem.; Blanche Hinman, '09, president I Sem.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 188; number of students in collegiate department, 2,871; number of women in collegiate department, 1,323. Separate lists of men's and women's fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Delta Kappa Epsilon, 32; Delta Upsilon, 26; Zeta Psi, 28; Psi Upsilon, 33; Phi Kappa Psi, 30; Phi Delta Theta, 31; Beta Theta Pi, 30; Phi Gamma Delta, 37; Sigma Chi, 23; Alpha Chi Rho, 22; Sigma Phi Epsilon, 16. Women's—Alpha Phi, 29; Gamma Phi Beta, 32; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 25; Kappa Alpha Theta, 28; Pi Beta Phi, 31; Delta Delta Delta, 32; Delta Gamma, 21; Alpha Xi Delta, 25; Alpha Gamma Delta, 19; Sigma Kappa, 23.

May 3, initiation of Marguerite Stewart, '09, Newark, New York. Banquet following.

Chemical Laboratory in process of erection at a probable cost of \$100,000.

May 27, Syracuse Junior Varsity Crew victorious in Henley races at Philadelphia.

Ida Louise Allis.



## Beta Alpha—University of Pennsylvania

Miss Challoner visited us early in April.

May 11, Psi chapter, Delta Delta Delta, entertained us in honor of their visiting delegate, Miss Fitch.

May 17, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Houston received in honor of the Fellows of the University.

The Ben Greet Company gave six performances of Shakespeare plays in the Botanical Gardens of the University.

June 16, commencement exercises. We lose our three Seniors, Anna Heck, Jessie Jones and Marion R. Lape.

Sally Mark Barclay.



## Beta Iota—Swarthmore

### Active Members

Mabel Cheyney, '06.  
Emma Jane Wilson, '06.  
Maude Kemmerer, '07.  
Louise Wright Hornor, '07.  
Ella Cannon Levis, '07.  
Mary Verlenden, '07.  
Rosalie Middleroy Painter, '07

Alda Hill Preston, '07.  
Elizabeth Lane Verlenden, '07.  
Mary Wyman Lawrence, '07.  
Mary Eunice Darnell, '04.  
Frances Richardson, '08.  
Mildred Hallowell Bentley, '08.  
Susanne Yardley Willets, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 14; total number of members since founding of chapter, 65; number of year's initiates, 13. Honors conferred by students: vice-president of young women's student government; secretary of Sommerville literary society; junior member of executive board student government; corresponding secretary and treasurer of Sommerville literary society.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 36; number of students in collegiate department, 290; number of women in collegiate department, 158. Separate lists of men and women's fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Kappa Sigma, 13; Phi Kappa Psi, 19; Delta Upsilon, 19.

March 10, Annual Chapter Banquet at Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.

March 23, Delta Upsilon tea to the women's fraternities.

March 31, Alda Hill Preston gave a dance for the chapter.

April 26, Kappa Sigma Conclave Dance.

May 9, Miss Griffith visited us.

May 19, Emma Jane Wilson entertained us at a house-party over Sunday.

New Carnegie Library started.

Elizabeth Lane Verlenden.



## Gamma Kho—Allegheny College

### Active Members

Elsie Ball, '06.  
 Adelaide Ottaway, '06.  
 Ethel Fowler, '07.  
 Jennie Fowler, '07.  
 Gertrude Dowler, '07.  
 Mabel West, *Special*.  
 Mary Beyer, *Special*.  
 Caroline Davis, *Special*.  
 Gail Richmond, *Special*.  
 Bess Rist, '08.

Mary McLaughlin, '08.  
 Carrie L. Sowash, '08.  
 Lily Thorn, '08.  
 Emma Gillett, '09.  
 Melissa Walker, '09.  
 Anna Heyward, '09.  
 Harriet Kraus, '09.  
 Mary O'Donnell, '09.  
 Edith Fugate, '09.  
 Mary Nicholls, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 20; total number of members since founding of chapter, 118; number of year's initiates, 11. Honors conferred by faculty: Elsie Ball, senior eight. Honors conferred by students: Elsie Ball, Kaldron board, literary monthly staff; Adelaide Ottaway, campus board, secretary and treasurer class '06, secretary Quill club; Ethel Fowler, literary monthly staff; Mary McLaughlin, reader for girls' glee club.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 14; number of students in collegiate department, 275; number of women in collegiate department, 89. Separate lists of men's and women's fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Kappa Psi, 18; Delta Tau Delta, 16; Phi Gamma Delta, 16; Phi Delta Theta, 18; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 11. Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, 16; Alpha Chi Omega, 9.



May 1, Jacob A. Riis lectured in the college chapel.

May 8, our Pan-Hellenic banquet was held at Saegertown.

May 7, Rho girls had the pleasure of hearing Madame Nordica.

May 26, Kappa Alpha Theta entertained the active chapter.

May 26, we entertained several of our friends at a picnic at Ponce de Leon Springs.

Carrie L. Sowash.



## Beta Province

### Lambda—Buchtel College

#### Active Members

Clara Brouse, '06.  
Amy Saunders, '06.  
Blanche Olin, '07.  
Blanche Mallison, '07.  
Julia Allen, '07.  
Cottie Shuman, '08.

Ruth Hotchkiss, '08.  
Mabel Wilcox, '08.  
Helen Knight, '09.  
Berenice Chrisman, '09.  
Margaret Prior, '09.  
Lulu Weeks, *Special*.

Chapter:—Active members, 12; total number of members since founding of chapter, 161; number of year's initiates, 4. Honors conferred by faculty: Scholarship, Clara Brouse, Berenice Chrisman. Honors conferred by judges: Amy Saunders, 2d prize Ashton Prize Contest. Honors conferred by students: Amy Saunders, Lulu Weeks, on Buchtelite staff; Amy Saunders, vice-president senior class; Mabel Wilcox, vice-president woman's league; Helen Knight, secretary freshman class.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 11; number of students in collegiate department, 115; number of women in collegiate department, 56. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Zeta Alpha Epsilon, 10; Lone Star, 18. Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 12; Delta Gamma, 17.

Early in March we pledged Fannie Loomis and Jessie Lowry.

April, a Woman's League was organized at Buchtel.

Our first social function was a reception given by the college women to the girls of the senior classes of Buchtel Academy and the Akron High School.

June 17-20, commencement. Amy Saunders and Clara Brouse will graduate.

Clara Brouse.



## Beta Gamma—Wooster College

### Active Members

Sarah E. Humphries, '06.  
Helen Felger, '06.  
Mary McKinley, '06.  
Anita Boyce, '07.  
Catherine Vance, '07.  
Edith Reese, '07.  
Rowena Rayman, '08.

Lois Axtell, '08.  
Lucy Kinney, '08.  
Mabel Felger, '08.  
Grace Baird, '09.  
Helen Mealy, '09.  
Vera Clements, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 13; total number of members since founding of chapter, 198; number of year's initiates, 3. Honors conferred by faculty, unannounced till commencement week. Honors conferred by students: Bess Humphries, Mary McKinley, leading parts in class day, commencement vocal recital; Edith Reese, Lois Axtell, class secretaries; Catherine Vance, board of college annual; Rowena Rayman, class historian.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 21; number of students in collegiate department, 315; number of women in collegiate department, 119. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Beta Theta Pi, 13; Sigma Chi, 16; Phi Gamma Delta, 16; Alpha Tau Omega, 20. Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, 16; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 13.

May 28, Professor and Mrs. Archibald entertained the active chapter.

April 28, the spring term party was given. Nell Malloy, Maybelle Bradley, Corrie McCormick and Hortense Brown, *Beta Nu*, were our guests.

We have eight patronesses in Wooster.

Mabel Felger.



# Beta Nu—Ohio State University

## Active Members

Ruth Hopwood, '06.  
 Florence Covert, '06.  
 Edna S. Pratt, M. A., '06.  
 Ethel Bowman, '07.  
 Ruth Sherman, '07.  
 Lillian Pope, '08.  
 Maybelle Bradley, '08.  
 Elizabeth O'Kane, '08.  
 Imogene McClees, '08.  
 Myra Sherman, '09.

Bonnie Woodbury, '09.  
 Corrilie McCormick, '09.  
 Elizabeth Allen, '09.  
 Florence Newlove, '09.  
 Maude Jones, '09.  
 Margaret Brown, '09.  
 Marie Carroll, '09.  
 Mabel Everett, '09.  
 Helen Felger, '06.

Chapter:—Active members, 20; total number of members since founding of chapter, 101; number of year's initiates, 9. Honors conferred by students: Ethel Bowman, president Y. W. C. A. and leader of girls' glee club; Ruth Sherman, vice-president of junior class; Hortense Brown, literary editor of college annual; Lillian Pope, secretary of sophomore class and member of dramatic club; Marie Carroll, member of dramatic club; Ruth Hopwood, member of senior class social committee and of carnival committee.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 150; number of students in collegiate department, 2,014; number of women in collegiate department, 320. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Gamma Delta, 15; Phi Kappa Psi, 16; Sigma Chi, 19; Phi Delta Theta, 22; Chi Phi, 13; Beta Theta Pi, 21; Sigma Nu, 14; Alpha Tau Omega, 12; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 24; Theta Nu Epsilon, 18; Phi Delta Phi, 17; Delta Tau Delta, 21; Kappa Sigma, 19; Alpha Zeta, 22; Delta Chi, 21; Delta Upsilon, 23; Sigma Xi, 12 seniors elected; Phi Beta Kappa, 11 seniors elected. Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 20; Kappa Alpha Theta, 15; Pi Beta Phi, 16; Delta Delta Delta, 15.

April 20-21, Ohio State University held a carnival in the College armory.

April 28, four Beta Nu girls were entertained by Beta Gamma at their chapter house at Wooster.

May 18, the Pan-Hellenic Association held its annual banquet.

May 25, the Glee Club gave a minstrel show.

Imogene McClees.

## Beta Delta—University of Michigan

## Active Members

Maude Durlin, '06.	Louise Wicks, '07.
Mabel Reid, '06.	Sally Smart, '07.
Anna Broomhall, '06.	Lucretia Hunter, '08.
Persis Martin, '06.	May Bennett, '08.
Mabel Allen, '06.	Clara Trueblood, '09.
Edna Converse, '06.	Xantha Swingle, '09.
Corwine Sutherland, '07.	Nathalie Hine, '09.
Ruth Harrison, '07.	Florence Scott, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 16; total number of members since founding of chapter, 103; number of year's initiates, 6. Honors conferred by faculty: Corwine Sutherland, Deutsche Verein; Lucretia Hunter, Deutsche Verein; Mabel Reid, Sociological Club; Sally Smart, Sociological Club. Honors conferred by students: Anna Broomhall, Senior Class Prophetess; Mabel Reid, Treasurer Woman's League; Sally Smart, housekeeper Woman's League; Louise Wicks, Junior Play Committee; Flossie Scott, Comedy Club; Clara Trueblood, Basketball Manager of Freshman Class.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 328; number of students in collegiate department, 4,100; number of women in collegiate department, 700. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Chi Psi, 26; Alpha Delta Phi, 32; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 34; Sigma Phi, 18; Zeta Psi, 24; Psi Upsilon, 35; Beta Theta Phi, 27; Phi Delta Phi (Law), 26; Phi Kappa Psi, 23; Delta Upsilon, 27; Sigma Chi, 33; Delta Tau Delta, 24; Nu Sigma Nu (Medical), 29; Delta Sigma Delta (Dental), 24; Phi Chi (Pharmic), 13; Phi Delta Theta, 31; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 23; Theta Delta Chi, 18; Xi Psi Phi (Dental), 19; Delta Chi (Law), 19; Alpha Sigma (Homeopathic), 20; Phi Rho Sigma (Medical), 25; Phi Beta Pi (Medical), 27; Phi Alpha Gamma (Homeopathic), 25; Kappa Sigma, 25; Sigma Nu, 28; Phi Gamma Delta, 27; Alpha Tau Omega, 20; Phi Kappa Sigma, 12; Acacia, 18; Phi Alpha Delta (Law), 16; Phi Chi (Medical), 12. Women's—Gamma Phi Beta, 18; Delta Gamma, 27; Collegiate Sorosis, 25; Pi Beta Phi, 18; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 16; Alpha Phi, 25; Kappa Alpha Theta, 15; Alpha Chi Omega, 19; Chi Omega, 8.

During the last few months the University of Michigan has lost through death three of its oldest professors; Professor Pattengil, head of Greek and Latin; and Professor Russell



of Geology; Professor Du Pont, head of the French Department.

May 4-5, University gave a minstrel show.

May 10-11-12, the Annual May Festival was held.

May 17, the Junior girls entertained the Senior girls with a play, "Alice in Seniorland."

Beta Delta will give its annual play May 26.

Beta Delta is making preparation for Commencement week when most of the girls of '05 class will be back for a visit.

Natalie Hine.



## Xi—Andrian College

### Active Members

Mabelle C. Young, '07.

Alice E. McAfee, '07.

Marian Walker, '07.

Patt Link, '08.

Nila Link, *Special*.

Lena Beem, '09.

Elvira Davis, '09.

Olive Neer, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 8; total number of members since founding of chapter, 135; number of year's initiates, 4. Honors conferred by students: Alice McAfee, treas. Y. W. C. A., sec'y Star Literary Society; Lena Beem, secretary Freshman class; Elvira Davis, exchange editor of Freshman number of college paper.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 16; number of students in collegiate department, 165; number of women in collegiate department, 60. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Alpha Tau Omega, 14; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 10. Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 8; Delta Delta Delta, 10.

March 31, Mrs. Frank Boyd (Jennie Gilkey) entertained us at luncheon.

April 2, Tri-Delta gave a reception in honor of Miss Louise Fitch, Editor of the Trident.

April 28, Kappa chapter were our guests at the Hillsdale-Adrian base ball game.

May 1, Seniors gave reception to the students and friends of the College.

May 19, Xi visited Kappa chapter.

May 30, Mrs Eslie Morden (Florence Swift) entertained the active chapter.

Olive Neer.

## Kappa—Hillsdale College

### Active Members

Belle Ammerman, '06.

Edith Cold, '06.

Bessie Camburn, '06.

Grace Campbell, '07.

Hattie Cherryman, '07.

Della McIntosh, '07.

Ruth Mauck, '07.

Mabel Sheldon, '09.

Ruth Gurney, '09.

Lena Rexford, '09.

Helen Mauck, '08.

Maude Terwilliger, '08.

Chapter:—Active members, 12; total number of members since founding of chapter, 150; number of year's initiates, 9. Honors conferred by faculty, salutatorian, Edith Cold. Honors conferred by students: delegates to Nashville convention, Bessie Camburn, president Y. W. C. A; Hattie Cherryman, 2nd French prize; Della McIntosh, president G. G. Society (spring); Bessie Camburn, president L. L. U. Society (Spring); Della McIntosh, president L. L. U. Society (winter); Ruth Mauck, president junior class (spring); Grace Campbell, president junior class (fall); Ruth Mauck, society anniversary play; Della McIntosh, Ruth Mauck.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 12; number of students in collegiate department, 122; number of women in collegiate department, 66. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Delta Tau Delta, 18; Alpha Tau Omega, 14. Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 12; Pi Beta Chi, 16.

April 17, the alumnae entertained for the active girls with a "Pig Party."

April 28, Kappa went to Adrian and spent the afternoon and evening with Xi.

May 19, Xi returned our visit.

May 19, Delta Tau Delta entertained us at their rooms in honor of Xi.

Ruth V. Mauck.



# Gamma Province

## Delta—Indiana State University

### Active Members

Ruby Bollenbacker, '06.	Sallie Duncan, '07.
Lila Hart Burnett, '06.	Lora Campbell, '07.
Elva Reeves, '06.	Mary Rogers, '08.
Hazel May Hatch, '06.	Edna Johnson, '08.
Grace Winfred Norwood, '06.	Mary Campbell, '08.
Carolyn Ethel Simmons, '06.	Nelle Stoner, '08.
Ruth Redfern Maxwell, '07.	Gayle Q. Blankenship, '08.
Mary Sabra Lamb, '07.	Joise Sayre, '09.
Gray Davis, '07.	Edith Holloway, '09.
Warda Stevens, '07.	Luella Amos, '09.
Nelle Reinhard, '07.	Dorothy Pendergrass, '09.
Mary Beck, '07.	Margaret Laughlin, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 24; total number of members since founding of chapter, 310; number of year's initiates, 7. Honors conferred by students: Grace Davis, vice-president of junior class; Ethel Simmons, vice-president of History Club; Lucretia Skinner, sent by Y. W. C. A. to convention at National convention; Hazel Hatch, in oratorical benefit; Edna Johnson, in Strut and Fret plays; Hazel Hatch, on Arbutus staff; Ruth Maxwell, on junior prom. committee.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 75; number of students in collegiate department, 1,684; number of women in collegiate department, 600. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Beta Theta Pi, 20; Phi Delta Theta, 20; Sigma Chi, 15; Phi Kappa Psi, 25; Phi Gamma Delta, 16; Delta Tau Delta, 22; Sigma Nu, 22; Kappa Sigma, 16. Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, 30; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 24; Pi Beta Phi, 18; Delta Gamma, 22.

June 11, Miss Mary D. Griffith will visit us.

June 6, the Annual Campus Fete will be held this year as usual for the benefit of Y. W. C. A.

May 23-24, the May Festival was given in the Gymnasium.

April 23-24, the Ben Greet Company gave two Shakespearean plays.

Delta expects to dedicate a new Student Building this Commencement week, and they have already begun work on the \$100,000 Library Building.

April 12, Margaret Laughlin was initiated.

Nelle Reinhard.



## Iota—De Pauw University

### Active Members

Edith T. Cline, '06.  
Hazel Bridges, '06.  
Bertha Bacon, '07.  
Lalah R. Randle, '07.  
Mayme Trueblood, '07.  
Jeanne Bishop, '08.  
Sue E. Davis, '08.  
Mary L. Deam, '08.  
Martha Poucher, '08.  
Bessie K. Sale, '08.  
Helen C. Taggart, '08.  
Alma H. Wiant, '08.

Mary Amos, '09.  
Hazel Carr, '09.  
Edna Carroll, '09.  
Winifred Conner, '09.  
Caroline Davis, '09.  
Alice Gilmore, '09.  
Helen O'Neill, '09.  
Mildred Pyke, '09.  
De Ette Walker, '09.  
Margaret Walmer, '09.  
Myrta Smith, '09.  
Fleta Ward, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 24; total number of members since founding of chapter, 305; number of year's initiates, 13. Honors conferred by students: Lalah Randal, vice-president of junior class; Helen Taggart, vice-president of sophomore class; Hazel Carr, vice-president of freshman class.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 19; number of students in collegiate department, 684; number of women in collegiate department, 389. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Beta Theta Pi, 18; Phi Gamma Delta, 17; Sigma Chi, 15; Phi Kappa Psi, 24; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 18; Phi Delta Theta, 16; Delta Tau Delta, 11; Delta Upsilon, 14; Sigma Nu, 12. Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, 29; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 24; Alpha Chi Omega, 28; Alpha Phi, 25; Phi Mu Epsilon, 9; Delta Alpha, 21.

March 17, Lalah Randle, Sue Davis, Helen Taggart and Hazel Carr were in the College Opera.

May 21, Iota entertained at the home of Caroline Davis.

Martha Poucher.



## Mu—Butler College

## Active Members

Ruth Allerdice, '06.	Grace Matthews, '08.
Gem Craig, '06.	Grace Sinclair, '08.
Irma Brayton, '07	Nelle Wheeler, '08.
Lena Diggs, '07.	Susanne Davis, '08.
Charlotte Griggs, '07.	Cornelia Keyes, '09.
Edna Huggins, '07.	Elizabeth Brayton, '09.
Sadie Krauss, '07.	Elza Sweeney, '09.
Mabel Tracy, '07.	Edith Huggins, '09.
Hazel Springer, '07.	Susan Brown, '09.
Elizabeth Whitesides, '07.	

Chapter:—Active members, 19; total number of members since founding of chapter, 121; number of year's initiates, 5. Honors conferred by faculty: Ruth Allerdice, editor-in-chief of "The Collegian" during spring term, tutor of history in preparatory department; Gem Craig, tutor in preparatory English. Honors conferred by students: Gem Craig, president senior class, senior play; Elza Sweeney, vice-president of freshman class; Elizabeth Brayton, treasurer of freshman class; Hazel Springer, Gem Craig, Lena Diggs, founders day play.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 18; number of students in collegiate department, 365; number of women in collegiate department, 219; fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Delta Theta, 14; Sigma Chi, 6; Delta Tau Delta, 20: Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 19; Pi Beta Phi, 19; Sigma Delta Theta, 16.

April 14, Susan Brown pledged.

April 20, Mu gave a dance at the Sigma Chi hall.

May 2, Professor W. D. Howe of the English Department left for Harvard to finish some editorial work in which he is engaged. Miss Katherine Brayden of Oahu College, Honolulu, has taken charge of his classes.

May 16, Susan Brown was initiated.

May 21, Elsie Sweeney entertained the Active girls with a dinner at her home in Columbus.

June 1-2, the annual Intercollegiate Tournament is to be held on the Butler Campus. Hereafter this is to be the permanent home of the tournament.

Susanne Davis.

## Eta—University of Wisconsin

## Active Members

Juliet Coggeshall, '06.	Alice Swenson, '07.
Jessie Corse, '06.	Elvira Wallis, '07.
Martha Fay, '06.	Ethel Wright, '07.
Jessie Johnson, '06.	Josephine Howe, '07.
Barbara Munson, '06.	Edna Brown, '08.
Florence Rietow, '06.	Louise Cutter, '08.
Meta Starke, '06.	Cosalette Elliott, '08.
Mary Swenson, '06.	Rhoda Rietow, '08.
Mildred Barlow, '07.	Mona Traill, '08.
Laura Elliot, '07.	Lillian Adams, '09.
Helen Fay, '07.	Josephine Crane, '09.
Arlisle Mead, '07.	Helen Cutter, '09.
Maud Munroe, '07.	Ruth Hayes, '09.
Edith Swenson, '07.	Jean Kirwan, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 28; total number of members since founding of chapter, 216; number of year's initiates, 8. Honors conferred by faculty: Meta Starke, Phi Beta Kappa; Martha Fay, Phi Beta Kappa; Helen Fay, Phi Beta Kappa. Honors conferred by students: Badger Board, Edna Brown; Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, Meta Starke; class day program, Meta Starke.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 230; number of students in collegiate department, 3,571; number of women in collegiate department, 725. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Delta Theta, 24; Beta Theta Pi, 28; Phi Kappa Psi, 16; Chi Psi, 17; Sigma Chi, 21; Delta Upsilon, 29; Delta Tau Delta, 18; Phi Gamma Delta, 22; Theta Delta Chi, 18; Psi Upsilon, 17; Kappa Sigma, 22; Phi Kappa Sigma, 16; Sigma Mu, 26; Alpha Delta Phi, 22; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 20; Phi Alpha Delta, 30; Phi Alpha Tau, 15: Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 28; Delta Gamma, 25; Gamma Phi Beta, 25; Kappa Alpha Theta, 24; Pi Beta Phi, 23; Alpha Phi, 20; Delta Delta Delta, 21; Chi Omega, 20; Alpha Chi Omega, 12; Alpha Gamma Delta, 16; Alphi Xi Delta, 24.

April 21, Bertha Taylor, ex '05, entertained the chapter at tea.

May 12, the chapter gave a dinner party for its three new Phi Beta Kappas, Meta Starke, Helen and Martha Fay.

May 14, the freshmen entertained the chapter at social meeting.



May 19, the chapter gave a reception to the Senior girls in the University. Winifred Titus, '00, instructor in Chemistry at Milwaukee Downer, and Leila Bartlett, '01, Milwaukee, attended the reception.

May 19, Y. W. C. A. assisted by local organizations gave a May Morning Breakfast in the University Gymnasium.

May 21, President Van Hise addressed the Seniors at convocation, University Hall.

Arlisle Mead.



## Beta Lambda—University of Illinois

### Active Members

Elizabeth Graff, '06.  
Jennie Craig, '06.  
Eleanor Beardsley, '07.  
Louise Hanna, '07.  
Marietta Davis, '07.  
Althea Marsh, '07.  
Litta Bauschbach, '06.  
Isabel Mabin, '08.  
Helen Kindall, '08.  
Genevieve Rohrer, '08.

Alice Eager, '09.  
Alice B. Craig, '09.  
Madge Gundy, '09.  
Antoinette Schwarzkopf, '09.  
Mina Creigler, '09.  
Lena Thurston, '09.  
Elizabeth Eiker, '09.  
Charlotte Gibbs, graduate work.  
Louise McIntyre, '07.

Chapter:—Active members, 19; total number of members since founding of chapter, 69; number of year's initiates, 8. Honors conferred by students: Elizabeth Graff, vice-president '06 class; Marietta Davis, Phi Delta Psi (junior society); Madge Gundy, captain '09 basket-ball team, Althenai literary society; Eleanor Beardsley, Phi Delta Psi, vice-president Women's League, Y. W. C. A. Cabinet.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 260; number of students in collegiate department, 2,328; number of women in collegiate department, 577. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Delta Tau Delta, 22; Sigma Chi, 28; Kappa Sigma, 22; Phi Kappa Sigma, 22; Phi Delta Theta, 31; Alpha Tau Omega, 23; Phi Gamma Delta, 29; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 29; Beta Theta Pi, 26; Sigma Mu, 25; Phi Kappa Psi, 20; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 28; Delta Upsilon, 25; Acacio, 21: Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, 24; Pi Beta Phi, 28; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 19;

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Alpha Chi Omega, 19; Chi Omega, 21; Alpha Xi Delta, 11; Sigma Kappa, 10; Delta Gamma, 13. Honorary—Tau Beta Pi, 25; Phi Lambda Upsilon, 18; Phi Delta Phi, 23; Theta Kappa Mu, 13; Alpha Zeta, 23; Phi Alpha Delta, 23; Sigma Xi, 19; Delta Phi Sigma, 15.

April 28, Lena Thurston and Elizabeth Eiker were initiated. The initiation was followed by a banquet which we hope to make an annual affair on this, our chapter birthday.

April 5, we gave an informal reception to the fraternity girls of the University for Miss Challoner.

May 11, a chapter of Delta Gamma was installed in this University.

Charlotte M. Gibbs.



## Upsilon—Northwestern University

### Active Members

Polly Little, '96.  
 Frances Northrop, '06.  
 Henrietta Sohrbeck, '06.  
 Nina Vest, '06.  
 Frances Bowdle, '06.  
 Florence Speck, '07.  
 Ella Bradley, '07.  
 Iva Bishop, '08.

Mora Murdock, '08.  
 Eunice Lovejoy, '09.  
 Helen Tanquary, '09.  
 Alice Beneker, '08.  
 Elizabeth Shepardson, '08.  
 Philura Cumnock, oratory, '07.  
 Hazel Seerley, music, '07.  
 Anna Watkins, music, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 16; total number of members since founding of chapter, 158; number of year's initiates, 6. Honors conferred by faculty: Henrietta Sohrbeck, Phi Beta Kappa; Nina Vest, general secretary of Y. W. C. A. at N. U. Honors conferred by students: Henrietta Sohrbeck and Iva Bishop, Alethenai Literary Society; Nina Vest and Elizabeth Shepardson, Eulexia Literary Society; Florence Speck, junior play; Elizabeth Shepardson, syllabus board; Hazel Seerley, treasurer, junior class music school; Mora Murdock, president, sophomore class music school; Anna Watkins, vice-president, freshmen class music school; Philura Cumnock, vice-president, junior class oratory school.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 54; number of students in collegiate department, 856; number of women in collegiate department, 470. Fraternities in order of establishment with



number of active members in each: Men's—Sigma Chi, 19; Phi Kappa Sigma, 13; Beta Theta Pi, 28; Phi Kappa Psi, 16; Delta Upsilon, 18; Phi Delta Theta, 19; Delta Tau Delta, 24; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 26; Sigma Nu, 23. Women's—Alpha Phi, 20; Delta Gamma, 18; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 16; Kappa Alpha Theta, 16; Gamma Phi Beta, 18; Pi Beta Phi, 16; Delta Delta Delta, 19; Chi Omega, 9; Alpha Chi Omega, 18; Zeta Phi Eta, 12; Sigma Alpha Iota, 9.

May 9, Philura Cumnock was initiated.

March 24, we entertained our alumnae with a reception.

May 5, we gave our annual formal party.

May 26, the whole chapter attended the monthly Kappa luncheon at Marshall Field's tea room.

In July our new President, Dr. Abram W. Harris, of Philadelphia, will be installed.

Florence Speck.



## Epsilon—Illinois Wesleyan University

### Active Members

Lucy Williams, '06.  
Irene Seibel, '06.  
Flora Warlow, '07.  
Alice Parker, '07.  
Mabel Brock, '07.  
Laurastine Marquis, '08.  
Mary Marquis, '08.  
Bernice Brock, '08.

Zola Green, '08.  
Grace Wells, '08.  
Bertha Coyle, '08.  
May Bengal, '09.  
Everetta Roe, '09.  
Bessie Welch, '09.  
Irene Cunningham, '09.  
Lucile Hodge, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 16; total number of members since founding of chapter, 209; number of year's initiates, 4. Honors conferred by students: Irene Seibel, on Wesleyan Board; Flora Warlow, president Y. W. C. A., vice-president Munsellian Literary Society, vice-president junior class; Etta Roe, secretary oratorical association, vice-president freshman class, secretary Munsellian Literary Society; Bessie Welch, treasurer, freshman class; Grace Wells, treasurer, sophomore class; Laurastine Marquis, secretary of sophomore class; Zola Green, intercollegiate secretary Y. W. C. A.

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College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 12; number of students in collegiate department, 23; number of women in collegiate department, 73. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Gamma Delta, 4; Sigma Chi, 11; Tau Kappa Epsilon (local), 17. Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 16; Sigma Kappa, 12.

March 29-30, Senior play was given. Lucy Williams and Irene Seibel had leading parts.

April 13, Wesleyan won the debate with Milliken University.

April 19-21, Woman's Guild gave the Wesleyan College Carnival.

June 2, we shall hold our annual picnic at Mrs. Benjamin's.

June 9-11, Miss Griffith is to visit us.

At Commencement our President, Dr. Frank G. Barnes, is to be installed. We are also to have an alumnae reunion at that time.

Alice Parker.



## Delta Province

### Chi-University of Minnesota

#### Active Members

Marjorie Bullard, '06.	Marjorie Edwards, '08.
Polly Caroline Bullard, '06.	Faith Wheaton, '08.
Sidnee Pattee, '06.	Jessie Simpson, '09.
Helen Tolman Gallup, '07.	Elsie Georgianna Tileston, '09.
Helen Hill, '07.	Stella Elizabeth Lyford, '10.
Harriet Hamilton Brearley, '08.	Ruth Annis Sykes, '10.
Elizabeth Clapp Bruchholz, '08.	Edith Randall Moore, A. M., '06.

Chapter:—Active members, 14; total number of members since founding of chapter, 190; number of year's initiates, 6. Honors conferred by students: Marjorie Edwards, secretary of Woman's League; Marjorie Bullard, editor-in-chief Woman's Magazine, Sigma Tau (Senior Society), Quill (Girls' Press Club); Sidnee Pattee, Thalian (Literary), Sigma Tau, Sigma Alpha Delta; Elizabeth Bruchholz, vice-



president Y. W. C. A.; Elsie Tileston, Dramatic Club; Jessie Simpson, Theta Epsilon (Literary); Helen Gallup, Sigma Alpha Delta (Junior); Helen Hill, Sigma Alpha Delta.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 85; number of students in collegiate department, 1,249; number of women in collegiate department, 738. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Chi Psi, 22; Phi Delta Theta, 13; Delta Tau Delta, 20; Phi Kappa Psi, 15; Sigma Chi, 17; Beta Theta Pi, 29; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 11; Phi Gamma Delta, 19; Delta Upsilon, 29; Psi Upsilon, 17; Alpha Delta Phi, 26; Theta Delta Chi, 22; Zeta Psi, 18; Kappa Sigma, 19; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 27; Alpha Tau Omega, 22; Sigma Nu, 19; Phi Delta Phi, 19; Delta Chi, 22; Delta Sigma Delta, 18; Phi Beta Kappa, 14; Sigma Xi, 30.

February 26, informal reception at the chapter rooms for our freshmen.

March 21, initiated Ruth Sykes, Stella Lyford and Sidnee Pattee.

April 20, annual banquet. About 55 present.

May 16, informal dance at the Town and Country Club.

Elizabeth C. Bruchholz.



## Beta Zeta—Iowa State University

### Active Members

Augusta Brown, '06.  
Mary Parsons West, '06.  
Elizabeth Sherwood, '06.  
Joanna Strange, '06.  
Ann De Sellem, '06.  
Alice Remley, '07.  
Winifred Sherwood, '08.  
Gertrude Dennis, '08.  
Catherine Green, '08.

Josephine Lynch, '08.  
Flora Cooper, '09.  
Catherine Lovell, '09.  
Mildred Schultz, '09.  
Alice Mueller, '09.  
Marcia Dunham, *Special*.  
Jess Monatrety, graduate student.  
Henrietta Prentiss, graduate student

Chapter:—Active members, 17; total number of members since founding of chapter, 106; number of year's initiates, 8. Honors conferred by faculty: Augusta Brown, Phi Beta Kappa; Mary Parsons West, Phi Beta Kappa; Joanna Strange, permanent position in University Library. Honors conferred by students: Augusta Brown, class historian; Joanna Strange, senior class play; Marcia Dunham, Writer's

Club; Catherine Green, Erodelphian Literary Society, Die Germania; Catharine Lovell, Ivy Lane Literary Society; Flora Cooper, Y. W. C. A., Cabinet Erodelphian Literary Society; Alice Mueller, Erodelphian; Henrietta Prentiss, Graduate Club; Jess Monatrey, Dramatic Club; Josephine Lynch, Erodelphian, Ivy Lane, Die Germania.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 64; number of students in collegiate department, 889; number of women in collegiate department, 335. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Beta Theta Pi, 5; Phi Kappa Psi, 17; Delta Tau Delta, 21; Sigma Chi, 17; Phi Delta Theta, 22; Sigma Nu, 18; Kappa Sigma, 22; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 27; Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 17; Pi Beta Phi, 20; Delta Gamma, 18; Delta Delta Delta, 19.

May 21, Mrs. Cannon entertained the alumnae and active chapter at tea. Mrs. Mallory was guest of honor.

In May, Katherine Everts, *Chi*, gave a series of three dramatic recitals.

Josephine Lynch.



## Theta—University of Missouri

### Active Members

Clara Shelton, '06.	Audrey Cocke, '08.
Berenice Vance, '07.	Katherine Barnes, '09.
Alice Johnston, '08.	Mariam Ridgeway, '09.
Ruth Fitzgerald, '07.	Florence Helm, '09.
Mary Jesse, '07.	Susie Ellison, '09.
Virginia Yancey, '07.	Georgie Sturges, '09.
Mamie Clara Walker, '07.	Neill Hayman, '09.
Grace Parker, '08.	Juliet Moss, '09.
Jack Withers, '08.	Faith Pearse, '09.
Gertrude Zoll, '08.	Gertrude Cosgrove, '09.
Katherine Helm, '08.	

Chapter:—Active members, 21; total number of members since founding of chapter, 190; number of year's initiates, 10. Honors conferred by faculty: Berenice Vance, gymnasium instructor; Katherine Helm, assistant gymnasium instructor. Honors conferred by students: Mamie Clare Walker, Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; Mary Jesse, Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; Grace Parker, Y. W. C. A. Cabinet; Ruth Fitzgerald,



president of A Φ Σ (senior girls' club); Berenice Vance, treasurer of A Φ Σ; Berenice Vance, junior basket ball business manager; Georgie Sturges, freshman basket ball manager; Katherine Helm, on the Varsity baseball team.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 195; number of students in collegiate department, 2,072; number of women in collegiate department, 524. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Delta Theta, 21; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 18; Sigma Nu, 19; Beta Theta Pi, 21; Kappa Alpha, 25; Sigma Chi, 21; Kappa Sigma, 24; Phi Gamma Delta, 20; Delta Tau Delta, 24; Alpha Tau Omega, 14. Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 21; Pi Beta Phi, 29; Delta Psi (local), 14.

April 25, a county fair was held by the Agriculture students.

May 6, High School Day, we entertained twelve high school girls.

May 12, girl's annual masquerade was held in Academic Hall.

May 14, baseball team returned from their trip, winning all the schedule games but two.

May 16, Mrs. Mallory was with us for three days. A reception was given in her honor.

May 18, Junior Promenade was given for the first time by the Junior Class. It will be an annual party from now on.

June 6, Commencement Day.

Jack Withers.



## Sigma—University of Nebraska

### Active Members

Olive States, '06.  
Edith Butler, '06.  
Gladys Hargraves, '06.  
Verne Hall, '08.  
Eva Casey, '07.  
Otis Hassler, '08.  
Lola Southwick, '07.  
Ruth Baker, '08.  
Edna Baker, '08.  
Florence Woods, '08.

Fern Leet, '08.  
Corinne White, '09.  
Marie Kesterson, '09  
Madge Merrell, '09.  
Edith Wilson, '09.  
Mabel States, '09.  
Etta Gravelle, '09.  
Adelaide Thomas, music, '09.  
Florence Harford, music, '09.  
Ethel Burket, music, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 18; total number of members since founding of chapter, 147; number of year's initiates, 9. Honors conferred by faculty: Verne Hall, vice-president sophomore class, Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, delegate to Nashville, Tenn.; Eva Casey, Black Masque, Senior Society, Silver Serpent. Honors conferred by students: Mabel States, freshman hop, Lola Southwick, junior prom., Olive States, senior prom., Junior Society, "Silver Serpent" (honorary member); Edith Butler, senior play, Dramatic Club, Silver Serpent.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 173; number of students in collegiate department, 1,800; number of women in collegiate department, 1,000. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Delta Theta, 20; Sigma Chi, 25; Beta Theta Pi, 23; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 27; Delta Tau Delta, 18; Phi Kappa Psi, 26; Alpha Theta Chi, 25; Kappa Sigma, 27; Alpha Tau Omega, 17; Phi Gamma Delta, 20; Delta Upsilon, 24; Women's—Kappa Kappa Gamma, 18; Kappa Alpha Theta, 22; Delta Gamma, 17; Delta Delta Delta, 24; Pi Beta Phi, 22; Chi Omega, 17; Alpha Omicron Pi, 18.

Mrs. Mallory visited us before the Easter vacation; a luncheon was given at the Lincoln Hotel in her honor, also a reception to the women's fraternities at the home of Gladys Hargraves.

May 19, our twenty-second annual banquet was held at the Lindell Hotel. Fifty-five were present.

The girls' Pan-Hellenic Association has passed rules concerning uniform calling hours for all fraternity houses, and the closing of all university and fraternity dances at twelve o'clock. The question of limiting rushing to matriculation week is now being discussed. The men's inter-fraternity council has passed a rule permitting no pledging of new members until after the mid-semester delinquency report. No student who is delinquent in his studies may be pledged.

March 28, Ethel Burket entertained the active chapter at a luncheon.

Eva Casey.





# Omega—Kansas State University

## Active Members

Grace McKnight, '06.  
Ada Cates, '06.  
Olga Newlon, '07.  
Maud Olander, '06.  
Nell Potts, '06.  
Addie Lander, '07.  
Ada Williams, '07.  
Neva Funk, '07.  
Anna Allen, '08.  
Mary Maher, '08.

Elizabeth Rogers, '08.  
Marguerite Perkins, fine arts.  
Lucy Wright, '09.  
Minta Schmitz, '09.  
Marie Williams, '09.  
Lillian Trousdale, '09.  
Amy Merstetler, '09.  
Nellie Russell, '09.  
Juliette Roff, music, '08.  
Ida Neylon, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 20; total number of members since founding of chapter, 185; number of year's initiates, 9. Honors conferred by faculty: Grace McKnight, Phi Beta Kappa; Maud Olander, Phi Beta Kappa. Honors conferred by students: Nell Potts, secretary of senior class; Maud Olander, senior play com.; Grace McKnight, annual board; Ada Williams, junior farce; Addie Lander, junior prom. com.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 135; number of students in collegiate department, 1,706; number of women in collegiate department, 714. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Women's—Pi Beta Phi, 21; Kappa Alpha Theta, 21; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 20; Chi Omega, 20; Men's—Beta Theta Pi, 25; Phi Kappa Psi, 19; Phi Gamma Delta, 19; Phi Delta Theta, 22; Sigma Chi, 22; Sigma Nu, 15; Theta Nu Epsilon, 20; Alpha Tau Omega, 15; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 15.

Mrs. Mallory visited us in April.

Omega is planning for a new chapter house of her own, and by great efforts we hope to occupy it in two years.

May 12, Margaret Perkins entertained the active chapter at her home.

We have had two joint meetings with our alumnae this spring and found them very helpful.

Maud Olander, one of our seniors, was chairman of the committee that wrote the senior play this year.

Addie F. Lander.

### Beta Mu—Colorado State University

April 17, our annual Kappa banquet was given in Denver. Mrs. Mallory was with us a few days in the early part of April.

May 12, High School Day, we entertained from sixty to seventy students.

We wish to congratulate Beta Iota girls on their new Dean of Women for next year, Dr. Josephine Meeteer, who has been Dean of Women here for the past two years.

Clara Wilson.



### Beta Xi—Texas State University

#### Active Members

Marie Geils Adone, '08.	Mary McCormick, '08.
Bernice Allen, '09.	Annie McCormick, '09.
Maie Phila Borden, '07.	Ethel Morey, '06.
Eleanor Brackenridge, '06.	Hattie Parks, '09.
Bennie Brown, '08.	Anne Ruggles, '09.
Annie Bob Brown, '09.	Margaret Runge, '09.
Abbie Crane, '08.	Katherine Searey, '06.
Kittie Devine, '08.	Mamie Searey, '09.
Mary E. DeVol, '08.	Annie Stratton, '08.
Flossie Gardner, '08.	Mary Stephens, '09.
Annabel Trion, '09.	Genevieve Garleton, '08.
Annie James, '07.	Charlie Thurmond, '07.
May Jarvis, '06.	Dora Thornton, '09.
Mary Kimball, '08.	Florence West, '09.
Helen Knox, '07.	Velma Willingham, '07.
Christine Littlefield, '06.	

Chapter:—Active members, 31; total number of members since founding of chapter, 58; number of year's initiates, 11. Honors conferred by faculty: Fannie West Harris, fellow in geology; May Jarvis, student, assistant in zoology. Honors conferred by students: Helen Knox, president of Ashbel Literary Society, vice-president of Ashbel Literary Society, member of Advisory Board of Woman's Council, secretary of athletic association, delegate to student's volunteer convention, junior leader of junior prom., junior class historian,



vice-president of junior class; May Jarvis, editor of the Magazine, treasurer of Ashbel Literary Society, junior leader of junior prom., vice-president of senior class; Maie Borden, exchange editor of "Texan," member of Executive Board of Woman's Council, delegate to student's volunteer convention, vice-president junior class; Ethel Morey, treasurer of Woman's Council, vice-president of senior class, secretary of senior class; Annie Stratton, secretary of Ashbel Literary Society, member of "Magazine" Board, secretary of sophomore class; Abie Crane, member of Advisory Board of Woman's Council, vice-president of sophomore class; Anne Ruggles, member of Advisory Board of Woman's Council, member of Executive Board of Athletic Council; Mary DeVol, secretary of Ashbel Literary Society; Geils Adone, treasurer of sophomore class; Florence West, historian freshman class; Mary Stedman, member of "Cactus" Board.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 69; number of students in collegiate department, 1,590; number of women in collegiate department, 410. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Phi Delta Theta, 30; Beta Theta Pi, 21; Kappa Sigma, 30; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 16; Sigma Chi, 22; Kappa Alpha, 24; Sigma Nu, 13; Alpha Tau Omega, 6; Phi Gamma Delta, 19; Sigma Nu Phi, 21; Delta Tau Delta, 19; Phi Kappa Psi, 20: Women's—Pi Beta Phi, 26; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 31; Chi Omega, 17; Kappa Alpha Theta, 20; Zeta Tau Alpha, 8.



## Beta Omicron—Culane University

### Active Members

Mel Robertson, graduate, '05.	Anita Norman, '08.
Mary Minor, '06.	Irene Drake, '08.
Gertrude Monroe, '06.	Hilda Phelps, '09.
Marie Breazeale, '07.	Katharine Leach, '09.
Adele Monroe, '08.	Janet Ford, '09.
Ruth Bush, '08.	

Chapter:—Active members, 11; total number of members since founding of chapter, 20; number of year's initiates, 3. Honors conferred by students: Gertrude Monroe, captain art basket ball team; Marie Breazeale, class treasurer, basket ball team; Adele Monroe, class president, basket ball team; Ruth Bush, captain sophomore, basket ball team, class poet, sub-editor Jambalaya, member of dramatic club; Hilda Phelps, class president, captain freshman team, on dramatic club committee; Katharine Leach, on dramatic club committee.

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College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 108; number of students in collegiate department, 1,303; number of women in collegiate department, 399. Fraternities in order of establishment with number of active members in each: Men's—Kappa Alpha, 26; Sigma Chi, 16; Alpha Tau Omega, 8; Alpha Tau Delta, 6; Kappa Sigma, 25; Phi Delta Theta, 13; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 11; Delta Kappa Epsilon, 12; Phi Kappa Sigma, 13; Sigma Nu, 10; Pi Kappa Alpha, 17. Medical—Delta Omicron Alpha, 22; Alpha Kappa Kappa, 38; Phi Chi, 46; Women's—Pi Beta Phi, 19; Alpha Omicron Pi, 12; Chi Omega, 14; Kappa Kappa Gamma, 11.

May 11, Beta Omicron has just celebrated her second birthday by a banquet in the fraternity room.

May 5, the "Newcomb Dramatic Club" presented "A Russian Honeymoon," and Ruth Bush was one of the seven chosen out of the whole college to take part.

The local Pan-Hellenic Association has completely revised the rules; scarcely one has been left intact, as the old ones were not satisfactory.

Mel Robertson.



## Beta Eta—Leland Stanford, Jr. University

### Active Members

Margaret Burkhalter, '06.  
 Ruby Kimble, '06.  
 Bertha Henzel, '06.  
 Bertha Sheidler, '08.  
 Grace Watson, '08.  
 Ethel Wallace, '08.  
 Beth Hughson, '08.

Anna Lawry, '08.  
 May Cunningham, '08.  
 Hilda Broderson, '08.  
 Miriam Harris, '09.  
 Carol Larkins, '09.  
 Evelyn Sherrard, '09.  
 Hazel Maddox, '09.

Chapter:—Active members, 14; total number of members since founding of chapter, 91; number of year's initiates, 4. Honors conferred by students: Ruby Kimble, vice-president senior class, senior ball committee, senior program committee; Bertha Henzel, senior plate committee; Bertha Sheidler, sophomore play; May Cunningham, French club.

College:—Number of faculty in collegiate department, 76; number of students in collegiate department, 1,786; number of women in collegiate department, 500. Fraternities in order of establishment with



number of active members in each: Women's—Kappa Alpha Theta, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Delta Gamma, Alpha Phi, Gamma Phi Beta, Pi Beta Phi: Men's—Zeta Psi, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Psi, Sigma Chi, Sigma Nu, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Delta Tau Delta, Phi Gamma Delta, Beta Theta Pi, Chi Psi, Kappa Alpha, Delta Upsilon, Kappa Sigma, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Theta Delta Chi.

College closed a month earlier this semester on account of the damage done to the university buildings by the earthquake on April 18th. In twenty-nine seconds our beautiful buildings of sandstone were wrecked; in some instances, beyond repair. The magnificent Chapel, the Museum, the new Library, and new Gymnasium, which were completed after four or five years devoted to their construction, are in utter ruin. Although not a single building escaped without some damage, the classrooms, laboratories, and the other buildings essential for college work can be easily repaired in time for next semester, which begins on the 28th of August. But two lives were lost at Stanford; a student was crushed to death in the dormitory, and an engineer was crushed by a falling chimney.

All the fraternity houses, except the Chi Psi Lodge, which is completely ruined, were comparatively uninjured. The chimneys of all the houses are down, the plastering cracked, and many windows are broken. As our house was less damaged than many others, we invited a number of girls whose homes were badly damaged, to share it with us. For several days after the earthquake every one lived out of doors. Our meals were cooked on an oil stove in the backyard, and we slept on the front lawn. The slight shocks which followed the big one for several days, made every one feel uneasy. The disaster will make little difference in the attendance at Stanford next semester, as all the students have expressed their intention of coming back.

Mrs. Mallory was to have been at Stanford the last week in April, but the early closing of college has deprived us of that pleasure.

Anna Lawry.

## The Key

### Beta Pi—University of Washington

Mrs. Mallory visited us during the latter part of April.

May 11 was Campus Day, the day on which the faculty and students work together to improve the campus.

May 25, the "Laid Aways," a club composed of Beta Pi girls who are out of college, gave a party to the outgoing Seniors.

May 30, an interstate triangular track meet was held between Oregon, Idaho and Washington.

June 2, the Woman's League, composed of all the young women of the University, gives a picnic.

June 9, we give an informal farewell dance.





## Pan Hellenic Gatherings

The Des Moines, Iowa, Pan-Hellenic Association was organized six years ago. This association holds two meetings yearly; one, the business session at which the officers and committees are elected for the ensuing year; the other, the social session, a banquet. At the first banquet there were about forty fraternity women present, and this number has increased each year until at the last banquet there were ninety-six, representing seven national fraternities and one local.



### When Greeks Meet Greeks

Yesterday afternoon at her home on North Second Avenue, Mrs. Shirley Christy entertained in honor of Mrs. Tate Hartsuff Kuhns, her invited guests being all the members of the National Greek letter fraternities who are at present in Phoenix. Twelve ladies who hold such memberships were present and met the guests. Mrs. Kuhns was the first president of the Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity and is here to spend several weeks in the city. She is a most interesting woman and has traveled largely abroad, and has visited most of the points of interest in America. During the afternoon she gave many of her experiences in travel and told of her finding fraternity girls wherever there were Americans.

During the afternoon an association was organized and will be known as the Pan-Hellenic Collegiate Association with all who were in attendance as members. Mrs. Shirley Christy is president and Mrs. J. C. Hurley, secretary. Following the organization of the association delightful refreshments were served the guests and the balance of the afternoon was spent in conversation.

Those who were present and who are members of the new organization were: Miss Crissie Gilchrist, *Kappa Alpha Theta*, Hanover, Indiana; Mrs. Waldo B. Christy, *Pi Beta Phi*, University of Colorado, Denver; Bessie Bell Hutchinson, *Pi Beta Phi*, Northern University, Evanston, Ill.; Miss Elizabeth Coats, *Pi Beta Phi*, Boston University, Boston; Miss Edith Mason, *Delta Delta Delta*, University California, Berkeley; Mrs. J. C. Hurley, *Delta Delta Delta*, Baker University, Kansas; Miss Junia Todd, *Delta Delta Delta*, Simpson College, Iowa; Mrs. George H. Brewer, *Kappa Kappa Gamma*, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.; Mrs. Edward Collings, *Kappa Kappa Gamma*, Bloomington, Ind.; Mrs. Tate Hartsuff Kuhns, *Kappa Kappa Gamma*, Butler University, Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Shirley Christy, *Kappa Kappa Gamma*, Simpson College, Iowa.—“Phoenix Republican.”

## The Key

### When Greek Meets Greek

(A toast given at the banquet of the Columbus Pan-Hellenic Association.)

Maids of Athens gathered here  
 Bringing fellowship and cheer,  
 Spirits gay and hearts so light,  
 We are Greeks, just Greeks to-night.  
 We are one great happy band  
 Bound for Pan-Hellenic land,  
 Fellowship is what we seek,  
 And 'tis found when Greek meets Greek.

There's not one among us here  
 Does not hold her pin most dear;  
 Every loyal maiden fair  
 Thinks her colors are most rare.  
 Loyalty like this must be  
 Where we have fraternity,  
 Loyalty of firmest kind  
 But prejudice we must not find.

We have set this festal day,  
 Let us bring our colors gay,  
 And our flowers ever fine  
 To beautify Minerva's shrine.  
 But flowers fair will fade away,  
 And hearts can live fore'er and aye,  
 And colors change and prove not true,  
 So let us bring our hearts here, too!  
 And bonds once strong  
     Will now seem weak,  
 In this glad throng  
     Where Greek meets Greek.

What means this Greek life of ours,  
 Barbarians may ask.  
 It puts us in a happy world  
 And gives a worthy task.  
 It sends a wealth of faith and hope,  
 It brings a store of cheer,  
 Our spirits seldom downward slope,  
 Not many days are drear.

It gives us patience to endure,  
 It gives us courage rare,  
 It teaches love so good and pure,  
 And shows us friendship fair.  
 Greek bonds are firm and bind us  
 In friendship lasting true,  
 And give us many sisters  
 To claim our whole lives thro.



What happiness and brightness  
 Are brought to college life  
 By Greek associations  
 In spite of rushing strife!  
 When jolly college years have gone  
 And we to matrons grown,  
 What love and pride we still retain  
 For that queer pin we own.

And looking backward we must smile  
 To think of all the ways  
 We planned to land the freshmen  
 In those fearful rushing days.  
 Then drifted on more smoothly,  
 Finding rest from rushing toils.  
 And each chapter was contented  
 With her goodly share of spoils.

Chapter strifes and oppositions.  
 Let's forget, except in story,  
 While we Greeks all work together  
 For our Alma Mater's glory.  
 If your loyal heart should whisper  
 "Your own chapter is the best,"  
 You may listen, but remember  
 How much good is in the rest.

May this love and truth and goodness  
 Which all Greeks should freely share  
 Make us strong and noble women  
 Needed in a world of care.  
 And may loyalty to sisters  
 Teach us loyalty to all,  
 And may faithfulness to duty  
 Keep us ready at her call.  
 All the joys and griefs and pleasures  
 That in "frat" life we have met  
 Will be stored away as treasures,  
 Things we never can forget.

Maids of Athens, ere we part,  
 Drink to Greeks with all your heart!  
 We stand for love and good and right,  
 And we are Greeks, just Greeks, to-night.  
 One song let's sing,  
 This motto speak,  
 All care takes wing

When Greek meets Greek. —Nell Malloy, *Beta Nu*.

## Obituary

### Caroline von Utassy Hammond

Caroline von Utassy Hammond died January 5, 1906. She was initiated into Psi chapter February 25, 1893.

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### Arabella E. Moore

Whereas, Arabella E. Moore was taken from us by death on February 21, 1906, be it

Resolved, that in the death of our sister we have sustained a great loss, be it

Resolved, that to each one of us the memory of her lovely and unselfish life, her loyalty as a friend, and her patient endurance during her long illness will be an abiding one, and be it further

Resolved, that these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of the association and a copy of them sent to the Key and to the family of our sister as an expression of our sympathy for their great sorrow.

Elizabeth Dinsmore, Pres.,  
Lucretia Blankenburg, Sec'y,  
Beta Iota Alumnae Association.

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### Ara Edna Sweeney

Ara Edna Sweeney died at Salt Lake City, May 23, 1906. She was a charter member of Beta Mu chapter.

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### Sarah Bonney Kellog

Sarah Bonney Kellog died at Phoenix, Arizona, April 10, 1906. She was initiated into Beta Pi chapter February 4, 1905.

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## Alumnae Association Letters

### Des Moines, Iowa

The Kappas living in Des Moines first came together six years ago at a Pan-Hellenic banquet. Seven women's Greek letter fraternities were represented, and it was so successful it has become an annual affair.

Kappa meetings are held monthly, nine months of the year. These meetings are purely social. Upsilon, Beta Zeta, Epsilon, Omicron, Alpha, Delta chapters are represented, having a total membership of sixteen.

Minnie Leland Preston.



### New Orleans

The New Orleans Alumnae Association, although formally organized on May 7, 1906, had its real beginning in December, 1905. It consists of fifteen members, thirteen of whom are alumnae of Beta Omicron, and two, the Misses Spencer, of Psi. As the youngest Alumnae Association of Kappa Kappa Gamma, we feel that we have much to learn and many experiences, both favorable and adverse, to pass through before our strength becomes fixed and our policies determined, and before we can become of such value and assistance to the general fraternity as are the splendid and firmly established associations which we shall endeavor to emulate, a fraternity's source of power lying largely, we believe, in the enthusiasm of its alumnae.

We wish to show at the very beginning the earnest nature of our aims and our desire to emphasize the serious and helpful side of fraternity life. We have, therefore, as a small way of starting, established a prize for Mathematics at Newcomb College. We hope later on to extend the prize into a scholarship, perhaps several. This much only in our history can be told, the rest is yet in the making. We are looking forward to the approaching convention as an important one for the alumnae.

Greetings to all of our sister associations and to active Kappas as well.

Charlotte Prentiss.

## Alumnae Personals

### Phi

Mabel R. Case has been seriously ill and has not attended classes since January.

Augusta Farnum has not been able to be with us this semester. We expect her return, however, next year.

Gertrude Butterworth is teaching at Harwich, Massachusetts.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sheldon (Elsie Bullen, '02), a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pratt (Helen Armstrong, '96), have gone to make their home at Bellows Falls, Vt.



### Beta Epsilon

Married, Miss Helen Cole, '00, to Mr. Robert A. Stevenson, on June 14, '06.

Married, Miss Agnes Leaycraft, '01, to Mr. Donohue, on June 14, '06.

Miss Elizabeth Thompson, '02, has been appointed assistant in Botany at Barnard College, and Miss Alice Haskell, '06, also has been appointed an assistant in the English Department.

Miss Marjorie Brown, '06, will also sail for Europe with her family on June 21st. She expects to travel this summer and to study singing in Germany during the winter.

Miss Susie Mayo-Smith, '06, will also spend this summer abroad.

Miss Eleanor Phelps will spend the summer abroad.

Miss Mary Eaton has come from Paris to assist at the marriage of her sister, and of Miss Helen Cole.



### Beta Sigma

Married, Elizabeth Brown, '05, to Everett Orr, of Mount Vernon, on June 5th, in St. George's Church, Brooklyn.

Married, Alice Nason, '02, to George Beecher Cooper, on June 16th.

The engagement is announced of Ida Poole Brown, '06, to George Neil Patrick, *Psi Upsilon*, of Amherst, '03.



### Psi

Elizabeth Rhodes is an ardent worker as president of the Cornell Alumnae Association. This year the association bought out the Manhattan Theatre for an evening, and the proceeds of the sale of tickets will be used for the Cornell athletic field. The theatre was gay with Cornell pennants, and college spirit was in the air. Miss Rhodes pled the cause of athletic needs at Cornell at a recent dinner of the Cornell Alumnae Association.

Married, Bernice Grant Hairland to Mr. Lucius Warren Guernsey, on March 26th, 1906, Glens Falls, New York.

Married, Elizabeth Morgan Worts to Mr. John Wallace Thompson, on May 1, 1906. At home after June first, Philadelphia, Pa.

Born, to Mrs. Edna McNary Colson, a daughter, Elizabeth Colson.



### Beta Iota

The attendance at our Twelfth Annual Banquet was unusually large, including many members from out of town.

Married, March 26, Marie de Montalvo, ex '05, to Mr. Effingham Cock Murray, at All Angels' Church, New York City.

Born, on January 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Hodge (Hollie Haines, '96), a son, Charles Gordon Hodge, Jr.

## The Key

Mrs. Earnest Lynd, ex '95, is spending this spring in Pasadena, California.

Born, on March 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quinby (Elizabeth Purdy, ex '99), a daughter, Elizabeth Lane Quinby, Brooklyn, New York.

The engagement of Eva Rengier, ex '98, to Mr. Robert Appel of Lancaster, Pa., has been announced.

Katherine Pfeiffer, '00, is engaged in charity work in connection with the Bureau of Organized Charities in Philadelphia. Helen D. Walker has been doing the same work for the past year.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Townsend (Helen Cheairs, ex '98), February, a daughter, Helen Cheairs Townsend, Wilmington, Delaware.



## Beta Alpha

April 17, Helen M. Euston, '03, was married to Mr. Lacy H. Evans.

May 28, I. May Solly, '05, was married to Mr. William Wilson, '04, Law.



## Beta Tau

Married, June 5, 1906, Miss Faith Davis, of Mt. Vernon, and Mr. Claire Persons. Mr. Persons is a graduate of Harvard, and at present an instructor in the Mt. Vernon High School.

Mrs. Ella Rich Hodge, '02, spent three weeks at the chapter house this spring.

Miss Mary Peaselee, '02, has moved from Cooperstown to Clinton, N. Y.

Miss Mildred Griffith, '04, of Glens Falls, visited the chapter in April.



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Miss Clara MacFarlane, '05, spent Easter in Mt. Claire, New Jersey, the guest of Miss Mabel Johnson, '07.

Miss Alice Colvin, '06, has accepted a position as instructor in music in Drew Ladies' Seminary, Carmel, N. Y.



## Gamma Rho

Miss Georgianna Crane, '00, is teaching at Bradford Academy, Haverhill, Mass.

The engagement has been announced of Phylinda Gaston, '96, and Arthur Hastings, *Delta Tau Delta*, both of Meadville, Pa.

Born, to Blanche Beecher Hatch, '01, a daughter, Feb. 1, 1906.

Miss Louise Hempstead expects to spend the summer abroad.

Married, Miss Mary Colter, '98, to Richard English, *Phi Gamma Delta*, of Cincinnati, April 24th. Mr. and Mrs. English will spend the summer abroad.

Mrs. Paul Sturtevant, of Pittsburg, Mrs. Henry Barnhurst, '96, Akron, Ohio, Mrs. Louise Moore, '98, New York, and Mrs. Herman Hogg, '97, Parkersburg, attended the Colter-English wedding.

Miss Erma Rogers, '03, visited the college Saturday, May 12th.



## Lambda

Miss Charlotte Olin has returned to Akron from Randolph, Kansas, where she has been teaching. On her way she visited Mrs. John Nelson (Nona Waters) at Dewitt, Iowa.

The engagement of Miss Ethel Jefferson to Mr. Henry Rowell, of London, Ont., has been announced.

The marriage of Miss Louise Horix and Mr. Simms Brown is to take place June 2d.

## The Key

Miss Ethel Jefferson spent a few days in May with Mrs. Emily Dawson Slemmons, at Sterling, Ohio.

Miss Maude Herndon entertained the alumnae and active girls at her home on April 29th.

Mrs. Herbert S. Mallory has been appointed Dean of Women of Iowa College, Grinnell, Iowa.



### Beta Gamma

Mrs. G. Allan Brewer, of Columbus, and Mrs. John Emery, of Allegheny, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn, at Wooster, for a few days.

Mrs. Lucius Lyman, a member of the Akron Alumnae Association, visited Beta Gamma at the beginning of the term.

Helen Felger, who for the past six months has been attending Ohio State and has been affiliated with Beta Nu, has returned to Wooster, where she will graduate in June.

Mary McKinley, '06, gave her graduating recital May 22 at the chapel.

Work on the new dormitory to be erected upon the lot recently contributed to the University will begin in a few weeks. A gift of \$50,000 for a new gymnasium has also been received.

Four of the Beta Nu girls visited us this term and attended our spring party; Nell Malloy, Corille McCormick, Hortense Brown, and Maybelle Bradley.

Beta Gamma takes pleasure in announcing the following patronesses: Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Frick, Miss Hills, Mrs. Taggart, Mrs. Shupe, Mrs. Emrich, and Mrs. Boyd.



### Beta Nu

Miss Mary Bole Scott has returned to Europe.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Barringer (Margaret Kauffman), a daughter.

The engagement is announced of Miss Nelle Elizabeth Slaughter to Mr. Charles Boyle, *Alpha Delta Phi*.



Dorothy Canfield has three stories in May Munsey, and one in May Everybodys.

**Beta Delta**

Jessie M. Tippy, ex '06, graduated this May from the Far-  
rand Training School for Nurses, of Detroit, Michigan.

Beta Delta would be very glad if any of her alumnae can  
tell us anything about Lucy Clark Albertson. The latest ad-  
dress we have is Lakeville, New York, and all communications  
sent there have been returned to us.

Alice M. Boutelle, of Detroit, has been spending the win-  
ter in Florida.

Mrs. Philip Bourland (Jessica MacIntyre) has a little  
daughter, born during the month of April.

Mrs. Wm. G. Law (Margaret Layton) has returned from  
Dresden with her little daughter, Margaret, who was born  
last October, and is spending the summer with her parents  
in Bay City.

Blanche Enyart is teaching Physical Culture in the Sagi-  
naw High School.

Mildred Honecker graduates this June from Western Re-  
serve University.

**XI**

Marguerite Arnette, of Fairmont, W. Virginia, will spend  
the remainder of the college year with friends at Adrian.

The chapter is expecting a visit from Mrs. Janerie Jane  
Wilbur and Mrs. Ida Haley Lane of the Pittsburg Alumnae  
Association, May 21st.

Hattie Rowley Gladden, '03, visited her parents and friends  
at the college the later part of April.



## The Key

### Kappa

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lash (May Gurney), March 15, a boy, Charles Coyle.

Harriet Cole, 1901-2, has moved to Hillsdale.

Mrs. J. W. Mauck (Frances Ball, '82) has been spending the winter in California.

Katherine Hobson, '01-2, is visiting Harriet Cole.

Dorothy Hollister is singing with the Metropolitan Concert and Opera Company.

Mrs. Florette Bonney Kelly has moved to Reed City, Michigan.

Mrs. C. L. Newcomer (Claire Sands, '96) was in town March 9 to attend the Delta Tau Delta banquet.



### Tota

March 10, born to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stanley Wentworth (Ethel Chaffee, '01), a daughter, Ann Elizabeth.

Born, March 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Golding Chittick (Neva Pilkenton), a daughter, Mary Annette.

On March 27 Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cecil (Elizabeth Hite) moved to Bluffton, Ind.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Andreas (Laura Edith Beazell), a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Orin DeMotte Walker (Stella Hawkins, '99), a daughter, Martha.

Mrs. Jean Nelson Penfield has been elected to Sorosis of New York.

Mrs. Samuel Plantz (Myra Goodwin), of Appleton, Wisconsin, is in Indianapolis at the bedside of her father, Rev. T. A. Goodwin, who is fatally ill with paralysis.

Byrde Neff has recently lost her father. Address, No. 162 W. Eighth Street, Columbus, Ohio.

Adelaide Smith, who has been seriously ill for two months, is much improved.

Ada Frank suffered the loss of her youngest sister recently, from appendicitis.



On May 31st, in Jeffersonville, Elizabeth Burlingame will be married to Mr. Harry Bird. At home, Jeffersonville, Indiana. On account of the recent death of Mr. Bird's uncle, the wedding journey to England has been postponed until fall.

Lillian, '01, and Beryl Hart, '05, leave June 1st for Pasadena, California, for the summer.

Mrs. Guy Morrison Walker (Minnie Royse, '90) spent a week in Washington with her husband, attending the G. A. C. of *Phi Kappa Psi*. While there she saw Mrs. Claude Watts (Marie Van Riper) and Mrs. Claude Siebenthal (Myrtle Madden, '98).

Miss Ruth Pyke, '03, expects to sail in June for a three months' stay in Germany.

Miss Elizabeth Rose, who is at present Y. M. C. A. secretary at the State Normal School, Terre Haute, Indiana, will spend the summer in England.

Mrs. Dove Lloyd Preston, with her husband and little daughter, has returned from a visit of several months in Texas.

Miss Beatrice Simpson, *Pi*; Mrs. Manley and Miss Haimes, *Beta Iota*; Miss Ramm, *Delta*; Mrs. Glenwood Hawkins, *Gamma Rho*; Mrs. Marie Van Riper-Watts and Mrs. Minnie Royse-Walker, *Iota*, all attended the dance at the G. A. C. of *Phi Kappa Psi* in Washington, D. C.



### Mu

Harriet Nelle Brevoort, '95, was married in the autumn of 1905 to Mr. Bert Blessing of Columbus, Indiana. She was Mu's delegate to the Ithaca convention. Mae Brevoort, who attended the convention at Columbia, was married February 28th, at her home in Columbus, to Mr. Alexander Foster, who came to Columbus a few years ago from Ireland.

Miss Mary Deputy and Mr. Charles Richard Yoke, *Sigma Chi*, were married in January. Their home will be in Indianapolis.

Edna Wallace was married last summer to Mr. Arthur M. Cathcart, '96, a Stanford *Delta Upsilon*, who is now on the law faculty of Stanford. They live in Palo Alto.

Grace Gookin Karslake is now living in Iowa City, Iowa, Professor Karslake being in the chemistry department of the State University.

Kelsey Black, who has been in France for two years, will continue her study abroad for some time.

May Brayton Johnson, whose husband is a civil engineer in Ohio, is now living at "The Pelton," in Cleveland.

Lucile Carr, who was one semester at California State University, will spend the rest of the year in Southern California.

Anna Williams Bull and Jessie Sherwood Walker live in St. Louis.

Mrs. Cummings, formerly Carrie Howe, whose husband is connected with University of Chicago, lives in Chicago.

Georgia Galvin is now a teacher of vocal music at Wells College.

Anna Stover, '94, has been a successful leader in the establishment of a college settlement in Indianapolis. It is largely supported by Butler College. Edith Surbey, '94, a Mu Kappa, conducts a free kindergarten in the settlement house. Miss Stover and some of the Pi Beta Phi girls live there. The play that Mu gave for the benefit of the house was a success.

Miss Isabell Vinzant, after a year's travel in France, is now in Marseilles.

At the May meeting of the Alumnae Club, held with Miss Emma Johnson in Irvington, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Babe Brewer Clark; vice-president, Mrs. H. Mauzey; treasurer, Helen Davis; corresponding secretary, Miss Mattie Lacey; secretary, Mrs. Bess Campbell Towles.

Mrs. Letta Newcomb Wright is making an extended visit with her brother in Wichita, Kansas.

Miss Effie Blount of Ontario, California, will spend the summer in Indianapolis.





## Eta

Several of our alumnae—Guinivieve Mihills, '02, George Challoner, '02, Anne McGoorty, '05—have been with us for short visits.

On the 25th of April occurred the marriage of Mabel Fletcher, '00, to Mr. Fred Sheldon, of Janesville, Wisconsin.

Mrs. John M. Olin spent part of the month of April in Washington.



## Beta Lambda

Mabel West, '00, is in the Normal School library at Valley City, North Dakota.

Flora Hunter, ex '06, and Mr. Cleves H. Howell were married March 27, '06, and are now living in Juniper, Florida.

Caroline White, '04, is engaged to Mr. Roy Jeffrey, of Geneseo, Illinois.

Helen Rose, ex '08, is engaged to Mr. George Pegelow, '05, *Sigma Nu*.

Helen Stookey, '04, is engaged to Mr. Nathan Wilkinson, '02.

Anne B. Fraser, *Beta Lambda* and *Beta Eta*, visited us this spring.



## Upsilon

Sennes Oettiker's engagement to Mr. Carlton Beck, of Chicago University, is announced.

Born, May 3, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. Wickman (Mina Loew), a son.

Born, April 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Jean Brownell (Bess Bronson), a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Schley (Ruth Woolson), a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Smiley (Grace Shuman), a daughter.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Beeman (Gertrude Reed), a son.

The engagement has recently been announced of Miss Jule Sohrbeck to Mr. Lee Blackman, both of Moline, Illinois.

## The Key

### Epsilon

Mrs. Rachel Bauman Greenlee, of Denver, Colorado, has been visiting in Bloomington.

Miss Charlotte Probasco has returned home from a trip in Colorado.

Miss Gertrude Shreve, who spent the winter in California, is again at her home in Bloomington.

Miss Irene Basset and Letta Brock are planning to go abroad this summer.

The Kappa Club were delighted to have Mrs. Rachel Bauman Greenlee ('88) as a guest at one of our regular club meetings. Mrs. Greenlee is an active member of the Denver Alumnae Association.

Mrs. Henry Beardsley, wife of Kansas City's new mayor, was initiated in 1876. Her daughter is a member of Beta Lambda.

The son of Mrs. M. D. Hornbeck (Lydia Kubel, '82) is the proud possessor of one of the Cecil Rhodes scholarships. Mrs. Hornbeck is a member of the Denver Association.

Mrs. Frank Edwards (Harriet Thayer, '87), of Helena, Montana, is visiting her parents in Bloomington.

Mrs. T. Ewing (Idele Kerrick), of Decatur, was a visitor at our College Carnival in April.

Leona Gertrude Miller, '98, was married on April 24 to Mr. George Martin Kems. Mr. and Mrs. Kems will reside in Ottermua, Iowa.

Katherine Marsh Risley is now living in Hamilton, New York. Mr. Risley is one of the faculty at Colgate University.

Bessie Welch, '09, has been obliged to discontinue school on account of severe illness.



### Chi

Married, April 25, Marjorie Alice Higbee, ex '01, Wells, '02, to Mr. Reginald J. Healey.

Married, April 25, Gertrude Lillian Satterlee, ex '07, to Mr. Howard Yerxa.



Married, May 1, Harriet McDonald, '97, to Rev. Herbert Chandler Ide, of New Britain, Conn.

The engagement is announced of Avery Trask, ex '03, to Robert Barnard, *Chi Psi*.

The engagement of Mary Brownson Morgan, ex '07, to Lieutenant Clarence Lyman, U. S. A. Cavalry, is announced.

The engagement of Lila Marchand, '02, to Mr. Heuston, of Richmond, Va., is announced.

Alice Remley, *Beta Zeta*, has been in Minneapolis for the last few months, and has been often with the girls of *Chi*.

Charlotte Prentiss, *Beta Omicron*, visited us.



### Beta Zeta

Cards have been sent out for the wedding of Helen Currier, '99, who is to be married to Mr. Roy Cook, of Independence, June 6, 1906.

The marriage of Ethelino Swire, '04, to Mr. Hoyt Elbert, of Des Moines, will take place June 16, 1906.

The engagement of Gladys Whitley, '03, to Mr. Varick Crosley, of Webster City, is announced.

Kathryn May Green, '00, Sioux City, spent a few days with the active chapter.

Marion Morton, '98, Waterloo, visited Rita Stewart Wilson.



### Theta

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bird, on April 26, 1906, a girl, Caroline Page.

Miss Rogers, from Omega, visited us the first week in May.

Eight of our Alumnae will be back for Commencement this June, 1906.

Helen Montgomery has returned home from her school in Pierce City, Mo.

Mildred Lewis has returned home from her school in Breckenridge, Mo.

## Sigma

Mrs. Lew Marshall has gone to California.

Mrs. Speilman, of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Giffen.

Inez Manrid, of Oak Park, Illinois, is visiting Mrs. Verne Hedge.

Mrs. B. E. Buckmaster, of Tacoma, Washington, has returned home after having spent several weeks with her parents in Lincoln.

Born, April 23, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coates (May Jeara), of Chicago, Illinois, a boy, Edwin Albert.

Out of town alumnae who attended the twenty-third annual banquet May 19, 1906:

Mabel Stephen, Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. Sophie Meyers Davis, Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. Bess Gahan Meyers, Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. Laura Hontz Rankin, Omaha, Neb.

Bertha Shidler, York, Neb.

Mrs. Cora Cropsey McLucas, Fairbury, Neb.

Edith Shedd, Ashland, Neb.

Inez Manrid, Oak Park, Ill.

Mrs. Nell Lou Speilman, Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Dorothy Griggs Buckmasterama, Washington.

Charlotte Whedon, who has been spending the winter in California, will return in June.

Ruth Wilson, '05, visited in Lincoln, during the Easter recess.

Mary Minor, ex '08, who has been spending the year in Europe, will return to Lincoln in August.

Eva Penny, ex '09, has returned to her home in Wood River, after spending the winter in California.

Mabel Hays, '03, will spend the summer in Colorado with her cousin, Blanche Emmons.

Constance Sarbach, ex '01, was married May 27 to Mr. L. V. Wessel, of Plattsmouth.

Stella Kirker, '92, will spend the summer in Indiana.



Louise Pound has been promoted from Adjunct to Assistant Professor of English Literature in the University of Nebraska.

Nelly White Marshall, ex '92, is making a trip through Mexico with a party of Lincoln people.

Adele Lathrop, '04, ex-editor of the Key, sails for Europe June 21, returning September 20.

Anna Broady Haggard, of St. Paul, Minnesota, arrived in Lincoln, May 26, with her little daughter, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Broady.

Sigma held a reunion on the afternoon of the annual banquet at the home of Margaret Whedon. The active chapter was entertained by the alumnae with an informal and mostly impromptu program, entitled, "An Afternoon with Shakespeare and Ibsen."



### Omega

Miss Jesse Gaddis was married to Dr. Arthur Barber, of Ogden, Utah, April 8, '06.

Miss Hazel Renshaw, of Enid, Oklahoma, was married to Mr. Hade Guthrie, *Phi Kappa Psi*, April 15, '06. They will live in Bartlesville, I. T.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Edson (Eleanor Wilson), of Chicago, Illinois, April 5th, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Schall, of Lawrence, Kansas, April 12th, a son.

Miss Neva Lehman sails May 19th for a six months' tour through Europe.

Miss Chattie Hobson has been teaching this last winter at Hiram College, Ohio.

Miss Lilian Axtell is to be married the last of June to Dr. John Grove, *Beta Theta Pi*, of Newton, Kansas.

Mrs. Daisy Allison von Arville, of Paola, Kansas, sails for Germany in June to look after her estate.

## The Key

### Beta Mu

Married, Ivy E. Campbell to Mr. Herbert Dwight, *Sigma Alpha Epsilon*, December 27, 1905.

The engagement of Jeanne Coulter, '04, to Mr. Omar G. Garwood, *Sigma Alpha Epsilon*, is announced.

The engagement of Lee Brown, ex '05, to Mr. Hills is announced.



### Beta Xi

Carrie B. Gardener, ex '06, sails June 9th from Galveston for New York to study.

Besides our delegate, May Jarvis, several others of the girls are expecting to go to convention, Katherine Searey, Helen Knox and Ethel Morey.

Maie Borden is going to visit in New York and Washington this summer, sailing early in June from Galveston.

Helen Knox is going to spend the summer in Salida, Colorado.

Bennie Brown will spend the summer in Europe, returning in the fall to make her debut in Birmingham, Alabama.

Charlie Thurmond enters Vassar next term.

Amy Longcope and Katherine Ball are going to enter school next fall after teaching the last year.

Alice Davis, Louise Malloy and Lois Broyles spent commencement with us.

Helen Knox, May Jarvis, Mary De Vol, Annie Stratton, Fannie West Harris, Bennie Brown, Helen Devine and Mary McCormick took part in "As You Like It" at the annual open meeting of the Ashbel Literary Society.

Mrs. Herbert Mallory visited us from May 9 to May 13.

Miss Bernice Brown will spend the summer in Europe.

Misses Katherine Searey and Mary McCormick will attend summer school at the University of Chicago.

Maure Rother has returned from a trip to Mexico.

Mary DeVol will return to New Albany, Indiana, after spending the winter with Beta Xi.



### Pi

Mary Bell, '98, has returned to California after her long trip throughout the East.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gray Potter, '97, who has been so very ill, is gaining, and will soon be able to go to her new home in Kansas.

Born, to Mrs. Palmer (Florence Mason, '98), a daughter.

Mrs. George Berliner (Irene Hazard, ex '04) made a short visit to the chapter with her small daughter.

Mrs. Clarence Oddie (Alice Treanor, ex '05) has returned from traveling in Europe.

Myrtle Sims, '05, is visiting in Chicago and will travel later in the East.



### Beta Eta

Miss Paxson, Secretary of the Y. W. C. A., visited Stanford for a few days in March. We enjoyed knowing this charming woman, and were interested to hear from our other chapters through Miss Paxson, who has visited so many of them. We entertained all the other sororities at a tea during her visit, and Miss Paxson talked of fraternity life and Y. W. C. A. work.

Evelyn Sherrard left college on the death of her father in March.

Eulavelle Sweetland, '05, has been visiting the active chapter and was at Stanford when college closed.

Mercedes de Luna, ex '05, and Bonnye Anderson, ex '08, returned to Stanford in February to visit and stayed with us until April. Bonnye Anderson has joined her family in Denver and Mercedes de Luna has gone to New York to spend the summer.

Ethel McClellan, '01, has gone to Boston. She visited Bonnye Anderson in Denver.

Bertha Henzel, '06, expects to visit relatives in New York during the summer.

## The Key

Miriam Harris, '09, is traveling in England with her parents. She will attend convention at Madison on her way home.

Grace Watson, '08, will make her home in Palo Alto for a short time.

Hilda Broderson, '08, has returned to her home in Denison, Iowa. She will not return to Stanford.

Miss Emma Martin, '98, who returned in March from a seven months' trip abroad, sails July 5 to spend some time in London with Mrs. Hoover (Lou Henry, '97).



## Beta Pi

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Barlow, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Brownell, a daughter.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Calhoun, a daughter.

The active chapter and Alumnae Association held a joint meeting and spread during Mrs. Mallory's visit, and all enjoyed meeting her so much.

Miss Ada Starkweather, *Lambda*, has left the Seattle Y. W. C. A. to take up her work with the Portland Y. W. C. A.





## College and Fraternity Notes

Mrs. Wm. Griswold Smith

Earthquake News: Most of the exchanges received in April and May went to their printers too late to contain news of their chapters' fate in California, but the "Record" and the "Shield" managed to get the following notes which will prove interesting. The Chi Psi house was the only fraternity house totally destroyed.

From the "*Record of Sigma Alpha Epsilon*":

The damage to the house is fixed at \$2,000. Whether the chapter's insurance policy covered an earthquake clause is not known. It is said that in San Francisco the insurance companies will make little distinction between loss by fire and earthquake, but obviously this ruling would not apply to Stanford. Small damage was done to the buildings of the University of California at Berkeley, and there seems to be no reason to fear for our boys there.

From the "*Shield of Phi Kappa Psi*":

Most of the fraternities will be out considerable for repairs. We might have been if we had begun building operations on our new home as soon as we had expected to. As it was we were just about ready to lay the foundation. Since the "quake" we have given up all hope of building this year at any rate. Much of the money we had collected for that purpose we feel in duty bound to return. It is a blow for us, as we are forced to remain in Palo Alto for at least another year and perhaps longer. And every year we lose a certain amount of prestige by so doing. Every year it seems to be harder to get men, as the men do not like the idea of living off the campus, and under the existing conditions of almost ideal college life centered there one cannot blame them. We can never hope to be all that we should be at Stanford until we are located on the campus in a home of our own. Because we are in Palo Alto largely accounts for the smallness of our chapter. We have good men, strong men, and most of them are workers; but we need a larger chapter. And, as I said before, the outlook for next fall at the present writing—a month after college has

closed—does not seem particularly bright even for the average number we have maintained. This is not pessimism but the result of a careful canvass among the fellows and some knowledge of the situation. Our alumni association is powerless to lend us any aid, as most of the fellows—in fact, all that I have come in contact with—are heavy sufferers from the fire.

### Other News:

Dr. A. W. Harris, recently president of Jacob Tome Institute, Port Deposit, Md., was installed as president of Northwestern University in June.

A school of engineering is soon to be added to the University of Chicago.

Monmouth College, the site of the founding of Kappa Kappa Gamma, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary June 5th and 6th with reunions and commemorative exercises. The following items are from the *Chicago Record-Herald*:

Monmouth College, "one of those little fresh-water colleges out West," that Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote about, celebrates its semi-centennial anniversary in connection with the regular commencement exercises during the week beginning June 1. Tuesday and Wednesday, June 5 and 6, will be devoted to reunions and commemorative exercises. On Tuesday afternoon will occur the principal event, what they call a "historical session" on the program. There will be a roll call of all the graduates by classes, and every class will be represented by one or more members. Just one of the first graduating class—the class of '58—is living, and she will be there—Mrs. Margaret Townsend of Monmouth, Ill. Of the other classes quite a number of representatives will respond.

Altogether, during the fifty years of its life, there have been between 15,000 and 16,000 students at Monmouth College, and 1,236 names are on the roll of the alumni, about half of them men and the other half women, and nearly 1,000 are still living. Dr. McMichael, the president of the college, has located every living alumnus. He has found that 300 are in the ministry, forty in the foreign missionary field, 200 are teachers, including seven presidents and forty professors in other colleges; 100 lawyers and 100 physicians.

Monmouth College was one of the founders of the Intercollegiate Oratorical Association, and its students have participated in every contest since the early seventies. These have been great events in the college life in the Middle West, and have started up active rivalry among them. Senator Beveridge, Senator La Follette, William J.



Bryan and many other distinguished politicians and public men have engaged in these contests, and have made their first appearance in public as orators.

Monmouth College was born in stern and stirring times—in the midst of the anti-slavery agitation of 1856—and is just as old as the Republican party. During the Civil War, from 1861 to 1864, it sent 181 students into the Union army. The college exercises were not suspended, however; the faculty kept on doing business, but their classes were very poorly attended and the students mostly women. Forty-seven of the volunteers came back to finish their studies at the close of the war.

In 1856 it was raised to the rank of a college, and its doors were opened to women as well as men. It was one of the first, or actually the second, after Oberlin, to recognize co-education. The original faculty consisted of three men.

There are now twenty-three members of the faculty and 470 students, the largest number in the history of the college. There will be thirty-two graduates next week from the classical department and six from the conservatory of music. Sixteen States and the Dominion of Canada are represented in the catalogue.

In connection with the celebration next week the friends of the college are pushing for money for new buildings. The alumni are raising \$100,000 for a woman's dormitory to be called Wallace Hall, in memory of the late President Wallace, and a science hall in memory of the late President McMichael. Theodore P. Shonts has started the fund with a subscription of \$10,000. Mr. Carnegie has offered \$30,000 for a library on condition that an equal amount be raised for the endowment.

Δ Γ—Delta Gamma's chapter at Madison, Wisconsin, moved into a beautiful new lodge this spring. They paid \$7,500 for the original dwelling, and had it much improved. The house was secured by means of issuing stock, and duplicated Kappa Kappa Gamma's success at the same place.

Π Β Φ—Pi Beta Phi announced the re-establishment of its chapter at Iowa State College on February 24th, and the following pretty incident is recorded by one present:

"The happy crowd of new and old Pi Phis then made their way across the campus to the home of Professor Stanton, where an elaborate banquet was awaiting them. As they started out, the chimes from the campanile began to play the Pi Phi anthem, and for fifteen minutes the airs of familiar Pi Phi songs chimed forth. It was a novel and effective welcome to the new chapter; every girl felt stirred by the familiar notes ringing out in rich, mellow tones far over the college grounds."

Φ Δ Θ—"By the time this notice is printed New York Delta will be installed in her new \$45,000 chapter house. For years the fondest hope

of the Columbia Phis was that the chapter might become established in its own home and be able to obviate the necessity of looking year after year for new quarters."—*The Scroll*.

In our discussion of mooted questions, such as that of the High School fraternity, it is well to know the facts. The following statistics are interesting and reliable, and for them we are indebted to the *Phi Gamma Delta*.

In his recent bulletin, Superintendent Cotton urges that the secret society and fraternity should not be tolerated in the high school. Though of comparatively recent origin, the growth of high school fraternities has been surprising, and educators are much concerned as to what the results may be.

The movement began suddenly and with apparent spontaneity about 1898, when no less than a dozen societies appeared as national high school fraternities. Gamma Delta Xi, which was founded in 1879, and Mu Delta Xi, which dates from 1885, were practically the only high school fraternities before that time, and these were found only in a few Eastern cities. But in the last eight years the expansion has been greater proportionately than that of college fraternities in the last half-century. Phi Sigma, 1898, has twelve chapters; Beta Phi Sigma, 1898, has twelve; Beta Phi, 1900, has fourteen or fifteen, and Kappa Alpha Phi, 1898, confined chiefly to Indiana, has fourteen chapters.—*Indianapolis News*.

"The Associated Press dispatches of the last month relate that the Society of American Women in London are working on a plan to give American college women similar opportunities for studying at English universities as are afforded American college men by the Rhodes scholarships. The principal object of the promoters is, like Mr. Rhodes', social and political rather than educational.

"Everyone will admit that the plan is a good one if it is practical. To raise \$10,000,000 is not an impossible, but usually a very difficult task. American college women will watch, with great interest, the outcome of the movement. Even if it fails, it should result in some good by calling attention to the need of more foreign fellowships for American girls who have proved their ability in American colleges."—*The Anchora, in the Crescent*.





## Conventions

Π Β Φ—The nineteenth biennial convention of Pi Beta Phi fraternity was held in Indianapolis, June 26 to 30.

Χ Ω—Chi Omega convened at Washington, D. C., June 27-30.

Δ Δ Δ—Tri Deltas held their convention at Syracuse, June 25-29.

Β Θ Π—Beta Theta Pi will meet at Denver, July 23-26.

Φ Γ Δ—Phi Gamma Delta will hold its fifty-eighth Ekklesia at Fortress Monroe, July 25-27.

Φ Κ Ψ—Phi Kappa Psi met in convention at Washington, April 18-20. About 500 members were present, including an unusually large proportion of undergraduates. The petition from Case received favorable consideration, and shortly after convention a note in its favor was secured. The new chapter was installed June 2nd. Action on petitions from Williams and Geo. Washington Union were postponed.

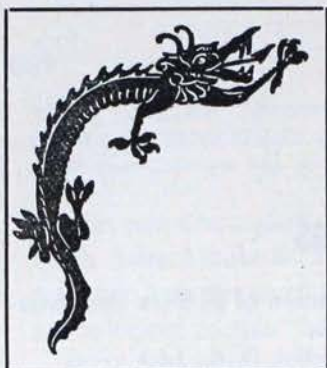
This convention was characterized by unique excitement, for it was being held just as the news of the earthquake came from the coast. Much anxiety was felt by the California and Stanford delegates, and telegrams of sympathy were sent to these chapters. The truly-sad condition at the Palo Alto chapter is related elsewhere.

Phi Kappa Psi holds its next convention at Denver. Chicago wanted it too, and "a most interesting discussion followed. Brother John W. Springer took the floor and aroused enthusiasm in his plea for Denver and its loyal and enthusiastic Phi Psi contingent. He stated that he understood that it would cost the Fraternity \$1,500 more to go to Denver than to Chicago, and he pledged the Denver Alumni to contribute half of this amount to the general treasury. Brother Geo. W. Dun, of Columbus, Ohio, thereupon offered to pay the other half, and the acceptance of the Denver invitation went through with a whoop."

Σ Α Ε—Sigma Alpha Epsilon will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its founding next Christmas, at Atlanta, Ga.

Δ Γ—Delta Gamma's Grand Council meets in June, and will discuss problems of Inter-Sorority interest very fully.





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