The background of the entire page is a blue-toned photograph. It depicts a wide body of water, likely a lake or a large river, with a dark, silhouetted forested shoreline in the distance. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds, and the overall color palette is dominated by various shades of blue and white.

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# What to Do When

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(Chapter officers, alumnae advisers, and province officers.—These dates are for chapters in schools opening in the fall on the regular schedule. FOR ALL OTHERS, if it is impossible to comply with dates listed below, please notify the proper person regarding date upon which report may be expected.)

Forms for all reports requested in the calendar are supplied by the central office. If forms are not received two weeks before deadline, notify central office. Follow instructions to the letter and mail before closing date if possible.

## OCTOBER

- 1—Pledge Captain places pledge program in mail to national chairman of pledge training, also sends order for hand books to central office.
- 1—Standards chairman places standards program in mail to national chairman of standards.
- 1—Membership chairman sends report to director of membership and Panhellenic and province president.
- 1—(On or before) Treasurer—Two weeks after the opening of the fall term, send revised copy of budget to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping. Upon receipt of her suggestions, mail three copies of corrected budget to her.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping and sends chapter's subscription (\$2.00) for *Banta's Greek Exchange* to the central office. Check made payable to the Fraternity.
- 13—Founders' Day.
- 15—Key correspondent places semi-annual chapter news letter for December Key in mail to editor, and pictures of Phi Beta Kappas, Mortar Boards or election to equivalent honoraries during past school year.
- 15—Corresponding secretary sends revised list of chapter officers to central office, also copies of current rushing rules to the director of membership and Panhellenic, National Panhellenic delegate and province president.
- 30—Registrar sends one copy to the central office of names and school addresses of all active members and one copy to province president; also names and home addresses of new pledges to the central office, and province president. Place order for year's supplies with the central office.

## NOVEMBER

- 1—Treasurer mails check for pledge fees to central office for all fall pledges.
- 1—Music chairman sends copies of original chapter songs to national chairman of music.
- 7—Treasurer of house corporation sends annual financial report, names and addresses of house board members to central office and chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.

- 30—Treasurer sends to central office per capita tax report and per capita tax for each member active at any time during the first half year, as well as per capita tax for associate members, also check for bonds of treasurer, house and commissary manager.

## DECEMBER

- 1—Scholarship chairman sends to central office, national scholarship chairman and province president a report of the scholastic ratings for the previous year.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.

## JANUARY

- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—Treasurer places budget comparison report for all departments covering first school term in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping together with report on budget revisions for new term.

## FEBRUARY

- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—Registrar sends to central office one copy of the names and school addresses of active members for second semester and one copy to province president; and names and home addresses of any girls pledged since October report to the central office, province president, and director of membership and Panhellenic.
- 15—Annual election and installation of officers held between February 15 and March 15.
- 15—Registrar sends to central office annual catalog report.
- 15—Key correspondent places semi-annual chapter news letter for April Key in mail to editor.
- 28—Elect or appoint membership chairman and alumna adviser for the next school year, information to be published in April Key. ACT PROMPTLY.
- 28—Corresponding Secretary sends name of membership chairman with college and summer address as well as name and address of alumna adviser to central office.

**ON THE 15TH OF THE MONTH FOLLOWING EACH SEMESTER OR TERM a report on budget revisions together with budget comparison figures is sent by the treasurer to the chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping. FEES FOR INITIATION are due one week after initiation, FOR PLEDGING one month after pledging. ALL FEES ARE SENT TO CENTRAL OFFICE.**



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# Holiday Greetings

## from Kappa Kappa Gamma's Service Women's Centers



Photo by Eleanor Taylor Moore (Mrs. W. H.), B A-Illinois (Little Miss "Junior WAVE" is Mrs. Moore's young cousin.)

**A**NOTHER wartime Christmas finds service women with the armed forces enjoying the hospitality of the Service Women's Centers sponsored from coast to coast by Kappa Kappa Gamma. With "Junior WAVE" Vicki Rae Steiner to symbolize the bright hopes of a new year, here are Peggy Secor, SPAR; Sergeant Beta Cox, Marine Corps Women's Reserve; Phyllis Dockeray, WAVE, and Sergeant Wilma Huler, WAC. In turn, the fraternity is grateful for the opportunity to express its appreciation to the women aiding our country in the uniforms of the service branches.



# THE EDITOR *Reflects*

UPON A PARAGRAPH in the September 25 issue of *Life*, in the article, "When You Come Back," explaining "what is being done at home for the returning servicemen."

One sub-head was "What plans have the schools for veterans?"

This section included the statement that some schools and colleges were not making any changes in curriculum because they believe it will be easier for the serviceman to fit himself into the college routine.

But in some cases, the article stated, the "insistence on regular routine has already brought trouble. At the University of Southern California, for instance, discharged veterans back at college are having a hard time adjusting themselves to school life. *They resent fraternities which they consider childish.* They object to having to take such courses as Hygiene and Health, Behavior of Modern Society, and Principles of Learning. They think the University should be more aware of their own special requirements."

There flies a storm warning. (*Our italics*)

The young men who have won in history's greatest gamble with death, and have returned visibly unharmed to complete their education, have had a gulf put between them and their classmates who have not known life in army camp or battle area. The existence of this gulf will be a postwar hazard not only for schools, but for families and all former associates of servicemen and service women to overcome.

Since those with the armed forces have risked their lives for their country and for us at home, it is our obligation to acknowledge our debt by making every effort at adjustment. We must have patience and understanding.

But it would seem that, in fairness, we also should have the right to stand by fraternities, in which we believe. The coming years may challenge fraternities as they have not been challenged before in the blanket attacks which have been made against them.

The time has come for the entire Greek-letter system to put aside the last vestiges of behavior and attitude which might conceivably be called

childish. These men and women who have and will come back to the campuses from war have long since put away childish things. They could not have remained in any essential childish and endure in the life they have had to lead.

So it is our obligation to grow along with them, to match their maturity with even more emphasis upon the dignity and worth of the fundamentals upon which the Greek-letter system is based; not only the ideals, but the great contributions to scholastic incentive and aid, the training in good group living and in leadership, the philanthropic services. Why else do so many hundreds of mature men and women, older not only in years but in experience and wisdom, continue to devote—and we mean devote—their time and thought to the councils of these Greek-letter organizations? These older men and women will now be wise in the examination of our structure for possible weakness, that the fraternity may steadfastly remain a contributing member to a changing world.

The very ideal of brotherhood, which is to say fraternity, is ingrained in the American way of life. Where, if not from contractions of "Brother," did we get "Buddy," and the friendly salutation to the stranger, "Hi, Bud?" No other people on earth is more ready to smile at or greet the absolute stranger, even in passing, than is the American representative of his young nation. Consistently we baffle older and more devious cultures by our unselfconscious cheerfulness, curiosity, innocence and even gullibility. But we get along all right; and retain our inherent sense of brotherhood.

Therefore, it would indeed be unfortunate if the world were to lose the North American college fraternity system, *consciously* founded upon and dedicated to that ideal of brotherhood. The Greek-letter system is far more than the aggregation of "social" clubs it has been cataloged for too long by too many. It has been young as the country in which it has developed, as nothing comparable has developed among college students in any other country on earth. But it has vitality and judgment and faith in itself, purpose, and an awareness which will find its responsible and recognized place in the postwar world.



UPON PLEDGE TRAINING, which merits attention always, but even more appropriately at this time when many chapters have just acquired that new "pick of the campus" and similar hyperbole the editor has long been obliged to expunge from enthusiastic chapter letters.

What prompts this comment is a coincidence. Two articles have been contributed to this issue of THE KEY. They are the independent thinking of Lucile James Shepard (Mrs. Warren O.), B T-Syracuse, fraternity chairman of pledge training; and of Martha Galleher Cox (Mrs. L. E.), P<sup>A</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, field secretary.

Both make the point, essentially, that the happy task of bringing up the pledge in the way she should go, of opening before her mind the stimulating vista of membership in Kappa Kappa Gamma, should not be turned over to the chapter pledge trainer and forgotten. (We may at this point be speaking out of turn, but that term "pledge trainer" always gives us, personally, the whims. We know that pledge training in our era of enlightened thinking is a friendly, persuasive procedure. It's just that we *can't* help getting a mental picture of a gal going into a cage holding a chair protectively in front of her face with one hand and grasping a long, disciplinary whip in the other hand.)

Our mental pictures to the contrary notwithstanding, the point in these two articles is well taken. The newest members of Kappa Kappa Gamma will be what *we* make them. Some of us, alumnae not in constant contact with chapters, will necessarily exert influence only by remote control, by a fleeting impression, by what pledges may be told of our contributions to the fraternity.

There has never been any disposition toward the establishment of a "Kappa type," beyond the desire to imprint those intangibles, the ideals in which we all believe. We all want the fraternity membership to be composed of individuals, with personalities schooled in working together toward creative harmony, in and beyond college. That is the realization which should come to the pledges of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Any and

all of us should help bring it to them.

Meanwhile, there is a primary responsibility in relation to pledges which rests upon the undergraduates who choose them to be the future members of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Edith Reese Crabtree (Mrs. E. Granville), B F-Wooster, director of chapter programs, in a recent council communication put this in a pertinent question:

**How often do the actives stop to think that they are selecting members for the fraternity, not just for the chapter?**

UPON THE FUTURE of women in the postwar world, a subject by no means new to our thinking.

This time it was brought to mind by some sentences in *When Johnny Comes Marching Home*, a Houghton Mifflin Life-in-America prize book, written by Dixon Wecter, husband of Elisabeth Farrar Wecter, B M-Colo- rado. The book is about the American soldier as he returns from the three major wars in which the United States has been engaged.

In the chapter, "The Girl I Left Behind Me," Mr. Wecter has considered the postwar woman of 1865. There is a reference to Dr. Mary Walker, former Union army surgeon, who was arrested in New York for wearing trousers on the street, only to be dismissed by a magistrate who was convinced that she was "smart enough to take care of herself." Of course Dr. Walker should see how slacks are taken in stride these days.

Of her arrest and dismissal, Mr. Wecter continues, ". . . Crystallized in an incident, this was the spirit of new independence bred in part by the war. The professional woman, the intellectual feminist, was about to demand more firmly her economic, political, and social rights. (A woman like Mrs. Mary A. Livermore would pass from organizing the Sanitary Commission into the post-war suffragette movement.) Here and there new doors were swinging open. Iowa, for instance, by the end of 1867 had three women editors of small-town newspapers."

Perhaps those women were war widows, who simply took over their husbands'

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EDITOR'S NOTE: Months before Pearl Harbor an Englishman, Norman Hidden, came to Adrian college as an exchange professor from Oxford, bringing his wife, Mrs. Hidden, enrolled at Adrian as a senior, was pledged and initiated by Xi chapter. Proficient in Spanish, German and French, with a charming personality, Mrs. Hidden was much in demand as a public speaker in the community.

At that time Mrs. Hidden wrote an article which was sent to *THE KEY* early in 1942. For a variety of reasons, including the abundance and the character of pre- and post-convention material in the April and October *KEYS* of that year, the article was not then published. War news was also pretty grim for the Allies two years ago, it should be remembered.

For the past year Mrs. Hidden and her husband have been in England, where she is now welfare manager of a British factory, as this article from her in England, in reply to a request from *The Key* editor, tells.

The editor is glad that the earlier article was not printed two years ago. For Trude Hidden's story can now be presented in two-part form, the more dramatic for its contrasts, the more satisfactory for its "happy ending," at least in the comparative happiness of wartime, with the bright possibilities of victory ahead.

Of the foreign students who have become members of Kappa Kappa Gamma, none has a story which more completely epitomizes the whole world's present experience of aggression and struggle. Nor does any other express more deeply what the ideals and friendships of Kappa mean to one who has been buffeted by the storms of history.

"Do you know that our nicest memories of American college life center on K K Γ?" wrote Trude Hidden, with the article from England.

"I get quite lonesome for all that at times, especially when I have been reading *THE KEY*."

## The Present . . .

# DOES HER BIT IN BRITISH "SHADOW" FACTORY

By Trude Gerson Hidden (Mrs. Norman), Ξ-Adrian

WHEN the United States was attacked by Japan at Pearl Harbor, my husband and I, like hundreds of thousands of others, both took war jobs and I eventually was appointed personnel director in an arms factory, one of the first firms in the country to employ a woman to "hire and fire" employees of either sex.

Shortly after, the British government asked all British subjects living in the States to consider whether they could do equally useful work by returning to England in view of the serious manpower shortage there. So we volunteered to return to England and, after months of waiting, we suddenly received a telegram to report for sailing within 48 hours.

I can't tell any details about our sailing because that still falls within the category

of military secrets. But I think I may be allowed to reveal that our convoy was one of the largest ever assembled and was *very* international in character, including ships of almost all the United Nations, even one of Icelandic registration! Our crew and "passenger list," too, were a very cosmopolitan crowd. We had a Norwegian skipper and crew, a Danish chief engineer, Swedish first officer and British gunners. There were six passengers—an American girl married to a British sailor, an Englishwoman resident in Mexico, a Mexican boy who had volunteered for the RAF, a naturalized Californian born in England, my husband and myself!

Our crossing was uneventful (just *one* attack by U-boats) and the only other incident of note was when we were passed by



the battleship which brought Mr. Churchill back, as was widely reported in the press at the time, from one of his conferences with Mr. Roosevelt—the very one, I believe, at which the “Second Front” was planned.

It was very strange and very exciting to arrive home. But how things had changed!



“\* \* **WHEREVER** there are Kappas there will be friends” for Trude Gerson Hidden (Mrs. Norman), *Ξ-Adrian*.

I believe the Americans had had a lot to do with many of the changes. For there were Americans everywhere. So many phrases and expressions which we had picked up in the States as new to us when we first went over we now found to be current and quite accepted in England. Four or five years ago they were never heard! Baseball too—or rather softball—is catching on like wildfire and is quite seriously beginning to threaten cricket as the national summer game.

The children have “fallen for” the Yanks in a big way—and also for their chewing gum (Suppose it’s their lack of sweets—just under 3 oz. per person per week). Whenever the kids see an American the watchword is “Any gum, chum?”; and I must say I have never known a Yank refuse this request. Under the same influences, the girls over here seem especially to be becoming Americanized, though my husband

claims they don’t yet by any means have the Kappa girl’s “glamour.” But much of that is perhaps due to the difficulties and in some cases impossibility of proper care of one’s appearance. Clothing rationing is the hardest, 48 coupons only in a year, just enough to buy, say, four pairs of hose, a suit, a blouse and a set of undies. No wonder wives whose husbands are in the forces are taking out their husbands’ “civvy” suits and turning them into some very smart costumes. A friend of mine has made a simply marvelous costume out of her husband’s tuxedo. What *he* will say when he finds his tux missing, I don’t know! Then, of course all cosmetics are terribly difficult to obtain; and lipstick—oh, dear, what a search and a fight it is to obtain almost any kind at all.

But I expect you have heard all of these things before and probably by now are suffering under similar shortages yourselves. I really feel I am very lucky, having missed the four years of the worst shortage and having been able to bring back the most essential clothing items so recently.

The war has made England very drab-looking. Houses, for instance, haven’t been painted for years and buildings all look very dilapidated even where they have escaped the effects of the blitz and, more recently, of the flying bomb.

**The latter, with its indiscriminate destruction, has brought Americans and British yet closer in sympathy and understanding wherever they have fallen. Because both have together been victims and rescuers. And, of course, everyone here is full of praise for what the Yanks are doing over in France.**

Lots of the boys here are very homesick at heart, though they don’t show it, of course; and are dying to get back to their homes and to their wives and sweethearts, among whom there must be many Kappas! We only hope that they will come back some day and visit us when their stay can be more pleasant and we can entertain them with a more abundant hospitality than we are able to in times of war. But in spite of everything I think there will be a great bond between us for many long years to come. Never before have our peoples mixed so freely and so easily. Everyone here recog-



nizes the tremendously important part which America will play in the postwar world and we are trying to adapt ourselves to this fact so that we can work along with her and carry our fair share of the burden.

But here I am plunging into politics almost—and that, by the way, is my husband's new sphere; for while still serving with the Royal Artillery, he was recently adopted as Parliamentary candidate for the Harwich (Essex) constituency at the next election.

**W**HILST he has been serving in the Army I have been no less busy in war work and my U.S. experience has stood me in good stead. I found employers here very much interested in the position I had held in the States. They are full of admiration for American technical methods in production and “pump” me about my experience in American industry for all they are worth. I was lucky enough to be selected by the Ministry of Labour for a course in personnel and welfare work at the University of Birmingham at the government's expense. After completing this I secured my present position as welfare manager in a large air-

plane factory. As it is a “hush-hush” or “shadow” factory, I can't tell you anything more about it, except to say that it is all very exciting and brings me into contact with literally thousands of workpeople.

Everyone here is working terribly hard and under a terrific continuous strain, and of course most people are very tired by now after five long years of war. But they have never faltered and now it is a wonderful thing at last to taste the fruits of victory as a result of our joint efforts, here, in the States and in all the United Nations. Like you, we are looking forward to the end now and, like you, we shall then turn our attention to the Nipponese. Believe me, there is no fear of the British forgetting *them* when the European show is over. Americans sometimes think so, but that is because the English are a singularly slow, deliberate and stubborn people who are used to doing only one thing at a time. They are slow starters, but they last the course!

I do so hope that you will write and give me more news of Kappa doings. If at all possible I should love to get in touch with any Kappas whom you may know to be over here.

## The Past . . .

### FLED, FRIENDLESS, FROM NAZI TERROR

**I** LEFT Germany in 1933, the day after the funeral of Justizrat X., a prominent liberal and anti-Nazi, and my father's best friend. Justizrat X.'s funeral will always live in my memory, both as my last day in Germany and as the climax to the Nazi terror which resulted in my father's decision to send me into neighboring, democratic Holland.

The murdered man, for murdered he was by Nazi Storm Troopers, had been guilty of no other crime than his outspoken defense of the city's socialistic poor. He was neither a Jew nor a Communist. Two young Nazis entered his house and shot him. The same young Nazis were present at the funeral, with others in uniform, who

grimly watched the proceedings and noted what was said in the funeral speech and who were there to mourn.

That my father was right in his decision to send me away from a country where justice and law, not to speak of common decency, were pushed ruthlessly aside was proved when I heard later that the District Oberlandesgerichtspräsident (President of the Court of Appeals), who delivered the funeral oration, was dismissed from his post; and the Chief of Police, who (although powerless to act) had shown his sympathy by attending and even bearing the pall, had himself been arrested a few weeks later and shot “while attempting to escape.”

For me, a girl, it was easy to leave Ger-



many. From the time I entered cosy and friendly little Holland, I planned to get my parents out, too. For them it was not so easy to leave.

**I**N HOLLAND I did not know the language, and I had no friends. My parents were not allowed to send currency out of Germany to me, but it was possible for me to earn my own living. I washed dishes and scrubbed floors; to one family I acted as nursemaid to their baby boy; and finally I ended up as a "farm-girl," binding the cut hay, threshing wheat, milking cows, most of which operations were done by hand! I loved Holland, picturesque Amsterdam with its wonderful art galleries, the jolly fat Dutchmen, the plump and laughing Dutch girls, the long barren flats of the reclaimed Zuider Zee, the tulip fields of Haarlem, and the feeling of happiness, contentment and freedom among those home-loving people.

Then I got a chance to go to college in London, and once again my whole life changed. I went to England as a German on a visitor's visa and had to report to the police every six months.

**But I ended up a British subject by marriage, for according to English law, wives take their husband's nationality. On our honeymoon we sailed far out on the North Sea, as the English call it, (the German Ocean as I was taught in school!) and I dropped my German passport over the side of the boat and watched it sink in the grey waters of the sea that divides England and Germany, without regret.**

Oddly enough, I had met my husband not in England but in France, as we were returning from Paris. For a short time we lived quietly in England, and it seemed that that would be my home. My brother had attended high school there and when he was 21 became a naturalized citizen. Today he is in the British Army and was among the men rescued at the evacuation of Dunkirk.

But my greatest joy was when my parents were able to come to visit us in England, and to come to stay! I thought surely my travels were ended. But fate, or rather my husband, decided otherwise. We came to the United States fully intending to stay just for a year.

As my odyssey seems to have come to an end at last, I find myself enrolled in a new fellowship, in that warm and friendly sisterhood of Kappa Kappa Gamma. And I know that whatever the future holds I shall never again be friendless and among strangers, but that wherever there are Kappas there will be friends.

**I value that fellowship because it is a typical American product, warm and generous, such as can be given only by inhabitants of "the land of the free and the home of the brave." Such a fellowship is inconceivable in the totalitarian countries.**

So today I feel that I have progressed to ever wider freedom, and I can imagine nothing in the world more free, more gay, or more joyous than the fraternity of Kappa Kappa Gamma.



### Suggestions for Aiding Nora Waln Fund

**A**LL LAST YEAR kitchen grease in Sigma's chapter house at the University of Nebraska was saved and sold. More than \$18 thus accumulated was sent to Rheva Ott Shryock (Mrs. R. H.), Nora Waln fund chairman. Jacksonville alumnae sold Sponge soap, obtaining \$14.40 for the fund.

"It lifts the heart to know how helpful your fraternity fund has been during those devastating days when the robot bomb was at its worst," Edward Weeks, Nora Waln's American publisher and editor of *The Atlantic Monthly*, wrote to Mrs. Shryock recently.



## Foreign Exchange . . .

# FELLOWSHIP AWARDED CHINESE-AMERICAN GIRL

By Pearl Dinan, Γ T-North Dakota, Assistant to K K Γ Fellowship Chairman and a Regional Fellowship Chairman, AAUW

I AM HAPPY to make my initial bow to the fraternity as assistant to Mrs. Lilljeberg, fellowship chairman, my commission to be foreign exchange fellowships, by introducing Juliet M. Leong, our promising young Chinese-American graduate student at the University of Iowa.

complete an internship as a hospital dietitian, but also to meet the requirements for a master's degree in the field of dietetics.

After two years at the University of Hawaii in Honolulu, Juliet Leong came to the United States in September, 1942, to accept in her junior year an undergraduate scholarship at Kansas State college. She was graduated last May with a bachelor of science degree in home economics, with a major in the field of institutional management and dietetics. That she did a high grade of work scholastically at Kansas State is evidenced by her election to Phi Kappa Phi. That she was prominent in extracurricular activities and was a representative student at Kansas State is evidenced by her election to Mortar Board.

Juliet, now 21 years old, was born in Honolulu of Chinese parents who had a great belief in higher education. She is herself the fifth member of her family to have a college education.

Her intentions were to get her bachelor's degree at the University of Hawaii and then come to the United States for graduate work. Her plans were changed by the attack on Pearl Harbor, for the university was immediately closed. When it was opened two months later there was a great decrease in both faculty and students, and the offerings in dietetics and nutrition were inadequate. For these reasons Juliet's parents encouraged her to go to the United States to finish her college training.

She had heard and read about Kansas State college. She decided to write the college and at the same time apply for boat reservations to San Francisco. After waiting six months for passage she and her younger sister, together with a large group of other students, finally sailed for the United States. They arrived in San Francisco in Septem-



**JULIET M. LEONG, Kappa Kappa Gamma fellowship award winner, from Honolulu, has coveted post as student dietitian at the University of Iowa.**

Juliet was the recipient last spring of a graduate fellowship appointment in dietetics at the University of Iowa, and the Kappa committee on fellowships for foreign students adjusted its procedure in awarding fellowships for foreign study so that Juliet could be given a \$300 award to be used in the United States. The appointment as a student dietitian at the University of Iowa is considered a prize student apprenticeship. It affords an opportunity not only to



ber, 1942, and Juliet left immediately for Manhattan, Kansas, her sister remaining in San Francisco to attend the University of California.

At Kansas State college Juliet spent her two years living in one of the home management houses. Fellow students say she became one of the best "boosters" Kansas State has ever had. She made a real contribution at Kansas State, where she was admired and respected for her friendly and cheerful disposition and for her fine attitudes and high standards.

Dr. Justin, dean of home economics at Kansas State, says of Miss Leong, "Her enthusiasm and loyalty to American ideals and traditions would do credit to any American, regardless of descent." Dr. Justin further says, "She has a questioning, scientific turn of mind that promises well for her future career. She is enthusiastic, intelligent, capable of sustained endeavor, healthy and wholesome. She comes from a professional family and has clear cut concepts of professional responsibility and the necessity for professional attitudes."

Juliet's mother became ill in September, 1943, and when it became apparent that it was to be a long illness, the cost of graduate work in the United States seemed to be more than the family budget could stand. Through the dean of women's office Juliet learned of the foreign fellowships offered by Kappa Kappa Gamma. She applied immediately for a fellowship and for the prize appointment at the University of Iowa. She received both awards almost simultaneously, and June 9, 1944, enrolled at the University of Iowa. She plans to complete her work in June, 1945, and return to Hawaii to do work in nutrition and dietet-

ics. She says there is great need for such work amongst her people.

**J**ULIET has pursued her studies in the United States against great odds. Her mother was ill for 14 months and passed away, June 27, 1944. Her first impulse was to return to Hawaii to be with her family and work amongst her own people, returning to the mainland after the war to take up her graduate work again. But she has decided to remain at Iowa, since she can then be of so much greater service to the people of Hawaii.

In acknowledging the fellowship award she wrote, "Words cannot express my gratitude to you and to Kappa Kappa Gamma for helping me to continue my schooling. I promise to uphold the obligation I set forth in my letter of application. I hope some day I can help others as you have helped me. Thank you again for your thoughtful consideration."

Kappas everywhere may feel confident that Juliet Leong will serve her people well and be a credit to herself, her family and all who have been interested in her. It is our loss that we cannot all have the opportunity to know her.

Kappas who may have been Danforth scholars in the summer of 1943 will remember Juliet, for she spent two weeks that summer first in St. Louis and then at Camp Miniwoca in Michigan as the Danforth scholar from the University of Hawaii.

Her present address is University Hospital, State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.



### Fraternity Withdraws Chapter at Goucher

**I**T IS WITH deepest regret that the council announces the withdrawal of Delta Theta chapter at Goucher college.

This campus has been now partly moved to its future home in Towson, Maryland, a suburb of Baltimore. In the new plan for this college no provision was made by the administration for fraternity group activities, which added the final note to an unsatisfactory relationship existing over a period of years between the administration and the fraternity chapters.

This decision to withdraw was approved by the chapter and Baltimore alumnae association before any steps were taken.

The council has the greatest admiration and respect for the members of Delta Theta who made up the chapter at the time of the withdrawal and who unselfishly agreed that it was best for Kappa to take this action of its own accord while we had a standing on this campus of which we could only be proud.



# Women Bank Officers . . .

## THEIR FINANCIAL LEADERSHIP INCREASES

By Helen Knox, B E-Texas, Manager, Women's Department, Chase National Bank of the City of New York, Grand Central Branch, and President, Association of Bank Women

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Association of Bank Women, of which Helen Knox was elected president last September, was founded in New York in 1921, "shortly after women had been admitted to the banks." There were only five members of the association in 1921. To any Kappas who may be bank executives, but may not yet have joined the association, Miss Knox's article will make clear "the need for every woman bank officer to join her professional organization."

For Miss Knox there is a Kappa association in her affiliation with the famous Chase National Bank, since some years ago its president was the late A. Barton Hepburn, husband of Emily Eaton Hepburn, B B-St. Lawrence.

AT THE 22nd annual meeting of the Association of Bank Women in Chicago the latter part of September, it was announced that more than 4,600 women have official titles in the banks of this country and its possessions.

This disclosure results from a survey of the executive banking positions held by women, conducted by the membership committee of the association in conference with the eight regional districts of the national organization. The respective regions were shown to contain the following number of women bank officers:

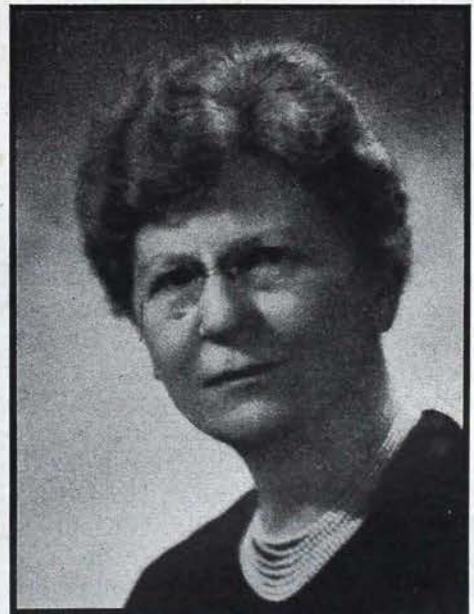
New England	231
Middle Atlantic	577
Lake	1105
Southern	819
Southwestern	551
Mid-West	979
Northwestern	153
Western	190

Some of the positions held by these women bank officers included:

- 9 Part owners of banks
- 19 Chairmen of the board
- 10 Directors
- 105 Presidents
- 297 Vice-presidents and assistant vice-presidents
- 3542 Cashiers and assistant cashiers
- 118 Treasurers and assistant treasurers

256 Secretaries and assistant secretaries  
139 Trust officers and assistant trust officers,

as well as auditors, comptrollers and assistant comptrollers, escrow officers, managers and assistant managers.



David Berns, New York

HELEN KNOX, B E-Texas, Manager, Women's Department, Chase National Bank, Grand Central Branch, and President of the Association of Bank Women.



In addition, women in banks hold a large percentage of other executive positions such as: Managers of departments, personnel directors, statisticians, service directors, etc. In many banks, departments formerly staffed completely by men now employ nearly all women. An example of this is the bookkeeping department where, until a few years ago, the operators were mostly men.

Conducted to determine the scope of the employment trends of women officers in banking, the survey shows an increase of about 2,000 women, or 40%, in executive posts in banks since 1942. These figures form an interesting contrast with the records of 1921 when the Association of Bank Women was formed. At that time only a handful of women were officers in banks and a small percentage of the personnel were women. Today fully 60% of the personnel of some of the larger banks—executive, clerical and otherwise—are women.

**There are many indications that the postwar period will continue opportunities for women in this one-time entirely male field, for women in banking have shared the general economic advance of men in the past 22 years.**

Such a conclusion, however, would not hinder the plans of the banks generally to re-instate returning servicemen in their positions. Many men trained in new and technical skills and with viewpoints changed by war will not choose to go back into banking. At the same time those who do will find ample opportunities. The time absorbed by demobilization will provide the banks with a period for necessary orderly and planned re-instatement, and at the same time maintain permanent employment for those women who have proved their capabilities and value and who may wish to continue in the profession. This will be true of married women, also, who need to help the family readjust itself financially after their husbands return from war.

In order to make themselves more valuable to the banking profession, many women have been taking advantage of supplementary education through special and standard certificate courses offered by the American Institute of Banking. These courses were opened to women as early as

1917 and full membership in the institute was granted to women in 1920. It has been reported that their membership this year reached 23,495 or 48% of the total national membership. The number of women enrolled in classes has increased continuously, also. According to recently published reports the enrollment of women at the New York chapter of the institute in 1944 was 801 or 55.89% of the total number of students, and out of a total of 22,600 enrollments in institute courses throughout the nation this year, 15,452 or 68% represented women. These wider opportunities for training on the part of the banking world are being grasped by women who are interested in preparing for higher places, which is also evidenced by the fact, for example, that in 1935 only four women graduated from the standard certificate course at the New York chapter of the institute, which is only one of the 235 units of the institute; whereas in the period from 1940-1944 there were 22 graduates. As an encouragement to women students of the institute, the Association of Bank Women each year gives an award of \$100, known as the Jean Arnot Reid award, to a woman graduate of the American Institute of Banking "selected as best fitted through the integrity of her character and efficiency of her work to represent women in banking."

**T**ODAY college women, whether at the head of households, in business, or the professions, are keenly aware of the necessity to streamline their efforts to meet the conditions of a rapidly changing world. Women bank officers in particular are facing a public which is asking concrete answers to their new financial problems, answers it can comprehend.

More people have funds to handle today than ever in our history. Men and women in the Allied armed forces; wives with infant children, whose husbands are overseas; grandmothers who have suddenly become "head of the family"; older men, retired for years, now active once more, all have banking problems.

The members of the Association of Bank Women (a national organization of women



bank officers) have had to assist in solving these perplexing financial and economic needs. They have had to assume responsibilities often "over and beyond the call of duty," thereby performing an outstanding patriotic service to their country at war, as well as meeting the added requirements of their bank jobs during these days of emergency operations.

The training the Association of Bank Women members have received over the years through the association has been a definite factor in enabling them to accept the larger responsibilities of this period of emergency measures. The lectures by specialists in their fields; committee work where keen minds have met and wrestled with complicated problems, the stimulating companionship with women who have reached positions of executive responsi-

bility, these are the assets accruing to members of the association.

Women bank officers are ready to accept responsibility as trained financial leaders toward establishing a sound economic viewpoint in the world of tomorrow. Consult them in your community. Join with them in solving the problems of these exacting times in which we live. This intelligent collaboration of public-spirited college women with trained women bank officers will carry us at a quicker pace into the future of the better world we hope to build.



NOTE: A copy of the survey of *Women in Banking*, made by the Association of Bank Women, may be obtained by application to Miss Catherine S. Pepper, Chairman of the Research Committee, Association of Bank Women, c/o National City Bank, 55 Wall Street, New York 5, N.Y.



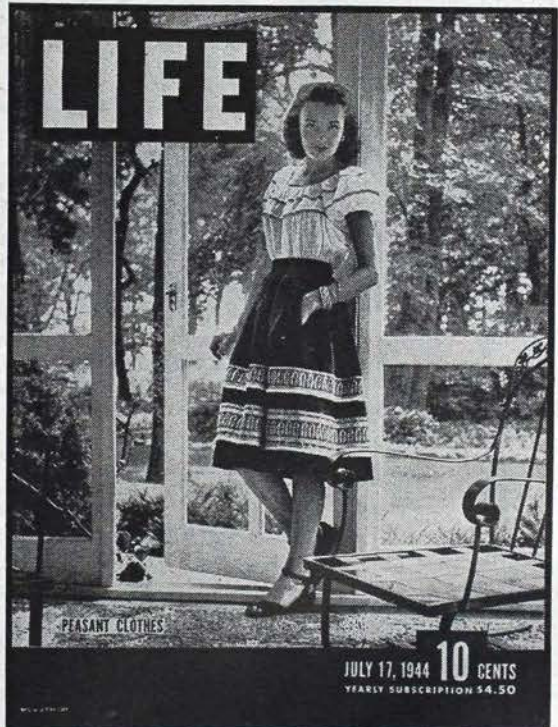
"ALTHOUGH she has posed for several cover sketches, this is her first photographic cover," said *LIFE*, July 17, of Anne Scott (Anne Scott Thomas, Mrs. Earl Hubert), B N-Ohio State. *LIFE* called Anne "The pretty girl in peasant clothes"; liked her so well that Anne again appeared on *LIFE*'s cover for August 28, wearing a new college style of short red wool plaid jeans called "pedal pushers."

Being called a pretty girl is nothing new for Anne. At Ohio State she was freshman queen, Makio queen; in 1941 in New York she was Ohio queen at a Carnival for Britain charity ball; and in 1943 was picked by none other than John Powers, model maestro, as "the ideal American girl."

Anne is also an Army wife. Her Ohio State husband is with the armed forces.



In the October 23 *LIFE*'S letter section was a photograph of "Cover Girl and Fan," showing Anne's husband, Sergeant Earl H. Thomas, looking at this very picture of Anne. Sergeant Thomas is a navigational-aid expert with a Liberator bomber group operating from an advanced air base in Italy.



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**HERE, for American and Canadian Kappas, is a photograph of special significance. It was taken in summer. But it may be said to have a holiday spirit of friendliness and goodwill, a new year's spirit of hopefulness looking toward a new world's spirit of international coöperation, brotherhood and peace. The figure of King George VI of England is readily recognized in this photograph taken somewhere in England this year. The smiling woman in uniform with whom His Majesty is shaking hands is Captain Louise C. Bain, WAC,  $\Gamma \Delta$ -Purdue. At the left are the Princess Elizabeth, Queen Elizabeth and Lieutenant General James Doolittle, of the American Army Air Forces. The Key wishes to express appreciation to LeRoy B. Frentz, Jr., of the Stewart Howe Alumni Service, West Lafayette, Indiana, in Captain Bain's home state, for making possible the reproduction of this picture.**



### Publisher Announces Literary Fellowship

**A**TENTION of undergraduate Kappas interested in creative writing is called to the Dodd, Mead Intercollegiate Literary Fellowship for 1945, open to regularly enrolled students of at least two years' standing in American and Canadian colleges and universities. The fellowship will be granted for the writing of a novel. The award will be \$1,200, payable quarterly or monthly for a year beginning July 1, 1945. Applications and projects must reach the publisher by April 1, 1945. Application blanks and further information may be obtained from Dodd, Mead and company, 432 Fourth avenue, New York 16, New York.



Washington "By Line" . . .

## TOPS NATION'S TOPFLIGHT PRESS WOMEN

By Edith K. Gaylord,  $\Delta$  Z-Colorado College, Associated Press Washington Staff, and President of the Women's National Press Club

[EDITOR'S NOTE: Because of the date, significant to Kappa Kappa Gamma, the typical wire service style has been retained at the beginning of Edith Gaylord's article. She was too modest to make the point that her election as president of the Women's National Press club was uncontested, not to say unprecedented for a reporter who had been in Washington only a year and a half. Miss Gaylord is also secretary of Mrs. Roosevelt's press conference association. She is the daughter of E. K. Gaylord, of Oklahoma City, publisher of *The Daily Oklahoman* and the *Oklahoma City Times*, on which she began her newspaper career. In 1942 she joined the Associated Press staff in New York City. During her presidency, the Women's National Press club will celebrate its 25th anniversary.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13—Wartime Washington as the source-spring of much of the world's important news becomes a reporter's dream—or nightmare—that has you running as fast as you can to stay in the same place, like the Queen in *Alice in Wonderland*.

When your editor heard that the Women's National Press club had elected me president for 1944-45, she asked for "highlights" of my work as a reporter on the Washington staff of the Associated Press.

The 78th Congress and I hit Washington at the same time, the first week of January, 1943. Also just arriving was Clare Boothe Luce. The Republicans' glamorous Congresswoman couldn't know that I was a stranger here myself and asked to be shown the pedestrian subway between the Capitol and the new House Office building.

That was probably the only thing I ever found in Washington without asking directions. The blonde playwright who let us have it with "The Women" proved herself as feminine by asking *sotto voce*, "Please, does my slip show?"

Not long after, I watched colorful diplomats, royal refugees and U. S. officialdom

gather in the House of Representatives to listen to Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain. But the most resounding applause there that day went to an exiled Britisher and his wife in the diplomatic gallery—former King Edward VIII and his Duchess of Windsor.



EDITH K. GAYLORD,  $\Delta$  Z-Colorado College, Associated Press Washington staff, and president of the Women's National Press Club.

Madame Chiang Kai-shek, wife of the Chinese Generalissimo, burst on Washington that February in a blaze of glory which trailed her across the country and back until April when she again retired to rest near New York before returning to China.

The beautiful, intelligent Chinese woman aroused the envy of politicians with her amazing oratorical ability, charmed hosts of people everywhere—and gave me a most interesting cross-country jaunt lasting seven weeks.



That sort of assignment can't be matched often. But others are equally absorbing.

Of constantly recurring interest is the business of covering the news from Mrs. Roosevelt. Usually she holds a weekly press conference at the White House.

As you may have gathered, the First Lady is a most remarkable individual. Her countless kindnesses to individuals seldom are told, but they reach into every walk of life.

Her vigor and interest in innumerable matters are unflagging. On her 60th birthday this week she was asked how she kept so fit.

"It's just a gift of God, I guess," she laughed. "I do the usual setting up exercises that most people do in the morning (!). I eat breakfast. I do what needs doing during the day. I go to bed at night."

The exclamation point is my editing touch.

Many other prominent women in Washington, or who come here occasionally, have news I'm supposed to keep track of and send out to you on the nationwide wires of the Associated Press.

**T**HE MAJOR part of my work, however, is as one of four or five AP staffers who cover the war agencies—War Production Board, Office of War Information, Office of Price Administration, War Manpower Commission—you fill in the rest of the scrambled alphabet.

Perhaps of particular interest to Kappas are the stories of war manpower problems which have come to involve women more

and more. They may hate to admit it, but the men have needed us to help prosecute this war. As a part of this, of course, are the women's units of the military forces.

This year finds Washington crowding war and heavy politics on a nationwide basis. News of both is especially interesting because of future peace implications and because this is the first national election while the United States is at war since the time of its own Civil War when Abraham Lincoln was re-elected while our nation was split.

This summer it seemed as though many of us AP staffers were commuting to Chicago, since both national political conventions were there within a month. 'Twas very interesting work for me. This year the high-dealing politicians are faced with the statistical likelihood that women will control a majority vote November 7. The assignment to cover the women's part in those national conventions kept me scooting 20 hours a day.

Shortly before the conventions—on D-Day, as it happened—the Women's National Press club had its annual election. They did me the honor of electing me president. The Washington members of this topflight newspaperwomen's organization have weekly luncheon and dinner programs at which some of the world's outstanding speakers appear.

Now I'm off to tonight's Kappa alumnae Founders' day dinner, at which they've asked me to speak. Newspaper work leads one to the most unexpected things.



### Someone Else Believes in "Traveling Light"

**S**HE HERSELF belonged to the generation born during the last war, who were still too young to be greatly influenced either by the disillusionment of the immediate post-war years or by the blind optimism of the late twenties. She had come to full consciousness when political security had begun to go and economic security had already gone. Change was to Erica the only permanent condition of life; she had no idea what tomorrow would be like, except that it would be different from yesterday and today. **The more you could learn to do without, the safer you were; security consisted in traveling light and staking your happiness on a few fundamentals of a non-material nature which could not, or at least were unlikely to be taken away from you.**"

*From Earth and High Heaven, by Gwethalyn Graham.*



# Exceptional Training Now Serves Science . . .

**B**ASED on the premise that science and scientific methods must be more widely understood in the world of tomorrow, the monthly magazine, *Science Illustrated*, was purchased and reorganized last summer by Jaques Cattell, of the Science Press and the Jaques Cattell Press.

Reorganization included the appointment of a new managing editor, Patricia Tucker, B O-Newcomb, who has most recently been doing research for technical articles in *Fortune*.

Pat majored in chemistry at Tulane and Louisiana State university. After working for the Air Reduction company in the east, she went to San Antonio. There she became interested in law, studied for three years and was admitted to the bar.

She then returned east, to the patent department of the American Cyanamid company. In 1941 she joined the staff of *Time* to engage in news research.



**PATRICIA TUCKER, B O-Newcomb, new managing editor of "Science Illustrated."**



## TRANSIENT KAPPA

I am a transient Kappa and would like very much to find some Kappas  
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Send to:

ARMY-NAVY CHAIRMAN  
Mrs. Malin Craig, Jr.  
Kennedy-Warren Apartments,  
3133 Connecticut Avenue, Washington 8, D.C.





## More Kappas Begin Careers with IBM . . .

**M**AINTEINING a growing tradition at the International Business Machines Corporation training school, nine Kappas this year took the two-and-a-half months' preparatory course in the IBM school at Endicott, New York. In the class of 141 girls, 91 universities and colleges were represented.

The girls were given intensive training in preparation for sales and instructional work in the electric accounting machine division. After the course was completed at Endicott, the girls were assigned to field offices throughout the country.

KEY readers will recall last April's an-

nouncement that Ruth Leach,  $\Pi^{\Delta}$ -California, had been elected a vice-president of IBM, first woman to hold a corporate office in that organization.

These newest Kappa recruits to IBM are: front row, from left, Betty Hohf,  $\Sigma$ -Nebraska (standing); Janet Atkinson,  $B H$ -Stanford; Jane Edwards,  $\Delta Z$ -Colorado college; Marian Ross,  $\Gamma K$ -William and Mary, and Natalie Scott,  $B O$ -Newcomb (both standing): center row, from left, Ethel Voges,  $\Gamma I$ -Washington university, and Barbara Lakin,  $\Upsilon$ -Northwestern: back row, from left, Betty Gray,  $\Delta M$ -Connecticut, and Jane Washburn,  $\Delta M$ .



**I**T'S always good business to buy war bonds to help stop the Nazis and the Nips from putting us all out of business.



Want a Career? . . .

## GET YOURSELF A PURPOSE IN COLLEGE

By Catherine E. Reed, B T-Syracuse, Dean of Women, State Teachers College,  
Buffalo, New York; K K Γ Vocational Guidance Chairman

**K** GAMMA enters the portico of the administration building on her way to the personnel office. She has to wait for her interview, so she sits down in casual fashion and wonders why she's here, after all. Of course it's fashionable to know one's own personality. Apparently selective admissions and placement tests rate in the collegiate world. It does make an individual particularly conscious of her differences from other students. It's really very encouraging to know that no one else has the same assembly of characteristics. Certainly she won't get lost on this campus. Yet what an assignment it is to investigate and to engineer so remarkable a device as her own self!

She pats her blouse down more effectively under her blue suit coat and searches in her brief case for the schedule of courses she is going to take. That card is a medley of "requires" and "electives." In fact, some of those "requires" look like a dose that's to be gulped down under the flavor of the precious "electives." Queer thing, isn't it, that one would like some subjects and feel that others are purely medicinal? What a strange thing a college career is when it is pulled out of a brief case and looked at wrong-side-out. Why, after all, are there all these items out of a catalogue to be taken daily and to be struggled with in the remote corners of the study hall at the chapter house?

K Gamma wiggles a bit uncomfortably in her chair, for the idea is really a bit indigestible in itself. It would be a good question to ask Delta when he comes back on the next leave or Psi when he gets home from the hospital and is finally mustered out. She reaches for her pocketbook and pulls out that last letter to see again why both of them write pages and pages about Italy. Of course, it would make a difference if you actually saw Roman buildings.

Even political science would have a reality if one saw it being born among civilians, especially if these were patriots and had gone through a government of war-time as well as that of peace.

She fully intends to marry Delta and just as soon as he can arrange it, but it might be well to have Psi's advice, too, for a brother really explains things unusually well. It is much more luxurious to think about them both than to settle down in this rather bare office of a university and to listen to feet pattering by to the library. She flicks a bit of dust off her sleeve and is a little sorry for herself, for the world is bound to be different when she gets out of this institution. They all say so and it surely looks that way when one begins to take a bit of an inventory.

**T**HAT required course in science does seem at times to have the clue to some of Psi's enthusiasm for making machines work. Maybe even she could get parts put together or hoist a plane by its ailerons if she ever got herself interested enough to study out those principles the science professor hurls at her. She sets that aside as a hobby to which she might treat herself after she has found her real career. She knows her science aptitude isn't a particularly large bump on her cranial contour.

Then there's literature—past, modern, French, Elizabethan and essay! Yes, they did hurl huge doses of pages at you. Her arms dangle a bit limply over the arms of the chair as she thinks of all the discussions after chapter meeting and the jumble of opinions that are tossed up when favorite authors are proposed by English majors in those sessions which are most remote from faculty espionage. Her ability level didn't encourage her to put up her preferences and present emotional stability against such



an informed public. Better leave that to other sophisticates.

**S**TRANGE how little things do influence one. Delta has written a scad of things about Italy that she has never bothered over before. He really begins to toss off facts as if he knew them. She stirs uneasily, for it seems that big things are ahead for them both. Perhaps it is just as well to get ready for them now.

History is a matter of pages, to be sure, but it might really be true that affairs on those pages have really occurred. And then there is the dealing between nations. She thinks to herself how they call this a policy, actually a foreign policy. Where would one learn more about this?

Then there is to be a government evidently to keep a nation and even a world going. Why not compare governments and governments, even to the point of knowing what that text on economics says back of its tremendous words? She reaches frantically for her shoe ration book at this point and opens it with real gusto for the first time. Yes, she will even raise her voice in the next debate about compulsory military training. She might even have ideas about the women's branches of service, for her older sister had written steadily about her "boot training" and present assignment on staff. Probably she can tell her father more of the community services and alphabetical agencies than he suspects she knows.

She snaps her fingers noisily and sits bolt

upright. There it is! One had to have a core to things, good old magnet from the hair-dresser's table!

**Get a purpose and all these other limp things begin to cluster around it.**

K Gamma is a little person, but suddenly she draws herself up to her full height. At last she has a reason for her interview. Given the green light, she will go straight through all these personnel offices; yes, right up to the director of placement and find out all they know about herself and what this college has to offer this self of hers. Then give her that college catalogue! She can hardly wait to make a map out of the thing. Hand her a good old adjustable pencil and she'll mark out the work that she really wants to take.

It does make a great difference to have an actual reason for getting busy. Would Delta like her to be as determined as this? She pauses one minute to think over this question diligently. Then she remembers his last message about what he hoped to do afterward. She zips her brief case up with a rush and realizes she has made a start on the same active kind of existence he has described.

**College can make so much more possible than either of them had ever realized before. And the career beyond college makes college the possibility. Perhaps it will be a career that's paid for or perhaps it will be a career that's appreciated without payment. But it does need to be a career.**

A secretary opens the office door behind her. "It's your turn next, Miss K Gamma."



### Former Vocational Guidance Chairman Dies After Illness

**J**UST as this issue of THE KEY was going to press, we were shocked to hear of the deaths, a few days apart, of Hazel Prutsman Schwering (Mrs. C. L.), B Ω-Oregon, dean of women at the University of Oregon, and her husband, Leslie. Mrs. Schwering had been ill for several weeks in a Eugene, Oregon, hospital. Her husband had just come home from visiting her in the hospital, November 13, where he suffered a fatal heart attack. Three days later Mrs. Schwering died, unaware of Dr. Schwering's death. A memorial to Mrs. Schwering will appear in the February KEY.



# Equal Rights? . . .

## National Woman's Party Seeks to Win Them

By Amelia Himes Walker (Mrs. Robert), B I-Swarthmore, Chairman,  
Special Gifts Fund, National Woman's Party

IT WAS NOT until I had become ardently interested in the women's persistent struggle to become enfranchised that Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch said to me, "If you want your life to be full of enthusiasm and undying interest, attach yourself to some vital and unpopular cause and grow with it." I remember her with reverence.

Mrs. Blatch was the daughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, most brilliant of the early pioneer suffragists, and the mother of Norah Blatch Barney, Ψ-Cornell.

The "unpopular" method of enfranchising women was by federal amendment, following the plans of Susan B. Anthony.

The "popular" method was by changing the state laws one by one.

The struggle had begun in 1848, and by 1912 the women had been enfranchised in only 10 western states. In the east, 64 years had been consumed in pink-teas and meetings and ineffectual persuadings of legislatures.

By the same token, we women would have won the vote along about the year 2000. But we younger women saw a better way—direct action on Congress. Alice Paul had convinced us of that when she organized the Congressional committee. Finally we broke away from the old suffrage association and formed the Congressional Union.

We staged beautiful pageants and parades in Washington. We praised the congressmen who promised to support the amendment, and worked against those who desired to keep women from the dignity of citizenship. The older suffragists said, "You are making yourselves obnoxious to the men, and you have put back suffrage 50 years!"

But by 1919 Congress had passed the "Susan B. Anthony Amendment," probably reluctantly, probably pushed into it by our

persistence; and we became citizens without bloodshed or a civil war. The mathematical problem of 50 years' delay could no longer worry those who opposed our methods.

We have the same sort of opposition to our present struggle for the Equality of Rights amendment. But we believe that women have the same right to the protection of our Constitution that men have, and so we continue to use the method that men have used.

In 1921 when we became citizens, we organized the National Woman's Party to remove all the discriminating laws against women by another federal amendment. This we call the "Lucretia Mott Amendment," after the third great pioneer woman who more than a century ago dedicated her life to the cause of equality of rights for men and women. Her life is another story and deserves a chapter of its own.

The amendment reads: "Equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex."

"Congress and the several states shall have power, within their respective jurisdictions, to enforce this article by appropriate legislation."

"This amendment shall take effect five years after the date of ratification."

Mrs. Josefa Whitney says in a pamphlet entitled *I Appeal to Women for United Support* that the amendment "by one stroke removes the multitudinous legal discriminations against women, and yet does not, in my opinion, endanger their well-being as workers or as mothers, but instead gives them far greater power to improve the condition of all women."

In 1921 our cause was vital but unknown, unpopular, embarrassing to men because the laws of many states still regarded women as the goods and chattels of their husbands. Men had made all the laws and



they, dear chivalrous creatures, had made some queer ones!

In some states the mother was the sole guardian of the illegitimate child, while the father was the sole guardian of the legitimate baby. The wife's services and earnings belonged to the husband; and he could beat her with a stick if it were no thicker than his thumb! Women tax-payers were still excluded from some state universities; women were excluded from jury service, although the plaintiff might be a child or young girl sadly in need of the woman's viewpoint on the jury; women could not work at night in some states,—except, if you please, the scrub women! Evidently they were not worth protecting! These, by the way, were called "protective laws."

Still women, patient women, did not rebel against the men who had made these obnoxious laws! There are more than 1,000 of them still on the statute books of the 48 states!

**T**HE CAUSE has steadily grown in popularity. Since the National Woman's Party made the first demand for the amendment, 29 organizations have studied and endorsed it. These include the General Federation of Women's clubs, the National Education association, the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs and others of equal importance.

Both major parties have included planks favoring the submission of the Amendment to the states for ratification, and the majority of the senators are ready for the measure when Congress convenes November 14.

All the confusion that we now have of different laws for men and women, of male workers and female workers, will be adjusted by the state legislatures to apply to human beings, to workers according to the hazards of the job and not the sex of the worker.

It need not have taken a war to have shown the world that Rosie the Welder can weld a seam that can hold as well as Willy the Welder's. Nor that Rosie can weld away all day with Willy and be as fresh as he when the gong strikes.

One joins the National Woman's Party because one has a firm belief in equality of rights for human beings. That principle is the only plank in the platform. The members are all agreed on obtaining that principle by federal amendment. All the effort and funds go to that accomplishment.

Headquarters are maintained at the Alva Belmont house at 144 B street, North East, Washington, D.C.

The headquarters were the gift of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont when the former headquarters, known as the Old Capitol, were taken over by the government for the site of the present Supreme Court. Many entertainments for advancing the cause are given there, and all interested visitors are welcome. There one may meet people of every nationality, for all foreigners to the nation's capitol seem to know about the century-old struggle of American women to obtain equal rights with men. They find a congenial atmosphere in the fine old Colonial house, for it, like the cause, is truly democratic.



### Remember, These Are Deductable!

**W**ITH income tax time not far ahead, Kappas are reminded that gifts to the Rose McGill fund and for scholarships, as well as to the Nora Wain fund, may be deducted from the 1944 tax returns. Say "Happy New Year" with \$200 for an emergency scholarship for a Kappa, or even with \$250 for an undergraduate scholarship for a Kappa working her way through school. Make 1945 happier for some invalid Kappa, for whom \$75 would provide care for a month, through the Rose McGill fund.



# Service Honor Roll . . .

## More Kappas with the Armed Forces

### WAC

Lieutenant Hazel McCannon Johnson (Mrs. Eujen), B K-Idaho  
Jacqueline Sue Vlaskamp, Δ Ξ-Carnegie Tech  
Helen Meigs Rea (Mrs. George), Δ Ξ-Carnegie Tech  
Alice Louise Stribling, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
Elmire Pearson, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
Ruth Maude Wachs, Γ Ω-Denison  
Marjorie W. Smith, Δ M-University of Connecticut

### WAVES

Ensign Avis Mary Ryan, Δ N-Massachusetts State  
Ensign Cordelia Goodman, X-Minnesota  
Ensign Mary Rumble, X-Minnesota  
Ensign Mary Bell, X-Minnesota  
S 2/c Patricia Mae Klock, B T-Syracuse  
Dorothy Vera Gilardi, B II-Washington  
Sarah Elizabeth Fulkman, I-DePauw  
Miriam E. Crowley, Γ O-Wyoming  
Cora Jean Lindeberg, Γ B-New Mexico  
Helen Natalie Hicks, B Δ-Michigan  
Annabelle Donovan, Γ T-North Dakota  
Helen Elizabeth Cavanagh, Δ Δ-Miami University  
Helen Louise Goodwin, B T-West Virginia  
Marguerite Anne Pearson, Γ Ψ-Maryland  
Patricia Kendall, Γ M-Oregon State  
Nancy Wilson, Γ X-George Washington University  
Virginia Floeter, Γ M-Oregon State  
Mary V. Doolittle, Γ H-Washington State  
Jeanne Klemm, Γ Ω-Denison  
Gladys McIlveen, Γ H-Washington State  
Dolores Staggers, Δ K-University of Miami  
Charlotte Geary, II-California  
Margaret Morrow, Γ E-Pittsburgh  
Martha Turner, B T-Syracuse  
Lauradel Deyo, Δ M-University of Connecticut  
Louise Margaret Goins, Γ O-Wyoming

### SPARS

Lieutenant (j.g.) Betty King Walsh (Mrs. John S.),  
Γ N-Arkansas  
Nancy Strother Wilmore, B T-West Virginia  
Corrine Cramer, B M-Colorado

### MCWR (MARINES)

Natalie Doris Bradley, Θ-Missouri

### WASP

Frances Roulstone, Γ K-William and Mary  
Jane Dyde, B M-Colorado  
Peggy Moynihan, B M-Colorado

Maxine Fisher, T-Northwestern  
Margaret Winifred Wood, Δ K-University of Miami



Official Photograph, U. S. Coast Guard Academy

**ENSIGN JEANNE HUMPHREY, Γ M-Oregon State, SPAR, was commissioned last July at the Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut.**

### ARMY NURSE CORPS

Lieutenant Daisy Hunter Wood, Δ K-University of Miami, in Italy  
Lieutenant Barbara E. Tuthill, B A-Illinois  
Lieutenant Lois Davis Smee (Mrs. James C.), Γ O-Wyoming

### AMERICAN RED CROSS

J. Eileen Dierkes, Γ Γ-Whitman, director of a club in Wales  
Doris Vivian Larsen, Δ B-Duke, in England  
Marjorie Calhoun, B II-Washington, in England  
Helen Margaret Lowery, B Φ-Montana, in North Africa  
Fay Anderson, PΔ-Ohio Wesleyan, in New Guinea  
Jean Hatcher, B Δ-Michigan, in France  
Margaret Annabell McCain, B T-Syracuse, in England  
Harriet Elizabeth Gowen, X-Minnesota, in Australia  
Marguerite McConnell, Φ-Boston, in England





*American Red Cross Photo*

**SUSAN M. BLACKNEY, Δ Γ-Michigan State, is an assistant field director with the American Red Cross in India.**

Hilda Jeanne Cole, B T-Syracuse, in Australia  
Mary Smith Fairbanks, P<sup>A</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, in the Middle East

Glenna Ballard, B X-Kentucky, overseas  
Katherine Sedgwick Rice, B T-Syracuse  
Dorcas Mary Dunklee, B M-Colorado  
Dorothy E. Matthews, B N-Ohio State  
E. Katherine Wilson, B X-Kentucky  
Sally Ann Howell, Δ Γ-Michigan State  
Louise Maystrick, B Θ-Oklahoma  
Elizabeth Ann Johnson, Γ Γ-Whitman  
Jean Holdridge, E-Illinois Wesleyan  
Gwladys Frances Hughes, Ψ-Cornell  
Helen M. Darrow, Γ Ω-Denison  
Helen Geiss, Ω-Kansas  
Frances St. Clair Dinger (Mrs. Julius J.), H-Wisconsin

## CANADIAN RED CROSS

Gene McNicoll, Γ Σ-Manitoba, in England

## RCAF (WD)

M. Elspeth Russell, Δ Δ-McGill

## WRENS

Margaret Smith, B Ψ-Toronto  
Del Smith, B Ψ-Toronto  
Frances Webb, Γ T-British Columbia  
Jean Dawson, Γ T-British Columbia  
Barbara Diether, Γ T-British Columbia



## Stars in Kappa Service Flags . . .

Colonel John A. Smith, father of Mary Helen Smith, Γ Φ-Southern Methodist chapter president, has been awarded the Bronze Star for his part in planning last summer's Normandy invasion. Colonel Smith, whose birthday fell upon D-Day, June 6, 1944, is commanding officer of a tank force now in France.

Lieutenant Colonel Edwin S. Chickering, husband of Mary Jim Lane Chickering, Γ N-Arkansas, central office assistant and former pledge training chairman, was also awarded the Bronze Star for his share in D-Day planning. Lieutenant Colonel Chickering is with the Army Air Force in the European theater.

Captain Paul R. Peffer, husband of Lois Kuhn Peffer, Γ Ψ-Maryland, recently stationed in India, engaged in flying supplies to China "over the hump," has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal and Presidential unit citation.







have been pretty lucky in being able to book pretty recent ones. Tonight we are showing "Watch on the Rhine," and expect an unusually large crowd for that. On Saturdays we have two showings.

Our dances used to be quite a problem due to the "girl" situation. We now have a system whereby an officer who wishes to escort a civilian girl must bring in her name and address and obtain an invitation for her—as his guest—before six o'clock the night of the dance. Some of the officers object to this, but in the long run they realize why we do it, and appreciate it. We usually have American bands, but sometimes we experiment and have native music, and they like this for a change. So much of this work is taking a chance on what people will like.

One of my projects here has been to do something about having classical music for those who want to listen to it. Among the ARC clubs in the city, there is a fairly good record library. I inaugurated an hour of classical recordings every day, and have been most pleased at the response. Started with a small group of men, it has built up into about as many as the little room will hold. I program the selections mainly from requests, and each program is posted a day in advance, so that they will know what is coming. And are they sticklers for what they want to hear! One day I had been given the wrong album by mistake, and they sat patiently while I ran down three blocks and exchanged it!

I SHARE an apartment with two other girls, one of whom has been my roommate ever since we went into Red Cross. We have the second floor of a small house, and are lucky in having it alone. We have a bedroom, bath, kitchen and dining room, which we have turned into a living room. Some ordnance friends made us a sofa, which is a great addition. We have a lovely bathtub—which does not work, but it is a beautiful ornament, and the sole heat is the little gas stove in the kitchen. We use

this mainly for heating our hot water bottles! We have not met up with a bathtub since we left Washington, and even left showers behind us when we came here. For a while we washed in our tin helmets, and became most proficient at this. However, now, in our apartment, we use a large soup tureen. The people who live downstairs are most nice, and "Madame" looks after us, keeping our house clean, and doing our laundry. She is a beautiful sewer, and at the moment is embroidering our initials on everything we have! She is a large Spanish woman, and runs about in a slip with an apron on, earrings, socks (ankle ones) and flat-heeled slippers.

Our Christmas here at the club was nice. We had an open house in the morning, with much high rank present, and in the afternoon had a children's party for 150 refugees and orphans, with the men acting as "daddies" for the afternoon. It is hard to tell which of them enjoyed it the most. We had someone dressed up as Santa, and each child received a large stocking—rag dolls, which we had made, for each girl, and a toy for each boy—material for a dress or suit, and candy and chewing gum. They saw a Mickey Mouse movie, and had ice cream and cake.

All the Red Cross eat at their own mess, and we have pretty good food. Fresh eggs are a luxury which we meet up with every once in a while. Coca-Colas and Hershey bars are rare treats over here, and when we get any at the club, we use them for prizes.

I am enclosing one of the weekly programs which we got out, which will give you an idea of what all we do here. Wish I could write more, but they are starting to line up for dance tickets, and we will be pretty busy. Will write again, and try to give you more of a picture of life over here. I should say that in spite of it being January, it is perfectly possible to go without a coat in the middle of the day, although cold at night and morning—and on my day off, I sit on the roof, get sunburned, and am uncomfortably hot.

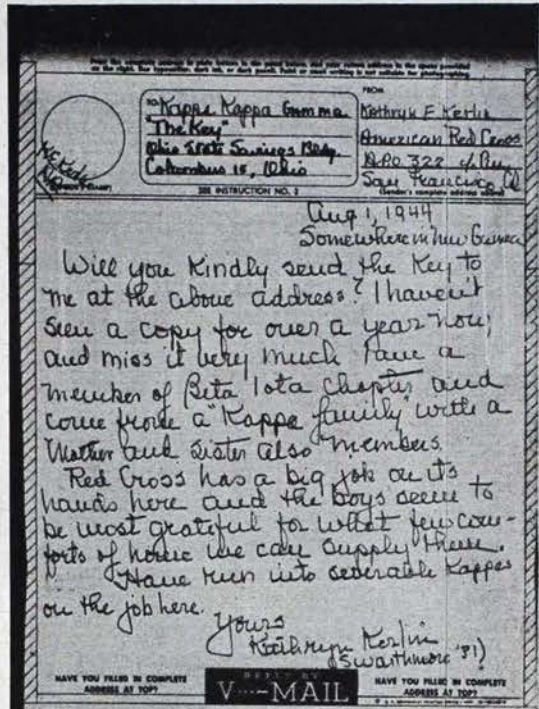
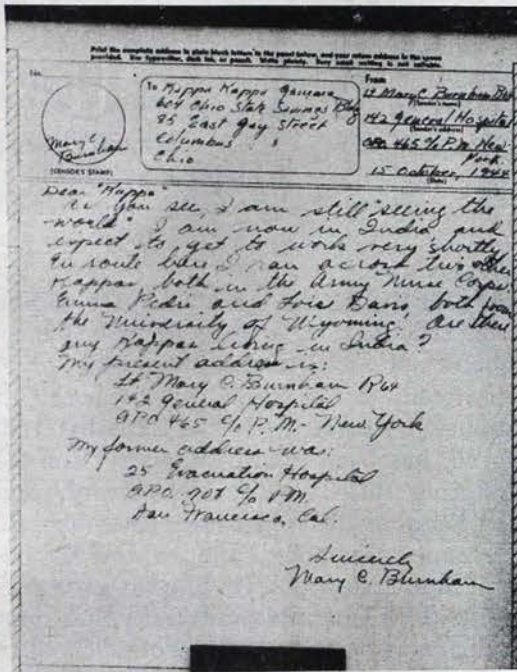




## Attention, Kappas Overseas! Send Us More Like These!

**T**HIS V-Mail letter from Lieutenant Mary C. Burnham, H-Wisconsin, is an eloquent testimonial to the meaning of Kappa.

Because V-Mail reproduces fairly well, her message will not be repeated here. But note that she has met two Kappas overseas,



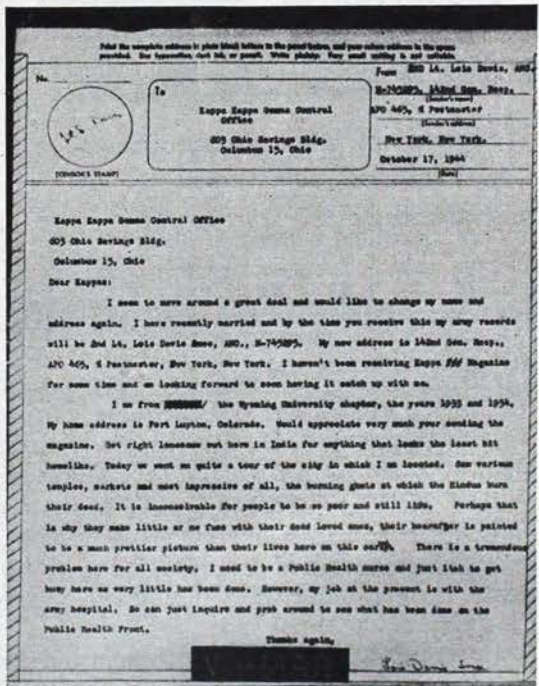
and wants to know if any are in India. THE KEY hopes Lieutenant Burnham will meet some of the Kappas in India with the Red Cross, if not others.

How about other messages direct from other Kappas in the war theaters?

P.S.: Those paragraphs were hardly out of the typewriter when along came two more V-mail letters!

One is from Lois Davis, mentioned in Lieutenant Burnham's letter, reporting her marriage, which is also officially recorded in this KEY in the regular vital statistics section. (May need the magnifying glass to read this one!)

Of course we beamed at the message from New Guinea, where Kathryn Kerlin comes right out and says she misses THE KEY. Her mother is Adeline Koster Kerlin (Mrs. Robert T.), B B-St. Lawrence, and her sister is Constance Kerlin Hunt (Mrs. George C.), B T-West Virginia.





## Becomes National USO Volunteer Services Head . . .

**R**OXANA JACKSON, Δ Z-Colorado, has been appointed national USO director of volunteer services, according to an announcement last October by Ray Johns,

director of continental United States USO operations.

In her new capacity Miss Jackson will guide plans for training USO volunteer senior and junior hostesses locally and at area, state and national institutes. She will also develop literature on USO activities for volunteers.

Before taking her new office, Miss Jackson was on the program staff of the USO division of the YWCA national board, which she joined in September, 1941, as director of activities in the Los Angeles harbor area. Since 1943 she had been on the program staff.

A member of the American Association of Social Workers, Miss Jackson has been director of settlements, Spanish-reading department in California, of the board of national missions of the Presbyterian church; has been a case supervisor for the California state welfare department; and has been a YWCA staff member in Cheyenne, Wyoming, and at the Greenpoint branch in Brooklyn. She has a master's degree from Columbia university, has done graduate work at the New York School of Social Work.



*United Service Organizations, Inc.*

**ROXANA JACKSON, Δ Z-Colorado College, now directs all USO volunteer workers.**



## U. S. Public Health Service Wants Cadet Nurses . . .

**W**EARING the gray and red uniform of the United States Cadet Nurse Corps, sponsored by the United States Public Health Service, Sarah Foster, ΠA-California, will be graduated in the spring from the University of California school of nursing, take her state board examination and be ready for induction into the Army Nurse Corps.

As one of more than 100,000 cadet nurses helping to release graduate nurses for service with the armed forces, Sarah is also realizing a life ambition.

She grew up on the California ranch of

her father and mother, Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. Benjamin B. Foster. Her grandfather, the late Arthur W. Foster, as a regent of the University of California, was instrumental in securing funds for the establishment of the Hooper Foundation for Medical Research at the university's medical center in San Francisco.

Cadet Nurse Foster joined the corps in July, 1943, when it was first formed. She is pledged, health permitting, to remain in some branch of essential nursing for the duration. In her free time she also takes part in the volunteer war work of the San



Francisco Junior League, of which she is a provisional member. Sarah's father is serving with the United States Coast Guard.

To the prospective cadet nurse the United States Public Health Service offers an all-expense scholarship covering a complete nursing education, uniforms and a monthly spending allowance. Qualifications are that the candidate be between 17 and 35 years old, be a high school graduate, have a good scholastic record, good health and the ability to meet the entrance requirements of the school of nursing she chooses.

Since the armed forces have already taken more than 50,000 graduate nurses, the United States Public Health Service seeks to enroll 60,000 new cadet nurses before July, 1945. Information may be obtained from local hospitals.



CADET NURSE SARAH FOSTER,  $\Pi^{\Delta}$ -California



### *The Editor Reflects*

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papers which, possibly, they had been running during the men's absence in service.

In any case, there was another manifestation of that spirit of independence in 1870 when Kappa Kappa Gamma was founded because four college girls in an Illinois town wanted "a fraternity like the men's." Mrs. Livermore, whom Mr. Wecter mentioned, was herself initiated as an honorary member of Kappa Kappa Gamma by the enterprising four-year-old Iota chapter at Depauw in 1879.

As THE KEY has pointed out before this, war has, paradoxically, always swung open new doors to American women. The article in this KEY by Helen Knox,  $B\Xi$ -Texas, president of the Association of Bank Women, indicates that the banking profession with executive positions for women was a door

opened by the last war, since the association was formed by five women in 1921. The last war also gave American women the right to vote, a privilege we hope all qualified Kappas exercised last November.

What new doors will be swinging open after this war we cannot say. But Kappas, especially the younger Kappa generations, should be alert to watch for them. We should be quick to grasp new opportunities, new fields in which to develop talents and skills. Global war has broadened vision for all of us. It will not leave the minds and hearts of women untouched, or their minds and hands idle.

The prospects of the future are exciting. Let us, as women and as Kappas, make the most of what lies beyond those new doors to a better postwar world.



# Beta Rho Set Example of Real Civic Leadership . . .

By Alice Bowman, B P<sup>A</sup>-Cincinnati

IT ALL STARTED last summer when Women's Senate at the University of Cincinnati voted down the question of a mock convention on campus. But the Kappas were not going to let the issue die. They realized the great need for some sort of program to acquaint the university women with our national political organization, and to prepare them to cast their first vote intelligently.

So they went to work, first to investigate similar programs at Northwestern, Oberlin, and Goucher; then to outline a plan to present to the dean of women and the university administration. Then things began to happen. The plans were presented to Panhellenic and the women's group system, which enthusiastically offered their wholehearted support; and to the Cincinnati League of Women Voters, whose president, Mrs. Daniel Early, pledged that group's assistance and advice.

Station WKRC gave a half-hour for a political quiz program on which two teams, one of Greek-letter and one of unaffiliated girls, competed. Another quarter-hour was

devoted to a panel on political issues of the election, in which Anne Thompson, Kappa pledge, participated.

October 10 the first of the "Panels for Peace and Progress" was presented to a "standing room only" audience in Laws auditorium. The speaker was Dr. Miriam Urban, associate professor of history; her topic, "Foreign Problems Facing the New Administration."

The second panel, October 17, consisted of a discussion between Carl Groat, editor of the *Cincinnati Post*, and Major General James Edmonds, military analyst for station WLW. Their subject was "After the Fighting—What?"

The last and most controversial issue was "Should Any Man be Allowed to Run for Four Terms?" This rather heated discussion was led by Judge Bert Long and Councilman Albert Cash.

Both faculty and students agree that as a result of the panel, the university women are much better prepared to become intelligent voters. That is just what the Kappas wanted.



## DACHÉ-ING TO THE RESCUE

"Correction please!" implores a communication from Gamma Omega chapter at Denison university.

Signed by Marguerite Sundheim, president; Pat Hudson, scholarship chairman, and Betsy Holler, KEY correspondent, is the following:

**"In the October issue of *The Key*, Gamma Omega was placed at the 60-50 window of the scholarship bank. For the year 1943-1944 Gamma Omega was first on campus in scholarship. In the chart we are not only minus a hat with a feather, but completely hatless."**

That, obviously, is carrying the hatless craze TOO far.

THE KEY is only too happy to make such a pleasant correction, taking off *its* hat to Gamma Omega, and maybe putting on a dunce cap. Seriously, it's mighty good news to have one more scholarship first-on-campus than we'd reckoned.





## Some Straight Talk . . .

### SERVICE WIVES MUST PLAN NOW FOR FUTURE

By Margaret Baughman Craig (Mrs. Malin, Jr.),  $\Gamma$  K-William and Mary, Army and Navy Association Chairman, K K  $\Gamma$ , *Whose Husband Is Overseas*

**A**T LONG last the Army-Navy chairman has found a roosting place, at least for the winter. Letters have kept following me around, sometimes with as many as four changes of address on them.

There are fewer requests these days for Kappa sons to be shown Kappa hospitality. There are fewer Kappas following their husbands, leaving a lot more lonely Kappas waiting for the overseas mail.

We have a lot more time today to stew and fret, to become more ingrown, seeing everything that affects us in an exaggerated way.

Stop, right now, and let us review our attitudes and see if they are on a level plane or a little cock-eyed. Are we boring everyone concerned with our martyrdom? Are we griping as if we were the only ones making sacrifices? With reflecting time on our hands we can really make or break a healthy mental attitude which will serve for now and build for the future.

It is always the other fellow who sees things wrong. Stop, look into our own lineup. Our attitude probably looks just as askew to the one we are criticizing. Don't let us put off facing things within ourselves, and don't let our dreams of the one we are parted from grow into the likeness of a Greek god. He is a human being who in many cases left a boy and will return a man, growing up the hard way. We, too,

are changing. Either we have set up a routine to try to overlook our heavy heart, or have run away from it by seeking too much gaiety to make the time pass by.

We have been living extremely separate lives. When again we pick up the threads of our old life many adjustments will have to be made. Few will find the life they left behind the one most satisfying.

Let us try now to make ourselves flexible. Let us get out of ourselves by doing outside things and finding new interests. We can make ourselves more interesting people, so when John comes home he will find us more mature and ready to go along with him, not just tagging.

This sounds like a lot of advice for the very young. It is not only for them, but for the rest of us, too, who have lived a sheltered life until recently, and now find ourselves faced with decisions to make which we had always shied away from and left to the head of the house.

There are many of the boys and men who will not return or will be incapacitated. Are we prepared for what may come?

This does not mean for you to sit around and brood. It is only fair to them that we have faced it within ourselves and can take it if we have to. As a rule we skirt around this issue. We'll face it when the time comes, and we are sure that it can't happen to us.



Let us have a mental housecleaning, sweep it clean of unhealthy mental attitudes, leaving room for the healthy ones to grow and become firmly fixed. We may be called on in the years to come to be the foundation of a new life in the peace.

We want to be counted on to be ready. Now with that reflecting time on our hands, we can face facts and make our life full and firm for the future.

## Tenth Center . . .

# ARDEN POWDER BAR OPENED IN EL PASO USO

By Anna Jo Davis, Δ Θ-Goucher

**T**HE SETTING for Kappa's 10th Service Women's Center is El Paso, Texas.

The USO has erected a temporary building for all military personnel, and it is in this building that the Kappa alumnae have spent many hours decorating the powder room and adding little "nick-nacks" to make the place a more comfortable one for the women.

The location is most convenient. Only a walk across the street and through a small park brings you to the front door of the Center.

This project serves the needs of several thousands in uniform. Approximately 400 volunteers staff the USO, and you can be sure that many of the volunteers are Kappas. We work all over the building, at the snack bar, as receptionists, or as general hostesses.

Our group decorated the powder room. Unlike the other Centers, we carried out a

Mexican theme. The entire building has an atmosphere of this section of the country, southwestern and Mexican.

We are proud of the powder room. The dressing table skirts were made from the skirts of "China Poblana" costumes, the most popular type of dress worn for Mexican folk dances. The mirrors were made in Mexico, as well as other small pieces in the room which add to its attractiveness, and make it an interesting and useful place for the women in the armed forces to relax.

We are delighted, of course, to have the coöperation of Elizabeth Arden, who is supplying the cosmetics. It is fun to note the expression on the faces of the girls when they discover this feature.

The lounge is open every day from 8 A.M. to 11 P.M. In the future there may be 24-hour service. The Center was opened October 29, 1944.



## Sunday Tea Entertains Service Personnel at Des Moines

**U**NDERGRADUATES of Gamma Theta chapter at Drake university were hostesses at a tea, October 15, in the Kappa Center in the Des Moines USO. Russian tea and tea sandwiches were served. But "substantial" ham sandwiches made the big hit, required an SOS for more.

Alumnae are planning a big Christmas party at the Des Moines Center for December 24.

In between parties, which are extremely popular with servicemen and women, Kappa volunteers staff the Center to sew on buttons and make themselves useful in general.



## Hawaii Paid Social Debt . . .

# MOON, CROON AND "TWO-STAR ADMIRAL"

By Lois LeBosquet Gray (Mrs. Ernest C.), K-Hillsdale

IT WAS beautifully timed and worked like a charm.

We had required and acquired such a host of Santa Clauses and "angels" with our achievement of a working Service Women's Center that we were becoming embarrassed. Life should not be all take and no "give," except to the women officers, most of whom are members of the Army and Navy Nurse Corps, and all dote on the lovely Center we have been able to give them. But what about the kind souls who helped make it possible?

To go back to the timing, in the last two minutes of the September executive committee meeting, prior to the monthly tea, we discovered that we had no entertainment chairman. Why was this? All the other Centers have them. What's the matter with Hawaii?

"Jean," said our executive chairman, J. Purdy Restarick (Mrs. Arthur E.), B Ω-Oregon, "will you kindly take this over?"

Jean Rife Hunter (Mrs. Nicholas F.), A<sup>Δ</sup>-Monmouth, had been assistant to Leone Rockhold Nutter (Mrs. Ben E.), Γ M-Oregon State, our hard-working treasurer. Jean consented, not a bit apprehensive. Meeting adjourned. Then to the general meeting, and we really have meetings these days, *Robert's Rules of Order* in self-defense. Reports on everything from soup to nuts, treasurer, both Center and association, policy matters, recommendations, plus the usual plea from the down-trodden house chairman, yours truly, for more dusting, with a gentle hint about a party to celebrate the addition to our Center of a refrigerator with "cold cokes" and a wonderful fan for hot weather.

Our president, Catharine South Sutherland (Mrs. Daniel W.), Θ-Missouri, said, "Jean, you're entertainment chairman. How about taking care of this?" The deed was done.

"Talk about being railroaded!" cried Jean.

However, Jean, mother of four growing boys, is a capable soul, as well as one of the most cheerful persons I know. No caterers for her. Not on our budget. Besides "the food they serve is not worth the inflated prices they charge, etc. Simple, we'll have hamburgers!"

Just like that she did it. Ordered up a full moon, that deluxe job we maintain as a Hawaiian specialty. She contacted her fellow Monmouthite, Ellen Woods McGrew (Mrs. Reynolds B.), A<sup>Δ</sup>, who lives on the famous Kailua beach for the "place." Ordered the weather to comply.

Together, they gave us a lovely party. Even the waves dashed high for the athletically inclined guests so they could "body surf." Reynolds McGrew officiated as super-chef with gusto and no help, thank you. Almost 80 guests were there.

This enabled us to entertain the "Kappamen" ("Have you a man in the service?") to the tune of sons, Dick Garlish and Bob Thompson; brothers, Allen Metz and Bud Andrews; husband, Juddy Russel; fathers Mahoney and W. W. Davies, and cousin John Hall. Three others were unable to attend, for ships come and go with little regard for personal dates. General Roy E. Blount and his Chief of Staff Colonel Ernest Terril Barco were special guests of honor.

In the midst of refreshments someone said, "Who's the Two-Star Admiral?" having spotted the blue and silver flag on a car. Much rushing around. No one could remember inviting an admiral, so we decided that we were pretty special to have admirals crashing our party. It turned out that he had been a captain when invited, but had received his promotion the day before the party.

The silver moon came out on schedule and vied with the golden flickering of the Hawaiian torches that the McGrews were using for the first time since the blitz.



Splendid singing went on, our paint contractor aiding with an agile hand on his guitar. We missed the Kappa houseboy who knew the Kappa songs (he's now in the south Pacific). But we made a valiant attempt at "Pat, Sez He." Everyone could sing along with "I Love You Truly, K K Γ."

Before the next party I hope to inaugurate a policy for all to re-learn the words to some of our lovely songs.

We came home (early, for curfew is still 10 o'clock) relaxed and happy, for we had fulfilled our obligations and had had a wonderful time doing it.

## Year for Columbus . . .

### WAC AND WAVE MOTHERS MEET AT CENTER

By Marcia Pembroke Steffan (Mrs. James C.), B N-Ohio State

**D**ECEMBER 17 the Columbus Service Women's Center will celebrate its first birthday, and we feel deeply proud of our record.

As of September 15, approximately 3,000 service women have visited us. We have had several successful parties. We have maintained our high level of help and service, and we have never been in the red!

This year we departed from our usual banquet and entertained actives and pledges at a Founders' day tea at the Center.

Our only income for operating expenses is from our Coca-Cola machine and refund on sales tax stamps, but by careful management we have kept a reasonable balance in the bank. The WAC Mothers' club is now using the Center every third Wednesday of the month for a meeting and party, while the WAVE Mothers' club has a similar meeting on the fourth Wednesday evening of the month.

Wednesday would seem to be a popular day since the Gideon league, under the direction of Mrs. Linton Wood, has tea for WAVES every other Wednesday afternoon at the Kappa Center.

We still continue to welcome and entertain every Thursday morning large groups of WAC inductees coming through Columbus on their way to their training camps. We have had as many as 105 of these girls in a group, and they seem to enjoy playing ping pong, writing letters, using the powder bar.

So, with a year's experience behind us, we do feel that the Service Women's Center has filled a definite need in our community and we hope to continue as long as we are needed.

Along with the usual awarding of scholarship prizes at the Founders' day tea, an honor roll was presented to the Kappa Center. This scroll, bearing the name of each Ohio Kappa in the armed forces is hand-lettered on white parchment and framed attractively. It is an effective reminder to all of us of the women of the fraternity who have volunteered their services to help bring this war to a close.

The Columbus Center is still under the splendid direction of Nola Dysle Havens (Mrs. William), B N-Ohio State, with the equally marvelous coöperation of Francis Davis Evans (Mrs. Richard), B N, who has just been elected to her second term as alumnae president.



#### Mrs. Bricker Honored at St. Louis Center

**L**AST August, Harriet Day Bricker (Mrs. John W.), B N-Ohio State, was guest of honor at a tea in the Kappa Service Women's Center in St. Louis. Alumae and members of Gamma Iota chapter at Washington university were hostesses.



## Los Angeles Center . . .

# MRS. BRICKER'S VISIT WAS HIGHLIGHT

By Helen Huston Garretson (Mrs. H. J.), B II-Washington, Executive Chairman,  
K K Γ Service Women's Center, Hotel Hayward, Los Angeles

**T**HE HIGH SPOT for the Los Angeles Kappa Service Women's Center was the visit of the beautiful and exceedingly gracious Harriet Day Bricker (Mrs. John), B N-Ohio State, whose husband, as every loyal Kappa knows, was running for the office of Vice-President of the United States.

Lucy Quirk, Betty Gauthier, who is president of the Los Angeles alumnae association, with several actives from the campus of the University of California at Los Angeles, met Mrs. Bricker at the train with a beautiful bouquet in the shape of a key.

Then with police escort brought her to the Center. We took some pictures and hope to have them for THE KEY for the next issue.

Our redecoration, about which we wrote last time, is almost finished, and is proving effective. The buffet suppers, which are quite popular Saturday nights, are made much easier by the addition of the new "coke bar." Mrs. Andrew Brown has been doing the decorating, with a Hawaiian motif. As yet we do not have our flowers and plants in the window boxes which line the railing of the mezzanine, nor are the cut-outs in the manner of Gaugin finished for the wall panels.

Our summer's accomplishment has definitely been our week-end hospitality arrangements through the splendid efforts of our home hospitality chairman, Grace Eubanks Armstrong (Mrs. Donald), B H-Stanford. Local Kappas have entertained at their Lake Arrowhead homes and beach homes, and Mrs. Florence Gates Baldwin, who as you know did such an outstanding job of

decorating the Center, has entertained endless numbers of girls at her beautiful, old California Rancho Matilla ja, at Ojai, near Santa Barbara.

It was our good fortune to have Alice Burrows, B M-Colorado, here for a time, visiting her mother in Pasadena. She was helpful in solving some of the arrangement problems in light of her experience with the New York Center. She made a tremendous hit with all the Kappas and we would love to have added her to our staff.

Plans for the Kappa Christmas tree are already under way. Last year the women in the service seemed to enjoy sitting on the floor around the tree and opening their presents. Mrs. Willis Blakeslee, purchasing chairman for the Center, is also in charge of Christmas arrangements and has already started her committee working on the program.

Many out-of-town Kappas have served at the Center during short stays in town and we are so happy to have them. Just this week Esther Snoddy Grinnell (Mrs. Charles), B II-Washington, of Vancouver, B.C., took on an afternoon shift. Jane Moore Mock (Mrs. John), II<sup>A</sup>-California, personnel chairman for the Center, who has done a magnificent job, is happy to put on any visiting Kappas with some one more experienced. So when you come to Los Angeles, please feel free to come to the Center and volunteer your services.

With the war shifting to the Pacific, we are getting ready for more and more service women and the Center is going to be ready for them when they come.





## HAVE YOU A MAN IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES

### To Whom We May Extend Kappa Hospitality?

Then fill out the blank below and mail it to the association or club nearest his station. If no organized group is near mail it to the vice-president of the province in which he is located. For names and addresses see directory listing in this KEY. Following is a list of the states by provinces.

ALPHA—Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York (excluding New York City district), Provinces of Ontario and Quebec

BETA—Pennsylvania, Connecticut, New Jersey, New York City district of the state, Delaware

GAMMA—Ohio

DELTA—Indiana, Michigan

EPSILON—Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, North Dakota, Province of Manitoba

ZETA—South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Iowa

ETA—Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, New Mexico

THETA—Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas

IOTA—Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, Province of Alberta, British Columbia and Saskatchewan

KAPPA—California, Nevada, Arizona

LAMBDA—West Virginia, Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, District of Columbia

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Full name and rank .....

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Nearest City .....

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He is: Married ..; Engaged ..; Single..

Civilian profession .....

Avocation or hobby .....

His relationship to me is: Father ..; Husband ..; Brother ..; Son ..; Friend ..

My name is .....

Maiden name ..... Chapter .....

My address is .....

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Please notify your Kappa Service Man that you are sending this blank.

If you have questions pertaining to the services of Kappa's Army and Navy Association, consult the chairman, Mrs. Malin Craig, Jr., 3133 Connecticut Avenue, Washington 8, D.C. Also send her information if you are doing war work of an interesting nature. Tell her if you have a responsible volunteer job, have joined the WACs, WAVES, WAFS, or SPARS, are working for a war industry or for the government in a war job, etc.



## New York Center . . .

# SERVICE WOMEN SHARED FOUNDERS' DAY TEA

By *Almira Johnson McNaboe (Mrs. James F.), H-Wisconsin, New York Center Chairman, K K Γ Historian and Past Grand Vice-President*

**F**OUNDERS' DAY in New York brought together several scores of Kappa alumnae and almost as many service women, in the lounge of the Service Women's Center at the Biltmore. The latter were not specially invited, but dropped in as they do every day toward evening. The charming tea table, party food and flowers were evidently a pleasant surprise, and many expressed satisfaction in helping celebrate the fact that Kappa was 74 years young. It is *their* Center and they obviously felt quite at home among the "sisters."

September 10 more than 500 servicemen and women, invited that time, very specially, enjoyed another of the now-famous tea dances which always bring the eager question: "How soon the next one?" Manhattan Beach Coast Guard band and glee club, Helen Myers' nimble fingers on the keyboard between dances to lure sailors and soldiers into harmonizing, Kathleen Davis' game room committee to plan varied diversions for many, including some wounded veterans; the KP brigade providing ample and various drinkables, especially MILK, quantities of richly iced cakes and (with the coöperation of a sailor emissary who commandeered a taxi to mid-Long Island to fetch them) hundreds of sandwiches; everybody helped. So did the Elizabeth Arden powder room, as usual the scene of final touches before the festivities and at intervals during the party.

Service women, coming to the New York Center after having visited one or another of its younger sister centers, not only bring glowing accounts of the services rendered by the "Kappa girls," but act as messengers of good will everywhere.

So too our former "regulars" who have been transferred elsewhere and now write us from England or California, Italy or New Guinea.



**PRIMPING** at the Elizabeth Arden powder bar in the Service Women's Center at the Hotel Biltmore, New York, for one of those famous Kappa parties. Or just primping.

In New York alone more than 85,000 have been entertained already.

### Service Women's Centers

General Chairman: Mrs. Andrew J. Shide-mantle (Rosemary Jo Wentworth, Ω).

Advisers—Alice Burrows (B M); Mrs. Gustave M. Heiss (Virginia Tucker Jones, Γ K); Dr. Marion Hilliard (B Ψ); Mrs. Sydney L. Johnson (Emily Caskey, B H).

Service Women's Center Chairmen: Baltimore, Doris Anne Iglar (B A); Columbus, Mrs. William F. Havens (Nola Dysle, B N); Denver, Helen McCreery (Δ Z); Des Moines, Mrs. R. H. Sylvester (Ethel Newcomb, B Z); El Paso, Anna Jo Davis (Δ Θ); Hawaii, Mrs. Arthur E. Restarick (Jessie Purdy, B Ω); Los Angeles, Mrs. Herman J. Garretson (Helen Huston, B II); New York, Mrs. James F. McNaboe (Almira C. Johnson, H); Phoenix, Mrs. Harold B. Powers (Winifred J. Norton, Γ Z), and St. Louis, Mrs. Dean H. Whiteman (Helen Boyd, A<sup>Δ</sup>).



# Coöperative War Work Upped Alumnae Membership . . .

By Margaret Shillington, Δ K-University of Miami

**A**FTER someone had casually asked at the April meeting of the Miami alumnae association "Why can't we *do* something this year as a group for the war effort?" a chairman was appointed to look into possibilities.

In two weeks Marjorie Gowin (Mrs. Thomas S.), chairman, had a weekly Kappa



MIAMI, FLORIDA, *Kappa alumnae wouldn't miss that Tuesday evening Red Cross bee for anything. Here Kathleen Daniels McMullan (Mrs. Frank W.) is reading a letter from her son, with the armed forces in Italy, to Dorothy Wright, Junior Red Cross director for Dade county, and Dora Peterson Richardson (Mrs. William N.), alumnae association president, all members of Δ K-University of Miami.*

Red Cross project in full swing, a project which has become in three months the pride and joy and (it must be admitted) the *astonishment* of all Miami Kappas.

Each Tuesday evening since that first meeting groups of Kappas and their friends, sometimes as few as 10, sometimes as many as 25, have met in the Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters. Each step has been learned, from laying and cutting gauze to the final bagging and labeling of

the finished bandages for shipping.

In three months Miami Kappas have put in a total of more than 500 volunteer hours and can show as the tangible result 11,000 yards of gauze laid and cut, innumerable bandages inspected, and something like 97,500 bandages bagged.

In all, 44 Miami Kappas have participated different evenings in the Red Cross work. Leading in hours volunteered, each with more than 20, are Nelle Brimson (Mrs. William G.), Aimee Due (Mrs. H. F.), Wynelle Hughes (Mrs. Kenneth), Dora Richardson (Mrs. William N.), Bette Sloan (Mrs. Ellis), Dorothy Tuttle (Mrs. Leonard M.), Dorothy Wright and Marjorie Gowin, all of Delta Kappa chapter. Kappas owe much to Mrs. Thomas E. Grady, county vice-chairman of volunteer special services of the Red Cross, who has sponsored the project, and to Mrs. James Munroe, instructor.

To Miami Kappas the intangible results have been even more amazing. Paid membership in the association has made a remarkable jump from 29 to 82, due to Nelle Brimson, membership chairman, who has plugged for dues along with Red Cross hours.

There has been an enormous improvement in the coöperative spirit of the entire association. Where before we saw each other only every two months at the regular meetings, now we meet every week or so. Old friendships have been renewed and new friendships formed. There is always time for chatter and gossip over the work tables, the comparing of notes on overseas husbands, the trading of snapshots of babies and families. We Miami Kappas are getting acquainted again!

Greatest thrill of all, of course, is the warm satisfaction we gain in giving service where it is desperately needed in the Red Cross production corps and in the knowledge that we, as Kappas, are really "*doing something*" for our country at war.



## THE BAILEYS FOUND A WAY TO HELP

EDITOR'S NOTE: Two summers ago, Mrs. Bailey was Boise alumnae delegate to the 1942 convention at the Seignior club. The December 1942 KEY published an article about Mr. and Mrs. Bailey as rancher-farmers in wartime who were also doubling as Mr. and Mrs. USO for the young men at the flying school near them.

In the interval since 1942, as this article tells, the Navy has come to the wide Oregon plain and has gone again. But it was Mrs. Bailey, with her good Kappa husband's assistance and encouragement, who mothered those Navy cadets and transformed their bleak barracks into pleasant, comfortable quarters.

THE KEY thinks that what the Baileys have done, always in addition to their own arduous schedule of ranch-farming without adequate help, typifies the American spirit of friendliness and neighborliness, and illustrates how it is possible to be helpful to others, no matter where one lives, if one has the will to be helpful. Nor is it too much for Mrs. Bailey to drive 60 miles in to Boise for a Kappa Founders' day dinner, as she did last October!

By Dorothy Pattee Bailey (Mrs. Frederick S.), X-Minnesota

**A** LITTLE over a year ago the Navy selected the Halladay School of Flying here at Ontario, Oregon, as an Air Corps training center, which brought between 80 and 100 cadets in residence there at a time. The building in which the boys were housed was as bare as a new barn, with nothing in its living quarters except an old piano and two broken-down davenport, besides half a dozen picnic benches attached to wooden tables—really a dreadful place in which to have to stay.

So, one Saturday afternoon, a friend of mine in Ontario and I started out to see what we could do about it. By 8 o'clock that evening we had collected more than \$600 from the merchants up and down Main street (really Oregon street, but I always think Main street suits it better!)

The following week was a busy one, but by Saturday evening everything was in readiness, and Sunday morning we fixed up the new "lounge," as we called it. So that when the boys returned in the evening from their leaves, they were thrilled at the changed appearance.

"What are you trying to do, make us homesick?" Another said, "Oh, boy, do you know we have a radio exactly like that one

at home!" etc. I almost cried, myself, the boys were so sweet and pleased with everything.

We had had the ceiling and walls and floors done over, and had completely furnished the room with new furniture—big davenport and chairs, floor lamps, tables, coffee tables, rugs, card tables, victrola, combination radio and victrola, three or four large pictures which Fred and I donated; and the florist had sent out great baskets of flowers which added just the necessary festive appearance.

Then Mr. Bailey was worried because they didn't have any reading material in the form of good books. So we finally decided to create a "lending library" from our own home library here, and it seemed to work just fine.

We kept 20 books there all of the time, replacing 10 every week, so that each book was there at least two weeks—and some of them were there as long as two months. The boys were so appreciative of having these new and current books to read. Out of the 213 books we took over to the barracks during the year, only two were lost and one mutilated. It seems to me that is a wonderful record, considering all the



many cadets coming and going. The Navy officers were very helpful and kept a cadet librarian there all of the time to look after the books and collect them for us at the right time.

It was really lots of fun. The only disappointment I had during the whole year was that I never found any cadet who was even distantly related to Kappa, and I am sure there must have been some there at some time.

Fred, being a very good Kappa husband, was enthusiastic about doing things for this Navy training center, too. We have a large number of ducks and pheasants on our ranch each year, so just before the hunting season opened, he told the officers he was reserving all hunting privileges on the ranch for them. They were delighted, of course, and all got their limit of birds. He also had a large vegetable garden, so we provided them with many fresh vegetables at market prices.

**W**E MISS the boys. We miss jitneying them back and forth to town as we pass the airport, and we miss having them here

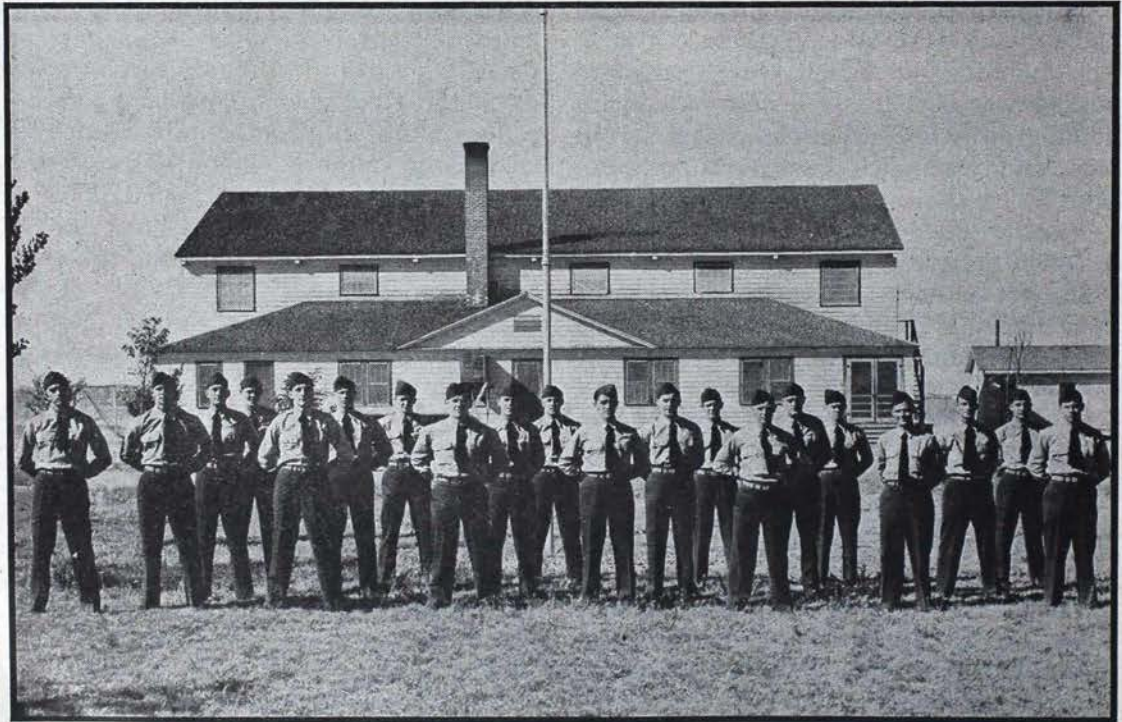
at our home. The last class has finished and the Navy has closed this center along with many others. They were grand boys.

The barracks building belonged to the city of Ontario, so we turned over all the furnishings, and a surplus of \$80 to the city council, to do with as it thought best. The furniture has been removed and now our barracks has been rented to a large dehydrating firm which will use it for the storage of ONIONS.

A few days ago I had the interesting experience of meeting a WAC, a young Hungarian girl, who has visited our Kappa Center in New York. She was most enthusiastic about it and it was fun hearing first-hand news from one of our own posts.

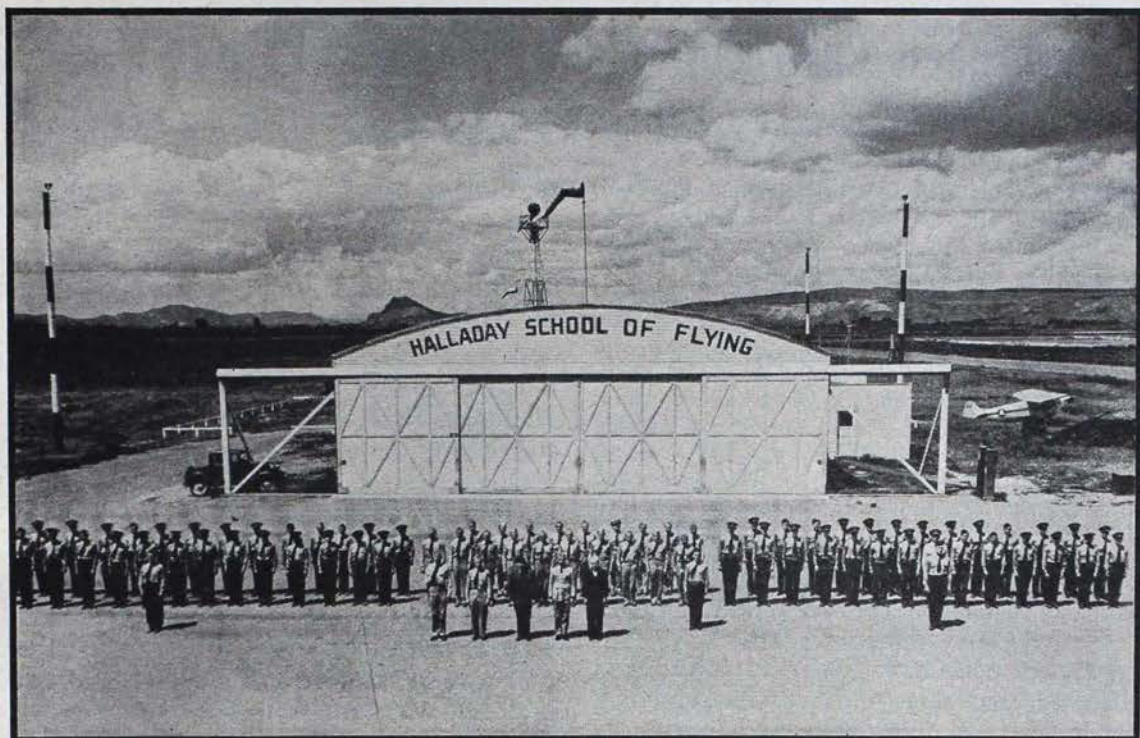
The rest of our ranch work goes on as usual. Last year I bought \$600 worth of war bonds just from the sale of eggs! However, the hens seem to be taking rather a long furlough at present. Fred and I are still putting in full time days at our work. We are up at 5 A.M., busy all day long and up till 10 to 11 at night.

Besides the necessary ranch crops, we are



**NOW RENTED** for the storage of onions, this is the erstwhile barracks, with the Navy cadets lined up before it, for which Dorothy Pattee Bailey (Mrs. Frederick S.), X-Minnesota, raised more than \$600 from public-spirited Ontario, Oregon, citizens, to create a habitable lounge for the cadets.





IN FRONT of the private flying school taken over by the Navy for an Air Corps training center near Ontario, Oregon, the men are lined up in formation. Over in the distance between the butte, left center, and the hills at the left is the Bailey ranch.

still trying to raise the things requested by the government, such as sugar beets, certain grains and seed crops. The labor situation this year has made it very difficult at harvest time.

We have learned to take everything in our stride and I am not even worried any

more when I am suddenly informed that I will have a hay crew of five or six men to feed for dinner, perhaps a couple of hours later!

So the life of the rancher-farmer goes on from day to day and year to year in war time.



### Sponge (Soap) the Slate Clean for the New Year!

At the beginning of a new year everyone has the sense of having another chance. A new year offers a fresh, untouched opportunity. Everyone thinks that perhaps *this* is the time to start anew, that *this* will be the year in which to make a clean-up. One practical possibility, if all else fails, is Sponge soap. It cleans up paint, rugs, upholstery; cleans up profits for Kappa association treasuries. Central office has order blanks, or they may be obtained direct from the Sponge Soap company, Box 186, Media, Pennsylvania.



# New Bequest Chairman Sees War Repeat Pattern . . .

By Lucile Pattison Esmiol (Mrs. Morris), B M-Colorado, K K Γ Bequest Chairman

[EDITOR'S NOTE: As a bride in the other war, immediately after leaving her Kappa contacts as an undergraduate, Mrs. Esmiol saw her young officer husband go overseas, where he remained to serve with the Army of Occupation. Her alumna association with Kappa Kappa Gamma began actively in 1932, when she came to the Swampscott convention to work for a charter for Delta Zeta chapter at Colorado college, for which she served as president of the house board during the building of the chapter house. Following eight years as chapter standards adviser, Mrs. Esmiol became president of Eta province, an experience which filled her with "such an appreciation and respect for the youth of this generation that it seems something I shall treasure always." From this point her story continues in her own words.]

**A**FTER a period of inactivity in Kappa, I find that same old pattern spreading itself before me—war—and curiously enough, Kappa contacts, with all their philanthropic plans, so necessary and so worthwhile in the establishment of peace and goodwill that must come to a war-weary world.

War—the disaster which was never to occur again—with a replica of my past experience to go through again, only this time intensified two-fold, not only for me but many of my contemporaries. In this war, not only has my husband responded as colonel and executive of a photographic air base in Italy; but also the son just out of Annapolis is now an ensign on a cruiser in the south Pacific.

Having assumed again the usual activities for women whose duties are necessarily at home, I served in motor corps, Council of Social Agencies, Girl Scouts, as chairman of a recreation center and other branches of the many services until, with the departure

of three-fifths of my family (my daughter having gone to school in Florida), I decided upon a new form of service.

With the head of my household gone, no help, a big house, two and one-half acres and a 13-year-old son, it seemed pretty much as though I should be on the spot at all times. So I decided to consolidate my war efforts under my own roof.

Our city (Colorado Springs) being hopelessly overcrowded with Army, I used just about one-half of my house for officers and their wives, whose gratitude for warm and comfortable quarters, as well as a roof over their heads, was pathetic. In fact, the reaction was so stimulating that I went into it in a big way and in the past year and a half have housed 26 couples.

Never doubt but that I used all the Nurses' Aide I knew, all the first aid, motor transportation, etc. For we have had babies here, sudden operation, automobile accidents, many sudden departures for destinations unknown, separations for overseas and home, heart throbs joyous and sorrowful; experiences enough to fill a book.

I think I was seriously considering just that when Clara Pierce got hold of me last summer and the camps around here began to thin out.

So now my thoughts are again following Kappa's call, and as soon as the bequest committee formulates current plans, you'll be hearing from me. For I am inspired with the opportunity not only to carry on the good work that has been done, but to be able to participate in the increasing needs of the postwar period.



## She Willed, That Kappa Can Grow Greater

**M**ARY G. ROSS, B T-Syracuse, former teacher in the Syracuse public schools, who died February 19, 1944, left a bequest of \$3,000 to Kappa Kappa Gamma, \$1,000 of the amount for the Rose McGill fund and \$2,000 for the endowment fund. Miss Ross also made a bequest of \$3,000 and her badge to her chapter, Beta Tau; and willed all her volumes of *THE KEY* to the fraternity historian. Miss Ross was an early member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, having been initiated in 1888, five years after Beta Tau chapter was founded.



# Chairman's Choice . . .

## Pledge Training Viewed as Personality Study

By *Lucile James Shepard (Mrs. Warren O.)*, B T-Syracuse,  
K K Γ Pledge Training Chairman

SOMEWHERE among all the pledges of all the chapters there must be a girl who, because of her personality, character and background, could qualify as the average pledge of Kappa Kappa Gamma. She is worth considerable cogitation, this average pledge, for upon her traits the structure of pledge training should be built.

The color of her hair is irrelevant, as is her favorite comic strip. What is important is the fact that she comes from a family whose members realize the value of education. Thus she has been imbued with a natural conscientiousness in her studies and emerged from high school with grades presentable enough to eke a gold wrist watch out of Uncle Horace for graduation. Now in college, she retains her diligence, but finds university teaching methods confusing and much more difficult. Activities have always figured in her life ever since she joined the Stunt club in fourth grade. She intends to work in two or three fields on campus if she can just hear the right entrance cue.

Her family ranking in the upper middle class bracket, she has been exposed to the niceties of social life and she has absorbed the precepts of etiquette. The only situations which make her reach for a steady volume of *Emily Post* are the new ones which college life presents, as in rushing and large-scale receptions and the first university formal. Men she considers complementary to her world, particularly if she can meet congenial gentlemen looking for feminine complements to their own lives.

This average pledge has high ideals, yet in the worldly discussions of the classroom she finds many of her old concepts criticized and discarded. She appreciates her association with an organization that has its very roots in ideals.

While her past experiences in group living have been centered primarily in Girl

Scout camp several summers ago, she has caught a glimpse of what it can mean. She is willing to do her share, but is subject to a good human peeve when she notes others dawdling by the wayside. In spite of her general self-confidence she is admittedly a little scared of doing something errant and causing the wrath of the upperclassmen to descend upon her.

By far her most conspicuous trait, her eternal enthusiasm, is tinged with the newness of these personable companions she has found and with the anticipation of things to come. It remains for this effervescent eagerness to be transformed into a deep admiration for the fraternity and for the friends it affords.

Thus the average Kappa pledge is a girl of high calibre. It is only fair that we attune our pledge training methods to her characteristics. Unless we maintain the highest possible plane in our pledge training, our future actives and alumnae will be something less than their potentialities promised.

**Briefly, the highest possible plane of pledge training, or any personnel work, deals with individual encouragement, not mass compulsion. In this phase, pledge mothers or big sisters are the most important factor of all, for while pledge meetings can teach the facts and the lore of the fraternity, they cannot provide the completely personal touch that a pledge deserves.**

Bobbing around in the mind of the pledge is many a question which she would like to put to some trusted purveyor of advice. What are the activities on campus really like, disregarding publicity notices? What is wrong with her studying, why can't she get a better mark in psych? Whom should she room with next year? Does the chapter like her per se, or are there some little faults which she can quietly eradicate? Is philosophy a good course or would another year of math be better? And—oh, im-



portant decision—whom should she ask to the strategic spring formal?

Now merit charts and point systems can never decide which activities are best for a pledge, or why she is getting a D in psych. Pledge meetings cannot be turned over to debates on dates for the spring formal. But a pledge mother or big sister can harken to these daily queries, whether they be trifling or momentous, and sit down with her young charge and just talk things over. That is the crux of the matter. Talk things over. Let the pledge know that the chapter, through her pledge mother, has a deeply personal interest in her. With completely individual encouragement the pledge will follow a pattern cut out for herself alone; not a schedule of set requirements to be fulfilled by every pledge whether fitted for it or not.

**One of the fundamental aims of the fraternity is to develop each girl to her greatest capabilities.**

We cannot toss that lightly aside. The process will take time and effort and understanding, but such work is the essence of fraternity. The results will be compensation enough.

**B**ACKING the work of the pledge captain and the pledge mothers, the entire chapter has a finger in the pie of pledge training. Call it their example, their *esprit de corps*, or what you will, their current attitude is as clear to the pledges as a wind-sock showing the prevailing breeze. Nine chances out of 10 the pledges will drift in the same direction. Beware if yours is an oh-well-let-the-other-person-do-the-work chapter. Or a scholarship-is-all-right-if-you-don't-have-a-date chapter. The virus is malignant and the only prognosis is a long period of invalidism. But if your pledges can catch the fire of hearty coöperation and conscientious scholarship, then your sturdy chapter has an outlook that is indeed optimistic.

Just as a pledge appreciates her particular upperclass patron saint, so she pounces on overtures of friendship from other actives and alumnæ. Since you are already neatly ensconced in an established group and the pledges are rather bashful newcomers, you probably will have to take the initiative in this respect. Not only make the opening gestures but keep up your warm welcome even after the first exhilaration of pledging has worn off. Wondrous are the works wrought by friendships between actives and pledges. In a living panorama of fraternity, the pledge becomes that much more enthused, that much more inspired by her new status. Friendship is a magic elixir, for fair.

Alumnæ too can wield a potent influence through friendship with pledges, and with the actives. Your generation matters not a whit. These fledgling Kappas enjoy your company and no doubt would accept in a trice if proffered an invitation to your home. (*That* cannot even be classified as a hint.)

**Despite such a seemingly billowy program, Kappa does not intend to spoil its pledges; nor does it mean to harass them with coercion. The path instead should take a middling route, with genuine personal interest in pledges and generous understanding smoothing over the little bumps, supplemented with a touch of discipline in the case of major obstacles.**

There is, as always, much to learn of the fraternity itself and its kindred groups in Panhellenic. This the pledge committee can accomplish in meetings. It remains for the rest of the chapter and alumnæ to teach the pledge the spirit and the very fiber of the fraternity; it remains for the total membership to absorb the new ones into the midst of the chapter.

The lot of pledge training no longer falls to the pledge captain alone. Every Kappa connected with an active chapter plays a role in this study in personality. We dare say you'll find it fun.





# Those Kappas-to-Be . . .

## Each Kappa Has Obligation to Pledges

By Martha Galleher Cox (Mrs. L. E.), P<sup>A</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, Field Secretary

IF WE WERE to expend as much time and thought and effort on pledge training as we devote to membership selection, the entire fraternity system would profit by it. Everyone, alumnae and undergraduates alike, knows or thinks she knows all about rushing: who the rush chairman is, what girls are being rushed, which girls should receive a bid, what rushing techniques are best. These things can arouse the interest of almost anyone of our members, *young or old*. And yet, after those very rushees receive a bid and are pledged, how much interest is displayed in what happens to those pledges whom we have asked to join our fraternity?

It has been my experience that the vast majority of our alumnae know little or nothing about our pledge training programs. When any thought is given to it at all, they remember pledge meetings they attended some years ago and assume that we are doing the same thing today. When a pledge adviser is needed by some chapter, it is often impossible to find one of our alumnae with the time and the interest to give to that all-important job. Often when we do come upon a person who offers her services, she is not equipped to do the job, partially through our neglect in familiarizing her with the task before her, and partially through her own neglect in procuring the aid of those who have had the experience to help her.

I do not mean to minimize the efforts of many fine pledge advisers whom I do know throughout the country who have grasped the significance of the job they have volunteered to do, and are devoting their time and effort to that job. I do mean to emphasize the fact that the manner in which we work with our new members each year is going to point the way for our fraternity of the future. We have 74 chapters and each one needs a pledge adviser, a woman

who will devote her time and thought to a program for girls younger than herself in age and experience, a program which will point the way toward a finer and more constructive college experience.

A pledge trainer is elected by each chapter to guide the new pledges through their training period. Fortunately, we have some chapters who know the importance of that office and elect a girl equipped to do the job. There are still too many chapters which do not understand the importance of the office, and elect a girl who is not capable of handling one of the most important positions in the chapter.

A pledge captain should have had if possible at least one year of experience as an active member, preferably two, so that she will have both sides of the picture. She should be a girl who will command the respect, admiration and affection of the entire chapter, both actives and pledges. She should, by her own example, point the way toward the type of life her pledges should follow. She must inspire respect, not only for herself, but for her fraternity and for her university. It is her responsibility to enlist the aid of the other chapter officers and active members in carrying out a program for the best interests of the pledges. She needs a thorough understanding of human nature, tact in dealing with people, ingenuity in finding the answers to the needs of those with whom she is working. Show me a girl, then, who has these qualities; she is the girl whom we should elect to guide our newest members in their training period. Each chapter should have such a girl; we should be developing just such leaders in all of our chapters; we aim to develop leadership and, once it is developed, to use it in leading others.

The adviser and the pledge trainer must have some guidance. This they receive in part from the fraternity. Pledge training



manuals and pledge handbooks are published and distributed among the chapters each year. This year we are proud to present a pledge handbook written by one of our young alumnae members. It is new, it is good reading; it is vital, it is helpful and to the point. Its author was a pledge trainer herself and has been the general fraternity's director of pledge training.

The university, as well as the fraternity, has a vital interest in what becomes of these pledges. The dean of women and her assistants watch over every girl in the university, and more often than not from this office we may receive suggestions on ways to deal with our problems, individually or collectively. All women's fraternity groups on one campus are faced with similar problems; by sharing their ideas and by following the direction of their dean, they may better fulfill their rightful responsibility on the campus.

**N**EXT, we will consider the pledge meetings conducted each week in all of our chapters and attended by all pledges, the pledge trainer and her assistant. The adviser should be present also, whenever possible. Above all, we strive to make those meetings interesting. Those of us who have been in Kappa a long time have found it not only interesting, but a source of real pleasure and pride. The feelings that we have about our fraternity are relayed to our pledges. This can be done by showing to those girls the history of our fraternity, its fine members and its achievements. We are proud of them, and because we are proud, we want to show to these new girls the source of our pride.

In my opinion, our pride in Kappa does not come only from the achievements accomplished in the name of the fraternity, such as our high scholastic standing; our excellent publication, *THE KEY*; our fine and worthwhile philanthropies—some permanent—some temporary as the needs arise; our leadership and coöperation in Panhel-

lenic; our record of wise expansion in the finest colleges throughout the country; our sound financial condition, our fine organizational setup. These things we are indeed proud of, and we want our new members to learn about them as we know them.

But there is something more. There are the individual Kappas we learn to know and admire; there are those chapters and alumnae groups other than our own, each with its own problems and characteristics, but each contributing something to its campus or its community as the case may be; there are the good and lasting friendships that we make in our own chapters; there is that sense of belonging to our college and contributing to its existence both as an individual and as a member of a group. These things, too, we want our pledges to add to their experience. Of all this we try to give them at least an inkling in their weekly pledge meetings. That is the beginning of each Kappa's training course, and it is important that she get started out in the right direction.

**Too often, I am afraid, this start in the right direction is left entirely to one girl, the pledge trainer. It is too much to expect of her.**

Why don't we all follow up throughout the year on the girls whom we know who have pledged Kappa in some college? If you are an active, show those pledges *every day* how happy and proud you are to have them with you. Show them a Kappa and college experience that has been worthwhile and gratifying to you. See that your behavior in every way measures up to the standards your pledges will be proud of and anxious to live up to. If you are an alumna, you can do exactly the same thing, in your alumnae group instead of in your chapter; in your own home instead of the Kappa house or dormitory, in your community instead of your campus.

All of us have an obligation to our newest members. After we have rushed and then pledged those prospective new members, let us not forget that obligation.





## Mortgage Burned . . .

# FIRST NPC GROUP TO OWN OREGON STATE HOUSE

By Anne Lumsden, *Gamma Mu-Oregon State, Key Correspondent*

**M**ARCH 23, 1944, was a red-letter day in the annals of Gamma Mu chapter. On this date the house, which members of the chapter have called home for the past nine years, became the sole property of the chapter and the occasion was celebrated by the burning of the mortgage.

Gamma Mu thus becomes the first women's fraternity on the campus of Oregon State college to own its chapter house without obligation of any sort.

Invitations to the formal burning of the mortgage were sent all active members and alumnæ within traveling distance. With true wartime ingenuity, appropriate invitations were made by the actives. A block print of the house had "Formal Burning of Mortgage" printed beneath.

Alumnæ and actives gathered around the fireplace in the living room after dinner. Following a short talk on the history of the local chapter by Mrs. Fern Price, of the Corvallis alumnæ association, one of the earlier members and mother of our own active Beverly Price, songs were sung and the mortgage was burned by chapter president Markie Weatherford.

Of the 13 NPC groups at Oregon State, Kappa Kappa Gamma is one of the younger houses, having been established only since June 7, 1924. The local group, as Gamma Iota, had its beginning in room 225 of Waldo hall, oldest women's residence hall on the campus, in 1917. Members of this organization determined to petition Kappa Kappa Gamma, but it was seven years before a charter was granted. During this time the petitioning group became outstanding in scholarship and membership on the campus. Those initiated as charter members were Louise Arnold, Irene Barber, Ruth Cleland, Delores Kelsey, Doris Cooke, Enid Beale, Ida Granberg, Frances Jones, Ann Carlson and Jessie McDonald Acklund.

Kappas first occupied their present home

in the fall of 1935. Prior to this, chapter members had lived in a small, rather inadequate house which somewhat limited the membership. The new house immediately became known on the campus as the "Kappa Kastle," due, no doubt, to the Norman type of architecture. It is a three story



"KAPPA KASTLE," *Gamma Mu's home at Oregon State, is now in the clear.*

structure with full basement which houses the chapter room, smoking rooms, files and archives, trunk and luggage storage room as well as the furnace and laundry rooms.

The first floor is extremely well planned for the comfort of a large living group. A wide entrance hall goes through the center of the house with a long living room at one side and the dining room on the other. A sun room and terrace open from the living room. The housemother's suite is also on this floor.

The second and third floors are composed of study and living rooms, with a large sleeping porch on the third floor where all members sleep in double-tiered bunks.

The chapter has been remarkably fortunate in having active and enthusiastic Mothers' clubs in both Portland and Cor-





**MARKIE WEATHERFORD**,  $\Gamma$  M president, holds *dat ole dabbil mortgage* as it turns to ashes. Looking on are chapter officers, from left, standing, **Carleta DeArmond**, recording secretary; **Gerry Anderson**, manager, and **Louise Groshong**, social chairman. In the front, from left, are **Molly McBride**, treasurer; **Florence Sims**, registrar; **Anne Lumsden**, Key correspondent; **Dorothy Magg**, corresponding secretary, and **Maxine Bruer**, pledge captain.

vallis, which have contributed much toward the furnishing of the house.

**B**Y COLLEGE regulations freshman girls must live in the residence halls for one year, unless these units are overcrowded, in which event first year students may move into their fraternity houses. During the past year the women's residence halls were taken over by the Army Student Training Units. On our campus the problem of housing an unusually large number of women students was solved by taking over the men's fraternity houses for the year, and by the women's fraternities filling their houses to capacity at the beginning of the year with boarders. At the end of the first term those

boarders who had pledged various houses moved to their own organizations, and those who had not pledged were housed in the men's houses. This might appear to have been a difficult situation, but it was worked out satisfactorily.

The Kappa house accommodates 45 women comfortably. As the average chapter membership is from 55 to 70, it is necessary that some members live outside the house.

The house has faced the usual wartime difficulties of rationing, lack of house boys, and inadequate help. At times this has proved a real challenge to the members, but during last year all of these problems were met and solved by the girls themselves.





**THEY BEAMED** while mortgage burned

The active members feel that much credit for the smooth operation of the house, as well as the excellent financial condition in which we find ourselves, is due to the help and guidance of our housemother, Mrs.

Elise Leekley. Mrs. Leekley has been with the Oregon State chapter for the past eight years, and during these years she has been of immeasurable assistance to the actives.



Not Only "Still," But "More!"

**F**AITH WELLING MERRILL (Mrs. Ernest M.), B N-Ohio State, is living in Washington, D.C., presumably for the duration. She and her husband were lucky enough to find a comfortable apartment. One fine day the manager of the large apartment group noticed Mrs. Merrill's golden key.

"Are you *still* interested?" he inquired.

To which Mrs. Merrill replied heartily that she was "*even more* interested."

It developed that the manager's recognition of Kappa keys dated to his undergraduate days at the University of Colorado, when he waited table at the Beta Mu chapter house.

Mrs. Merrill is the mother of Frances Merrill Warner (Mrs. Robert R.), Δ B-Duke.





The  
Council

A...BA...ΓA...ΔA...BB...ΓB...ΔB...ΓΓ...ΔΓ...Δ...BA...ΓA...ΔA...E...FE...DE...BZ...TZ...ΔZ...H...IH...ΔH...Θ...BO...ΓO...I...ΓI...ΔI...K...BK...TK...ΔK...A...BA...TA...ΔA...M...L...BM...DM...BN...TN...ΔN...BE...ΓE...ΔE...BO...TO...II...BII...TII...P...BN





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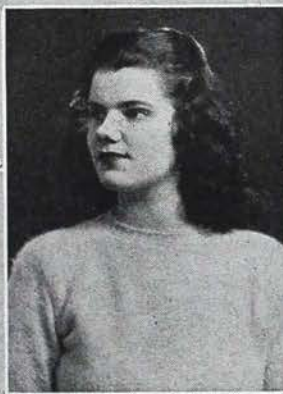


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Margaret Anne Massengill, Γ A-Kansas State. Φ K Φ, Quill club president, senior Panhellenic vice-president



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**MORTAR BOARD** members at *Gamma E-Pittsburgh* are, from the left, *Betty Adams, June Thomson and Virginia Volkay.*

### Being a Kappa Paid "Real Dividends"

**O**UT OF A FULL and grateful heart, Larose Forquer Broz (Mrs. William R.),  $\Gamma$  H-Washington State, has sent **THE KEY** a report of her experiences in San Diego, where her husband, Captain William R. Broz, is chief of medicine at the Fort Rosecrans hospital.

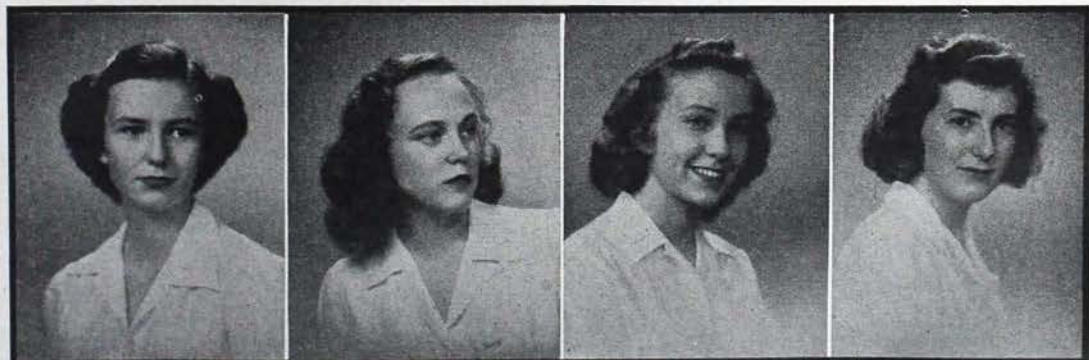
"San Diego is a typical war town, possibly the most overcrowded place in the country next to Washington, D.C.," she wrote. "Houses and apartments are absolutely at a premium here. It is not uncommon to read in the paper of rewards up to \$50 for information regarding houses to rent.

"When I first came to town I had to stay in the guest house at the fort. The guest house accommodations (limit six days per guest) consisted of an army cot and one chair. No rugs, curtains, bureau or even closet.

"Central office had sent the association here our name, and imagine how pleased and thrilled I was when they got in touch with us and the president, whose husband is also a physician, kindly offered to have us out for Christmas dinner. Also since I've been here another Kappa moved to Santa Ana and arranged for us to have her house.

**"Really, I can't think of what I would have done without the Kappas and their gracious help and kindness since we've been here . . . and I didn't know a solitary soul in town when I arrived."**

Larose wants to let all the Kappas know of "just one instance when it paid real dividends to be a Kappa," because she knows "none better, being a stranger here myself, how much fun it is to get **THE KEY** and read all about the doings of one's friends in various chapters."



**SCHOLASTIC HONORS** have been won by this quartet from  $\Gamma$   $\Gamma$ -Whitman: from the left, *Betty Tobey, Mortar Board; and Barbara Atwater, Joyce McKay and Barbara A. Holmes, Phi Beta Kappas.*



# Pledges

(Pledges reported to November 10. To be continued in April issues.)

†Deferred pledging

\*Deferred fall opening

‡Major rushing later in season

## ALPHA PROVINCE

\*BETA BETA DEUTERON—*St. Lawrence University*

PHI—*Boston University*

Margaret Anderson, Weymouth, Mass.; Alice Fredey, Waban, Mass.; Vasilike Giatas, Persis MacLean, Lowell, Mass.; Emily Hewett, Mary Jane Lee, Wellesley, Mass.; Louise Lehr, Manchester, Conn.; Marjorie Lyons, Cambridge, Mass.; Yvette Manseau, Southbridge, Mass.; Jeanne Peterson, Taunton, Mass.; Gloria Thomas, Stoneham, Mass.; Gloria VanHam, West Roxbury, Mass.

BETA TAU—*Syracuse University*

Mary Jane Courtney, Mary Jane Leyden, Lorraine Martin, Arlene Roberts, Suzanne Stover, Syracuse, N.Y.; Mary Egner, Carmel, N.Y.; Audrey Evans, Rome, N.Y.; Jean Fallow, Fairhaven, Mass.; Elizabeth Gamble, Bristol, Conn.; Sally Harrison, Bronxville, N.Y.; Miriam Lambdin, East Orange, N.J.; Jean Lindstrom, W. Englewood, N.J.; Bar-

bara McCann, Swansea, Mass.; Margaret Pitt, Closter, N.J.; Gail Sargent, Philadelphia, Pa.

\*PSI—*Cornell University*

†BETA PSI—*University of Toronto*

†GAMMA LAMBDA—*Middlebury College*

DELTA DELTA—*McGill University*

Jane Bishop, Dorothy Burden, Isabel Chapman, Mary Stuart Lemesurier, Isabel McGill, Mary Powell, Jean Scott, Joan Staniforth, Westmount, Que., Can.; Frances Christie, Toronto, Ont. Can.; Diana Davis, Como, Que. Can.; Joan Davis, Reading, Mass.; Joyce Haney, Noreen Haney, Greenwich, Conn.; Florence Hanson, Ann Luke, Joan Mason, Montreal, Que. Can.; Rosemary Holmes, Seattle, Wash., Maribeth Stobie, Belleville, Ont. Can.

†DELTA NU—*Massachusetts State College*

## BETA PROVINCE

GAMMA RHO—*Allegheny College*

Betty Bell, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; Helen Cavanaugh, Hubbard, Ohio; Frances Dallow, Shaker Heights, Ohio; Martha Dundon, Glen Ridge, N.J.; Nancy Dwelle, Erie, Pa.; Vera Hampson, Waynesburg, Pa.; Anne Hartman, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Alice Herbert, Kittanning, Pa.; Helen McCauler, Greensburg, Pa.; Glenna Miller, Vandergrift, Pa.; Lois Morse, Lakewood, Ohio; Wanda Ronneberg, Western Springs, Ill.; Mary-Ethel Schell, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Lauranna Schultz, Meadville, Pa.; Joan Young, Avalon, Pa.

\*BETA ALPHA—*University of Pennsylvania*

BETA SIGMA—*Adelphi College*

Agnes Barta, Floral Park, N.Y.; Constance Emanuel, Patricia Frothingham, Mee Lee, Hempstead, N.Y.; Gertrude Glaser, Carol Longeway, Garden City, N.Y.; Emily Goodwin, Edwina Wallace, Rockville Centre, N.Y.; Elvira Intermaggio, Oceanside, N.Y.

†GAMMA EPSILON—*University of Pittsburgh*

†DELTA ALPHA—*Pennsylvania State College*

DELTA MU—*University of Connecticut*

Ruth Baker, Ansonia, Conn.; Virginia Borrup, West Hartford, Conn.; Mildred Davis, Warehouse Point, Conn.; Bettie-Marie Green, East Haven, Conn.; Jane Hahn, Constance Lowell, Ruth Warner, Willimantic, Conn.; Mary Hamburger, Bridgeport, Conn.; Claire Hood, Riverside, Conn.; Constance Kehler, Manchester, Conn.; Helen Magnuson, Portland, Conn.; Claire de Montigny, Hamden, Conn.; Barbara Nelson, Elmwood, Conn.; Rosemarie Parsons, New Haven, Conn.; HenryEte Rakowski, Meriden, Conn.; Gertrude Stigberg, Waterbury, Conn.; Mary Lou Troy, Darien, Conn.

DELTA XI—*Carnegie Institute of Technology*

Marjorie Bittner, Elizabeth Floyd, Janet Hartman, Geraldine Hunter, Mary Elizabeth Kane, Mary Elizabeth Keefer, Bonnie Jean Lisle, Catherine McKenna, Erla Ramsey, Nancy Smith, Sarah Thompson, Jane Twitchell, Helen VanDyke, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Ann Frink, Walpole, Mass.; Mary Sue Thompson, East Liverpool, Ohio.

## GAMMA PROVINCE

†LAMBDA—*University of Akron*

\*RHO—*Ohio Wesleyan University*

BETA RHO—*University of Cincinnati*

Frances Ahlering, Betty Gene Biggar, Dorothy

Decker, Katherine Frazer, Marcia Hartman, Joan Howison, Dorothy Koch, Aurelia McIntyre, Jane Patten, Margaret Reece, Mary Ann Statts, Martha Sumbrook, Anne Thompson, Dorothy Tuttle, Cincinnati, Ohio; Betty Jayne Clark, Lorna Critchell, Terracé Park, Ohio; Judith Collins, Ft. Thomas,



Ky.; Evelyn Dudley, Parkersburg, W.Va.; Lyla Eells, Wyoming, Ohio; Mary Kathryn Hall, Norwood, Ohio; Marian Hetterick, Hamilton, Ohio; Martha Smales, Lebanon, Ohio.

*BETA NU—Ohio State University*

Mary Jean Ayars, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; Flora Jane Baldwin, Margaret Monnett Bennett, Jane Campbell, Mary Campbell, Nancy Casto, Mary Lou Dumbauld, Marilyn May, Patricia Morris, Nancy Noland, Charma Overbeck, Sara Parker, Marianne Renick, Marion Sanborn, Joan Shumaker, Columbus, Ohio; Margaret Barkman, Grand Blanc, Mich.; Emily Ann Carr, Lancaster, Ohio; Sara Clough, Wichita Falls, Tex.; Mignon Dake, Parkersburg, W.Va.; Carolyn Dumont, Scarsdale, N.Y.; Janet Jackson, Lakewood, Ohio; Charlotte Kuhn, Constance Norpell, Newark, Ohio; Julia McDonald, Springfield, Ohio; Marjorie Utley, Cincinnati, Ohio; Virginia Wellbrook, Chillicothe, Ohio; Mary Ann Willard, Donna Jean Williams, Zanesville, Ohio.

*GAMMA OMEGA—Denison University*

Susan Anderson, Margery Lawrence, Marilyn Parrott, Chicago, Ill.; Jane Bare, Sally Ann Miller, Joanne Vercoe, Columbus, Ohio; Elizabeth Bray,

Skokie, Ill.; Suzanne Campbell, Akron, Ohio; Frances Carpenter, Lois Gehrig, Marjorie Homer, Detroit, Mich.; Barbara Claus, Short Hills, N.Y.; Gloria Degian, Elmhurst, Ill.; Judith Anderson, Bath, Me.; Elizabeth Eberhart, Dayton, Ohio; Joanne Enerson, Glenview, Ill.; Anita Hancock, New Augusta, Ind.; Martha Harter, Wenona, Ill.; Mary Millicent Hill, Winnetka, Ill.; Marcia Miller, Betty Jean Weber, Evansville, Ind.; Wanda Ogden, Port Huron, Mich.; Jane Morrison, Fort Sheridan, Ill.; Virginia Scott, Newark, Ohio; Edith Walworth, Ben Avon, Pa.; Marcia Wood, Green Bay, Wis.

*DELTA LAMBDA—Miami University*

Jeanne Carol, Lima, Ohio; Margot Breaks, Crawfordsville, Ind.; Marion Conklin, Elizabeth, N.J.; Claire Cordes, Wyoming, Ohio; Shirley Curtis, Toledo, Ohio; Nancy Cutter, Nancee Sumner, Detroit, Mich.; Margery Fisher, Susanna Hinckley, Dayton, Ohio; Audrey Gardner, Richmond, Ind.; Elizabeth Hughes, Indianapolis, Ind.; Nancy Kauffman, Columbus, Ohio; Jane Morgan, Passaic, N.J.; Ann Pringle, Lakewood, Ohio; Maria Rugeley, Charleston, W.Va.; Nancy Saylor, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Violet Tatary, South Euclid, Ohio; Frances Woody, Covington, Ky.

DELTA PROVINCE

*DELTA—Indiana University*

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Barbara Balsara, Leonia, N.J.; Nancy Beale, Franklin, Va.; Dorothy Holbrooks, Merion, Pa.; Nancy Hartz, Moline, Ill.; Francy Kurtz, Grand Junction, Colo.; Alice O'Neal, Indianapolis, Ind.; Diane Raymond, Orlando, Fla.; Margot Starr, Winter Park, Fla.; Edith White, Oshkosh, Wis.

**DELTA IOTA—Louisiana State University**

Bettie Bedford, Kansas City, Mo.; Peggy Bockmon, Paducah, Ky.; Betty Brooks, Jane Foote, Alexandria, La.; Nancy Fitzgerald, Minden, La.; Eulalie Fleshman, Marie Grace, Gretchen Thislethwaite, Baton Rouge, La.; Emily Fredericks, Natchitoches, La.; Georgia Flournoy, Lillian Glassell, Jean Jackson, Sybil Law, Caroline O'Brien, Shreveport, La.; Olive Ann Grenaud, Lake Providence, La.; Margaret Hobbs, Tylertown, Miss.; Katherine Kyle, New Iberia, La.; Patricia Land, New Orleans, La.; Leolene Langford, Opelousas, La.; Mary Jane Lide, Mt. Pleasant, Tex.; Ruth Mundinger, Aruba, N.W.I.; Elizabeth Partridge, Lake Charles, La.; Margaret Pipes, Houma, La.; Patricia Weaver, Asheville, N.C.; Maria Wilbert Plaquemine, La.; Patricia Palfery, Franklin, La.

\*DELTA KAPPA—University of Miami



# MARRIAGES . . .

## Alpha Province

### Phi Chapter

Grace Pullen to Lieutenant Donald Blatt, Boston university—college of business administration, in June, 1944.

Ensign Lois J. Chamberlin to Lieutenant Allan Coates Norris, in June, 1944.

Bette A. Hines to Nicholas Philips, Boston University medical school.

### Beta Psi Chapter

Marion Daly to John Louis McDougall Bean, RCAMC, University of Toronto, April 1, 1944.

Kathleen East Cuninghame to Thomas E. Hull, A X, University of Toronto, meteorological service, RCAF, June 10, 1944.

Eileen Russel to Captain Frederick Gordon Kellam, RCDC, September 9, 1944.

Mary Evelyn Wilson to Dr. John Douglas McQueen Gillies, RCAMC, N Σ N, University of Toronto on October 6, 1944.

### Gamma Lambda Chapter

Doris Reeves Jones to Lieutenant Frederick J. Grab, Middlebury college.

## Beta Province

### Gamma Rho Chapter

Marilynn Braniger to Captain Earl Robert Crane, U. S. Army Dental Corps, July 20, 1944. At home: Fort Lewis, Washington.

Ensign Elinor Kistler to Lieutenant (j.g.) William Hamilton.

Wilmah Beck to Ensign Lawrence Larson, October 25, 1944.

Gail Richmond to Percy Lyndon, March 29, 1944.

Jane Patterson to Lieutenant William Robertson, May 25, 1944.

### Beta Sigma Chapter

Evelyn Waldo to Lewis Umland.

### Gamma Epsilon Chapter

Margaret L. Fixel to Lieutenant (j.g.) Francis R. McGeorge, USNR, June 19, 1944.

Katherine J. Hess to Corporal Richard C. Lindermann, April 15, 1944.

Betty Anne Crede to Ensign Gustav Wilde, USNR, II K A, September 16, 1944. At home: Newport, Rhode Island.

Agnes A. Dodds to Lieutenant (j.g.) Morton Frank, USNR, June 2, 1944.

Emma Jean Helman to Lieutenant Cyrus Jackson, Jr., June, 1944.

Nancy R. Sundstrom to Captain David T. Buente, Δ T Δ, September 16, 1944.

Dorothy C. Deutsch to Lieutenant E. T. Giles, Jr., in the summer of 1944.

### Delta Alpha Chapter

Jean Clark to Corporal John L. Bishop, Tufts college, September 23, 1944.

Kathyrne Metzger to Ensign Webster M. Moriarta, Jr., Φ Δ Θ, September 22, 1944.

### Delta Mu Chapter

Dilys Jones to Lieutenant Arnold Medbury, USNR.

Jean Hinman to Sergeant Raymond Bartman.

Helen Rogers to Staff Sergeant George Whitham. Corporal Edith Wollenberg, USMCWR, to Lieutenant Thomas Diesel.

### Delta Xi Chapter

Barbro Lindstrom to Carlton Lee Crane, July 15, 1944. At home: Rochester, New York.

Martha Jane Tennant to Lieutenant John Sterling Crawford, II, May 20, 1944.

Shirley Lou Forward to Lieutenant Edson Leigh Tennyson.

Mary O. McCarthy to Ensign Daniel Dickinson, USNR., September 23, 1944.

Helen E. Harrison to Wm. K. McAleer, Δ T Δ, July 1, 1944. At home: Bellevue, Pennsylvania.

Marion R. Krogh to Lieutenant Luther W. Stears, Jr., in the summer of 1944.

Gloria E. Matthews to Richard A. Butcosk, June 10, 1944. At home: New Orleans, Louisiana.

## Gamma Province

### Lambda Chapter

Betsy Stinchcomb to Captain William Heepe, USMC, in May, 1944.

### Rho Deuteron Chapter

Jane Crossett to Lieutenant Rupert Anderegg, July 15, 1944.

Doris F. Ward to Donald H. Ratchford, in May, 1944.

### Beta Rho Deuteron Chapter

Emily Garlich to Gordon B. Ingram, B Θ II, December 2, 1943.

Kathryn Seitz to Lieutenant John D. Quist, December 11, 1943.

Ruth Ann Street to Pfc. Frank E. Bratt, II E, April 26, 1943.

Elizabeth Ann Jenike to Lieutenant J. Paul Cocher, December 22, 1943.

Marianna Hunter to Lieutenant Donald L. Cruse, Σ A E, October 14, 1943.

Nancy Lee Sullivan Gupstill to Robert Frank Romell, USN, June 19, 1944.



Alice Kathryn Hundley to Lieutenant Marshall Chambers,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , January 12, 1944.

Shirley Ann Kleesattel to Ensign Byron T. Jennings, May 29, 1944.

Rowena Gregory to Dr. Ell Dee Compton, March 4, 1944.

Mary Ray Kemp Poetker to Louis G. Pohl, April 4, 1944.

Harriet L. Schurter to Lieutenant Gordon W. Bierhorst, USNAF, June 21, 1944.

Jean Anne Long to Chief Petty Officer Robert H. Watts, USNR, August 26, 1944.

Jeanne Hausfeld to Robert G. Kluener, October 23, 1944.

Loraine Fielman to Jack Blocher Pancero, August 5, 1944.

Charlotte Kisker to Pierson De Jager, May 13, 1944.

D. Joyce Nolan to Robert N. Montgomery, July 3, 1944.

Nancy Caroline Braun to Reuben Nathaniel Burch, B  $\Theta$  II, December 2, 1943.

#### Beta Nu Chapter

Arlene McIntyre to Pfc. Lloyd Shields, Ohio State university, September 3, 1944.

Marjorie Sanborn to Philip English, B  $\Theta$  II, Ohio State university, July 29, 1944.

Lorraine Van Ordstrand to Ensign Wesley Winkler,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , Denison university, in April, 1944.

Betty Sanor to Corporal Robert Cameron,  $\Phi \Kappa \Psi$ , Ohio State university, June 18, 1944.

Jean Ebright to Lieutenant Michael M. Elin, USNR, April 8, 1944.

Roberta Stevenson to Lieutenant Owen Dickerson, USMC, B  $\Theta$  II, Ohio State university, September 2, 1944.

Ruth Ann Stevens to Captain John A. Patterson, USAAC, Cornell university, June 7, 1944.

Barbara Archer to Lieutenant Thomas A. Lemmon, Ohio State university, October 28, 1944.

Phyllis Overbeck to Corporal Robert Wickliff, Ohio State university, October 17, 1944.

Ensign Mary Jane Konold to Ensign William A. Carral, August 7, 1944.

Ruth Goodwin to Ensign Frank B. Richey, E X, Ohio Wesleyan, May 13, 1944.

Peggy Johnson to Major Daniel M. Green, flight surgeon, NYU medical school, September 23, 1944.

#### Gamma Omega Chapter

Melissa Jane Sloan to Eugene Stolarik,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , University of Minnesota, June 24, 1944.

Betty Jane Morse to Jack Seamman Jones, B  $\Theta$  II, September 16, 1944.

Marjorie Greenfield to Samuel A. L. Morgan, Jr.,  $\Phi \Kappa \Psi$ , September, 1944.

Mary Ann Heisey and George Curtin,  $\Sigma$  X, August 5, 1944.

Barbara Baker to Ensign Robert Dunkin, USNR,  $\Sigma$  X, in July, 1944.

Jeanne Heesen to Lieutenant Charles E. Hoover, October 14, 1944.

## Delta Province

#### Delta Chapter

Kate Cole to Lieutenant William Buffington, K  $\Sigma$ , Purdue university, September 16, 1944.

Barbara Cutshall to Ensign Roy Pollum,  $\Phi \Kappa \Psi$ , Indiana university, September 17, 1944.

Nancy Lee Herkless to Lieutenant John W. Shields, Jr., USMCAC,  $\Delta \Kappa \epsilon$ , DePauw university, August 12, 1944.

Marjorie Little to Charles Van Tassel,  $\Psi \Upsilon$  and N  $\Sigma$  N, Wesleyan university at Middletown, Connecticut, and Indiana university medical school, August 23, 1944.

Patricia Ann Watt to William Bayer,  $\Theta$  X, Indiana university, September 21, 1944.

#### Iota Chapter

Carolyn Steele to Lieutenant Walter J. Stauffer,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , March 11, 1944.

Susanne Clark to Eugene Schobinger,  $\Delta \Kappa \epsilon$ , DePauw university, June 24, 1944.

Marjorie Evans to Jack Siegesmund,  $\Sigma$  N, DePauw.

Jean Gilchrist to Fred Hobe, B  $\Theta$  II, DePauw.

Jean MacRae to Donald Jones,  $\Sigma$  N, DePauw.

Helen Jome to James Houck,  $\Sigma$  X, DePauw, July 1, 1944.

Carol Richardson to Ensign Frank C. Schell, July 18, 1944.

Barbara Bartlett to Lieutenant Robert A. Blair, September 16, 1944.

Martha Jean Haverstick to Lieutenant Byron Fiske Field, Jr.,  $\Delta$  X, DePauw, September 23, 1944.

Jean Mehlig to Ensign Robert Watson, B  $\Theta$  II, DePauw, October 7, 1944.

#### Mu Chapter

Shirley St. Pierre to Robert F. Rankin, K  $\Sigma$ , Indiana university, September 10, 1944.

Mary Helen Yates to Lieutenant Robert O. Bill, Butler university and Indiana university medical school, May 26, 1944.

Carolyn Varin to Lieutenant Colonel B. L. Baker, II K A, University of Kentucky, July 18, 1944.

#### Kappa Chapter

Marilyn Minich to James I. Haynes, USN, September 14, 1944.

Marilyn Hall to Robert Mavis Falls, USNR, September 17, 1944.

Margaret Stainthorpe to Peter Decker, in June, 1944.

Josephine Crowley to Corporal Vernon Groth,  $\Delta \Sigma \Phi$ , June 23, 1944.

Doris Sark to Pvt. Andrew Hoigard,  $\Delta \Upsilon \Delta$ , April 6, 1944.

#### Beta Delta Chapter

Dorothy Rausch to Pfc. Fenton Lane,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , in December, 1943.



Janet Robb to Russel Speirn,  $\Sigma$  X, in March, 1944.

Margaret Vogt to Ensign William Church, USNR, X  $\Phi$ , in June, 1944.

Margaret Winter to Edward Hielt, USNR,  $\Sigma$   $\Phi$ , July 1, 1944.

Elaine Richert to Richard V. Anderson, Rensselaer Polytechnic institute, June 3, 1944. At home: 327 Kirby, Grosse Pointe, Michigan.

Shirley Jean Raskey to Ensign Frank Sherman Zimmerman, USNR,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , University of Michigan, June 29, 1944. At home: 5221 Devonshire, Detroit, Michigan.

#### Gamma Delta Chapter

Barbara Rector to Paul Bartlett, in July, 1944. At home: 521 West Adams street, Muncie, Indiana.

#### Delta Gamma Chapter

Alva Jean Rheinfrank to Robert B. Howkes,  $\Delta$  X, Michigan State.

Jean Elizabeth Barnes to Lieutenant Earl Jordan Potter,  $\Delta$  T  $\Omega$ , Michigan State. At home: 307 Madison, Clarkesville, Tennessee.

Madeline I. Waffle to Lieutenant Harry N. Barnes,  $\Phi$  K T, Michigan State.

Lois Luecht to Ensign Traverse King Pollock,  $\Delta$   $\Sigma$   $\Phi$ , Michigan State.

Anabel Hirschman to Pfc. Robert W. Corley.

Barbara Hacker to Lieutenant William W. Baldwin, University of Michigan.

### Epsilon Province

#### Alpha Deuteron Chapter

Gertrude Fine to Lieutenant Jack C. Jaquet, USMC, April 2, 1944.

Ensign Ann Grier, Nurse Corps, USNR, to Ensign Roger Matthew Herbst, USNR, February 24, 1944.

Roberta McVey to Aviation Cadet Willis Wells, USAAF, April 8, 1944.

Dorothy Eisiminger to Lieutenant John William Rowley, AAF, July 5, 1944.

Frances Turner, Cadet Nurse, to James Gardiner McConnell, RDM 2/C, July 14, 1944.

#### Eta Chapter

Dorothy Boettinger to Pvt. George Arnett Ware, June 11, 1944. At home: 258 Walden drive, Glen-coe, Illinois.

#### Chi Chapter

Janet Wilson to Lieutenant Stanley Gordon, USNR.

Nancy McCabe to Ensign Robert Lieb, USNR. Margaret Quigley to Ensign Herbert Gurnee, USNR, B  $\Theta$  II.

Caroline Congdon to Ensign Robert Gerber, USNR,  $\Sigma$  A E.

Anne Stringer to William Smith, USCG.

Christine Meyerding to Ensign Robert Lins-mayer, USNR,  $\Phi$  K  $\Psi$ .

#### Beta Lambda Chapter

Martha Messenger to Harvey E. Thomms, June 24, 1944. At home: 516 N. Garfield avenue, Hinsdale, Illinois.

Virginia Musselman to Lieutenant Cameron Gillette,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , University of Illinois, July 15, 1944.

Jane Lutrelle Bickel to Lieutenant Joseph M. Greenwood,  $\Phi$  K  $\Sigma$ , University of Illinois, July 8, 1944.

Sue Ann Knippenberg to Lieutenant (j.g.) Wensel Estes, Mississippi State, October 11, 1944.

### Zeta Province

#### Theta Chapter

Shirley Conkling to Lieutenant Renile Bawles, K A, in July, 1944. At home: Wildwood, New Jersey.

Hazel Conkling to Lieutenant Clayton Smith, B  $\Theta$  II, in August, 1944. At home: Columbus, Georgia.

Marian Holan to Dr. Eugene Brady,  $\Phi$  B II, in September, 1944. At home: New Haven, Connecticut.

Margaret Spore to Ruben Taylor Spangler, September 13, 1944.

Barbara Toombs to Lieutenant Alfred W. Baldinen, K A, May 25, 1944.

Elizabeth Jean Adam to Ensign Marvin Small, USNAC, B  $\Theta$  II, August 8, 1944.

Betty Brownlee to Frank Martin,  $\Sigma$  X, in July, 1944.

Jane Haggerty to Lieutenant Robert Brown, in May, 1944.

Patty Kewley to Lieutenant Pete Milligan, B  $\Theta$  II, October 14, 1944.

Carey Ellen Boone to Ensign Kenneth Nelson,  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ , in August, 1944.

Betty Jean Smith to William Collins.

Mary Mierhoffer to Major Robert Tiller,  $\Phi$   $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ , USMC.

Patty Sullivan to William McFadden, B  $\Theta$  II, in December, 1943.

Blair Mitchell to Pfc. Donald A. Reid,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ .

Harris Ashley to William Bess,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ .

#### Beta Zeta Chapter

Mary Foote to Private Ralph V. Zepp,  $\Sigma$  A E, June 16, 1944.

Ruth Smith to Lieutenant George Miller, October 5, 1944. At home: Detroit, Michigan.

Mary Frances Riley to John J. Lawler,  $\Psi$  T, University of Minnesota, July 8, 1944. At home: 2250 Vallejo, San Francisco 23, California.

#### Omega Chapter

Patsy Padfield to Robert Woodbury,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , May 26, 1944.

Mary Noll to Lieutenant Thomas Moorehead,  $\Sigma$  N, April 22, 1944.

Ann Murray to Max Howard, A T  $\Omega$ , June 3, 1944.

Shirley Wasson to Lieutenant John Clifford Jenkins,  $\Phi$   $\Delta$   $\Theta$ , February 8, 1944.



Jane Peake to Jack Wilson,  $\Sigma X$ , June 30, 1944.  
Peggy Ballard to V. Valle Schloesser,  $\Sigma A E$ , June 30, 1944.

Kathrine Green to Lucien Gray,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , June 17, 1944.

Betty Jeanne Hess to Arthur Robinson,  $B \Phi \Pi$  and  $N \Sigma N$ , May 24, 1944.

Nancy Robertson to Sanford Dietrich,  $\Delta \Upsilon$  and  $N \Sigma N$ , Sept. 19, 1944.

### Sigma Chapter

Dorothy Madden Hansen to Captain Wilbur Burgess, October 1, 1944.

Elinor Reynolds to Henry Kraft, Jr., December 29, 1943.

### Gamma Alpha Chapter

Clare Harner to Sergeant David Lyon, USMC, in October, 1944.

Jane Faulkner to John Cecil Dart, June 20, 1944.

Bonnie Lue Clapp to Phillip McIntyre.

Mary Pauline Feder to Ensign John K. Fisher,  $\Sigma A E$ , University of Kansas, October 23, 1943. At home: 611 West Jordan, Pensacola, Florida.

Jeanne Blackburn to Lieutenant Henry S. Noon,  $\Sigma N$ , April 23, 1944.

Shirley Karns to Lieutenant William Joseph Johnson, May 18, 1944.

Martha Ann Peterson to Lieutenant Max S. Houston, USAAF,  $A \Upsilon \Omega$ , Kansas State college, September 23, 1944. At home: 121 South Locust, Dexter, Missouri.

Catherine Gundy to Lieutenant Joseph Green Carraway, Paratroops, September 30, 1944. At home: Fort Benning, Georgia.

Nancy Brady to Ensign William E. McGugin, USNR,  $\Sigma A E$ , Kansas State college, July 25, 1944. At home: Kansas City, Missouri.

Dorothy Jean Adams to Lieutenant Lester Neal, USAMC, University of Wichita, August 20, 1944. At home: 3345 Ruckle, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Margaret Anne Massengill to Lieutenant Neal H. Smull,  $\Sigma N$ , Kansas State college.

Beatrice Sundgren to 3/c Petty Officer Donald E. Keith,  $\Sigma A E$ , Kansas State college, June 19, 1944. At home: 823 Seventh, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Lillian Hoover to Ensign John F. H. Lonergran, June 20, 1944. At home: 16 Sebago drive, north, Portsmouth, Virginia.

Mary Alice Machette to Lieutenant George Schumaker,  $\Sigma N$ , Kansas State college.

### Eta Province

#### Beta Mu Chapter

Kathryn Peabody to Ensign Kirk Stratton,  $B \Phi \Pi$ , University of Colorado, September 16, 1944.

Patricia Daniels to Lieutenant John Walker,  $X \Psi$ , University of Colorado, March 15, 1944.

Suzanne Anderson to Lieutenant William Os-good Young, USMC,  $X \Psi$ , University of Colorado, October 21, 1944.

Marcia E. Warner to Lieutenant Richard Walter Lanz,  $X \Psi$ , July 29, 1944.

Barbara Blackman to Sergeant Willard Hays Marsh, April 30, 1944.

Dorothy Jane Reed to Lieutenant (j.g.) W. C. Braden, Jr., April 25, 1944.

Alda Weber to Lieutenant Robert L. Brown, January 1, 1944.

Gladys Graves Stevenson to Lieutenant (j.g.) Kendrick Clark McLean.

Barbara Puffer to Major Frank Willis,  $\Sigma X$ , May 16, 1944.

#### Gamma Omicron Chapter

Geraldine Riley to John M. Lee, February 10, 1944.

Margaret Bolle to Corporal Elmo Prine, February 26, 1944.

Mary Redfield to Lieutenant James Art Beaty, March 29, 1944.

Ursula Manewal to Lieutenant Charles G. Kepler, April 26, 1944.

Ruth Winninger to Lieutenant William J. Witherspoon, Jr., May 3, 1944.

Louanne Templeton to Ensign Merlin H. Mills, May 8, 1944.

Mary Louise Street to Donald Rhoads, May 15, 1944.

Vivian Berkshire to Donald Dale Evans, May 25, 1944.

Vivian Dorius to Capt. Harold Lane Jordan, May 29, 1944.

Mary Frances Tisdale to Lieutenant John D. Anderson, June 2, 1944.

Louise Hamilton Dupes to Richard Hempel, June 4, 1944.

Margaret Burns to Thomas Page, June 11, 1944.

Janet Hill to Sergeant Leland B. True, June 23, 1944.

Gale Redeker to Lieutenant Morgan Roberts, June, 1944.

Lois Davis, Army Nurse, to Lieutenant Colonel James C. Smee, July 26, 1944.

Jean Marie Speas to Lieutenant Victor Niethammer, in October, 1944.

#### Delta Zeta Chapter

Alice Carlile to Lieutenant William F. Evans, September 16, 1944.

Drusilla Thompson to Lieutenant Sander LeRoy Johnson, Jr.,  $A \Upsilon \Omega$ , April 15, 1944.

Dorothy Waldo to Pfc. John H. Kinkade, Jr.,  $B \Phi \Pi$ .

Betty Hollingsworth to Richard M. Glove,  $B \Phi \Pi$ , March 27, 1944.

Louise Wlute to Captain Paul A. Timm,  $B \Phi \Pi$ , July 25, 1944.

Sally Anne Anthony to Captain Albert George Stubblefield, Jr., May 5, 1944.

Margaret Wilkins Wilson to Chief Warrant Officer Cecil Effinger,  $\Sigma X$ , April 24, 1944.

Katherine H. McCuan to Lieutenant John A. Doyle, Jr., June 3, 1944.

Ruth Warren Ringer to Lieutenant Vincent De-Paul Creed, Notre Dame, August 17, 1944.



**Theta Province****Beta Xi Chapter**

Mary Louise Stone to Captain Charles William Rankin, Jr., Texas A. & M., June 4, 1944.

Sally McCullough to Edward Futch,  $\Delta X$ , July 24, 1944.

Mimi Meredith to William McDugal,  $B \Theta II$ , in July, 1944.

Wanda Robertson to Lieutenant James Robert Killebrew, August 15, 1944.

Nancy Dunkel to Dorrance Douglas Roderick, August 25, 1944.

Bonnie Jean Titley to Foy Fleming,  $X \Phi$ , October, 1944.

Ann Gresham to Arthur Adler, October 7, 1944.

**Beta Theta Chapter**

Martha Ann Thompson to Major James C. Barclay,  $\Sigma A E$ , USAAF, May 17, 1944. At home: Valparaiso, Florida.

Mary Virginia Price to Ensign Alexander A. Currie, Jr.,  $\Sigma X$ , May 27, 1944.

**Gamma Nu Chapter**

Betsy Ann Evans to Clifford Elonzo Gollaher, in September, 1944.

**Iota Province****Beta Pi Chapter**

Jane Hiscock to Ensign William Dehn, Jr., USNR,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , in March, 1944.

Florence Laurel Lindeke to Ensign William Morton Burke, USMM, May 6, 1944.

Jean Colwell to Lieutenant Harry Stephenson Goodfellow, USNR, in June, 1944.

Elizabeth Anne Smith to Ensign Lyman Hoge Black, Jr., USNR,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , in June, 1944.

Dorothy Jean Tash to Ensign William Taylor, USNR,  $B \Theta II$ , September 16, 1944.

Patricia Davies to Robert Dale Timm,  $\Sigma A E$ , September 23, 1944.

Sally Stanton to Charles Rubsamen, in June, 1944.

Jeanne Balmer to Lieutenant John A. Kriebal,  $B \Theta II$ .

Nancy Lee Plummer to Lieutenant Theodore Edmund Camlin,  $\Sigma A E$ .

Nancy Kerr to Corporal Henry Holman Ketcham, Jr.

Dorothy Dean Heinlein to Robert Wayne Ackerman,  $\Sigma X$ , September 17, 1944.

Ruth Adele Hedgecock to Pfc. Robert M. Campbell.

Elizabeth Finn to Major Thomas Heard. At home: Corvallis, Oregon.

**Beta Phi Chapter**

Mary Elizabeth Hammett to Leonard Samuel Strahan, Valparaiso university, May 5, 1944. At home: Box 457, Lovell, Wyoming.

Mary Alice Crutcher to John Duane Hansen,

University of Minnesota, September 2, 1944. At home: Billings, Montana.

Virginia Lee Rimel to Major Fred J. Higgins, both graduates of the Montana State university law school, October 2, 1944.

Margaret Anabel Thraikill to Ensign Frank O. Leigh,  $Z \Psi$ , University of Washington, October 9, 1944. At home: Stevens hotel, Chicago, Illinois.

**Beta Kappa Chapter**

Norma Mitchell to John Robert Eikenberry, USNR, July 7, 1943.

Virginia Newton to Lieutenant James P. Christensen, USAAC,  $\Phi \Gamma \Delta$ , July 9, 1944. At home: 121 East Noble street, Stockton, California.

Marjorie Sorgatz to Robert Stephen,  $\Phi \Delta \Theta$ , in June, 1944. At home: 807 Ash street, Piqua, Ohio.

Mary Elizabeth Pennell to Lieutenant William F. Mangum, USMC,  $\Delta T \Delta$ , July 28, 1944. At home, 607 Fauquier street, Fredricksburg, Virginia.

Kathryn Horner to Sergeant Roger Widder, in October, 1944. At home: Neosho, Missouri.

Carolyn Ann Chaney to Chief Petty Officer Harland H. Hall, USN, October 7, 1944. At home: Oakland, California.

Lieutenant Helen Jean Way, WAVES, to Lieutenant Philip Cornell,  $\Sigma X$ , in September, 1944.

Ruby E. Pool to Roland G. Hodgen, June 14, 1944. At home: 319 Idaho street, Wenatchee, Washington.

**Gamma Gamma Chapter**

Edith Lou Ford to Lieutenant Robert L. Cabalreira, USN.

Katherine White to Lieutenant David M. Hartley.

Georgia Mae Wilkins to Sergeant Robert T. Gallivan.

Laura Lee Robinson to Lieutenant Colonel William S. Homes.

**Gamma Eta Chapter**

Vivian Vincent to Dale M. Sayles,  $\Phi \Sigma K$ , January 22, 1944.

Jane Eleanor McPhail to Lieutenant Arthur McKelvie,  $\Phi K T$ , August 20, 1944.

Mary Ellen Martin to John Gorham,  $\Sigma A E$ , May 23, 1944. At home: 802 Alpha road, Pullman, Washington.

Jane Helen Snurre to Dr. Jay Holt Newhall,  $\Sigma A E$ , September 16, 1944. At home: Box 52, Preston, Idaho.

Maxine Doll to Elmer Olsen, USN, September 27, 1944.

Betty Jean Armstrong to Charles Reinhardt, USN, October 6, 1944.

**Gamma Mu Chapter**

Geraldine Mary Anderson to Lieutenant Warren Leighton Carlson.

Maxine Bruer to Robert T. Sims.

Janet Elizabeth Dunham to Ensign Robert W. Lester.



Margaret Grasle to Lieutenant Thomas A. Komers.

Jeanette Sims to Lieutenant David Baum.

Betty Thompson to Richard D. Jones.

Phyllis June Wood to Lieutenant Daniel Boone.

#### Gamma Upsilon Chapter

Helen Wright to Lieutenant Commander Herbert McArthur, Z Ψ, University of British Columbia, August 11, 1944.

### Kappa Province

#### Gamma Zeta Chapter

Caroline Stunz to Lieutenant Jack Keller, in August, 1944.

Jane Thompson to Jack Finley, Σ A E, in September, 1944.

Constance Fredig to Frank FitzRandolph Stewart, in September, 1944.

Eleanor Albertson to Jack Chandler, in February, 1944.

Jeanne Kiewitt to Lieutenant Edward Taylor, in October, 1944.

### Lambda Province

#### Beta Upsilon Chapter

Mildred Hamilton to Lieutenant Johnson B. McKinley, October 29, 1943.

Nancy Anne Pugh to Lieutenant James Lawrence Hamilton, Φ Δ Θ, July 1, 1944.

Katherine Neudoerfer to Lieutenant William Lively, Σ X, June 12, 1944.

Catherine Davis to Charles Edmund Hare, West Virginia, September 25, 1944. At home: 244 Grand street, Morgantown, West Virginia.

#### Gamma Kappa Chapter

Elizabeth M. Shutts to Captain William A. Rose, March 2, 1944. At home: Ephrata, Washington.

### Mu Province

#### Beta Omicron Chapter

Patricia Gladney Cook to Charles Cicil Crady, III, February 5, 1944. At home: New Orleans, Louisiana.

Evelyn Senter to Duralde Claiborne, Jr., Β Θ Π. Marion Dureau to Corporal Gibson Tucker, Δ K E.

Yvonne Dureau to Lieutenant Benjamin Wall Dart, Δ K E.

Frances Collins to Lieutenant Buster Curtis, Δ K E.

Nina Many to Captain Randolph Page, N Σ N, October 2, 1944.

Charlotte Waterman Hillyer to Captain Homer J. Dupuy, Jr., USAMC.

Elizabeth Wolf to Lieutenant (j.g.) Hardy Booth Fowler.

Virginia Smart to Lieutenant Edmund Mc-Illheny, K A.

Sally Holbrook to Lieutenant (j.g.) Archibald Boggs, Β Θ Π.

Louise Camp to Lieutenant Barnard Murphy, Jr., USAAF, Φ Δ Θ.

#### Beta Chi Chapter

Susan Hart to Lieutenant John Richard Casner, Jr., Δ T Δ, University of Kentucky, May 13, 1944. At home: Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

Laura Oldham to Corporal James William Floyd, University of Kentucky, April 15, 1944. At home: Richmond, Kentucky.

Elizabeth Ann Pettit to Lieutenant William Oscar Shropshire, Φ Δ Θ, Washington and Lee, May 20, 1944.

Sarah Humphreys Buckner to Lieutenant Robert Eugene Morrison, USAAC, West Point, August 13, 1944. At home: Rose Hill, Lexington, Kentucky.

Ann Carter Felts to Ensign William Lewis Coleman, Jr., USNAC, August 19, 1944.

Frances Gist Board to Pfc. James Moore Keightley, Φ Δ Θ, Centre college, September 13, 1944.

Elizabeth Grimes Chapman to Francis Jenkins Danforth, Jr., St. Paul's school, Concord, New Hampshire and Williams college, October 30, 1944.

#### Gamma Pi Chapter

Martha Minge Clark to Lieutenant Robert English Peach, USNR, August 9, 1944. At home: San Diego, California.

#### Delta Epsilon Chapter

Nancy Lee Ragan to Major Dewitt Clinton Dominick, III (brother of Jeanne Dominick Fogarty), VMI, June 10, 1944.

Gail Hunter De Forest to Lieutenant Paul Harris, K A, Rollins, June 1, 1944.

Jean Chaney Farrell to Major Robert Johnston Overcash, Φ Ψ, University of North Carolina, August 5, 1944.

Margaret Inez Knight to Lieutenant Hugh L. Coates, June 9, 1944.

#### Delta Iota Chapter

Linwood Lelane Gisclard to Captain Harry Findley, University of South Carolina, August 22, 1944.

#### Delta Kappa Chapter

Dorothy Ashe to Edward Dunn, Δ X A, University of Miami, June 19, 1944.

Nancy Adams to Lieutenant Commander John Buckner Boy, II K Φ, Georgia Tech., January 29, 1944.

Jeanne Susong to Sizer Chambliss, October 7, 1944. At home: Lookout Mountain, Tennessee.

Mary Jane Davies to Lieutenant John Robinson. Jeanette Vandevere to Lieutenant F. Tobin, USN, July 17, 1944. At home: 1024 Castile, Coral Gables, Florida.



# BIRTHS . . .

## Alpha Province

### Psi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Roland W. Babb (Marjorie Knapp), a daughter, Judith Ellenor, June 13, 1944.

### Beta Psi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Airth (Phylis Plaxton), a daughter, Gail Iola Plaxton, February 27, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Norman White (Shirley Stevenson), a son, David Stevenson, March 11, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Rodney Scrivener (Hazel Brown), a daughter, March 14, 1944.

To Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Hunt (Florence Mathews), a son, Garth Vanstone, March 25, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hayhurst (Jean Hunnisset), a son, George Wilson, August 8, 1944.

## Beta Province

### Gamma Rho Chapter

To Ensign and Mrs. Chester Pardee (Georgia Seitz), a son, Chester, Jr., October 11, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Paul Jones (Ruth Gilmore), a son, Paul, III, March 25, 1944.

To Captain and Mrs. H. E. Ransford, Jr. (Cora Kraus), a son, Herbert Earl, III, March 12, 1944.

To Ensign and Mrs. William St. Clair (Alice Eicher), a son, William Eicher, July 17, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Ray Shafer (Jane Davies), a son, Raymond Philip, July 8, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James H. Potter (Sarah Thompson), a son, James Gardner, December 21, 1943.

### Beta Alpha Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds (Adelaide Mastick), a son, Nicholas, June 14, 1944.

### Gamma Epsilon Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Peter Donahoe (Alice Roughton), a daughter, Alice Jerilyn, April 8, 1944.

To Dr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Franke (Nancy Digby), a daughter, Suzanne Paula, May 9, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James W. Geist (Virginia Sutherland), a daughter, Janet Anne, March 28, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John F. Ostergren (Sylvia Fixel), a son, Christopher, November 28, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. John Shanley (Josephine Holliday), a daughter, Kathleen, May 23, 1944.

To Ensign and Mrs. Charles K. Johnson (Betty Lewis), a daughter, Caroline Stewart, November 30, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Soule (Margaret Davis), a son, Charles Davis, September 14, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Chappell (Jean Wallace), a son, Robert, September 13, 1944.

### Delta Alpha Chapter

To Ensign and Mrs. Charles H. Lockwood

(Beatrice Williams), a son, Charles, Jr., July 31, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hasek (Jane Hess), a son, June 12, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller (Frances Kern, Δ A-Pennsylvania State), a son, Craig James, September 19, 1944.

## Gamma Province

### Beta Rho Deuteron Chapter

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. John A. Andrews, Jr. (Mary Adelaide Allison), a daughter, Adelaide Whitney, September 5, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. G. Wesley Archibale (Eleanora Groene), a son, G. Wesley, Jr., November 25, 1943.

To Captain and Mrs. W. Barton Beeson (Elinor Small), a son, Lawrence Edward, February 1, 1944.

To Pfc. and Mrs. Frank E. Bratt, Jr. (Ruth Ann Street), a daughter, Paula Helen, April 3, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Weldon W. Bullerick (Vera Heidt), a son, Bradley Weldon, October 2, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Collins (Jean Phares), a son, John Randolph, January 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Isphording, Jr. (Jean Rockaway), a son, Stephan Michael, August 12, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. George R. Jeneson, Jr. (Else Heidt), a daughter, Lynn Stafford, October 1, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Patton (Laura Brokate), a son, Richard Thomas, September 7, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John D. Quist (Kathryn Seitz), a daughter, Suzan Jonly, September 10, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Tower, Jr. (Dorothy Burkhardt), a son, Carl Burkhardt, October 22, 1943.

To Commander and Mrs. Francis David Walker, Jr. (Ame Lynn), a daughter, Ame Lynn, February 24, 1944.

### Beta Nu Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Conner (Ellen Morley), a son, in September, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Robert G. Peters (Peggy Hart), a daughter, Sheryl Lynn, July 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Allen (Jane Shannon), a daughter, July 13, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey (Helen Kaufman), a son, John, Jr., August 21, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chastang (Ruth Bullock), a daughter, Suzanne, August 30, 1944.

### Gamma Omega Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler (Margery Billow), a daughter, Stephanie Gay, in July, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Loren Souers (Mildred McCollum), a daughter, Mary Sue, March 4, 1944.



## Delta Province

## Delta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. William Bannon (Jane Alexander), a daughter, Sue Anne, February 11, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCormick (Margaret Jane Hoffman), a daughter, Nancy Ann, May 15, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Grant, Jr., (Martha Martz), a daughter, Sylvia, May 8, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steger (Elizabeth Hutchens), a daughter, Sandra, June 8, 1944.

## Iota Chapter

To Corporal and Mrs. Charles H. Humm (Betty Hodge), a daughter, April 6, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Bass Leslie (Elizabeth Anne Porter), a son, Porter, November 16, 1943.

## Mu Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Andrew Boa (Mary Haynes), a daughter, Pamela, August 3, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Alvin Fernandes (Lucile M. Broich), a daughter, Caryl Lou, July 31, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Charles Hulett (Dorothy Mae Srader), a son, Robert Srader, August 18, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William E. Smits (Betty Rose Martin), a son, William Martin, May 17, 1944.

To Pfc. and Mrs. John Merrill (Cornelia Conner), a daughter, Judith Lee, July 6, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Donald Wildey (Martha Terhune), a daughter, Katherine Jo, August 9, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack K. Bolin (Lois Gerdts), a son, John David, June 15, 1944.

## Kappa Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sams (Harriett Yapp), a son, Kenton Allen, January 19, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. S. Whitney Bradley (Mary Louise Rumsey), a son, Stephen Whitney, August 21, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. J. W. Lyons, Jr. (Doris Buell), a daughter, Kathleen Marie, August 22, 1944.

## Beta Delta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wedda (Mary Elizabeth Davis), a son, Bruce Cameron, August 17, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Frederick Rusche (Marilyn Moser), a daughter, Charla, September 12, 1944.

## Gamma Delta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boyd (Betty Ann Carr), a daughter, Sandra Marie, May 20, 1944.

## Xi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. William Perdue (Henrietta Haynes), a son, Howard Morton, July 7, 1944.

## Epsilon Province

## Alpha Deuteron Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gowdy (Janet Huey), a son, Donald Huey, April 22, 1944.

To Aviation Cadet and Mrs. Joseph E. Finney, Jr. (Mary Elizabeth Camp), a son, April 31, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Robert S. Cleland (Lyn Anderson), a son, Richard Craig, September 19, 1944.

## Chi Chapter

To Ensign and Mrs. Harold Brandt (Mary Anne Hitch), a son, Stephen, June 10, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William Perry (Elizabeth Shephard), a daughter, Beth.

To Mr. and Mrs. Herman Louis Berg (Mary Morrissey), a son, Stephen, July 4, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Leslie W. Sachs (Inez Bedard), a daughter, Leslie Jeanne, June 2, 1944.

## Upsilon Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carner (Caryl Cotter), a daughter, Marsha, April 25, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wineberg (Mary Rochefort), a daughter, in June, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harris (Beatrice Bamford), a daughter, Susan, August 5, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fence (Betty Fogarty), a son, Raymond John, August 15, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jos. D. Stockton (Betty Harding), a son, John Harding, August 24, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fogarty, Jr. (Joan Cotter), a daughter, Gail, August 26, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard (Elizabeth Quinlan), a daughter, Quin Elizabeth, in August, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John P. Falconer (Virginia Rice), a son, in August, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John D. Shimmin (Betsy Doering), a daughter, Dudley Elizabeth, October 8, 1944.

## Gamma Tau Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Martin (Harriet Hooten), a daughter, Anne Louise, August, 1943.

## Zeta Province

## Beta Zeta Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. William C. Goenne, Jr. (Barbara Mueller), a son, William Robert, December 31, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Oliver B. Leasure (Marjorie Weaver), a daughter, Susan Bailor, January 13, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. George Pughe (Jane Hart), a daughter, Jane Austin, March 31, 1944.

To Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. Kenneth Bastian (Ann Winslow), a son, Edward Winslow.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Gilloon, Jr. (Nan FitzGerald), a son, Frank D., III, September 2, 1944.



To Sergeant and Mrs. L. M. Logue, a daughter, Elizabeth Anne, December 2, 1944.

#### Omega Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Dan Welchons (Jane Seymour), a daughter, Jane Crosby, July 10, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clare Ford (Lucille Bottom), a daughter, Nancy Lewis, May 19, 1944.

#### Sigma Chapter

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Thomas Pansing (Lulubel Emerson), a son, Thomas, Jr., September 16, 1944.

To Ensign and Mrs. Louis C. Ball (Louise Benson), a daughter, Margaret Dickey, June 27, 1944.

To Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Dickinson (Rita Barnhart), a daughter, Mary Rae, February 1, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Mowbray (Jeanne Newell), a son, J. William Mowbray, Jr., April 2, 1944.

To Dr. and Mrs. S. Douglas Campbell (Mary Virginia Knowles), a daughter, Ann Stuart Campbell, April 15, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Sutton (Suzette Bradford), a daughter, Savilla King, July 30, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard A. Maxey (Jeanne Pope), a daughter, Barbara Louise, October 10, 1944.

#### Gamma Alpha Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. John Leon Sealey (Jane Alice Currier), a son, John Randolph, December 13, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John O. Parker (Judith Fehr), a son, Craig Steven, July 7, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Charles Eckhardt (Eloise Black), a son, Kenneth Arthur, June 11, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James C. Chatman (Eugenia Leighton), a daughter, Mary Leila, August 11, 1944.

To Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Daniel McMillan (Dorothy Robinson), a daughter, Susan Walsh, July 14, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albin Longren (Elizabeth Woodburn), a son, Paul Albin, August 11, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. S. A. Lindahl (Margaret Teichgraber), a son, Bruce Dean, August 6, 1944.

Adopted by Colonel and Mrs. John Rust (Mary Cortelyou), twins, Jack and Joan.

#### Gamma Theta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Rummels (Dorothy Kahl), a daughter, Dorothy Anne, Jr., September 2, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William Baird (Grace Staves), a daughter, Jane Staves, December 9, 1943.

### Eta Province

#### Beta Mu Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William C. Kurtz (Alma

Mae Graves), a son, William Douglas, July 1, 1944.

To Captain and Mrs. Perry W. Bascom (Clara Lou Casey), a son, James Frederick, May 23, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Yrsarri (Mildred Peterson), a son.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John Oakie Hayden (Jeanne Collison), a daughter, Virginia Rix, April 9, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jovanovich (Nancy Finch), a son, March 9, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Robert L. Knous (Betty Lou Austin), twin daughters, December 10, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. William P. Sargeant (Mary Ellen Able), a son, David Ellwood, April 14, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Richard W. Nowles (Mimi Buka), a daughter, Carol Wilson, April 9, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Thomas A. Dixon (Ruth Lantz), a daughter, Debra Lee, February 6, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. John Giberson (Joan Hilliker), a daughter, October 10, 1944.

#### Gamma Beta Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Leon Thygeson (Peggy Arthur), a daughter, Jane, in April, 1944.

#### Gamma Omicron Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vaughn Wales (Lois Buck), a son, Jack, Jr., February 3, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Reed (Mildred Lewis), a son, Harry David, December 4, 1941.

To Mr. and Mrs. Larry Birleffi (Lois Sturtevant), a daughter, Lynn Louise, July 28, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols (Rosemary Gillespie), a son, Richard David, July 11, 1944.

#### Delta Zeta Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Mark S. Bentson (Dorothy May Lawson), a son, Nels Stanley, May 28, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. C. Robert Belt (Jean Combs), a son, Michael Montgomery, September 25, 1944.

### Theta Province

#### Beta Xi Chapter

To Captain and Mrs. William B. Weisell (Mary Craig), a daughter, Virginia, April 19, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walker Humphrey (Dorothea Griffith), a daughter, in March, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson (June South), a son, in May, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Van Wyck Brinkerhoff (Betty Ann Bird), a son, July 12, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bullock (Wilda Frost), a son, October, 1944.

#### Beta Theta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Guichard (Gale Keith), a daughter, Suzanne, September 26, 1944.



To Mr. and Mrs. Horace Thue (Mardie Simons), a son, June 25, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin (Nell Montgomery), a son, February 27, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Edmund J. Goscin (Betty Andres), a son, April 26, 1944.

To Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. James Robert Banks (Henrietta Leonhardt), a daughter, April 29, 1944.

To Major and Mrs. Clarence Black (Louise Frisbie), a daughter, September 22, 1944.

To Captain and Mrs. Albert C. Bailey (Carolyn Baring), a son, October 3, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Magruder (Mary Gibson), a daughter, March 1, 1944.

#### Gamma Nu Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Leland Campbell (Barbara Wertheim), a son, Richard Leland, September 21, 1944.

To Mrs. Arthur Henry Thompson (Rebecca George), a son, Arthur Henry, July 27, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William J. Dixon (Bettie Beesley), a son, William Johnson, III, June 3, 1944.

#### Gamma Phi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Carlson (Martha Deniger), a daughter, Elizabeth, August 4, 1944.

### Iota Province

#### Beta Pi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Kirby, Jr. (Carolyn Balmer), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Anderson (Lucy Dexter), a son, James.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Anderson (Jane Leech), a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jones (Jean Fisher), a son, Roger.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Vebelen (Marthanna Elvidge), a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Flint (Betty Nagelvoort), a son, May 25, 1944.

#### Beta Phi Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Stewart E. Sterling (Jane Boden), a son, John Hector, October 15, 1944.

#### Beta Kappa Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Roy A. Nelson (Margaret Rosenheim), a son, Roy Albert, Jr., in August, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Oliver M. Mackey, Jr. (Betty Lou Braddock), a daughter, Marcia Braddock, in December, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. William Leuschel (Carolyn Paynter), a daughter, Carol Ann, in September, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Brown (Doris Johnson), a daughter, Jane Elaine, June 14, 1944.

#### Gamma Gamma Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lynch (Frances Ankeny), a daughter, Frances Ankeny, July 18, 1944.

#### Gamma Eta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zimmerman (Eleanor Bundy), a daughter, Patricia Ann, September 3, 1944.

To Captain and Mrs. Henry B. Hewett (Joy Shinkoskey), a daughter, Pamela Ann, September 17, 1943.

#### Gamma Upsilon Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliot (Dorothy McDonald), a son, David, August 30, 1944.

To Electrical Lieutenant and Mrs. Royce Rich (Peggy McLeod), a son, John Royce, September 19, 1944.

To Sergeant and Mrs. Robert Boyce (Helen McLaughlin), a son, Richard, September 5, 1944.

### Kappa Province

#### Gamma Zeta Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Richard Canning (Margaret Hardy), a daughter, Barbara, August 31, 1944.

### Lambda Province

#### Gamma Psi Chapter

To Major and Mrs. LaVergne Claude Jochim (Ann Cornelius), a son, Vance Lane, August 7, 1944.

#### Delta Beta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Pitkin (Mary Jo Phillips), a daughter, Pamela, September 18, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Warner (Frances Merrill), a son, Jonathan Merrill, May 14, 1944.

#### Delta Theta Chapter

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lewis (Margaret Gavan), a daughter, Victoria Ann, September 19, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James Clifford (Louise Etter), a daughter, Caroline Mooar, August 16, 1944.

### Mu Province

#### Beta Chi Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Weldon South Coblin (Dawson Hawkins), a son, Weldon South, Jr., February 26, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Hal H. Tanner (Georgia Turnipseed), a daughter, March 3, 1944.

To Dr. and Mrs. John Floyd (Caroline Marsteller), a daughter, Lynn Rebel, March 4, 1944.

To Staff Sergeant and Mrs. James Malcolm Crowell (Jane Freeman), a son, James Malcolm, III, March 17, 1944.

To Ensign and Mrs. Leonard G. Cox (Leigh Brown), a daughter, Eloise Williams, May 14, 1944.



To Air Cadet and Mrs. Harold Bell (Charlene Young), a daughter, Sallie Bette, June 8, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hale Barr, Jr. (Margaret Huey), a son, Garland Hale, III, August 3, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Helm (Barbara Smith), a daughter, Mary Courtney, July 12, 1944.

To Major and Mrs. A. Garth House (Virginia Alsop), a daughter, Dana Garth, July 31, 1944.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. David A. Brown, Jr. (Lillian Gaines Webb), a daughter, September 17, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dickerson Morris (Francis Griffin), a daughter, Nancy, June 5, 1942.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Posey, Jr. (Jane Vaughn), a son, James Douglas, June 16, 1942.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Daniel Mullholland (Mary Lyle), a son, Philip, May 13, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick William Heaton (Epie Hughes), a daughter, Kathleen Ann, September 25, 1944.

#### Delta Iota Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. David S. Hartman (Eugenia Churchill), a son, David Sanford, Jr., February 6, 1944.

To Captain and Mrs. Charles M. Butler (Katherine Pipes), a daughter, Anne Laurason, April 5, 1944.

#### Delta Kappa Chapter

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Hugh M. Grey, Jr. (Lucille Jones), a daughter, Leslie Carol, July 28, 1944.

To Pfc. and Mrs. Charles Baldrige (Ann Wedderspoon), a daughter, Beatrice Ann, September 20, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. Gordon Walters (Rox-

burgh Lewis), a son, Lawrence Gordon, II, March 1, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Turner (Doris Page), a son, Robert Hunter, April 3, 1943.

To Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Dowlan (Marie Smith), a son, Leonidus Washington, Jr., April 28, 1943.

To Dr. and Mrs. George J. Coleman (Ruth Diestelhorst), a daughter, Sandra Edens, May 10, 1943.

To Lieutenant and Mrs. Grant Stockdale (Alice Boyd Magruder), a daughter, Ann Magruder, June 29, 1943.

To Major and Mrs. Jack Dare Kane (Barbara Anne Beckstrom), a daughter, Karen Dare, September 17, 1943.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Herin (Mary B. James), a son, Thomas James, October 19, 1943.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Louis Hax Smith, Jr. (Mary Lineaweaver), a daughter, Diane Peebles, February 18, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde M. Taylor (Betty Herbert), a son, Clyde Montgomery, Jr., March 17, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Adams, Jr. (Natalie Alison), a son, Eustace Lane, III, March 29, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. James M. Moye (Louise Herbert), a son, James McKinney, Jr., June 27, 1944.

To Lieutenant (j.g.) and Mrs. Patrick J. Cesarano (Beryl Chapman), a son, Michael Chapman, July 28, 1944.

To Major and Mrs. Robert Shelley, Jr. (Rebekah Parham), a son, Robert Judson, III, August 19, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bass (Dorothy Rhoads), a daughter, Sally Ann, September 1, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. John F. Douglas (Nancy Shepard), a son, John Franklin, Jr., September 11, 1944.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Grasse (Bette Jean Bozarth), a son.

## IN MEMORIAM . . .

OPAL CORNELL MOORE (Mrs. Richard H.), M-Butler, October 18, 1944, at Los Angeles, California.

ALLETTA BURWELL HARRISON (Mrs. E. G.), E-Illinois Wesleyan, October 15, 1944, at Bloomington, Illinois; mother of two Kappa daughters, Verna Harrison Vogelsang (Mrs. C. J.) and Alta Mae Harrison Wood (Mrs. Harry E.), both of Epsilon chapter.

SARAH MARLATT SCHOLL (Mrs. J. H.), I-DePauw, October 3, 1944, at Indianapolis, Indiana; mother of Mary Ann Scholl Elliot (Mrs. Harry E.), I, Delta province vice-president.

KATE COFFIN LUFKIN (Mrs. Chauncey F.), I-DePauw, October 2, 1944, at Indianapolis, Indiana.

ALICE OFFICER OWENS (Mrs. W. Warren), X-Minnesota, in October, 1944, at Atlanta, Georgia.

DOROTHY ECHTERNACH JAMISON (Mrs.

Frank R. Jr.), Δ Z-Colorado College, September 10, 1944, at Denver, Colorado.

MARGARET BERRIDGE HITE (Mrs. Robert H.), Δ Γ-Michigan State, September 7, 1944, at Birmingham, Michigan.

HELEN WEST CHAMBERLAIN (Mrs. George A.), H-Wisconsin, in September, 1944, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

HELEN TAYLOR THOMPSON (Mrs. Willis D.), B X-Kentucky, in September, 1944, at Atlanta, Georgia.

MARY SUSAN MORSE, T-Northwestern, in the summer of 1944, at Pasadena, California.

DOROTHY DUNBAR ROBINSON (Mrs. Clyde E), M-Butler, in 1944, at Indianapolis, Indiana.

ANNA BATES BUTLER, H-Wisconsin, August 18, 1944, at Superior, Wisconsin.

MARY A. BERRY GREGG (Mrs. John G.), B Ξ-Texas, August 12, 1944, at El Paso, Texas.



Mrs. Gregg was the mother of two Kappa daughters, Lucy Gregg Black (Mrs. W. L.), Δ B-Duke, and Brooks Gregg Minks (Mrs. Merle), Β Ξ.

HELEN PRENTISS BENNETT STEPHENS (Mrs. R. Allan), Β Δ-Illinois, July 29, 1944.

HARRIET ARNOLD CRIPPEN PARMENTER (Mrs. William L.), Β Γ-Wooster, July 29, 1944, at Lima, Ohio.

KATHERINE V. HAYDOCK, Φ-Boston, July 26, 1944, at Revere, Massachusetts.

MILDRED HARROLD MACKENZIE (Mrs. Robert E.), Β Γ-Wooster, in July, 1944, at Canton, Ohio.

NEVA GRACE SCHUMAN, Δ-Akron, July 7, 1944, at Kent, Ohio.

ELIZABETH THORP KING (Mrs. Charles Isaac), Η-Wisconsin, in the summer of 1944, at Madison, Wisconsin.

ESTHER WILSON DAVISON (Mrs. D. M.), Ε-Illinois Wesleyan, April 23, 1944, at Springfield, Illinois.

JENNETTE ALICIA MORTON, Β T-Syracuse, April 14, 1944, at Mottville, New York.

VIRGINIA COLLISSON WILLIAMS (Mrs. Clyde E., Jr.), Δ Z-Colorado College, April 5, 1944, at Denver, Colorado.

MYRA BUNTZ BLACKBURN (Mrs. Dell S.), Σ-Nebraska, in March, 1944, at Des Moines, Iowa.

HELEN TAYLOR BAEHR (Mrs. Leonard K., Jr.), Β ΡΔ-Cincinnati, February 7, 1944.

NEVA FUNK CALLAWAY (Mrs. Scott D.), Ω-Kansas, in 1944, at Kansas City, Missouri.

CLARA SLADE TAYLOR (Mrs. Frank J.), Δ-Akron, in 1944, at Palo Alto, California.

FANNY JONES KAY (Mrs. William), Δ-Indiana, in 1944, at Ridgewood, New Jersey.

MAY ELLA PEABODY, Γ Δ-Middlebury, in 1944, at Albany, New York.

MABEL POWELL, Ω-Kansas, September 26, 1943, at Kansas City, Missouri.

MARGUERITE WOOD SMITH (Mrs. Frances Niel), Β T-Syracuse, February 10, 1943.



The sympathy of the fraternity is extended to the four Kappa daughters and the Kappa daughter-in-law of Clarence F. Buck, who died September 2, 1944, at Monmouth, Illinois. Mr. Buck was a former Illinois state senator, director of agriculture for Illinois, director of finance for the United States Shipping Board and collector of customs at the port of Chicago. The surviving daughters are Dorothy Buck Ettl (Mrs. Alex) and Cordelia Buck Meloy (Mrs. Harry), both Β M-Colorado; Mildred Buck Ebersole (Mrs. H. Glenn), and Julia Ann Buck Bardens (Mrs. William M.), both ΔΔ-Monmouth; the daughter-in-law is Elizabeth Murphy Buck (Mrs. Henry S.), Β M.

## Gold Stars in Kappa Service Flags . . .

Captain David Thorn, son of Edith Satterthwaite Thorn (Mrs. Horace), Β I-Swarthmore, was killed in action in France.

Ensign Emmett H. Fletcher, son of Margaret Rolston Fletcher (Mrs. S. W.), Ψ-Cornell, and brother of Margaret Fletcher Pierson (Mrs. Paul W.), Δ A-Pennsylvania State college, was killed in action, January 29, 1944. Ensign Fletcher, pilot of a dive bomber based on an airplane carrier, was killed when his plane crashed and sank into the sea. He was the youngest of four brothers in service. His father, Dr. S. W. Fletcher, is dean of the school of agriculture at Pennsylvania State college.



# CHAPTER AND ALUMNAE NEWS

## Alpha Province

### Phi—Chartered 1882

#### Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts

After enjoying a summer of patriotic work rather than a pre-war type of vacation, Phi Kappas returned to Boston university September 13, all hopeful for a successful rushing period.

The rush committee had been anticipating the reopening of school. Several informal meetings were arranged to orient the Phis to the Panhellenic rushing rules and general procedure during the early acquaintance period previous to the three weeks of rushing. Rush captain Brenda Ericson presented numerous recommendations received during the summer, while Lillian Stark, rush party chairman, outlined her ideas.

A Kappa Grand hotel kept the rushees at attention at the rush party October 16, at the Belmont Woman's club in Belmont.

The Phis are lucky enough to have with them as advisers some of last year's seniors. The alumnae adviser list includes from last year's class Priscilla Carlson, formerly Phi's president, now chairman of the board; Janet Christensen (Mrs. Carl A.), rush adviser; Ida Johnston (Mrs. Warren), pledge adviser; Sally Corley (Mrs. John), standards, and Betty Aiken, scholarship. Two of the former advisers have been retained: Elsie Ericson (Mrs. George R.), finance adviser, and Jessie Grieves, catalog.

Soon after pledging, a religious educator, Professor Stanley Martin, from the school of theology, will speak at an evening meeting.

Marguerite Hartshorn was named as the new pledge captain to replace Jean Wellington, one of last year's girls.

The Panhellenic dance is to be November 18, and as usual the Phis are all out to see that it is a success.

#### Personals

President of Phi chapter, Ellen Mathews, is chairman of the banquet to be given by Gamma Delta, all-woman's organization of the college of liberal arts, December 5. "Dell" is vice-president of Gamma Delta, and a senior representative to Panhellenic.

Marjorie Osgood is president of the Panhellenic house. She is a member of the senior class, secretary of Gamma Delta and treasurer of the Spanish club.

Mary Macfarland, our Kappa from Indiana, is a senior at the school of education. She is treasurer of the student council, member of the post-war planning board and debating society.

June Pettingill has been chosen captain of the second volley ball team.

Elizabeth von Wedelstaedt, of Long Beach, California, recently revisited her home for three weeks, when she had the opportunity of again greeting some of her Kappa sisters at UCLA. Speaking of UCLA, June Dement, Boston post-debutante, has moved back to California and transferred from BU to UCLA.

Laura Mitchell, Phi treasurer, is now secretary of the sophomore class. She is also sophomore representative to the student government board.

"Trudy" Bugler has become a member of Il Cicolo Italiano and the Newman club at the college of liberal arts.

Eileen Leary, college of music senior, who is office assistant at her school also, has been elected vice-president of the newly-organized student council there.

Helen Mamas, senior in the college of business administration school of journalism, has been appointed publicity director of the all-university post-war planning board. She is a member of Benjamin Edes society; *Etaoin Shrdlu*, secret journalism society, and is director of the business college glee club. Outside of college she is a special feature writer for *The Christian Science Monitor*.

An all-university freshman acquaintance day was recently arranged. Five of Phi's Kappas served at hostesses, including Ellen Mathews, Eileen Leary, Marjorie Osgood, Brenda Ericson and Mary Macfarland.

HELEN MAMAS

### Boston—Established 1895

The Boston alumnae association was off to an early start this year with a picnic, September 16, at Lena Pool's home in picturesque Rockport.

Each Kappa is collecting magazine serial stories and cartoons for a serviceman's scrap book.

Sunday, October 15, we had a tea in honor of Founders' day. Judge Emma Fall Schofield was our guest speaker. We enjoyed her timely talk on "Opportunities for Women, Young and Old in Our Post-war World."

We are proud of our increase in membership and the enthusiastic attendance at our first meeting.

#### Personals

Ralph Jackson has just announced her schedule of fall and winter courses for her American Academy of Poetry.

Bette Robinson is executive secretary for the





**FIRST CHAIRMAN** of the Red Cross campus chapter at Syracuse was Gaye Gray, left. Syracuse air corps students chose Jane Tarrant, center, junior class vice-president, as "Miss Fledgling." Outstanding sophomore at Beta Tau was Janet Covell, right, who is also secretary of the Syracuse women's student senate.

Medford chapter of the American Red Cross in Massachusetts.

Beatrice Woodman will be guest speaker for Phi Mu alumnae association in Boston November 8. She will speak on that entertaining subject, her "Hungarian Cookbook."

DOROTHEA J. REILLY

### Boston Intercollegiate—Chartered 1924

Our first meeting this fall was October 10 at the home of Neva Warfel Duddy (Mrs. F. E.), I-DePauw, in Cambridge. We brought our own sandwiches, and cake and coffee were supplied. Sally Miller MacMahon (Mrs. J. A.), B N-Ohio State, gave us a "look-in" at the Kappa officers' conference, and when she got through, we felt we had all been there!

Our meeting November 14 was at Harriet Ford Wiswald's (Mrs. E. N.), B H-Stanford, in Belmont. Harriet gave us a glimpse of what is being done for disabled veterans.

In spite of coming from scattered suburbs of Boston, the attendance keeps up even through these busy days.

MARJORIE McCONAUGHY SMITH

### Beta Tau—Chartered 1883

Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York

Syracuse has had a big rushing season this year, with more than 800 rushees attending the first informal parties. Beta Tau emerged with 15 new pledges, formally pledged October 14.

We are also proud to announce two new wearers of the key, Jean Cavanaugh and Ada Jane Kreinleder, initiated October 9.

Now that almost all military units have left campus, Syracuse is beginning the return to normalcy. Several fraternities have reopened their houses, and the old traditions have been renewed under the supervision of the chapel traditions committee. Girls as well as boys wear our Orange frosh lids this year, throwing them in the air at football games and tipping them to upperclassmen when requested. We are particularly glad to have football revived this year, for we have two Kappas in the cheerleading squad, Gaye Gray and Jane Tarrant.

The 1945 *Onondagan*, Syracuse yearbook, will have two pages of candid Kappa shots this year, earned by our sophomores, who sold more "Ons" than any other house on campus. All classes are out for Red Cross training in the various fields offered by the new Syracuse university chapter, of which Gaye is chairman.

### Personals

Dorothy Pendleton, chairman of women's chapel, has been chosen as chairman of the 1945 Silver Bay conference, annual religious convocation.

Our scholarship ring, awarded to the active having the highest average the preceding semester, went this fall to Jean Cavanaugh, sophomore in cadet nursing, for a practically perfect average of 2.89.

ELIZABETH WILDRIDGE



**Beta Tau Alumnae—Chartered 1883**

Beta Tau is again anticipating an eventful and enjoyable year under the guidance of our president, Louise Hodell Butters (Mrs. G. M.).

Our first fall meeting in September was largely devoted to discussions of rushees and our active chapter, and so the program was centered around Kappa history. Florence Bray Fudge (Mrs. R.) reviewed legacies and recommendations. Elizabeth Hutchins brought us up to date on Kappa funds, their service and magnitude.

For our Founders' day meeting in October, several active members were especially invited. Since current events, in the form of the coming elections, were foremost in everyone's mind, a representative from the League of Women Voters was invited to help us discuss the vital issues.

Our meeting November 14 will be at the chapter house, and we shall meet our new pledges.

Some of our war activities are home service on the Red Cross committee, hospital and camp cooperation on the Red Cross committee and cookie donations to the USO. Again in November Beta Tau alumnae will serve Sunday morning breakfast to servicemen in the YMCA. Our members seem to enjoy it as much as do the servicemen.

*Personals*

Margaret McCain whose home is in Syracuse, joined the Red Cross overseas unit in early summer. Late in July she crossed the Atlantic and much later wrote a fascinating letter to her friends at home.

In part she said, "The next five days we spent having a gay time in Naples and surrounding territories. A great deal of what I saw made me feel as though I were watching a newsreel, such as the harbor of Naples, the bombed buildings, the ruins of Pompeii and Mt. Vesuvius. . . . I went with some American soldiers in an Italian train in a carriage drawn by an Italian horse to a beach, where they offered an orchestra whose nationality I wouldn't dare guess, where I danced with a merchant marine from Syracuse, a soldier from Australia and one from Palestine. Incidentally the latter had a beard and we danced the Viennese waltz. After that we hitched a ride home with a bunch of limeys. So you see, life over here is rather cosmopolitan. . . . My next experience was to fly a South African plane to Cairo. . . ."

MARY ALICE REED SISSON

**Rochester, New York—Established 1917**

The first meeting of the year was a picnic supper at the home of Edna Jeanne Brush (Mrs. John), B B-St. Lawrence, September 12, 1944. There was a good attendance and it was a pleasant meeting. Our president, Elizabeth Folger Gray (Mrs. Robert M.), Γ Ω-Dennison, told us about our program for the year. Orpha Kirker Wilder (Mrs. Willard E.), B T-Syracuse, in charge of the programs, reported some of the plans. Our secretary, Charlotte

Bernhard Hubert (Mrs. Dawson B.), Δ Γ-Michigan State, has moved back to Detroit because of her husband's business. Cherrie Sutton Burt (Mrs. C. Willard), B T, was elected secretary in her place. Marjorie A. Roberts, B T, attended a meeting for the first time. She is working at her chosen profession, illustrating, here for two years, after which she intends to return to Syracuse to finish her course.

Our rummage sale, September 27, was a great success. Evelyn Freda Wells (Mrs. Mason B.), K-Hillsdale, was chairman. At our last meeting, the girls said that Betty Gray's husband helped them the evening before and all the next day, and that he was the best help they had.

October 10 we celebrated Founders' day. The arrangements for the dinner were made by Marjorie Gardner Salisbury (Mrs. Samuel H.), B T. Our president made some inspiring remarks about the debt we owe the founders of Kappa Kappa Gamma, and then introduced two who spoke informally about the past and the present of Kappa. Mabel Allis Johnson (Mrs. Edward A.), B T, spoke of the past and of its continuing value to the alumnae, and Marjorie Roberts talked about Kappa from the standpoint of an active member.

We have been fortunate in finding someone who could carry on the work in Panhellenic that Martha Alexander Barbee (Mrs. Paul A.), Γ Δ-Purdue, was unable to finish. Lieutenant (j.g.) Barbee is stationed at St. Louis, Missouri, and Martha and their children are with him. She had been Panhellenic delegate and an officer for several years and moved away just as it was Kappa's year to have the presidency. It was not an easy vacancy to fill, but Florence James Irving (Mrs. John L.), B T, consented to take it. The first Panhellenic meeting of the year was a luncheon at Howard Johnsons', November 4.

*Personals*

In the summer, Miriam Pheteplace Schick (Mrs. Christian), B B<sup>Δ</sup>-St. Lawrence, gave a picnic supper at her home in honor of Marjorie Yeomans Abbey (Mrs. C. Robert), P<sup>Δ</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan. We were all happy to be together again, but regret that Marjorie will not be here to attend our meetings. Her husband's business has taken them to Buffalo, New York.

Elizabeth Erb, Ψ-Cornell, has left for New York city, where she will work for her master's degree in social science. She has been awarded the American Red Cross home service fellowship.

FANNIE BRUNSTEIN WILLIS

**Beta Psi—Chartered 1911**

University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario

Since our last communique to THE KEY, Beta Psi chapter has included a wonderful house-party in its social affairs. We had two cottages on Lake Ontario, about 25 miles from Toronto. As usual, sunbathing and bridge were the main activities. Several of our alumnae came out for the odd day,



and general plans were made regarding next year's rushing.

Helen Marshall is our new chapter president.

Peg Smith, last year's KEY correspondent, and Del Smith are reporting for training in the Wrens, October 18.

We are now making definite plans for our January rushing. Elinor Clark, last year's president, now working at the British Embassy in Washington, D.C., has been to rushing parties at Gamma Chi chapter in Washington and has sent along to us many valuable tips.

ANNE NICHOLSON

### Toronto—Chartered 1926

The traditional party for members of the graduating class was a highlight of convocation week. This year the Toronto alumnae proudly served a buffet supper in our new chapter house.

October 10 we opened our new program with a thought-provoking address on "Homemaking in the Community," by Miss Marjorie Bell, director of the Visiting Homemakers, founded by the late Lexa Denne, a charter member of Beta Psi.

Fritz McMullen (Mrs. James R.) advised us that the war work committee planned to have us make layettes for the Nora Waln fund as part of our work this winter. Forehandedly, she had provided a stock of wool and flannelette which was distributed forthwith.

It is hoped to maintain our Kappa group working at the blood donors' clinic again this year. We shall greatly miss Betty Rutherford (Mrs. W.), who organized it originally for us. She has moved to Kingston to be with her husband, Lieutenant Colonel Rutherford, returned from Italy to Royal Military college there.

We welcome back Margaret Hincks, who has been for two years with the Canadian Children's service at Garrison Lane nursery training school, Birmingham, England. We hope to tell you later more about her work.

Plans for our year's programme are not quite completed, but will be announced in a subsequent letter.

Once again, the Toronto alumnae urge all Kappas coming to our city to get in touch with us and join in our activities.

JOYCE KERR RANKIN

### Gamma Lambda—Chartered 1923

Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont

Initiation, highlight of the year, was conducted March 25, adding to the active chapter roll Elinor Carr, Betty Ann Holmgren, Nancy Surtees, Doris Vaughn, Gloria A. Antolini, Ann A. Argyle, Joane A. Davis, Barbara L. Grigg, Phyllis C. Hewson, Alice S. Thorn and Doris M. Smith. A banquet in their honor was given March 26 at the Middlebury inn. Jean Dunn was awarded the ring for the greatest scholarship improvement and varied extra-curricular activities during the year 1943-44. The

theme of the banquet was "The Symbols of Kappa Kappa Gamma." Fireside was conducted at the home of Mrs. William Hazlitt Upson.

Spring housecleaning was done the latter part of May. As a reward for this strenuous activity the Gamma Lambdas had an outing at Lake Dunmore, the week-end of June 3.

Gamma Lambda is still continuing in the war effort. Every other week all sororities on campus attend bandage-rolling at the town library. Many girls worked extra hours to help put out the March and April quotas.

Many Kappas are active in the Women's forum, an organization on campus which helps needy families of the town and promotes a closer relationship between town and college.

Middlebury has undergone many changes in the past two years. On one hand, fraternities have closed, due to the decrease in the men's enrollment. Counteracting this, the women's freshman class will be the largest ever. As a result, rushing will be postponed a month in the fall, and it is expected that the pledge quota will be 14, in contrast to the past quota of 11 girls.

### Personals

Ann Robinson is chairman of the 1945 cultural conference, and president of WAA. Sheila Schmidt is on the policy committee of the conference.

Betty Holmgren has been elected vice-president of the freshman class. Elinor Carr is secretary of the class.

Barbara Blair participated in the modern dance recital.

Gloria Antolini, Jane Drury, Sheila Schmidt, Elinor Carr and Nancy Surtees are members of the women's assembly.

Gloria Antolini won the posture contest sponsored by the Women's Athletic association.

Alice Thorn was awarded the Marion Young scholarship given a member of the freshman class, for character, service and interest in athletic activities.

Barbara Grigg is the new secretary of the women's forum. Janet Shaw (pledge) is a member of the calendar committee.

Joanne Davis is secretary of the Spanish club.

Barbara Drury is president of the senior class.

Bettina Stringer was tapped by Mortar Board.

KATHERINE CRAVEN



Ann Robinson

### Delta Nu—Chartered 1942

Massachusetts State College, Amherst, Massachusetts

Delta Nu chapter really clicked on campus this past year!

In April we had received two honors. For the





**FIRST PLACE PLAQUE** in *Massachusetts State's inter-sorority sing* went to these girls in *Delta Nu's glee club*, winning first place for *Kappa* for the third consecutive year.

third consecutive year, we were awarded the first place plaque at the inter-sorority sing. The honors in this case go to our director, Wilma Winberg.

To crown our glory, Helen Murray, with her presentation of "St. Joan," by George Bernard Shaw, won the declamation contest for Kappa.

We topped the scholastic average listing on campus, and won second place in the annual state scholastic report, missing first by only .3 points.

In the annual commencement dramatic presentation, Kappas again won the spotlight, Helen Murray as the lovely but bored Rosaline, and Pauline Willett Bell as Holofernes, in "Love's Labours Lost."

This semester, Delta Nu is well on her way toward surpassing her achievements of the past year. Thirteen of us are represented in the glee club. We are also represented in literary, sport, student gov-

ernment and music activities. Rushing is being carried on with zest and originality.

#### *Personals*

Wilma Winberg and Phyllis Hyatt were tapped for senior honorary society Isogon, and Wilma was elected president for this year.

Phyllis Hyatt was elected secretary of WSGA and vice-president of WAA.

Polly Piper is sophomore representative to WSGA, and Shirley Carlson is house chairman representative for all sororities.

Pauline Willett Bell was president of the Roister-Doisters, dramatic society, for the past year, while Shirley Mason was president of the Newman club.

Marjorie Hickman was elected secretary-treasurer of Panhellenic council.

MARY O'REILLY

## Beta Province

### **Gamma Rho—Chartered 1888**

**Allegheny College, Meadville, Pennsylvania**

We Kappas here at Allegheny finished the school year off by going to "Kappa Cottage" for a glorious

10 days of hiking, rowing and swimming. Then we all went to our respective homes to recuperate and plan for the forthcoming rush parties.

It seemed no time until school reopened and we were all back together again. Then came a busy





**BWOC at Allegheny are these four Gamma Rhos: from left, Nancy Sutton, editor, "Kaldron," year-book, and vice-president, Allegheny undergraduate council; Eleanor Evans, president, Philo Franklin debating team, and undergraduate council member; Caroline Snell, editor, "Campus," and undergraduate council member; Caroline Emerson, president, AWS and senior class, and undergraduate council secretary.**

week of coffee hours and parties.

The hardest work and best fun was the preparing for our big party. We transferred the rooms on fourth floor from a comfortable living room and kitchen into a garden complete with grass, trees and fountain. We spent hours tying flowers on the trellises, tramping out to the cemetery for artificial grass, building a fountain from rocks we had carried in from the woods in our waste baskets. We even had a pair of lovebirds which cooed happily the whole evening. Trees appeared where before there had only been a carpet sweeper. The piano bench with the help of cardboard and crepe paper became a stone bench in the garden. We were so pleased with our creation that it was hard to tear it all down after the party was over. But there were more parties to come, so we had to reconvert the rooms.

Soon Saturday noon came, pledge week was over for another year, and Gamma Rho had 15 new pledges.

In October alumnae, actives and pledges celebrated Founders' day with a dinner at the Country club. There we sang to the glories of Kappa. The pledges presented their song which is so lovely that we are all learning it.

Homecoming at Allegheny this year was not celebrated, but many Gamma Rhos returned. The rooms were filled with old and new members. Old and new songs were sung, bridge games flourished and finally that indispensable item, food, made the evening a big success.

Allegheny sororities almost had a change from sophomore rushing to second semester freshman rushing. The would-be change was taken up at meetings. But after serious discussion it was decided that sophomore rushing was better suited to our Allegheny campus. Because social activities will be almost non-existent, due to the lack of men, Panhellenic council is planning many inter-

sorority functions. There will be outings to the college camp, bridge parties, breakfasts and many other get-togethers.

#### Personals

Norma Fix and Carol Blake spent part of their summer as volunteers in the women's land army. Norma also was a Nurses' Aide this summer.

RUTH SCHIEBER

#### Beta Iota Alumnae—Established 1898

The alumnae of Beta Iota had their first meeting of the year at the home of Marian Hamming Nicely (Mrs. Thomas S.), in Lansdowne, October 18. It was a covered dish supper, in the usual Beta Iota fashion. Members of the sewing group took charge of the planning and preparation of the food. A regular business meeting followed.

For its second meeting the group will have its annual Christmas tea the second Saturday in December in the home of Florence Green Broomall, in Swarthmore.

The parents of Ellen Hayes Schulz have again heard from her indirectly. She is well and is still living outside of Munich with her husband and four daughters.

Lieutenant David Shoemaker, son of Emma Jane Wilson Shoemaker, has been visiting his parents recently, after extensive service in the South Pacific area.

The loyal band of workers for Kappa sewing now enters its seventh year of untiring service, with many thanks to Emma Jane Shoemaker, who so ably keeps the group together and interested. It is a wonderful way to keep Beta Iotas in touch with one another.

JULIE HOLMES SKOGLUND



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

The Beta Sigmas have been taking a leading part in the many activities on and off campus. The Cadet Nurses initiated last March have been continuing their training in hospitals on Long Island and in New York. We are all proud of the wonderful work they are doing.

Last spring the theme of May day was that of "An Old English Fair." The Beta Sigmas represented a band of traveling Russians. We all worked hard and each girl made her own colorful costume. Ruth Applegit was on the May day committee. Ruth Buck and Coline Doyle were chosen as members of "Daisy Chain," which included the 20 most beautiful girls in the sophomore class.

March 5-6 we initiated Pat Dobson, Eileen Aro, Maxine Cocks, Coline Doyle, Joan Weis, Margery Montee, Marye Smith, Betty Ann Rothrock, Mildred Wiacek and Nannette Keegan. Marianna Hogg was initiated by proxy for Delta Xi.

This year Panhellenic decided that a rush tea would be given along with the rush party. This enables the sororities to meet and know the rushees better. Our rush tea was a great success. Rushees wore cardboard keys as name-cards, while the Kappas wore crepe-paper aprons of blue and blue. October 17 the rush party was given at the house of Mrs. S. Meeker.

Fall initiations were conducted September 24-25 for Jonella Umbeck, Helen Grosskurth and Bernadette Palmer.

No house party was given last spring, but plans for a terrific one for next year are being made.

**Personals**

Ruth Applegit, our treasurer, is chairman of the May day committee.

Joan Wigton, president, is chairman of the penalty board, chairman of the committee to draw up the constitution for the newly formed Home Economics club; and is on the chapel committee.

Betty Hart is president of the Business Administration club, while Maxine Cocks and Joan Weis are treasurer and secretary, respectively.

Barbara Cisin is senior advisor of the Radio Workshop.

Gloria Duryea, standards chairman, is president of the Adelphi athletic association. Under her direction the board is revising the constitution. She is a new member of Lantern.

Marian Nowka is vice-president of Panhellenic and business manager of *Oracle*, the yearbook.

Ruth Buck is now attending the University of Wisconsin, where she is studying to become a physical education instructor.

JOAN WEIS

**New York Alumnae—Established 1896**

Through the varied accomplishments of our members, 1944 has brought honors to the New York alumnae association.

Helen Knox, B E-Texas, has been named president of the Association of Bank Women.

Naomi George Argo (Mrs. Virgil N.), Γ Γ-Whitman, is chairman of the Park Hudson AWVS, which makes children's garments for families of servicemen and overseas relief.

Marion Selee (Mrs. Tom Williams), Φ-Boston, has completed her fourth summer engagement with the Cincinnati Opera company and has resumed her radio and church music programs in New York city.

Dr. Mary Crawford (Mrs. Edward Shuster), Ψ-Cornell, chairman of rushing recommendations, reports an unusually busy summer.

To date, the attendance figures of the Service Women's Center total 81,000. September 10, the Center sponsored a party for enlisted men and women in the music room of the Biltmore hotel. The United States Coast Guard band stationed at Manhattan Beach furnished music for 500 guests, including several wounded soldiers.

Founders' day was observed October 13 by an open house tea in the Service Women's Center lounge.

Dean Virginia C. Gildersleeve, B E-Barnard, will speak November 10 to the alumnae association at the Women's University club, Hotel Biltmore.

**Personals**

Virginia Tucker Jones Heiss (Mrs. Gustave), Γ K-William and Mary, has moved to Alexandria, Virginia, as her husband, Colonel Heiss, is going overseas.

FLORENCE H. LONSFORD

**Westchester County, New York—Chartered 1934**

The Westchester alumnae association ended a successful year, despite transportation difficulties, with a meeting at the home of Mrs. F. M. Flynn, Pelham, at which Phyllis McGinley (Mrs. Charles Hayden), Δ H-Utah, was honor guest.

Miss McGinley is a noted writer of humorous verse for such magazines as the *New Yorker*, *Good Housekeeping* and *Saturday Evening Post*. The association enjoyed every moment of her readings, and hopes to have her program an annual event.

At the June officers' meeting at the Broadmoor hotel in Colorado Springs, the Westchester alumnae association received honorable mention among the smaller associations for the Almira McNaboe award. Since our membership nearly doubled last year, we become classified in the larger association group.

Mrs. Willis Torbert, former president of the Westchester alumnae association, and a director on our board, has gone with her two small children to Iran, to join her husband, who is connected with Dr. Millsbaugh's mission.

The Service Center in New York city is still of primary interest to the association, and we shall strive for greater goals in the coming year.

ELIZABETH P. SCHALK



**Essex, New Jersey—Chartered 1929**

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to Betty Black Fountain, B B-St. Lawrence, whose husband, Lieutenant Joseph Fountain, was killed in action in Germany. They have a five-weeks-old-son.

Our president, Dee Shuman Wickenden (Mrs. Thomas), Γ Ω-Denison, is also chairman of the Metropolitan guild of Short Hills and is giving a tea November 3 for Lucrezia Bori. The guild finances the Metropolitan Opera company. It also rebuilds musical instruments for distribution to soldiers, arranges junior concerts for children and gives weekly 50 free seats to servicemen.

We are sorry to lose Kathryn Darrow Eldon (Mrs. David), Γ Ω, who is moving to Indianapolis.

Elsie Kraemer Holmes (Mrs. Charles), B Σ-Adelphi, is taking a Rutgers college course in real estate appraising.

Kathryn Campbell Allen (Mrs. Woodward), Θ-Missouri, is serving as trustee of the Unitarian church of Montclair.

Ruth Dowding Eason (Mrs. Samuel, B T-Syracuse, has been doing a land office business in extending the hospitality of her home to foreign servicemen.

Faithfully serving through the summer at Kappa's New York Service Women's Center were Ruth Atwood Black (Mrs. Malcom), B BΔ; Virginia Gillispie Viskniskke (Mrs. Guy), B I-Swarthmore and Loree Gross Tower (Mrs. Harry), PΔ-Ohio Wesleyan.

Others doing war work are Helen Huntsberger Story (Mrs. Matthew), B A-Pennsylvania, in the UNYRA and Fay Myers Files (Mrs. E. K.), Σ-Nebraska, who is a surgical dressings chairman in Red Cross of the Oranges.

DOROTHY CROSS ZEIGER

**Northern New Jersey—Chartered 1935**

The Northern New Jersey association continues its custom of covered dish suppers the second Friday of each month.

Since the last Kappa letter we have had the pleasure of a visit from Mrs. Gilbert Seil, our province president, who spoke to us at the May meeting about projects and activities of other chapters.

We regret the loss of our former president, Julia Stengel (Mrs. Douglas), who has moved to Port Washington, New York; and Mary Davis (Mrs. L. Burch), to Pasadena, California.

Individual members are doing their share of war work in their communities, but as a group we are too scattered in location to do it collectively.

EDYTHE Z. ELISON

**Pittsburgh—Established 1919**

More than 200 Kappas, the largest number in its history, attended the Pittsburgh alumnae association's Founders' day dinner meeting, October 12. Members of Delta Xi and Gamma Epsilon chapters were among those present.

Our association has increased its membership from 107 to 174, about 75 per cent, over last year.

We were proud to have our own Helena Flinn Ege (Mrs. Edward F.), director of alumnae, tell us about Kappa's officers' conference at Colorado Springs last June.

Kappa neighborhood parties are popular. This year we also have a junior group, composed of Kappas out of school not more than three years. This group will meet at intervals, as well as at regular alumnae meetings. It has charge of the sale of Sponge soap.

Our war work is continuing at the USO-Variety club canteen. Other projects are being planned by Marjorie Lewis Koerner (Mrs. Herbert L.) and her wartime activities committee.

*Personals*

Members who have moved away are Caroline Allen to Syracuse, New York; Sarah Drum to Haddon Heights, New Jersey, and Barbara Cosler to Atlanta, Georgia.

Helen Rea Meigs (Mrs. George), Δ Ξ-Carnegie Tech, has joined the WAC.

ROBERTA PATTON TEDERSTROM

**Harrisburg, Pennsylvania—Chartered 1941**

The Harrisburg alumnae club finished last season with a supper picnic at the home of Sally Crowell, B A-Pennsylvania. Games and swimming followed in the evening. Sally was our corresponding secretary, and as she was leaving for a new job on the Main Line, we turned her party into a surprise farewell to her.

We opened this season with a Founders' day meeting, October 11, at the home of Helen Sluss Hall (Mrs. Vance), Δ-Indiana.

We plan a series of monthly meetings at the homes of members.

ADELINE B. ANDERSON

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

After a tea given by the pledges, Delta Alpha initiated the following girls, April 29: Nan Charles, Diana Huffman, Mary Louise Jones, Helen Kime, Barbara Smedley, Marjorie Tyson and Lois Willson. In May the chapter had a Mothers' day luncheon at the Nittany Lion inn. At the end of May, we had a grand time toasting wieners at a picnic given for the whole chapter.

Our contribution to the war effort is buying war stamps every month and attending surgical dressings classes every Wednesday night. At the beginning of March we had an open house for the Marines stationed here in the Navy V-12. Since we were inactive last summer, we are looking forward to fall so that we can begin another successful year.



*Personals*

Kathryn Vogel was elected advertising manager of *Collegian*, the weekly newspaper, and the *Student Handbook*. Kathryn also won second prize in a state advertising contest.

Julia Gilbert was made a member of all-college elections committee.

Helen Martin was elected to  $\Pi \Lambda \Theta$ , education honorary. Helen is also Panhellenic council president and chapter president.

Eleanor Bennett won second prize for her short story published in *Portfolio*, liberal arts magazine, which sponsored the contest.

Ruth Hill (pledge) was tapped by junior service board. Ruth is also a member of Louise Homer club, music honorary. Harriet Leyden is vice-president of Louise Homer club.

Mitzi Archer (pledge), Nan Charles, Diana Huffman and Barbara Smedley were tapped by Cwens, sophomore honorary. Nan Charles, vice-president of the society, is secretary-treasurer of the sophomore class.

NAN CHARLES

**State College, Pa.—Chartered 1933**

A record attendance of member and visiting Kappas made our first white elephant sale, May 3, such a success that we now plan to have two a year. Delta Alpha contributed discarded apparel which brought the fanciest prices—but one lucky guest got a point-free bottle of ketchup, inadvertently auctioned off, though it had been brought for the buffet supper which preceded the sale. Theresa Dower Jones (Mrs. Lloyd M.),  $B \Upsilon$ -West Virginia, was hostess.

We entertained our husbands at a picnic, September 2, at the home of Margaret Tschan Riley (Mrs. Hugh R., Jr.),  $\Delta A$ -Pennsylvania State and were able to congratulate ourselves on winning the Kappa magazine sales award, notification of which arrived that afternoon.

Phyllis Wallauer Coleman (Mrs. Ernest H.),  $\Delta A$ , our new president, inaugurated her term with a business meeting at her home, October 4. Other officers this year are Mary Davenport,  $\Delta A$ , vice-president; Sue Kern Musser (Mrs. H. Clay),  $\Delta A$ , secretary, and Isabelle Wieland Gauss (Mrs. John),  $\Delta A$ , treasurer.

MARGARET T. RILEY

**Delta Mu—Chartered 1942****University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut**

Life on the University of Connecticut campus has changed little since last year. Finding that living on a wartime campus is not so bad after all, we have settled down to a routine of activities and are looking forward to a year of advantage and interest to us.

Returning to campus this fall, the Delta Mus immediately plunged into a round of rushing events. A new system, in which pledging comes much earlier, has been introduced this year, and

our main thoughts now, and for the next few weeks, are centered around these activities.

In the early part of October, a pledge-active meeting which consisted of a rushing round-table discussion was conducted. Many new and enlightening techniques for a successful rushing period were presented.

Sunday morning, October 15, the annual breakfast commemorating Founders' day was given at the house under the chairmanship of Phyllis Odiseos.

Initiation ceremonies were conducted early in November for Irene Slough, Mary Lou Troy and Ruth Warner.

ANNE TRACY

**Delta Xi—Chartered 1944****Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania**

Delta Xis have lapsed into a well-needed quiet after the recent storm of excitement on the Tech campus. We ushered in the school year with the whirlwind of rushing. Since this is the first year that national sororities have been seen at Tech, each was more than eager to have a successful rushing season.

Our opening party was a kiddie party, at which the actives wore short dresses and hair bows. Ice cream bars were served instead of the usual "cokes." Rushees were thrilled with their unique invitations to our "Futuristic Party." These were individual records asking them to come and get a look into the future, with chapter singing and a bit of "boogie-woogie" in the background. The high spot of the party itself was a fashion show predicting what styles will be in 1960 and presenting ravishing creations of vegetables, lamp shades, tin cans and Christmas tree bulbs. This party was the climax to a successful rushing season, for September 19 we proudly welcomed our full quota of 15 new pledges.

A few days later Delta Xis summoned new energy to assist with the huge Carnegie endowment fund benefit bridge. To help raise money for this worthy cause Kappas made bead dolls, donated baked goods, served as aides and acted as entertainers.

October 12 the Tech Kappas experienced their first Founders' day banquet. We were indeed proud to be a part of this nation-wide tribute, and it was wonderful to meet with our alumnae and Gamma Epsilon again.

We are now planning to renew some of our wartime activities and expect to devote several of our meetings to filling sewing kits for the boys overseas.

*Personals*

Nancy Smith (pledge) has been elected vice-president of the sophomore class and Jerry Hunter (pledge) has been elected secretary.

Clementine McKenna is president of the Women's Athletic association.



Lois Frishkorn was elected spring carnival queen and Helen Robinson was elected as *Thistle* queen.

We are proud of Jackie Vlaskamp, who left us last summer to become a member of the WACs. She is now stationed in Des Moines, Iowa, where she is directing shows.

Josephine Sunseri has been named editor of the *Thistle*, Tech yearbook.  $\Pi \Delta \Phi$ , journalistic honorary, claimed nine Kappas: Janet Armstrong,

Billie McIlrath, Helen Robinson, Tassie Truxell, Dorothy Willison, Eleanor Wilson, Anne Sweeney, Josephine Sunseri and Virginia Sheppard.

Four Kappas were elected to Mortar Board: Helen Robinson, Janet Armstrong, Mary Forman and Dorothy Willison.

Mary Forman, Dorothy Stauff and Marjorie Woodburn were elected to  $\Phi \Kappa \Phi$ .

MARJORIE G. WOODBURN

## Gamma Province

### Lambda—Chartered 1877

#### University of Akron, Akron, Ohio

Lambda chapter had two elected to Pierian, Mortar Board equivalent, last semester: Dale Hinton and Marian Barnes. Dale's other activities for the year were president of Lambda chapter and Panhellenic council and vice-president of Women's league. Marian was corresponding secretary of Lambda chapter, president of  $K \Delta \Pi$ , educational honorary; member of  $A \Lambda \Delta$ , freshman women's honorary; vice-president of Pierian, and a freshman counsellor. Dale is a graduate counsellor at B Z-Iowa while she studies for her master's degree in dietetics.

Two girls elected to  $A \Lambda \Delta$  for the last spring semester were Mary Jean Bornhofen (pledge) and Sally Geisinger (pledge).

JANE FRANKENBURGER

### Akron, Ohio—Established 1901

Another wartime Founders' day found us with an attendance of 106. Many were service wives back home for the duration, and it was fun seeing everyone. The banquet was at Fairlawn Country club. Helen Voige Bowling (Mrs. B. B.), president of the alumnae association, presided.

Nora Tomkinson (Mrs. Leroy) presented the association with a badge of merit received from the USO for our outstanding work at the USO center for the last year. Harriet Wetsel (Mrs. Robert), vice-president, asked everyone to help with our "lost list" of former Akron Kappas, since she was trying to publish the directory and needed some assistance. Priscilla Simmons, an active, sang two songs. Alice Hunsicker Ellsworth (Mrs. Raymond), our new province president, was introduced. Everyone is proud to have a Lambda Kappa as province president. Jerry Brock, magazine chairman, asked everyone to purchase magazine subscriptions and renew them through the fraternity.

There was much singing of Kappa songs and a skit put on by the new initiates. All arrangements for the banquet were handled by our social chairman, Gladys Gilboy Worthington (Mrs. Frank).

#### Personals

Catherine Simmons Russell (Mrs. Howard) is now president of the Akron Junior League.

Ruth Kindig Russell (Mrs. John) is head of the war chest drive in Akron.

Three members of Kappa are on the Crittendon junior board: Jane Honeywell Shaffer (Mrs. R. W.), Irma Rugers Kempel (Mrs. G. P.) and Betty Norris Harvey (Mrs. John).

BETTY HARVEY

### Rho Deuteron—Chartered 1880; R. 1925

#### Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio

Our rushing was restricted to two weeks. Nancy Elliott was rush chairman, and under her guidance we added 22 new pledges to our roll.

In January, our chapter joined the Alpha Gams and Barracks 7 of V-12 in giving a dance for the Navy in Edwards gymnasium. The girls of Kappa Kappa Gamma gave several skits. Still taking part in the school morale program, we joined the other sororities in having Thursday night open-house for the Navy. Later we used much the same theme in one of the best Saturday night mixers of the year at the gymnasium, a "Night in Vienna."

Late in January we acquired the Delta Gamma housemother as our own, Mrs. Eastman.

Added to the freshmen's achievements was a pledge show. We were all much pleased, too, that every pledge made her grades.

Late in February the out-going seniors were entertained by a dinner and program at the house by the juniors. In the spring the juniors feted the freshmen with a picnic at the quarry.

A Panhellenic dance took the place of sorority formals, as another step in the attempt to curtail unnecessary spending. Later, international open houses were given by the sororities. Ours proved so successful that a letter of appreciation was received from the Navy. With the help of a Navy barracks we constructed a miniature bowling alley as our booth for the Red Cross carnival and earned a goodly sum for the fund.

The Kappas really took honors on campus, too. Out of five Mortar Boards we took three, and out of five beauty queens we took two.

We ended the year with plans for redecorating the rooms.

The chapter went in for collecting scrap books and packing boxes for the men overseas.

LOIS JEAN RUPE



**Beta Nu—Chartered 1888****Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio**

We are finally under way again and settling down to the old routine after a most successful rushing season. With thanks to our overwhelming alumnae support, we have 28 new pledges.

Once again our campus is assuming an almost pre-war atmosphere. A good many fraternities are back in their houses and we have been organizing exchange dinners and pledge parties.

Our Founders' day banquet was once more dispensed with in favor of a tea at the Kappa Service Women's Center. Mary Lou Kennedy was awarded the scholarship key for maintaining a four point average last year. The standards key was given to Dorothy Hamm.

We have four new transfers from Δ-Akron—Gwen Lutz, Janice Waugh, Virginia Duckworth and Ruth Holden.

*Personals*

Margaret Gilfillan is now with the Marine Corps Women's Reserve.

Harriet Johnson is in France as a clubmobile worker with the Red Cross, attached to General Patton's 3rd Division. She has written that the niece of General Patton is with her and that they were visited by Bing Crosby on his overseas tour.

Last year's graduating class has gone both to Chicago and New York to work. Dorothy Becher and Barbara Moore are living together in Chicago, while Jean Weiditz, Carol Gilchrist and Margie Jones are in New York.

Myma Smith made Φ B K last year.

DOROTHY S. DRAKE

**Beta Rho Deuteron—Chartered 1885;  
R. 1914****University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio**

A survey of Beta Rho's activities since the last report in the April KEY reveals a wide scattering of honors and achievements accomplished by both individual members and the group as a whole.

With the late spring, a moonlight boat ride aboard the *Island Queen* on the Ohio river was the occasion for the selection of a U. C. Boat Ride queen, our own Lois Jean Reifschneider, who won the official title of "The Girl With Whom I'd Rather Be Cast Adrift." Several weeks later the chapter added another crown to its collection with the gala coronation of Jean Beaumont as reigning beauty over the annual Junior prom.

Perhaps the happiest event for Beta Rho chapter as a whole was the night of the traditional university "Sing." For the past two consecutive years our chapter had won. The 1944 "Sing" was the crucial year, as it was necessary for the same group to win three times successively in order to keep the cup permanently. The third time the charm held. The loving cup now is displayed prominently in the living room at the Kappa house.

Kappa continues to hold its own among first raters as to scholarship. The following girls have been elected to honoraries in their major field: Joan Boegle, O N; Lois Jean Reifschneider and Dorothy Koehler, Δ Φ Δ; Marian Gorsuch, who is also business manager of the annual, president of B Γ Ξ, and Gene Ann Good, Π Θ. Marjory Hohman is president of Α Α Δ, national freshman women's scholastic honorary, with Gloria Decker secretary. Gloria is also corresponding secretary of Woman's Athletic association.

Mortar Board initiates were Janet Rawson, President, and Alice Bowman, campus leader, who is also chairman of "Panels for Peace and Progress," organized by Kappa to promote the political education of women on the campus.

GENE ANN GOOD

**Cincinnati—Established 1914**

Fifty Queen City Kappas met at the home of Alice Hendricks, PΔ-Ohio Wesleyan, September 26, to initiate the association's fall program. Situated upon one of Cincinnati's seven hills, the broad spacious porch, overlooking a scenic valley below at twilight, offered a pleasant respite from the interminable summer heat, red points, blue points (in season), recaps and maidless days.

Introduced by the program chairman, Harriette Gregory, B PΔ-Cincinnati, Elinor Gebhardt, Gamma province vice-president, revived nostalgic memories of prewar Kappa conventions when she reviewed, in vivid word pictures, the June conference at Colorado Springs.

Our president, Loretta Parer Mulford (Mrs. James P.), B PΔ, welcomed the recent graduates, introduced the newly-elected officers and chairmen of standing committees. Present conditions being what they are, and with most of our members devoting so much of their time to the war effort, besides being scattered among widely separated communities, it is almost impossible to do more than plan tentatively. However, the group present felt that we were off to an excellent start by adopting most of the committee recommendations.

Continuing our custom of the past few years, we will provide milk throughout the school year to 180 kindergarten children at Washburn school in the congested west end of the city.

Deeming it unwise to plan a money-making project at present, the association substituted the collection of Ohio State sales tax stamps, hoping to equal, if not better, last year's return of \$147.50.

Founders' day was a happy occasion for actives, pledges and alumnae to renew friendships and reminisce around the supper tables at the Student union on the university campus. The birthday contribution will be used for Kappa philanthropies.

Three Beta Rho daughters, one claimed by our president, and four Beta Rho daughters recently pledged, provided an excellent idea for the program, under the direction of Yvonne Biggs, B PΔ.



The first part was a series of humorous rush party skits under the caption, "When Mother Was A Kappa," followed by a modern presentation of the new pledges by Dorothy Koehler, pledge mistress and also a Beta Rho daughter. Singing Kappa songs, old and new, completed a perfect evening.

CORRINNE S. WINANS

### Gamma Omega—Chartered 1929

#### Denison University, Granville, Ohio

After three weeks of rushing, 26 freshmen were pledged to Gamma Omega, September 23. This was followed by a chapter supper honoring the new pledges, and a pledge-active meeting led by Jean Ferguson, pledge-trainer, to acquaint the pledges with chapter policies and campus activities.

The scholarship policy suggested by our field secretary, Alice Anne Longley Roberts (Mrs. Frank), and ably carried out by the scholarship chairman, Pat Hudson, has proved successful. We hope to be a full-grown bloom in the scholastic garden this year, for Gamma Omega topped all other sororities on campus in scholarship for the year 1943-1944. Marjorie Spengler and Betty Rupp won annual honors awarded to students who have no grade lower than B, and 24 hours of A. Four sophomores, Betty Rupp, Joan Ruine, Lois Pulfer and Beth Richards, were elected to Phi society, scholastic honorary.

Among the important events of the fall was the visit of Mrs. Roberts. Accompanying her this year was the new Gamma province president, Alice Ellsworth.

Fathers' day and Homecoming were October 7.



Dorothy Spoerl

The chapter entertained the fathers with a luncheon at the house, and alumnæ were invited to an open house after the football game that afternoon.

The following weekend the chapter celebrated Founders' day with a banquet for the chapter and Newark-Granville alumnæ. The sorority fall formals were October 14, with Joan Walworth (pledge) in charge of decorations.

We are happy to welcome into the active chapter Barbara Frei, Barbara White and Mary Wright, initiated November 4.



Rose Ann Heidenreich

#### Personals

Chosen as junior advisors this year were Betty Jane Oestman (pledge), Jean Fetter and Dorothy Spoerl.

Dorothy Spoerl is president of Women's Council,

and Marjorie Spengler is social chairman. Thirteen other junior and sophomore Kappas have student government offices.

Betty Jane Neff is editor of the *Portfolio*, campus literary magazine, and Patsy Billow is art editor. Pat Hudson and Ellen Kroehle are respectively art and photography editors of the *Adytum*, college yearbook.

Rose Ann Heidenreich was winner of the Shepardson art scholarship, awarded to the outstanding art student.

BETSY HOLLER

### Newark-Granville, Ohio—Chartered 1930

In August we had a large turnout for our annual picnic. We were glad to see Mary Eddy Crabtree (Mrs. Leonard) and Martha Eddy Harrison (Mrs. William), who were visiting their mother in Granville.

Our first meeting of the year was Founders' day, when the Gamma Omega chapter entertained us with supper at the lodge. We were introduced to the pledge class.

At Homecoming our board of trustees started us thinking about a fund for the purchase of a lot, so that in the near future we can have "a house on the right side of the tracks." Either the treasurer, Mary Scarritt Wolfe (Mrs. Gene), 6046 21st street, North Arlington, Virginia, or the chairman of collections, Meredith Damschroder, Rt. Two, Granville, Ohio, will be pleased to receive checks or bonds to swell this fund.

#### Personals

Anne Schaller Tallman (Mrs. John) is now in Seattle, Washington, with her husband, Lieutenant Commander Tallman, just returned from two and one-half years in Panama.

LOUISE WESTON KINSEY

### Delta Lambda—Chartered 1940

#### Miami University, Oxford, Ohio

Now that rushing is over, the actives have begun on the get-to-know-the-pledges-better problem . . . and so to a hay ride. We figure a wagon full of country vegetation and Kappas can't miss for a good mix-up.

Seven Delta Lambda girls bumped busward up to Dayton for Founders' day with the Dayton alumnæ. Highlight of the dinner was the presence and speech of Clara O. Pierce.

Two big events are about to pop on campus this month. The first is the drastic reduction of the V-12 unit here, and second is the initiation of 14 Kappa pledges, October 27.

#### Personals

Mary Elwell, Delta Lambda president, was tapped for Mortar Board last May and also was elected to K Δ II, education honorary.

Janet Hathaway is house chairman of a freshman dormitory this year.



Nancy MacQueen was elected president of senior women.

Five Kappa pledges were tapped Cwen, national sophomore women's honorary: Patricia Stearns, Rosalee Emmerson, Marion Thomas, Evelyn Hallerman and Shirley Brigrance.

NANCY MACQUEENE

### Canton, Ohio—Chartered 1934

The Canton alumnae group is meeting regularly once a month and really having lots of fun.

We had a successful rushing party and dinner the middle of August at the home of Sue Miller (Mrs. George Lee). We entertained 12 rushees from Canton and Massilon. We are happy to report that Barbara Toot is a Kappa pledge this fall at Northwestern.

Two of our Canton girls have been elected to important positions in their respective chapters. Virginia Molden is president of  $\Gamma$   $\Psi$ -Maryland and Martha Toot is house president of  $\Upsilon$ -Northwestern.

Officers for the Canton group are: president, Fritzie Portmann Miller (Mrs. Frank); vice-president, Lauremae Barrick Clark (Mrs. Cyril); secretary, Elizabeth Hackett (Mrs. Krichbaum Hackett), and treasurer, Mary Wright (Mrs. Clyde).

ELIZABETH KRICHBAUM HACKETT

### Cleveland—Established 1901

We began our program this year with a picnic supper September 20, at the home of Mrs. John Cronin. After feasting outdoors on hamburgers fried over hot coals, fresh green corn, tomatoes, fruit and coffee, we went inside for a short business meeting and to view the flower exhibit which each member was asked to enter. Prizes were awarded for the best miniature bouquet, Victory garden and old-fashioned arrangement.

We are planning a joint meeting with the West Shore association and junior group for Founders' day. This will be a dinner at the College club, and we are to be honored by having Mrs. Edward F. Ege, of Pittsburgh, director of alumnae, as our guest and speaker.

The remainder of our program this year includes a bridge tea, two dinner meetings, Christmas party, tea at Western Reserve Historical society, and in May a picnic supper at Bedford.

Inasmuch as the new ruling of Panhellenic excluded all rushing parties by alumnae groups this

year, we wrote personal letters to approximately 80 rushees.

We are continuing to serve Sunday brunches at the USO, and have served about 1,000 service people. In addition to this, under the auspices of Panhellenic, which started last spring serving Sunday night suppers at the USO once a month, we are taking our turn October 27.

#### Personals

Genevieve Mercer Critz (Mrs. G. Willard) is our new treasurer.

Adelaide Harris (Mrs. Robert J.), former professor of English at Western Reserve university, who left us a year ago to live in Florida, has returned to Cleveland for a few weeks and is giving us a series of book reviews.

Margaret Rowland (Mrs. Guy), B N-Ohio State, another prominent Kappa and also a book reviewer, is back for a visit.

We welcome as a new member Mrs. C. Monson Swain.

CHARLOTTE WILSON ORSER

### Toledo—Established 1920

October 11 was a typical crisp, cool evening really conducive to getting our fall program started. Margaret Easton Seney (Mrs. George E., III), P $\Delta$ -Ohio Wesleyan, opened her home for a pot-luck supper for which each member outdid herself in flavorful casseroles and luscious salads in honor of Founders' day.

Margaret Mikesell Hill (Mrs. John A.), P $\Delta$ , our new president, opened the meeting formally. Katherine Wolf Huntington (Mrs. Robert H.),  $\Psi$ -Cornell, told us about the 1944 officers' conference, concluding with a few paragraphs from Helen Bower's inspirational speech.

Jane Helmelt Cole (Mrs. Richard S.), B  $\Delta$ -Michigan, who has charge of our pet local charity, the Florence Crittenden home, planned the year's parties for the girls and gave us a pep talk that left us eager to go out and do more.

Ruth Hauk Repass (Mrs. Robert J.),  $\Delta$ -Indiana, reported profits from our recent rummage sale. It was really lucrative, even though Ruth nearly lost her hat and Margaret Hill *did* lose her raincoat in the first rush.

A Kappa song practice ended the evening on just the right note to send us out refreshed and more ready for the months ahead.

LOUISE WILFORD JULIUS

## Delta Province

### Iota—Chartered 1875

#### DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana

In compliance with the Navy V-12 unit, DePauw doesn't officially open its regular term until the

end of October, making the news in this letter predominantly in the past. But since the news is all good, we hope the reader won't mind.

DePauw had an equally late start last year, but not too late for Iota to get 25 prize pledges.



Twenty-two of these pledges were initiated the following spring, and the remaining three will receive their keys this fall.

The year started off with a round of Saturday night parties for the Navy V-12 and V-5 men, and a tea given in honor of our new dean of women, Miss Leota C. Colpitts.

Kappa played a major part in campus activities last year with the *Mirage*, school yearbook, under the capable control of Marian Walker, managing editor; Margaret Rautenberg, junior editor, and Mary Elizabeth Davis, junior business manager. Martha Jean Haverstick was editor of the school paper, with Sarah Jean Wildman, Jean Mehlig and Marjorie Shreeve holding down other editorships.

At the beginning of the second semester Martha Jean Haverstick was elected president of the student body. The "theatah" beckoned several talented Kappas, with Mary Elizabeth Davis playing the lead in both "Ladies in Retirement" and "Cry Havoc," ably supported in the latter by Barbara Wilde and Marcia Denton. Barbara and Mary Elizabeth were chosen to National Collegiate Players.

Our weekly culture program was carried on with slight revisions, which included visiting professors as "guest stars."

Panhellenic sponsored a calendar picturing memorable DePauw scenes, proceeds from the sale of which were to be given to a worthy war fund. Kappa Mary Helen Cleary, in charge of the project, proudly presented the American Red Cross with the result: \$450.

Beauty is as beauty does, and we were not without our share during the year. Barbara Bartlett was queen of Goldigger's ball. Becky Rhue and Susan Alvis were *Mirage* queens, and we had several queen's attendants at different festivities throughout the year.

At Recognition chapel in the spring Kappa had a corner on the honors. Marian Walker and Barbara Jones Stark were elected to  $\Phi$  B K, Barbara receiving special mention as the senior woman with the highest scholastic average for her four years in college. Mary Elizabeth Davis and Martha Jean Haverstick were chosen as new Mortar Board members; Margaret Rutenberg was chosen the outstanding senior woman, and Sarah Jean Wildman received a scholarship award. Key positions on the yearbook and newspaper belong to Mary Elizabeth Davis, Anne Carter and Sarah Jean Wildman.

MARJORIE SHREEVE

## Mu—Chartered 1878

Butler University, Indianapolis, Indiana

Mu chapter started this semester with much enthusiasm. Our rush week was a great success and our pledge group consists of 18 girls. Mu's active chapter also was enlarged October 7, when we initiated 18 new sisters.

For inter-fraternity association, we have exchange dinners scheduled with all the fraternities on campus. We had our open house October 15, the first social activity on campus.

Our senior election was a great triumph, for Shirley Snyder is secretary of the senior class. Martha Bales, one of our new actives, also holds our colors high as president of Spurs, sophomore honorary.

Another height we were able to achieve was in our scholarship. We were only two hundredths of one per cent below the highest average made by fraternities on our campus.

JOAN LEE MCTURNAN

## Indianapolis—Established 1897

Our first meeting of the year was enthusiastically attended by a large group of Indianapolis alumnae at the Butler university chapter house, September 19.

Following dinner, we were entertained by two soldiers from Stout Field. Lieutenant Ralph Surran, a member of the first convoy to arrive in Africa from the United States, related many interesting, personal experiences during his active duty in Africa, Sicily and Italy. Sergeant Joe Campbell accompanied our group in singing Kappa songs and then played several piano selections for us.

Bernice Havens Brayton (Mrs. John R.),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$  -Purdue, the association president, introduced the newly-appointed committee chairmen. Great interest was shown especially in those committees connected with the war effort, and we feel certain our association will contribute to a successful season in those activities.

Recent graduates were inducted into the alumnae association, September 17, at a dinner meeting which celebrated the 74th birthday anniversary of the founding of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Honored guests included Elizabeth Bogert Schofield (Mrs. Everett M.), M-Butler, former president of Kappa Kappa Gamma, who reported on the officers' conference at Colorado Springs, last June; Mrs. Robert H. White, K K  $\Gamma$  chairman of chapter finance, and Mrs. Mark H. Reasoner, representing the officers of Delta province, who gave a toast to the organization on its birthday.

Mrs. G. B. Taylor, I-DePauw, has been re-appointed by Mrs. Joseph W. Searcrest, president of Kappa Kappa Gamma, as one of the trustees of the Louise Bennett Boyd Hearthstone, Kappa alumnae clubhouse at Winter Park, Florida. Mrs. Taylor is also Indiana State chairman of the Hearthstone fund.

The family of Harriet Gerdts, M, has received word that she has arrived safely in Great Britain. She is a Red Cross Staff assistant, participating in club recreational work.

Mimi Wedeking,  $\Delta$ -Indiana, is a secretary, under civil service, for the Navy in Panama.



**Kappa—Chartered 1881****Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Michigan**

Kappa coeds began their usual busy year with 20 girls filling the house to capacity. A week's whirl of rush dates and dinners was climaxed with the pledging of 11 freshmen, September 29.

Georgeanna Croft has been elected chapter president at Hillsdale to fill the vacancy left by June Vincent, who transferred to the University of Michigan.

Kathryn Rodin was recently chosen to take over the editorship of the *Collegian*, weekly campus publication, to fill the vacancy left by Margaret Moats Sprague (Mrs. Reed B.), thereby keeping the editorship in the house for the third consecutive term.

Kappas who were recently initiated into E Δ A, highest ranking honor society on this campus, are Ardath La Berge, Georgeanna Croft, Kathryn Rodin and Gloria Woodmansee.

Formal initiation of four girls pledged last February was conducted October 14.

Kappa chapter is looking forward in the near future to a visit from Mrs. Frank H. Roberts, field secretary.

JOY RICK

**Hillsdale—Established 1921**

Combining work and pleasure for our first meeting this fall and armed with implements of repairing and painting, we descended upon the Kappa house for our annual "touching up" of the house and grounds. We served a potluck supper following our afternoon of rejuvenating.

We are making plans again this year to collect clothing for the American Friends' Society, so all of us are sorting out our best and warmest that we can do without. Last year through the efforts of Cora Bailey Dimmers (Mrs. Albert W., Sr.) not only clothing was collected, but also 32,000 buttons, which were much needed in repairing of clothing by the Friends' Society. Before being shipped to Detroit the buttons were sorted and displayed in a Hillsdale store window.

In honor of Alice Anne Longley Roberts (Mrs. Frank H.), field secretary, whom we are expecting soon, a tea will be given at Sunnycrest, home of Joy Mauck Hayes (Mrs. C. Walker), president of the association; Ruth Mauck Walrath (Mrs. A. L.) and Doris Mauck Friedrichs (Mrs. Hugo). The actives and new pledges will also be guests at the tea.

LORRAINE C. CHAPMAN

**Adrian—Chartered 1924**

June 3 we gave our annual spring luncheon at the Adrian club. It was a gala occasion and many former members returned for the event. The graduates of the active chapter were our guests of honor and later presented us, in the name of Xi chapter, with \$100 and two war bonds.

We opened our 1944-45 season October 13 with

a formal meeting in the home of Alice Baldwin. Ruth Harris Ryznar (Mrs. Michael), our new president, presided and later gave a short history of the fraternity in observance of Founders' day. Money was collected to be given to the Associated Charities for the purchase of children's Christmas dresses. We also voted to donate money to the national war fund and to the Rose McGill fund. The latter donation is to be made in the name of Xi chapter, as well as that of the alumnae association.

CAROLYN OTT

**Beta Delta—Chartered 1890****University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan**

Spring saw two more distinguished Kappa visitors at Beta Delta. They were Mrs. Everett Schofield and Miss Clara O. Pierce, whose visit brought us closer to the large scope of Kappa. Dinner and demi-tasse were served in their honor at the chapter house.

Most of our social activities continue to be overshadowed by campus war work. However, April brought initiation for our 23 pledges. Making quite a day of it, we had a banquet afterward and a dance at the chapter house.

The annual Delta Gamma-Kappa baseball get-together was a huge success, as was the basketball game with the Pi Phi (even though we did lose) and the picnic for D.G.s, Kappas and Pi Phi.

Biggest excitement this spring came when we finally won the Lantern night sing. Phyllis Crawford led us to victory singing "The Cherubic Hymn."

During the summer the chapter house has been undergoing a beauty treatment. The dining room has been done over and a good many of the rooms have been painted, washed and redecorated.

War activities took the spotlight again this term. Kappa was proud to be listed as first among sororities during November, December and January in USO functions and war council work. The war council is the main executive body controlling all women's affairs on campus, and this year was headed by Monna Heath.

Chapter members contributed 33.8 hours per student per month to various war activities during the year.

**Personals**

Natalie Mattern was made head of Women's judiciary council; Shelby Dietrich, WAA president, and Marcia Sharpe, vice-president of Panhellenic. All three are members of Wyvern, junior honorary.

Virginia Councill is chairman of soph project, which directs hospital volunteers.

Marcia Sharpe was appointed head of bomber scholarship. Shirley Sickels and Marian Johnson are committee members.

Constance Coulter and Elaine Raiss were initiated into A Δ Δ, freshman honorary.



After graduating this spring Marilyn Mayer, who was prominent in war council and had leads in Play Production's "She Stoops to Conquer" and "Little Women," stepped into a guest editorship for the college issue of *Mademoiselle*.

CATHERINE SHILSON

### Ann Arbor, Michigan—Chartered 1942

The Ann Arbor alumnae association celebrated Founders' day with a dessert-business meeting, October 11, at the home of Sadye Power (Mrs. Eugene B.), B Δ-Michigan. Officers for the year are president, Marme Cooper (Mrs. Donald R.), B Δ; vice-president, Janet Cassell (Mrs. William W.), B Δ; treasurer, Mary Smith (Mrs. William J.), K-Hillsdale, and secretary, Jo Yantis, B M-Colorado.

Blue-and-blue pamphlets giving the date and place of meeting, hostesses and type of meetings for the year were given each member. Special projects for the year include group work at the USO, assisting with pre-induction meetings, making cookies and chaperoning on the regular weekend parties.

Outstanding Kappas in Ann Arbor are Sadye Power (Mrs. Eugene B.), B Δ, chairman of informational meetings for pre-inductees; Katherine Walz (Mrs. William C.), B Δ, chairman of housing committee at the USO; and Mildred Hinsdale, charter member of Beta Delta; chairman, board of advisers of Beta Delta.

We are happy to have 10 new members: Mary Alling, Γ Ω-Denison; Elsi Andrews, B Δ-Illinois; Anabel Corley (Mrs. R. W.), Δ Γ-Michigan State; Ruthmary Westfall (Mrs. Robert), B Δ; Mary Jane Jessop (Mrs. Warren H.), B Δ; Harriett Morehouse (Mrs. Wayne G.), K; Betty Hancock, Γ Δ-Purdue; Alice Warren (Mrs. Baldwin), X-Minnesota, and Jean Dunnaback (Mrs. R. M.), K.

JO YANTIS

### Detroit—Established 1901

Too near Founders' day to be unlucky, Friday-the-13th of October was the day for its celebration by Detroit Kappas. Helen Keyser Rowe (Mrs. Lawrence H.), B Δ-Michigan, was chairman of the successful dinner at the home of Amanda McKinney McColl (Mrs. Clarke M.), B Δ, when the evening group was hostess to the Detroit association.

Helen Beck Crane (Mrs. Henry Hitt), Δ-Indiana, retold the story of her mother's (Lena Adams) and Mrs. Nathaniel Hill's work in founding Delta chapter, and in writing the original constitution and by-laws of the fraternity.

Main speaker of the evening was Helen Bower, B Δ, who briefed the events of the officers' conference at Broadmoor, Colorado Springs, which she attended as editor of *THE KEY*.

By way of inspiration for further work, Mina Bates Overstreet (Mrs. Charles M.), Δ Γ-Michigan State, showed her "bag-of-tricks" of children's gar-

ments made by the Detroit American Friends' Service with a good deal of help from Detroit Kappas.

#### Personals

Jean Hatcher, B Δ, and Harriet Johnson, B N-Ohio State, are both seeing service in France with the Red Cross.

SUZANNE SIMS

### North Woodward—Established 1944

The North Woodward alumnae association became established in its own right May 23, 1944, after having been the first of Detroit's four active and enthusiastic groups, subdivided as such in January, 1937. Close as was the bond with Detroit, it has been evident for some time that we were ready to undertake our own responsibility. So with regret for the severance of familiar ties, mingled with the thrill of being newly created, we assumed our own identity.

At our first fall meeting, in the home of Dorothea Beurmann Betts (Mrs. Charles H.), Δ Γ-Michigan State, our charter was presented to us by Aletha Yerkes Smith (Mrs. Harold R.), B Δ-Michigan, with Detroit's good wishes for our success. It was decided to continue this year with our Nora Waln sewing for European refugees, as well as with our crippled children's camp philanthropy.

We celebrated our first Founders' day anniversary with a dessert meeting in the home of Aileen Carney Keller (Mrs. Fred), Δ Γ. Persis Martin Schairer (Mrs. K. G.), B Δ, gave a brief review of Kappa history and Genevieve McNellis Pretz (Mrs. H. Philip), Γ I-Washington university, read from the manuscript of her 12-year-old Toby's book about his Mexican trip and showed his movies taken in Mexico.

The singing of old familiar Kappa songs was followed by the singing of new favorite Kappa songs introduced to us by the six actives able to be with us, with Connie Coulter, B Δ, who is majoring in music, at the piano.

With the "warm spot in our hearts for K K Γ" glowing, we undertake confidently our plans for the future as the North Woodward alumnae association.

JOSEPHINE McNEILL BOWEN

### Gamma Delta—Chartered 1919

#### Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

The following were elected to offices in Gamma Delta chapter: Elizabeth Peet, president; Betty Graves, house president; Medrith Noble, recording secretary; Marjorie Thoms, corresponding secretary; Jane Sprague, scholarship chairman; Louise Henning, rush chairman; Jane Sprague, Panhellenic representative; Pat Martin, pledge captain; Jean Buchanan, registrar; Jean Yost, standards chairman; Anne Asperger, treasurer; Marjorie Matson, efficiency chairman; Sue Knappenberger, KEY correspondent.

We are happy to say that Joyce Hood, Joalyn



Lyda, Marilyn Meyer, Patty Webb, Beatrice Johnson, Marion Corey, Vera Krc and Henrietta Vaughn were initiated September 16, 1944.

Gamma Delta chapter is proud of Marjorie Thoms, one of 15 girls initiated by Gold Pepper, women's activities honorary.

Beginning the November semester, we are to have an annex for 14 pledges and new initiates of the March pledge class, who will be unable to live in the chapter house because of crowded conditions. We know they will have a lot of fun, but we will miss them and will be glad to have them back in the house in March.

SUE KNAPPENBERGER

### Gamma Delta Alumnae—Chartered 1919

Our first meeting this fall was at the Kappa house, September 26, with Leota McCarty, Dorothy Sharkey, Mary Lou Gimiel and Clarice Kilmer as hostesses. The program for the year was discussed and all committees were appointed. Doughnuts and cider were served. Meetings will be the third Tuesday of each month, with every other one at the Kappa house.

We had a potluck supper, October 17, to celebrate Founders' day, at Louise Thornton's with Esther Schlundt, Inez Canan and Gladys Walker assisting.

Our association was surely proud to receive the Almira J. McNaboe award.

#### Personals

Pat Dukes Ryan had a Kappa get-together in August. It was nice to see the out-of-town Kappas: Helen Lloyd Brelsford, Kansas City; Bess Franklin Kimmel, Logansport; Pauline Wilkinson Clark, Memphis, and Violet Foster Milligan, La Porte.

### Fort Wayne, Indiana—Chartered 1924

Founders' day was celebrated with a dinner meeting, October 12, at which Mrs. Ella B. Clark (Ella Brewer,  $\Delta$ -Indiana) talked on the founding of our local association in 1924. We are now 20 years old, and have always striven to emphasize Kappa fellowship in our group.

Assisted by the active members, we gave our annual rush party in the summer. Now we have plans underway for a spring rummage sale.

We welcome as new members Mary Boardman Rogers (Mrs. Arthur), H-Wisconsin, and Rebecca Rhue, I-DePauw.

Moves of service wives: Eloise Dreisbach Keller (Mrs. Robert),  $\Delta$ , and Mary Louise Rose Foohey (Mrs. James), I, are back home in Fort Wayne while their husbands serve overseas. Alberta Loop Popp (Mrs. Milton),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ -Purdue, joins her husband, Lieutenant Popp, a Navy doctor in New Orleans, Louisiana.

MARTHA MARTZ GRANT

### Gary—Chartered 1926

Since the city of Gary is highly organized for both civic and home front activities, our members

aid these larger organizations to such an extent that our small alumnae group is limited to continuing Kappa friendships and helping the projects of the fraternity.

Our main event of recent months was a beach party at the home of Peg Call Williamson (Mrs. Allwyn),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ -Purdue. We entertained rushees with the help of several actives, Susanna Pugh, Doris Hayward, Catherine Guffin and Marion Lower, all of  $\Delta$ -Indiana. Rheba Grishaw,  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ , also assisted.

We also enjoyed a porch supper with Florence Haskell (Mrs. Harold),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ ; luncheon with Edith Andersen (Mrs. Hans),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ ; and are looking forward to several evening meetings and our annual Christmas party.

#### Personals

Anne Barrett Rogers (Mrs. Raymond A., Jr.),  $\Gamma$  X-George Washington university, is living in Gary until her husband's return from overseas.

Margaret Canine,  $\Delta$ , has recovered sufficiently from a serious illness to return to her teaching position.

Betty Hodge Humm (Mrs. Chas. H.), I-DePauw, has returned to Gary for two months and was a guest at the October meeting.

Betty Richey Magoon (Mrs. C. E.),  $\Gamma$  I-Washington university, is removing to Pittsburgh.

Nancy Hodson (pledge),  $\Delta$ , is the first daughter of a charter member of the Gary alumnae association to be pledged. Her mother, Margaret Murphy Hodson Luck (Mrs. D. C.) is also a charter member of  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ . Nancy is the third daughter of a Purdue charter member to be pledged.

Martha Van Meter, B X-Kentucky, is a member of the newly formed Gary chapter of Altrusa.

BETTY RICHEY MAGOON

### Muncie—Established 1916

Muncie alumnae were entertained at a dessert meeting October 9 by Mary Lockwood Letzler (Mrs. Walter), I-DePauw, and Martha Letzler, I. Mrs. Edith Kem Nelson,  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ -Purdue, who has charge of the cafeterias at the Ball Brothers company, is a new member of our association.

Officers for this year are: president, Margaret Stover Ballenger (Mrs. Frank),  $\Xi$ -Adrian; secretary, Anita Duff Brown (Mrs. Everett),  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona; treasurer, Barbara Rector Bartlett (Mrs. Paul),  $\Gamma$   $\Delta$ , and Caroline Ballard Parsons (Mrs. Darrall), I, new executive committee member.

We had a successful rummage sale in June, which will enable us to continue our annual donations to the United War fund, Red Cross and a Kappa philanthropy.

Mary Overman Whitcraft (Mrs. L. H.),  $\Delta$ -Indiana, was membership chairman for the Civic Music association for the fourth year. Mildred Kitzelman Crapo (Mrs. Fred), H-Wisconsin, and Katharine Benedict Palmer (Mrs. Claude), I, are again directors. Caroline Ballard Parsons assisted in contacting new members.

We are represented in the Panhellenic associa-



tion by Katherine Kineer Miller (Mrs. Jean)  $\Xi$ ; Bethel Williams Wadsworth (Mrs. Robert), I; Mary Overman Whitcraft, Thelma Rutledge Walton (Mrs. Richard), M-Butler, and Ruth Phythian Smith (Mrs. Merrill), M.

#### Personals

Martha Letzler has charge of the library and is teaching English in Blaine school.

Jean Bemenderfer Green (Mrs. William), I, is moving to Louisville, Kentucky.

Thelma Rutledge Walton is a member of the Muncie Red Cross motor corps.

Martha Allman Boggy (Mrs. Dale),  $\Delta$ , is teaching home economics and has charge of the cafeteria in the Eaton school.

ANITA DUFF BROWN

### Delta Gamma—Chartered 1930

#### Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan

Delta Gamma chapter is now settling down to the more serious business of studying after two hectic but fun-filled weeks of rushing. Eighteen girls were formally pledged October 9. An informal "coke" party followed the pledging.

Kappa's 74th birthday was celebrated the evening of October 10 with a combined meeting of alumnae, active members and pledges at the chapter house. Ruth McGillicuddy (Mrs. Robert), B  $\Delta$ -Michigan, gave an interesting speech explaining the new rush system used this year and entertainment was supplied by the various actives' talent.

Our first volley-ball game is scheduled for October 16. Turn-outs at practice have been encouraging.

Everyone is looking forward to our first pledge-active party October 20, and many more "get-togethers" are being planned to replace the dances of the previous years. All the girls are looking forward to a useful year helping with the Red Cross work and participating in campus activities.

#### Personals

Marie Angove was elected president of Orchestis, national dance honorary society.

Myria McKnight is now treasurer of Studio theatre.

Josephine Johnson and Patricia Brown have been initiated into Green Splash, woman's swimming honorary.

Martha Kelly was selected as senior representative to Union board, in charge of all social student activities in the Union building.

Mary Slack, Panhellenic representative, is now vice-president.

Clara Dowling was tapped for Mortar board.

MARY SLACK

### Delta Gamma Alumnae—Chartered 1930

Elsie Mae Morrison Shoemith (Mrs. V. M.) was hostess at our meeting May 9, at which a Bohemian supper was served in honor of the senior Kappas. The alumnae presented each senior with a box of stationery on which each girl's name was printed.

At a successful rummage sale conducted in the spring, \$110 was realized.

This fall our meetings were opened September 12 at the home of Ruth Robinson McGillicuddy (Mrs. Robert). Many of the young Kappas whose husbands are in service are becoming active in our group and we are glad to have them. Refreshments were served after the business meeting.

Founders' day was celebrated at the chapter house where the actives served after-dinner dessert. Connie Hutty sang for us and several skits used during rushing this fall were given.

DOROTHY PETTIT REED

### Saginaw Valley—Chartered 1941

About 20 members of the Saginaw Valley alumnae association enjoy dinners together each month. The September meeting was at the home of Margaret Haddon Farley (Mrs. A. W.) in Bay City. Plans for aiding in the war effort, historical studies of Kappa and arrangements for occasional guest speakers were outlined for the coming year.

Besides doing our foremost job of rearing our families, nearly everyone has worked on surgical dressings, as staff-assistants or in production for the Red Cross. We knitted our third afghan for camp and hospital, and have donated funds from our regular dues, besides working on current bond drives.

MARGARET HADDON FARLEY

## Epsilon Province

### Alpha Deuteron—Chartered 1870, R. 1934

#### Monmouth College, Monmouth, Illinois

The alumnae club of Kappa Kappa Gamma sponsored a Founders' day dinner, October 13. Scholarship bracelets were presented to Dorothy

von Ach for the highest grades and to Glenna Lu Angove for showing the greatest improvement in grades.

#### Personals

Mary Ann Thome is president of  $\Sigma$  O M, local Phi Beta Kappa equivalent; Mary Lou Mitchell, president of the Junior class and Pep club; Geri



Gerhart (pledge), vice-president of Pep club; Jane Quinby (pledge) and Cherry Lauder (pledge), treasurer and secretary, respectively, of the freshman class.

Suzanne Gordon is vice-president of the student body.

Joan Hutchison, sophomore, is house president and class vice-president.

Glenna Lu Angove is Crimson Masque vice-president.

Mary Ann Thome, Jean Person (pledge), Dagmar Stevens and Patricia O'Connor are on the staff of *The Oracle*, the college newspaper.

Suzanne Shellenberger and Patricia O'Conner were initiated into Σ T Δ.

MARGARET BARTLING

### Monmouth—Chartered 1934

The 10th anniversary of the return of Kappa Kappa Gamma to Monmouth college was celebrated by Alpha chapter and the alumnae association in conjunction with the observance of Founders' day, at a dinner party.

Mary Frances Diffenbaugh, president of the alumnae association, was toastmistress. She introduced Mrs. H. T. Ricketts, T-Northwestern, of Kirkwood, now affiliated with the local alumnae group, through whose untiring efforts the reinstatement of Alpha chapter was made possible. Mrs. Ricketts spoke briefly.

Alumnae scholarship awards for the final semester of last year were given to members of the chapter by the scholarship adviser. The award for high average was presented to Dorothy von Ach. The award for greatest improvement was given to Glenna Lu Angove.

ANNALEE HORNER

### Epsilon—Chartered 1873

#### Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, Illinois

Members of Epsilon were all delighted to find that the alumnae had invaded, taken inventory and redecorated our house during the summer. New wallpaper, paint and bed-spreads gave us a bright outlook on the coming year. Rush week started September 14, and at the end of the week we pledged nine girls.

With the shortage of men on campus this year, we have made it our goal to keep everyone busy. After the first home football game, we started the traditional open house for every student, faculty member and the opposing team. We plan to have these "after-game coffees" for all home games.

A hayride has been planned for our pledges and their dates. November 3 our pledges gave a dance for all pledges on campus.

The Bloomington chapter of American Red Cross has undertaken a canteen project. The Wesleyan chapter has followed suit, and after a number of scheduled classes, the girls will be inducted

as "canteen-aides," whose job it will be to help prepare and serve food to servicemen and women going through on trains. We are proud to say that Kappa is well represented.

Not only our alumnae were busy last summer. Several Kappa mothers took on the project of filling our pantry shelf.

#### Personals

Anne Hart (pledge) is secretary-treasurer of the freshman class.

Anne Wilcox, treasurer, has been selected as one of the Homecoming queens. She is secretary-treasurer of the junior class.

Francis Lou Mitchell, pledge captain, is the new student union president, the first woman named to this office. She has recently been chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges*.

Marjorie Hartenbower, president of Epsilon chapter, is the senior class president, a member of Egas, senior women's honorary, and has also recently been chosen for *Who's Who in American Colleges*.

Charlotte Ratcliffe is president of the Wesleyan chapter of the American Red Cross.

HARRIETT HARTENBOWER

### Bloomington, Illinois—Established 1906

With a membership of 75 we are looking forward to a busy and worthwhile year.

At our first supper meeting, September 28, we were shown a beautiful colored movie on the American saddle horse. The program was given by Lillian Mecherle McCord.

Our Founders' day banquet at the Rogers hotel proved to be a great success. During the dinner a silver pig bank was passed, into which each person put as many pennies as it had been years since she was initiated. The proceeds will go to one of our alumnae projects. We were especially honored by having present two members, Clara Funk Humphreys (Mrs. Howard) and Nettie Greenlee Benjamin (Mrs. Frank), who have been Kappas more than 60 years. After the banquet some of the members put on a skit portraying a Kappa meeting of long ago. For this they used costumes of the period of 1873. The program followed closely the minutes of an actual Kappa meeting of that date and proved to be quite hilarious.

Our same plan for dividing the membership into groups for mid-monthly meetings is being continued this year. There are three groups each headed by two co-chairmen. Each group selects its own program.

#### Personals

Helen Dooley is living in Silver City, New Mexico, where she is librarian at the New Mexico State Teachers college.

Louise Andrews Mayne (Mrs. Donald) and daughter are living in Baltimore, where Major Mayne is stationed.



Nancy Peairs is a reservationist with the American Airlines in Los Angeles.

Jean Holdridge has enlisted in the Red Cross and in a few weeks after reporting to Washington expects to be on her way overseas as a staff assistant.

Mildred FitzHenry Jones (Mrs. Paul) has recently been made a member of the national YWCA committee on public affairs. She is to represent the state of Tennessee.

KATHARINE GARRETSON MYERS

## Eta—Chartered 1875

### University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin

The university, even with the V-12s and veterans, seems more like a women's college than a coeducational institution. The female population this year outnumbered the male population 10 to one. In peacetime it was three men to every woman. The increased number of women was even noticeable during rushing, for at the first fall function more than 400 girls went through. The average for previous years was 250 girls.

The "Kappa Carnival," our theme for the informal rushing function, was a wonderful success. Julie Barber and Ann Gleis (pledge) teamed up as a horse. Lucile Rogers played two of her own compositions, one a boogie-woogie. Marty Brand (Martha), a dance major, did a hula and our sextet sang. Charlotte Thieman took the part of a snake charmer and Ellen Roddis went from table to table reading palms. Leatrice Whitchee, ring master, announced the guests and the different acts. Setting the theme for the big top was a red-and-white-striped awning over the pop and popcorn stand.

Julie Holmes, our rushing chairman, was responsible for the success of our fall rushing functions, which produced 26 pledges.

### Personals

Georgia Ann Trebilcock was elected to Mortar Board in May.

Lucile Rogers was elected president of the university YWCA for 1944-1945.

Margaret Sperry is president of the Pythia literary society.

Joan Townsend is on the gallery committee in charge of art exhibits at the Union and is active in Women's Self-government association.

Barbara Rogers is on the board of elders and Lucile Rogers is on the board of deacons of the University Presbyterian church.

Julie Holmes is head of promotion for the *Badger*, university annual.

Virginia Mayo lived for seven years in Cape Town, South Africa.

Brenda Wiltshire, chapter president, comes from Buenos Aires, Argentina. She is majoring in Hispanic studies and is president of  $\Sigma \Delta$ , Spanish honorary.

ELIZABETH INGWERSEN

## Madison, Wisconsin—Established 1914

During the past year, the Madison alumnae association has been active and busy despite wartime duties and responsibilities. New members whose husbands were at Truax Field, joined us. We were happy to welcome them and missed them when they were transferred to other posts.

The war work of our group was the concern of each one individually, but we were well represented in many fields. We had members working in the Red Cross, the war chest, and the ration board. Many were donors at the blood bank. Two of our group corrected papers for the Armed Forces institute, which sends its papers here to Madison from all over the world. Jeanne Sperry received a commission in the WAVES, and Ruth Lynott has been doing splendid work as a Red Cross worker in the European theater.

Our monthly meetings were purely social and everyone always had fun. We had two white elephant sales which were definitely remunerative, as well as hilarious. During this last year we completed our \$5,000 Olin memorial scholarship fund. This has been given to the university board of regents, and the interest is being used for needy woman students. We also contributed to the war chest, the Red Cross and the Rose McGill fund.

We were happy to begin our meetings again in September, and feel sure that this year will be no exception to the good years that have gone before.

ELEANOR RILEY GRANT

## Chi—Chartered 1880

### University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Chi chapter is proud of its representation in the United States Navy. Seniors who joined the WAVES almost immediately after graduating are Ensigns Cordelia Goodman, Mary Rumble and Mary Bell.

Bonnie Boyd, Helen Linsmayer, Barbara Tetzlaff Kingsland, Jane Goodsill and Jenane Pattison Binder are all in New York "having a wonderful time." Mary Jean Greig, Patricia Treacy and Mary Alice McNeil are sharing one of those charming California haciendas in Santa Monica.

Katharine Washburn was unanimously elected president of Chi chapter upon the resignation of Harriet Caley.

ANN QUIGLEY

## Upsilon—Chartered 1882

### Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois

September 17 we pledged 27 girls, and October 16 added three more to the list of pledges. Already the new girls are busy in campus activities: several working on the newspaper, the yearbook, the new Red Cross unit at Northwestern, and nine of them have been chosen as models for the campus magazine.



The actives are right in the swing of things, too. Aside from extra-curricular work, they have done an excellent job in organizing the house this fall. Everything is well underway and we have a most coöperative group. October 1, we had an open house for servicemen and civilians. It was a huge success and we have two other such parties planned for this quarter.

We have had interesting views of several alumnae. Both Jean Fitch and Helen Wait, recently commissioned as ensigns in the WAVES, returned for a visit. They are both working as recruiting officers, and one couldn't find two more enthusiastic girls.

From Kenosha, Wisconsin, we have news that Mary Ellen Schatz is the new field secretary of their Girl Scout organization. She is also working in the Kenosha Little Theatre and played the title role in "My Sister Eileen" which opened October 17.

Bennette Freeman leaves November 1 to take her master's degree at Radcliffe college, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Upsilon chapter has added a new war project to its ever-growing list. We are now making USO scrapbooks for convalescing servicemen, men overseas and for USO centers. Five of our girls are Nurses' Aides, and there is a group which helps out at the Evanston Red Cross Saturday mornings.

MARTHA WEIMAR

### North Shore—Established 1910

A Founders' day luncheon marked the opening of fall activities for the North Shore alumnae association, October 11, at the chapter house with former alumnae presidents as special guests. Among the former presidents were Mrs. Clyde D. Foster, Mrs. William Racine, Mrs. Richard Howell, Mrs. Reed Whitney, Mrs. Thomas Singleton, Mrs. E. E. Billow, Jr., Mrs. Edwin M. Hadley, Jr., and Mrs. Norman Brunkow. The group is concentrating this year on making masks and tansil sponges during its meetings for the Evanston hospital.

Followers of the story of the "You Can't Take It With You" Keller-Racine household (Muriel Reynolds Keller, Dorothy Reynolds Racine, their husbands and children), *KEY*, April 1944, and *Parents' Magazine*, August, 1944, will want to know of the sequel, the Racine family's moving to Philadelphia this fall. There is a new Kappa pledge, Doris Chandler, helping to keep up the gaiety of the entourage. Peggy Parker Brinker, sometime member of the group, and her Navy husband were here on leave recently, and Peg expects to be back in the group before long.

Word comes that Frances Webb has an exciting and a secret job in the Office of Strategic Service which is under the Combined Chiefs of Staff in London. Frances was a Phi Beta Kappa in school, and it is thought she may be using her excellent knowledge of French in her work.

Friends of Jane McIntosh Sheldon were glad to see her when she visited Evanston recently.

She and her Navy husband and their two little girls live in Milton, Massachusetts. In following the Navy about, they have moved nine times in two years. Ardean Alexander Casey can top that record though, with 29 moves in 28 months of married life. Needless to say, her husband is in the service.

HELEN MCKARAHAN FOSTER

### Chicago Intercollegiate—Established 1893

Our new year began September 15 with a membership luncheon and bridge in Marshall Fields' tea room. We missed many of our members who have moved away and were delighted to welcome new ones.

Due to wartime restrictions we did not obtain the private room we had engaged for our Founders' day dinner. We were placed in a large room divided only by screens from a noisy masculine group. After some minutes of screaming and gesticulating at each other, our president, Katherine Horn,  $\Gamma \Delta$ -Purdue, finally made it clear to us that our rivals for the floor were a Dale Carnegie class in how to win friends and influence people, and that the topic for that evening was "How to Heckle Speakers."

Winifred Hill McNabb (Mrs. D. T.), K-Hillsdale, graduated 50 years ago last June. Honoring her for 53 years as a Kappa, our association presented her with an autographed book in which each member had written a message.

Maren Johansen Hattstaedt (Mrs. J. R.), K, reviewed Kappa history, telling of our founding 74 years ago. During her reading Kappa portraits appeared. The four founders were represented by Mary Lou Murrell (Mrs. H. S.), B Z-Iowa; Virginia Jarrett Vellenga (Mrs. Arthur), E-Illinois Wesleyan; Evesia Damewood Bosse (Mrs. W. K.),  $\Sigma$ -Nebraska, and Jane Vaughn Posey (Mrs. Thomas H.), B X-Kentucky, dressed in gowns of that period. Helen Meeker, E, was an initiate; Dorothy Fulton Marchbank (Mrs. James H.),  $\Gamma$  A-Kansas State, was a Kappa of 1905; Dorothy Halton Watson (Mrs. R. H.),  $\Gamma \Delta$ , a retiring Kappa, and Agnes Wood Jones (Mrs. L. N.), B A-Illinois, a belle of 1923.

Carrying out our banquet theme of Kappas near and far, letters were read and accounts given of members who have gone away.

A most enjoyable evening was climaxed on a serious note when our toastmistress Janet Macdonald Flinn (Mrs. S. D.),  $\Gamma$  E-Pittsburgh, reminded us of our duty and privilege to help make this world the kind of place to which our boys and girls in the service will want to come home.

JANE VAUGHN POSEY

### Oak Park-River Forest—Established 1943

The Oak Park-River Forest alumnae association started off its second year of existence with a tea in August at the home of Dorothy Abbott Knopf (Mrs. L. H.) for young women of the western



suburbs of Chicago who were entering college last fall.

The board has outlined its program for the year to include meetings of interest to everyone. Officers of the alumnae association gave a luncheon October 25, at the home of Maida Bartholemew Deimling (Mrs. K. J.), our new president, in order to entertain the entire group and "get acquainted" for our second year together. December 6 we will have our holiday meeting and a Christmas musicale.

#### Personals

Mary Fairbanks, P<sup>A</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, has gone overseas with the Red Cross and is stationed in the Persian gulf command.

RUTH W. MORRIS

### Beta Lambda—Chartered 1899

#### University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois

Margaret Robbins wins honors for Kappa on the Illinois campus. During her sophomore year, Margaret made Arepo; in her junior year, Margaret made Torch; and this year, Margaret was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, and chosen chairman of this year's Mardi Gras, manager of Star course, chairman of special dances at the Union building. Margaret was on the executive council of Panhellenic for 1943-44. She also plays first flute in the university concert band. For her many activities and high scholarship she has been initiated into Mortar Board.

Margaret's three sisters were also Beta Lambdas, Mortar Boards, and Phi Beta Kappas: Helen (Mrs. W. P. Garrigs) in 1928, Mary (Mrs. H. L. Hawthorn) in 1932 and Dorothy in 1941. Mrs. Robbins was made an honorary member of Mortar Board by the university because of her four daughters.

Another honor was won by Mary Jean Koritz, graduating senior, who reigned as May queen at the 1944 Mothers' day festivities.

Polly Kuby was selected as Panhellenic pledging adviser for 1944.

Elizabeth Kay House, graduating senior, was appointed associate senior editor of *The Daily Illini*.

Barbara Ellen Harvey was selected as one of the junior editors of *The Illio* of 1945.

BARBARA LANE

### Champaign-Urbana—Established 1918

The association met at the Kappa house in October to celebrate Founders' day with the active chapter, Beta Lambda. After dessert and coffee, served by the active girls, Kappa songs were sung and an unusually pleasant evening was spent.

The officers for the coming year are: president, Mrs. Arthur Hamilton; vice-president, Mrs. Carl Marvel; secretary, Mrs. Thomas Cureton; treasurer, Mrs. Hardin Boulware.

All members of the alumnae organization are exceedingly busy, either with homes and children to look after almost completely without servants or

help; or with full-time teaching or other jobs; or with war work as Grey Ladies, Nurses' Aides, Red Cross assistants, CDVO work, Travellers' Aids.

Mrs. Lewis T. Gregory is president of the Inter-sorority alumnae association.

At home with their families while husbands are in war service, are Mary Ann Clark Williams (Mrs. Richard), B A; Hortense Bartholow Blackstone (Mrs. Sterling A), B A; Barbara Ruth Burt (Mrs. John), B A; Emily Ruth Mulliken (Mrs. David), B A; Mary Thompson Healey (Mrs. Edward J.), E; Lyle Schwabe McKinney (Mrs. Clarence D.), B A.

Barbara E. Tuthill, B A, is a Lieutenant in the Army Nurses Corps, recently stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin.

Sally Carnahan, B A, is doing war work in Washington, D.C.

Dorothy Robbins, B A, has a civilian job in U. S. Navy Personnel and is stationed in Chicago.

MARY N. HAMILTON

### Gamma Sigma—Chartered 1928

#### University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

Our chapter activity of the last college term closed with a farewell luncheon for our graduates. At our annual scholarship luncheon Bette MacArthur received a ring for the greatest improvement in scholastic standing. Betty Fyles won two university scholarships, an Isbister and a Sellers; and Claire Allison won a Sellers scholarship.

"Navy Tea" and "Dutch Maid Tea" were the themes used for this year's rushing parties. October 5 we welcomed seven new pledges. The pledge party was a supper dance October 21, and as usual was a tremendous success.

October 23 we were happy to initiate Jean Gardiner, Marion de Wolfe, Betty McGuinness and Phyllis Cameron.

Our members have continued such war activities as knitting, acting as Nurses' Aides, working in various canteens and donating blood. By having a theatre night we were able to donate \$200 to the Red Cross. We are now hoping to be able to "adopt" some prisoners of war and supply them with monthly parcels.

#### Personals

Glenrose Macdonnell (pledge) was an attendant to this year's "Freshie Queen."

Nancy Ruth Rutherford, vice-stick of the home economics class, is heading the university social council.

We are proud of our two future M.D.'s—Nancy Mathers and Ruth Grahame.

Patsy Jackson, our new chapter president, is president of women's athletics in her faculty.

This year our recent graduates are busy with specialized work. Jo McCarten, Mary Carmichael and Barbara Ross are in Toronto taking post-graduate work in dietetics. Mary McLeod is reporting for a Winnipeg newspaper. Polly Harris and Norma Fonger are working for an archi-



tectural firm, and Lois Merkeley is in training as a nurse.

Trust Joyce Wilson to be different. We hear she is teaching English to the Chinese vice-consul and in return is learning Chinese herself.

CLAIRE ALLISON

### Winnipeg—Chartered 1928

The alumnae of Gamma Sigma chapter started off the fall meetings by packing Christmas parcels for our Kappa members overseas. The necessary funds were raised by each of the girls having a table of bridge. The packages contained cosmetics and little articles which we felt would be hard for the girls to get. These parcels were sent to Lieutenant Gene McNicholl, doing publicity for the Auxiliary Service in London, England; Lieutenant Grace McCurdy, dietician in the Army Medical

Corps in England, and Lieutenant Margaret Wakefield, physiotherapist in Italy.

Red Cross knitting will continue as usual this year. Sweaters for refugee children were our special problem last year, and we hope to do more in the coming months. The girls have also volunteered as blood donors for the coming year.

The alumnae plan to have a dinner in honor of our new pledges. We hope to have a skit, picturing the history of Kappa since her beginning, to help familiarize our pledges with all that Kappa does and means.

Last spring we were fortunate in having as a guest speaker, Mrs. Mildred Campbell, who told us of her harrowing experiences in fleeing China with the Japanese too close behind for comfort. We plan to have more talks of this nature in the coming year.

MARGARET MOORE

## Zeta Province

### Theta—Chartered 1875

#### University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri

We are proud to say that the active chapter was first on the campus in scholarship last spring.

Our one-act play, directed by Barbara Hitz, was first in the sorority play contest.

Added to the other "firsts" was a first in the sorority sing. Jane McPherson was our able director.

Joan Hemphill, Jane Kirkpatrick and Mary Ann Duke were initiated.

We all had a good time working for the canteen.

We did more than our share of rolling bandages, and everyone turned out for Red Cross classes.

Just before graduation we entertained the graduating seniors at a formal banquet. The pledge class, not to be outdone, invited the actives to a picnic complete with food, baseball, songs and swimming.

This fall we welcomed 24 pledges.

#### Personals

Joan Gillam was chosen *Savitar* queen, and Jean Adam was the first maid of honor.

Janell Davis and Joan Gillam were initiated into Workshop. Janell is now vice-president.

Caroline Whitmore is business manager of the *Savitar* and Betty Windsor is the advertising manager.

Joyce Woodbury and Ida Mae Lohman are busy as Nurses' Aides.

Jeanne Dougherty is president of the campus Red Cross unit, a member of the Associated Women Students and the policy board of Read hall, the student center.

Barbara Hitz was elected to Purple Mask, honorary dramatic society.

Jane McPherson and Joan Gillam were initiated into Γ A X.

Parmela Barton is co-chairman of war board, president of the house presidents' council and head of AWS.

JEAN TUCKER

### Beta Zeta—Chartered 1882

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

September 30 Marjory Jacobson was initiated.

Beta Zeta has plunged wholeheartedly into making this year a good Kappa year, with pledges and actives alike entering campus activities.

Entering into the spirit of friendship, Beta Zeta has had several open houses for both Naval Pre-Flight cadets and fraternity men. Our Founders' day dinner was October 11. A large group of alumnae joined us for dinner and a meeting where the Anna G. Ross scholarship key was presented to Ann Mercer. Fifteen other members were given recognition for their high scholastic average.

The pledge class is giving a series of pledge teas, to become better acquainted with other pledge classes on campus.

We're lucky enough to have Dale Hinton, Δ-Akron, with us this year as our graduate counselor. Dale is taking home economics here.

Kappas this year are selling Homecoming badges at Iowa, and hope to win the cup which is the prize for highest sales.

#### Personals

The chapter president, Ann Mercer, was elected president of the University Women's association.

In addition to wartime activities, many girls have been pledged or initiated into honoraries:



Jane Schmidt,  $\Phi \Sigma I$ , language; Dorothy Wallace and Martha Garrett,  $\Phi \Gamma N$ , commerce; Terry Tester and Lynn Johnson (pledge),  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , journalism, and Sally Birdsall,  $Z \Phi H$ , women's speech.

Jane Randolph is fashion editor of *Frivol*, campus magazine. Jean Krabbenhoef, Marion MacEwen and Pat Tobin are members of YWCA cabinet.

PAT TOBIN

### Omega—Chartered 1883

University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas

Omega chapter officially began its year and opened its house September 7. We won the intramural cup again this year, also the trophies for volley ball, deck tennis and ping pong doubles. We have had one rush week end so far. Founders' day was observed with a buffet supper for the Lawrence alumnæ.

#### Personals

Mary Margaret Morris (pledge), Pat Moyer (pledge), Martha Laffer (pledge) and Nancy Slater (pledge) are new members of the Girl's Glee club.

Lou Little is a new member of the a cappella choir.

Marge Free has been awarded the medal for achieving the highest number of individual intramural points for last year, which is also the highest in all previous years. She has been elected to the student council.

Frances Morrill has been appointed chairman of statewide activities.

Patsy Piller has been elected president of Entomology club.

On the dean's honor roll for last semester were Frances Morrill, Mary Morrill, Lou Little, Sue Crabb, Marilyn McEwen, Paula Reeve, Heloise Hillbrand, Doris Sheppard (school of business), Shirley Hargiss (fine arts) and Frances Schloesser.

Norma Henry has been chosen house candidate for Homecoming queen.

Marilyn McEwen has been elected president of Zoology club.

Nancy Stephan (pledge), Allison Jones (pledge) Catherine Piller (pledge) and Eleanor Churchill (pledge), have all been appointed members of the Kansas university calendar staff.

BETTY JO EVERLY

### Lawrence, Kansas—Established 1902

Officers chosen at the spring election by the Lawrence alumnæ association were: president, Mrs. Marie Nelson Simons; vice-president, Mrs. Martha Lee Boone Kuersteiner; secretary, Mrs. Frances Eddy Johnson, and treasurer, Maude Landis.

Since then we have lost our vice-president-elect, who is now at home in Tallahassee, Florida, where Professor Kuersteiner heads the music department of the State College for Women.

We welcome five Kappa alumnæ to Lawrence,

this fall. Mrs. Mary Eddy Younkman, M-Butler, is the new Omega chapter housemother. Mrs. Evelyn Strong Claasen,  $\Omega$ , will chaperone the girls of Watkins' Hall, a Kansas university dormitory. Alta Stanton and May Landis,  $\Omega$ , who have been teaching in Minneapolis and Leavenworth, Kansas, respectively, have returned to Lawrence. Mrs. Madeline McKone Klemp is in Lawrence for the duration.

Our activities last spring included a tea at the home of our president, Mrs. Nelle DeHart Weaver, when our field secretary, Mrs. Roberts, was present and gave us much help and inspiration. Omega seniors were also our guests.

A tea at the chapter house, March 17, given jointly by the alumnæ and active members for Mrs. Cora Kimball Melvin, came as a surprise to the guest of honor. Guests included university and town friends. Many alumnæ Kappas from Kansas City were present, and from other nearby points. At this event, the nucleus of a library at the chapter house was formed with an initial sum for the purchase of books for the shelf to be named "Cora Kimball Melvin."

May 29 was the date of our annual picnic for the active chapter. Again Mrs. Don Bowersock Hill,  $\Omega$ , welcomed us to her suburban home and its out-of-door attractions, including tennis court, croquet ground and swimming pool. A picnic supper was served to 100 Kappas under the direction of Mrs. Dorothy Dinsmoor Patton,  $\Omega$ , and her committee.

The Lawrence alumnæ were guests of the active chapter, October 12, when a buffet supper was enjoyed in celebration of Founders' day.

Plans are now in the making for our annual fall rummage sale.

CORA KIMBALL MELVIN

### Hutchinson, Kansas—Established 1943

This is our first letter to THE KEY since becoming an alumnæ association. We have regular evening meetings to enable more of our members to be present, and luncheons at various times during the year.

We are helping in the war effort all we possibly can. A number of us have listed our names with the Hutchinson Naval Air Station for our willingness to entertain Navy personnel in our homes. We are all on call at the USO, the Red Cross camp and hospital unit and troop train aid.

Our association assisted our active members with a rush party this summer. We used a rustic cabin a few miles from town, and a country inn was the theme for decorations.

We always welcome new members and have enjoyed the contacts we have made with Kappa wives of servicemen at the Naval Air Station.

ALEENE GANO KEEFER

### Sigma—Chartered 1884

University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska

Although the rush of fall activities has kept mem-



bers of Sigma chapter busy, they still had time to talk about one of the final events of the past school year, Ivy day. Two members of Sigma chapter were attendants to the May queens. The latter idea of two May queens came as a result of a tie in the spring elections. June Jamieson was one of the senior attendants, while Hazel Abel was a member of the junior court. Myra Colberg, newly appointed editor-in-chief of the campus yearbook, was masked a member of Mortar Board later that afternoon.

Climaxing a successful rush week, Sigma chapter saw 24 new pledges enter the door of the Kappa house, September 20. Formal pledging was conducted October 16.

A tea, honoring our new housemother, Mrs. Milo Whipple, was given Sunday, October 15. More than 100 guests were received during the afternoon.

MYRA COLBERG

### Lincoln, Nebraska—Established 1903

Outstanding among the events of the year for the Lincoln alumnae association was the election of Ruth Kadel Seacrest (Mrs. Joe),  $\Sigma$ -Nebraska, to the office of president of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

Graduating seniors were honored at the last meeting of the 1943-44 season, at the home of Mildred Doyle Lawlor (Mrs. John F.),  $\Sigma$ .

At the first meeting of the association this fall, at the home of Mrs. Seacrest, the new pledges of Sigma chapter were introduced. We were happy to have with us Hulda Miller Fields (Mrs. Ralph E.), director of membership and Panhellenic, who gave an inspiring talk on the recommendation system and on Panhellenic cooperation.

DOROTHY CAMPBELL HURTZ

### Omaha—Established 1920

Our first meeting, October 4, was a luncheon at the home of Georgene Rasmussen Jensen (Mrs. Werner), H-Wisconsin. We feel encouraged, as our active membership has grown tremendously over last year's group.

The three new officers elected at the May meeting were introduced to the new members. They are Elizabeth Englebeck Searle (Mrs. Don), B Z-Iowa, vice-president; De Ja Reed Braden (Mrs. W. C.), B M-Colorado, corresponding secretary, and Margaretta Burke Selby (Mrs. Frank),  $\Sigma$ -Nebraska, advisory board member.

Margaret Witter Page (Mrs. Roy),  $\Pi^{\Delta}$ -California, chairman of the Jumble shop for war relief, told us of the two gifts of \$500 each to the USO recreation center at Ketchikan, Alaska, and to the war and community fund of Omaha. Many of our members do volunteer work during the week at the Jumble shop.

The alumnae took a great interest in the Lincoln rushing this fall and were responsible for the preference luncheon, September 20. They prepared the

food in Omaha, pooled their cars and drove to Lincoln.

We are continuing to bring fruit, sandwiches, cake and cookies to each meeting. These donations are taken to the Servicemen's Center at the Union station.

DE JA REED BRADEN

### Gamma Alpha—Chartered 1916

Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kansas

Gamma Alpha's Sitters' club, organized as a small contribution to the war effort, has become a vital institution in Manhattan. Encouraged by the new chairman, Barbara Houghton, all members spend many free hours sitting in with children for busy mothers.

The warm glow of hospitality enveloped the chapter house Sunday, October 8, when Gamma Alpha entertained at a tea for their new housemother, Mrs. W. L. Shafer. Kappa mothers, alumnae and patronesses attended.

June Lowrey and Martha Fearl, were initiated October 14. A formal banquet was given at the chapter house that night.

Founders' day, October 13, was celebrated with the annual dinner. Ruth Elaine Soelter presented a history of the founding of Kappa Kappa Gamma.

The fight is on between actives and pledges for the highest semester grade average. Losers will give a party for the winners.

Gamma Alpha plans to entertain nearby soldiers who have Kappa relatives at Sunday dinners during the year.

#### Personals

Marion Shields has replaced Martha Peterson as chapter president. Other results of the fall election are: Doris Dickey, chairman of standards; Mary Ann Luhnow, chairman of scholarship; Barbara Sheidley, house president; Helen Hoover, treasurer; Arma Jo Smith, recording secretary; Doris Johnson, Panhellenic junior representative; Miriam Hobbs, activities chairman; Mary Gallaher Cadis (Mrs. Alfred), chairman of personnel.

Ruth Meyn received the traditional ring for the greatest improvement in grades at the scholarship dinner, October 5.

Ruth Fenton, initiated in April, had the highest grades of any pledge in any sorority.

Mary Ann Luhnow received sophomore recognition.

Betty Schell was elected to Prix, national honorary organization for junior women.

Edith Willis was elected to Mortar Board.

Margaret Anne Massengill and Mary Martha Conrad were elected to  $\Phi$  K  $\Phi$ .

Joann Yapp and Mary Lou Boyd (pledge) were elected to Purple Pepsters, local chapter of  $\Phi$   $\Sigma$  X.

The 21 new pledges received their pledge pins at the formal pledging ceremony, October 9.

Miriam Hobbs has been elected treasurer and business manager of the Kansas State Players, dramatic organization. Patricia Williams,  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona



transfer, is chairman of producing programs for men's service groups, a new project of the club.

CONNIE KNUDSEN

### Manhattan, Kansas—Established 1921

The first meeting of the Manhattan alumnae association was an evening meeting, October 3, at the home of Mary Dillin Lyons (Mrs. John),  $\Gamma$  A-Kansas, with Margaret Darden Berry (Mrs. Lynn),  $\Gamma$  A, assisting hostess. This was a business meeting followed by a review of rush week. Since several members participated in rushing functions, this was an interesting meeting.

Our new president for the year is Mrs. Berry, who is making her home in Manhattan while Captain Berry is stationed overseas.

Shirley Van Decar Heldridge,  $\Sigma$ -Nebraska, is our new Army and Navy chairman. Aleta Cornelius Malm (Mrs. Knute) is also a new member.

Hazel Marie Scott Sherwood (Mrs. Phil),  $\Gamma$  A, visited in Manhattan during October. Mrs. Sherwood is living in Kansas City, Missouri. Paula McDaniel Carlson (Mrs. Lee),  $\Gamma$  A, was also a visitor, while attending Girl Scout council meetings in Kansas City, Missouri.

Ruth Hill Hobbs (Mrs. L. E.),  $\Gamma$  A, has moved to Manhattan, from Wichita, Kansas and is the pledge adviser for the coming year. Her daughter, Miriam, is a sophomore at Kansas State.

Virginia Sidlinger Gustafson (Mrs. Neil) has moved to Lindsborg, Kansas, where her husband is practicing veterinary medicine.

NANCY HAINES

### Kansas City, Missouri—Established 1900

Since the number of women in the armed services in Kansas City has materially decreased, the Navy has closed its club room for WAVES here. This automatically, of course, closed the powder room which the Kansas City alumnae had maintained for about a year.

Although we have not yet definitely committed ourselves to a new project for the year, we have been informing ourselves about the work of the Kansas City Society for the Hard of Hearing, and have made a substantial contribution for its advancement.

The Founders' day banquet, October 13, was attended by 116 Kappas. It was at Mission Hills, one of Kansas City's loveliest country clubs. Our association has members from 31 chapters, most of which were represented at the dinner. Yet I have never attended a party at which so many people seemed so genuinely glad to see each other and to share an evening of fellowship.

We are delighted that so many of our young alumnae are taking an active part in the association. Four of our eight officers for 1944-45 are definitely from this group.

CAROLYN TWYMAN LAPP

### Southeast Kansas—Established 1940

Last spring, May 7, we had a rush tea at the home of Maxine Almon Gunn (Mrs. Fred),  $\Omega$ -Kansas. We entertained 15 rushees. Three active members from Omega chapter, Mary Morrill, Norma Henry and Charlotte Nelson; and Virginia Nichols,  $\Gamma$  A-Kansas State, were also our guests, to help with the rushing.

We had no meetings during the summer, but have again resumed our activities. Our first meeting was at the home of Donnie Myers,  $\beta$   $\Theta$ -Oklahoma, October 11. We will meet the second Wednesday of each month, with our December meeting our annual Mother and Daughter tea. We plan to have a chapter of the Kappa history reviewed at each meeting.

As a group we aren't doing any war work, but several of our members are quite active. Jimmie Porter Halpin (Mrs. V. C.),  $\Gamma$  N-Arkansas, is in charge of the war prisoners' section of the Red Cross for this area of Kansas. Laretta LaFollette Walsten (Mrs. Carl),  $\Gamma$  H-Washington State, has had 300 hours' work in surgical dressing in the Red Cross, and is also a member of the Grey Ladies.

Regardless of the fact that the Army moves its officers and men so often, we are glad we still have several of our Army wives with us.

DORIS MCGUGIN

### Gamma Theta—Chartered 1921

#### Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa

This fall found the Gamma Thetas putting the finishing touches on our house. It had been re-decorated in mist green and coral during the summer and we feel we can attribute some of our grand success in rushing to it. There are civilian men back on campus this year, so we're enjoying typical college life again.

Among the beauties chosen by George Hurrell to reign over the 1944 Drake Relays were Barbara Brackett and Jane Adams. Pictures of the six winners were featured in the beauty section of the 1944 *Quax*.

Margaret Jane Carris's appointment as editor of the 1945 *Quax* makes the third year in succession for Gamma Theta to have that honor. Margaret Jane is also the president of the Drake League of Women Voters.

Lois Fish, voted by the active chapter as the most outstanding pledge of last year's class, has been elected president of  $\Lambda \Delta \Delta$ , freshmen women's honorary. Joan Spring was also named to the honorary.

The election of officers for the YWCA executive board brought two more honors to Kappa's doorstep. Pat Kelley, senior, was elected president of the board which directs the large group comprising nearly every woman student on Drake campus. Jo Allen, sophomore student, was elected treasurer of the executive council.

Betty Orr, senior, was elected to Sieve and Shears, Mortar Board equivalent, and is president



of Panhellenic council. Frances Ritchey, also a member of Sieve and Shears, was elected to  $\Phi$  B K and awarded a \$500 fellowship for graduate study at Northwestern university.

Not to be outdone in sports, Gamma Theta's flashy basketball squad went into action in the fall and came out the undefeated winners of the basketball crown.

JANICE BELLOWS

### Cedar Rapids—Established 1919

Helping meet a wartime shortage and fortifying the treasury for Kappa philanthropies, Cedar Rapids alumnæ have chosen a baby shop project this year. Monthly meetings, sewing sessions and moments Kappas can spare from war work are devoted to knitting smart wee garments, sewing bath accessories and stuffing cuddly dolls. Peak of our business should be at Christmas, but we anticipate supplying new mothers and their generous friends throughout the year.

In addition to sewing meetings through the summer, we joined Beta Zeta actives in a rushing bridge-tea at the home of Mildred Rorer Wheeler (Mrs. Glenn), our president.

Wartime removals continue to shrink our membership roll. Many of the remaining members "double in brass" on Kappa administrative chores, but returning visitors help keep meeting attendance to at least a dozen, and our extra tasks have deepened our loyalty and appreciation of Kappa.

#### Personals

We look forward to letters from Kathryn Coupland Harper, now with her Navy husband, Lieutenant (j.g.) J. Rayner Harper, in Seattle.

We miss Jane Sawyer Bickel (Mrs. Myron), now in Nebraska, and Elizabeth Walker Choate (Mrs.

Roger), who moved to Davenport, Iowa, as much as we will be missing Mae Gibson Deets (Mrs. John), who leaves Cedar Rapids in November, and Genevieve McMillan Sivertsen (Mrs. John), who has arrived in New York city with her infant daughter.

Filling their places around the Kappa table we have Della Mae Nash Crawford (Mrs. James), Jane O'Meara Stevens (Mrs. Benjamin) and Ann Winslow Bastian (Mrs. Kenneth), all home while their husbands are in the armed services.

It was a thrill to hear that Ruth Redman Ludy (Mrs. Ben), former province president, is now with the firm of Georg Jensen in New York city.

Alumnæ actives in war work include Catherine Reid Cooper (Mrs. J. Leo), with the local Red Cross motor corps, and Audrey Jones Bever, in training as a Nurses' Aide.

MARGARET WILSON SEIGLE

### Gamma Iota—Chartered 1921

#### Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri

Gamma Iota pledged 21 girls October 10, thus completing a highly successful rush season.

These future Kappas joined immediately with the active chapter in staffing the Service Women's Center, rolling bandages, participating in hospital and Nurses' Aide, and in other campus activities apart from war work.

We wrapped our social events for the fall semester into one big pledge dance, November 4, at the Missouri Athletic club. Our first formal occasion since the outbreak of war, the dance was termed a hit in spite of the absence of stags. The Washington university Kappas hold the Panhellenic scholastic cup this year, having attained a 1.74 (one point seven-four) average.

ELISE HOFFMAN

## Eta Province

### Beta Mu—Chartered 1901

#### University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado



Edith Teeland

Last June Beta Mu bade farewell to its 14 seniors, who were not only outstanding as Kappas, but as university activity girls. Attaining some of the highest honors given at the university were Edith Ireland, president of business school,  $B \Gamma \Sigma$ ; Mary Alice Hitt, chemistry major,  $\Phi$  B K, Mortar Board, chairman of "C.U. Days," and president of  $I \Sigma II$ ; Kathryn Peabody, Mortar Board, president of  $\Delta \Phi \Delta$ , "Miss

Personality" of Associated Women Students, and a campus "Pace-Setter"; Thanet Schureman, presi-

dent of Women's Athletic association; Betty Cunningham, Mortar Board, and Suzanne Shaneshy,  $K \Delta II$ . They have left behind them a tradition and goal for each successive senior class to attain.

#### Personals

Edith Teeland is now president of business school,  $B \Gamma \Sigma$ .

Corrine Cramer joined the SPARS, while Jane Dyde and Peggy Moynihan received their commissions in the WASPS.

FLORENCE SCHOENE

### Gamma Beta—Chartered 1918

#### University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Since we are on the three semester basis, we registered for classes July 4.

For our war work we still roll bandages every



week and have been to the convalescent center at Kirtland Field to entertain servicemen and fold overseas Christmas boxes.

Our successful rush week ended with the pledges being honored at a Panhellenic dance. The annual Sadie Hawkins dance and stunt night were the usual fun.

Gamma Beta has started the Kappa carnival, which we intend to make an annual event since it was such a success. The circus theme added to the gala occasion.

At our Founders' day banquet everyone introduced herself with an original poem.

#### Personals

At honors assembly, Ellen Ann Lembke, our



**WOMAN of the year on the New Mexico campus, Ellen Ann Lembke, F B-New Mexico**

president, was chosen the outstanding woman of the year. Marjorie Tireman was given an award by  $\Phi K \Phi$  for having the highest grades in the freshman class.

Lois Witherspoon was made a member of  $\Theta A \Phi$ , dramatic fraternity.

Gloria Green was chosen cheerleader.

JANE McCORMICK

### Albuquerque, New Mexico—Established 1921

The Albuquerque alumnae association, under the enthusiastic leadership of Mary Frances Mackel, initiated fall activities with a buffet supper honoring the new pledges at the chapter house. This party, replacing the old bid-day tea, was attended by some 80 actives, pledges and alumnae. Members of each class introduced themselves, starting with new pledges and working back through the years

to the founders of Gamma Beta in 1918. Of that original group Myrl Sisk (Mrs. Arthur), Evelyn Harper (Mrs. Jack), Kathryn White (Mrs. William) and Louise Wigeley (Mrs. Robert) were present.

In the line of service, Thursday nights at St. Joseph's hospital is again the program. Since the origination of this project more than a year ago, more than 2,000 hours have been contributed to help the overworked hospital staff.

Eleanor Bryan (Mrs. George) presided over the Founders' day banquet at the Alvarado. Introductions and speeches were given in verse, and entertainment included the first performance of the Kappa choir and the traditional pledge skit based on their recent AWOL party.

#### Personals

Visiting or "durationing" alumnae also present at the fall party: Virginia Burns, Betty Huning Hinton (Mrs. John), Marian Clark Persons (Mrs. Robert), Betty Gill Boose (Mrs. Steve).

Albuquerque alumnae regretfully say goodbye to Monica MacArthur Osborne (Mrs. Richard), who is returning to England to rejoin her husband after almost four years in Albuquerque.

TRUDELLA DOWNER

### Laramie—Chartered 1927

The alumnae were entertained at the chapter house at a "dessert" to celebrate Founders' day. We enjoyed the evening so much and were so happy to meet our new pledges.

We feel that we had a successful year last year. Instead of having our senior breakfast in May as we usually do, we decided to have it in March, as several seniors were completing their work at the end of the winter quarter. The seniors were given white leather evening bags with the Kappa crest.

As we were unable to entertain the chapter at our regular Valentine breakfast, we waited until June and had a picnic. Our guests had just nicely arrived, and we were beginning to serve, when our Wyoming wind decided to live up to its bad reputation and really blew. Several of us had our plates, piled high with good food, carried away by it. However, there were more plates and lots of food, so we stood in line again and after that held on tight to our plates.

LILLIAN HELSBERG HUBBARD

### Delta Zeta—Chartered 1932

#### Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado

The last few months have been busy ones for Delta Zeta. A new program for war activities has been inaugurated. Instead of doing all war work through the chapter, the individual is encouraged to do the type of work for which she is best fitted. In this way, Delta Zeta is represented in virtually every phase of war activities at Colorado college.

Prominent in campus activities are Georgia Herbert, president of the joint student faculty emer-



agency council and vice-president of Q. A.; Phyllis Brothers, Panhellenic treasurer; Ann Enstrom, editor of the *Nugget* (yearbook); and Patricia Guthrie, secretary of Wakuta, honorary women's athletic association.

The Navy unit on campus sponsored a beauty contest for queen of their tri-annual ball, given each semester. Kappa Jeanne Roberts took regal honors and presided over the evening. Attending her was Jane Burritt.

Delta Zeta has been busy with rushing, too. Now that it is all over, we may say that it was one of the most successful rush weeks in the history of the chapter. General plans were under the direction of rush chairman, Phyllis Brothers. The 10 new pledges are girls in whose hands we will be proud to place the welfare of the chapter.

Our new president, Marjorie Landsberg, holder of a Kappa undergraduate scholarship, has more than proven herself capable of handling such a job and under her guidance we are sure to go places.

#### Personals

The following girls were initiated: Enid Turner, Mary Lou Condon, Dorothy Richardson, Patricia Kerr, Lena Clark and Eloise McCord.

BARBARA EHLER

### Colorado Springs, Colorado—Chartered 1933

Our Colorado Springs association is enjoying a successful year, possibly due to the fact we were greatly inspired by a recent visit from the fraternity council. We had looked forward with great pleasure to their coming. A tea was given in their honor Sunday, June 23, at the Kappa lodge. The following Thursday a tea was given for all actives and alumnae by Kappa's officers at the Broadmoor hotel.

The new officers were elected in April and took charge of the May meeting. Our new president is Luzella Eubank (Mrs. G. L. Bitting, Jr.); vice-president, Aleanor Haaff (Mrs. Cortland Cool); secretary, Dorothy Atwater (Mrs. H. B. Klaiber); treasurer, Frances Stevenson (Mrs. Frederick Henry); Key correspondent, Virginia Lee Smith. Our new committee chairmen are: membership, Isabel Conroy; program, Gratia Belle Blackman (Mrs. J. Donald Haney); social and publicity, Margaret Waterton; and finance, Peg Simpson (Mrs. A. E. Owens). Members of the executive board at large are Mary Gilmore (Mrs. L. M. Wood) and Betty Ann Bell (Mrs. W. J. Burke). Dorothy Atwater (Mrs. Klaiber) was chairman of our rummage sale in May which had the hearty coöperation of everyone, and proved highly successful. We are planning another in November.

At an executive board meeting, September 11, plans for the coming year were discussed. The September meeting was at the home of Mabel Rankin (Mrs. George Birdsall). A short business meeting was followed by an interesting talk by

Mrs. Julie Stevens Hoefler on "Powder or Perfume." Representatives from the active chapter attended the meeting, and we hope this will be the beginning of a closer affiliation between the two. Refreshments were served following the meeting.

We are happy to welcome two new members to our group: Mary Hardy,  $\Gamma$  Z-Arizona, and Sally Hennick King,  $\Gamma$  O-Wyoming, whose husband, Lieutenant-Colonel King, is stationed here. We also welcome the return of three former members: Caroline Morrison Brown (Mrs. Sam), Martha Lou Phillips Smith (Mrs. Marvin) and Mary Gilmore Wood (Mrs. L. M.), who are here for the duration while their husbands are serving with the armed forces.

VIRGINIA LEE SMITH

### Denver—Established 1900

Although the summer months found a respite from regular meetings of the Denver alumnae association, the members were kept busy with numerous activities.

We were all thrilled and honored with the chance to entertain the fraternity officers on their way to Colorado Springs. Two brunches were given at the Cosmopolitan hotel and a beautifully appointed luncheon at the home of Frances Hanson Grimsley (Mrs. Robert P.), planned by our new president, Frances Hamm Nevin (Mrs. Wm. C.).

The visitors had a chance to enjoy the attractive rooms of our Service Women's Center, in the showing of which we take great pride. It has been a huge success under the able guidance of Elizabeth Martin Cox (Mrs. Harold Hugh), our first chairman, and continuing later with Helen McCreery.

The rummage sale was May 31 with Alice Tootbaker (Mrs. Edwin) in charge, and was so worth the effort that another one is in the offing.

MARGERY ROBERTS BRANCH

### Pueblo, Colorado—Chartered 1940

Since we do not meet during the summer, our September meeting at the home of Naomi Pryor Fimple (Mrs. L. F.), B M-Colorado, was our first opportunity to learn of some of the doings of Kappas in Pueblo since last spring.

Last winter we received a letter from a Kappa in New Mexico asking us to call on her 14-year-old niece, who had been stricken with infantile paralysis, and was being sent to Pueblo to take the Kenny treatment. Since then, some member of the association has called on her each time she has been allowed to have visitors, and we've tried to keep her supplied with things she can do with her hands, as well as books and flowers. We are glad to report that she has improved steadily and will be able to go home in a few more weeks.

We have made an effort to see that Kappas from out of town, whose husbands are stationed at the Pueblo Ordnance Depot or the Air Base, are notified of the time and place of the meetings. We have had a good time meeting them and comparing notes.



*Personals*

Nancy Stephan, younger sister of Anne Stephan Nichols (Mrs. C. H.), Δ Z-Colorado college, alumnae president last year, was pledged Kappa at the University of Kansas.

Madelyn Wasson DesJardins (Mrs. R. J.), B M, who is prominent in the Pueblo Fine Arts group, was in charge of their exhibit at the state fair this year.

Florence Means (Mrs. Frank K.), B II-Washington, and her two 'teen-age daughters have been taking flying lessons. All three have soloed, and are well on their way to obtaining private pilots' licenses.

HELEN QUIGG

**Delta Eta—Chartered 1932****University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah**

War work and our annual fall rushing came first in the spotlight this September with the beginning of autumn quarter. Jean Zumwalt was elected war

chairman. Under her direction chapter members pledged to complete a minimum of 15 hours of war work each quarter, participated in the national war chest drive, which incidentally went way over the top on our campus; and planned monthly parties for servicemen stationed on the University of Utah campus.

Fall rush week proper was scheduled to end with pledging, October 20.

*Personals*

Frances Johnson has been elected to Mortar Board and also senior class vice-president.

Joy Wilson is Junior prom chairman this year, the first girl to act in that capacity in the history of the university.

Marilyn Wood is student body historian and on the dramatics council.

Janice McCune has been appointed student body dance chairman for the 1944-45 school year, and is sophomore class secretary.

Bonnie Howells is junior class vice-president and assistant editor of the *Chronicle*.

# Theta Province

**Beta Xi—Chartered 1902****University of Texas, Austin, Texas**

Beta Xi had its first meeting of the new school year September 1, when plans were discussed for the coming rush week. After successful rushing, the chapter was larger by 31 new pledges.

Our chapter has again begun on war projects. Each girl has pledged at least two hours of war work each week, and many do far more than that. Fourteen Kappas are members of Nurses' Aides this year. Some of them are working at Camp Swift, while others serve in town hospitals.

Founders' day was celebrated October 12, with a buffet supper at the chapter house, attended by Austin alumnae, chapter members and pledges. Chapter president Caroline Flinn acted as master of ceremonies for a short program in which Cornelia Frazier (pledge) sang, and a talk was given by Mrs. D. X. Bible on "What We Should Get From Kappa." Two founders of Beta Xi chapter, Mrs. Ben Powell and Miss Katherine Searcy, were present. During the program, the scholarship chairman announced that Kappa headed the scholarship list for the sororities this past year, and will be given a cup.

*Personals*

Ruth Ann Douglas has been tapped for Orange Jackets, honorary women's organization.

Caroline Flinn and Helen Rainey have been listed in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*.

Caroline Flinn was appointed to the judiciary council of the Students' association.

Louise Bird was elected president of Mortar Board.

AUDREY OWINGS

**Austin—Chartered 1929**

Austin alumnae had their October business meeting at the chapter house and later joined the actives and pledges in a buffet supper and program in honor of Founders' day.

Believing that it will be of interest to Kappas to know that many Kappa alumnae are members of the faculty of the University of Texas, or have married members of the faculty, we give the following list: Mildred Collins Rainey, B Ξ, wife of the former president, Homer Price Rainey; Manon Griffith Burdine, B Ξ, wife of the vice-president, J. Alton Burdine; Irelene Dewitt McCormick, B Ξ, wife of the dean of the school of law, Charles T. McCormick; Agnes Doran Bible, B Ξ, wife of the athletic director and head football coach, Dana X. Bible; Lucy Rathbone, B Ξ, professor and chairman of the department of home economics; Margaret Peck, Γ Δ-Purdue, recently appointed assistant dean of women and Panhellenic counselor; Mae Brookshier, Γ A-Kansas State, instructor in home economics and business director of Andrews and Carothers dormitories; Katherine Searcy, B Ξ, general assistant in the library; Marcelle Lively Hamer, B Θ-Oklahoma, assistant in the Texas collection library; Ruth Woolery Bybee, Δ-Indiana, wife of professor of geology and geologist in charge of university lands, Halbert P. Bybee; Dorothy Broad Manuel, B Ξ, wife of professor of educational psychology, Herschel T. Manuel; Winifred Hume McNeill, B Ξ, wife of professor of drawing, Walter H. McNeill; Margaret Dunn Graut, I-DePauw, wife of associate professor of music history, Donald J. Graut; Miriam Doan Scott, H-Wisconsin, wife of assistant professor of drama,



Robert Scott, and Joan Swift, K-Hillsdale, instructor in home economics and head of nursery school.

### Personals

Alumnae are giving generously of their time and energy to the war effort.

Margaret Scarbrough (Mrs. Lem) is chairman of the Austin Red Cross Nurses' Aide. Anna Louise Holt (Mrs. Birge) has devoted more than 300 hours to Nurses' Aide, and June Carr Houston (Mrs. Bill) has worked 200 hours. Dawn Blair Woodward (Mrs. Hal), Dink Swearingen (Mrs. W. A.) and Dorothy Purdy (Mrs. William) are also serving as Nurses' Aides.

Janet Kaapke Long (Mrs. Walter) works with the canteen corps. Janet Long and Marjorie Brush are canteen aides. Janet also serves as a case worker for the Red Cross home service.

Betty Stayton is a SPAR, Betty Brush and Precious Harris are WAVES.

George Hume Cofer (Mrs. John) is in the metallurgical laboratory of Consolidated Aircraft while her husband and son are overseas. Mabel Carville Brush (Mrs. G. H.) and her husband have returned to Austin after Major Brush served two years in the Army.

EUGENIA WELBORN RHOME

## Oklahoma City—Established 1916

We've started our year's activities with a bang! Our registration tea was given in the home of Jean Evans Jordan (Mrs. Robert). Our newly elected officers served as hostesses: Ella McWhorter Knox (Mrs. George W.) president; Jean Evans Jordan (Mrs. Robert), vice-president; Leta Holtzendorff Perryman (Mrs. W. T.), recording secretary; Mary McWhorter Shroder (Mrs. Harry G.), corresponding secretary, and Loraine Coppedge Oakes (Mrs. Herbert L.), treasurer. It was lots of fun renewing old friendships as well as forming new.

The alumnae and active chapter observed Founders' day with a dinner in the chapter house at Norman. Under certain wartime restrictions, we found that all could not attend, but those who did thoroughly enjoyed themselves. We had the opportunity of meeting the new housemother, Mrs. Sam Davis, and also the new pledges.

Our first meeting was in October.

### Personals

Our own Heloise Smartt has moved to Columbus, Ohio, where she is working for Burr, Patterson.

One of our new members of last year was Ann Donovan, F T, who is now a WAVE.

Louise Maystrick has left us this year to be a Red Cross staff assistant overseas.

Much to my surprise, I found Delrose Sieber at home on a short furlough. She is now stationed at Kingman, Arizona, towing targets in a B-26.

MARY McWHORTER SHRODER

## Gamma Nu—Chartered, 1925

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas

A leader of interfraternity spirit on the Arkansas campus, Gamma Nu started the year by entertaining all sorority pledges in honor of the 25 new Kappa pledges at the chapter house, October 5. The actives were waitresses and served supper on the Kappa lawn. This affair has become a tradition for Gamma Nu pledges.

Gamma Nus boast a Mortar Board member, Ellen Wadley (pledge). Ellen is a member of the *Traveler* staff, the *Razorback* staff, the executive council of AWS and YWCA.

BWOC Peggy Kerr is president of Orchesis, modern dance society, and of Blackfriars, dramatic group. Ruth Lanpher is vice-president of Orchesis.

New Rootin' Rubes chosen from the Kappa house are Betty Barron, Baer Coldren, Marjorie Mayo, Glen E. Livingston, Gayle Puterbaugh (pledges) and Mary Ella Crook. Five of the campus queens will be chosen from Rootin' Rubes membership.

Mary Ella Crook, Gamma Nu president, was written up in the second "Personality Parade" column of the year in the school paper, the *Arkansas Traveler*. Kappas on the staff this year are Marianne Wertheim, Ruth Lanpher, Audrey Bolander, Audrea Yoe and Ellen Wadley; Kay Thomas, Patty Wasson, Mary Pat O'Kelly, Jonnie Garner and Jessa DeFolairt (pledges).

MARIANNE WIRTHEM

## Gamma Phi—Chartered 1929

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas

Keeping in tune with wartime social activities Kappas at SMU sponsored a series of three informal parties for the Hensley Field Naval cadets. The first was a picnic at Dr. E. O. Rushing's home. Among the many attractions was a small train which runs all over the estate. The second party was at White Rock lake, and the third was at Mary Helen Smith's home. The Kappa Mothers' club prepared the food and helped with entertainment for the parties.

March rushing season was successful and we pledged five girls.

In April we initiated Martha Wolfe, Kitty Fuller, Ella Margaret Webster, Laura Dupree, Martha Townsend, Marilyn Peterson, Marilyn Mann, Mary Ellen Mitchell, Dorothy Lowry, Loma Greenwell, Selwyn Rayzor, Margaret Woolley, Jane O'Beirne, Mildred Watkin, Margaret Leisy, Robbie Oram and Perky Hemminway.

Our main social function of the year was a Kappa "Blue Heaven" formal dance, in the gymnasium, May 12. Our decorations were the center of interest, since we conserved by using a juke-box instead of an orchestra.

We all participated in the Panhellenic workshop, May 19, when we discussed rushing problems and the functions of the fraternities during wartime. New rush rules were made to conform



with the tri-semester schedule of the university.

We gave a "Friendship" luncheon, June 2, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Webb for 70 girls, representing every sorority on the campus. We plan to make this an annual event.



Virginia  
McLendon

June 5 the undergraduates gave a dinner party for the graduating Kappas. Ann Northcutt entertained with poems about each graduate and Mary Ellen Mitchell gave a reading. After dinner we serenaded the fraternity houses. Other sororities on the campus followed our example later.

Virginia McLendon was chosen by the student council to represent SMU in the "Round-Up" at the University of Texas in Austin.

Alice Webb represented SMU at a May day festival on the Texas Wesleyan college campus in Fort Worth.

We were well represented in the *Rotunda* this year. Loma Greenwell and Margaret Leisy were among the 10 beauties selected by John Robert Powers for SMU. Jane O'Beirne and Ann Rinker were elected as *Rotunda* favorites, and Mary Helen Smith was a "Mustang Thoroughbred."



Alice Webb

We led a successful sports season, although we didn't win top place in the final count. Loma Greenwell and Mary Helen Smith won ping pong; Doris Hurt won badminton; and our basketball team which won first place included Ann Meriwether, Mary Helen Smith, Loma Greenwell, Margaret Leisy, Ella Webster, Dorothy Lowry, Anne Rinker and Martha Townsend.

Kappas elected to new honoraries are Mary Ellen Mitchell to Arden club, Marilyn Mann to  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$ , freshman scholastic; Patsy Harris to  $\Theta \Sigma \Phi$ , Anne Rinker to Mortar Board and Peggy Wallace to Mortar Board.

#### Personals

Jodie Seeger, former KEY Correspondent, graduated from SMU in June with highest honors.

Dorothy Hawkins spent the summer in New York city as a member of the college board staff of *Mademoiselle*.

Anne Rinker and Dorothy Lowry traveled to Boulder for the summer to attend the University of Colorado.

Margaret Leisy attended the University of Texas during the summer session and stayed in the Kappa house with the Beta Xis.

Alice Webb helped publish a handbook for prospective rushees.

Peggy Wallace spent the summer as counselor at a girls' camp in Georgia, and Pat Cranfill was a counselor at a camp in Wisconsin.

PATSY HARRIS

#### Dallas, Texas—Established 1919

We have had a most enthusiastic beginning for 1944-45. The executive board met several times during the summer to get the wheels rolling. We opened the year with our registration tea in September, at the home of Margaret Rose Turnbull (Mrs. Paul), B  $\Xi$ -Texas, with the executive board as hostesses. There were 63 guests, most of them in attractive fall clothes, in spite of the sweltering day.

Our October meeting was, of course, the Founders' day banquet, October 13, at the Dallas Country club. Since Southern Methodist university had not begun its fall semester, we missed having the entire Gamma Phi chapter meet with us. However, there were 17 actives in town, and they all came, making a total of 85 at the banquet. The room and decorations were lovely, everyone was in formal attire and it was a festive occasion. Our president, Dorothy Chew Mason (Mrs. Ross), B  $\Delta$ -Illinois, opened the evening, and turned the program over to Mildred Snyder Crockett (Mrs. Dave),  $\Omega$ -Kansas, toastmistress. Margaret Kirkpatrick Yeagley (Mrs. Frank), B M-Colorado, first vice-president, gave the talk for the senior alumnæ. Mary Jo Anderson,  $\Gamma \Phi$ , president of the business group, represented that branch of our alumnæ. Catherine Henger Stewart (Mrs. Fritz),  $\Gamma \Phi$ , gave a salute to our own in the armed forces. Mary Helen Smith, president of Gamma Phi chapter, spoke for the actives. Mary Ellen Mitchell,  $\Gamma \Phi$ , gave a reading, after which there were Kappa songs.

Among our year's activities we plan to sell Sponge soap, supplementary to our regular project, and to sew for Freeman clinic at our meetings.

Kappas are moving out of, and into, Dallas so rapidly that we are having a time getting our yearbook up-to-date. So far, we have not quite 100 paid members for the year, but hope to pass the century mark before long.

We are sorry to lose some of our active members. Among them are Margaret Riley Boylen (Mrs. Robt.),  $\Omega$ , who has become a south Texas ranchette; Major Winifred Stillwell,  $\Omega$ , WAC, who has left Dallas for parts unknown; Mary Graves Dougherty (Mrs. Chrys), B  $\Xi$ , who has joined her husband in South Carolina, and Doris Harman Campbell (Mrs. Harry, Jr.)  $\Gamma \Delta$ -Kansas State, who has moved to Alabama. We hope to get well acquainted with our newcomers, to make them welcome, so they may share our enthusiasm and, perhaps, fill some of the empty shoes.

MILDRED SNYDER CROCKETT

#### El Paso—Chartered 1932

The fall has proved to be a busy one for El Paso Kappas. Our plans for decorating the powder



room of the new USO lounge are keeping all of us well occupied, but we still have time to welcome new alumnae into our association. Annie Lee Duncan Bruce (Mrs. Allen), Γ B-New Mexico, honored Evelyn Hunt Echlin (Mrs. J. C.), Γ B, with a tea in September. Mrs. Echlin is one of our most charming and enthusiastic newcomers, and a past president of the San Diego alumnae association.

The October meeting, Founders' day, was at the home of Ann Semple Irvin (Mrs. Clifford), B Ξ, Texas. We were delighted to see our membership

grow as the Army wives here came to join the group. Many old high school friendships were renewed.

New officers include Anna Jo Davis, Δ Θ-Goucher, president; Orell Gambrell Maxon, Γ B, vice-president; Lucie Lee Gregg Black (Mrs. Winston), Δ B-Duke, secretary; Annie Lee Duncan Bruce (Mrs. Allen), Γ B, treasurer; Mrs. Lee Orndorff, B Ξ, magazine chairman; and Brooks Gregg Minks (Mrs. Merle), B Ξ, KEY correspondent.

ANNA JO DAVIS

## Iota Province

### Beta Pi—Chartered 1905

#### University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Due to an academic change from the quarter to the semester system, this fall finds college not yet in session at the University of Washington. Despite this handicap both the alumnae and the actives are anticipating and preparing for a most successful rushing season, during which we expect to add a large and representative pledge class.

Looking backward one finds Beta Pi etching an enviable record for itself last spring quarter in campus leadership, scholarship and social activities.

Traditionally Kappa each year produces an outstanding choir to compete with other campus fraternal and non-fraternal groups for the prized "Song Fest" trophy. This year was no exception, with our group placing high among the 10 finalists. Under the direction of Mrs. Thomas G. Hermans, well-known Seattle musician, our theme centered around the song "Heigh Ho, Ho Heigh, 'Tis May," and the girls wore short vari-colored peasant skirts with black bodices and carried fresh spring flowers.

Replacing the usual sophomore carnival, the Associated Students presented a competitive production entitled "Variety Show," of original acts written and directed by the freshmen of some 30-odd organized houses. The Kappa freshmen were among the 10 groups finally chosen to appear in the all-university production in Meany hall before a capacity audience of more than 6,000.

Beta Pi finished the year with a scholastic average that proved high enough to place us fourth in relation to the other organized houses and well above the all-university level.

Another event of great interest was the annual spring formal presented by the pledge class. Centering around the theme of Southern hospitality, the chapter house was decorated with white lattice work and greenery, complete with a "perpetual-motion" water fountain. Refreshments include southern baked ham and hot corn "pone."

#### Personals

Highlight of the spring quarter was the election of Bobbie Rhodes as vice-president of the ASUW,

Washington's student governing body. Bobbie was recently elected to membership in Z Φ H, speech and drama honorary.

When Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism honorary, tapped Washington's 100 outstanding coeds for its annual banquet, four Kappas were invited. They were Elcena Torrance, Bobbie Rhodes, Pat Towne and Grace Stribling.

Mary Ellen Ayres and Pat Towne were pledged to Γ A X, national advertising honorary.

ROSEMARY THORSTENSON

### Seattle—Established 1904

The year's activities began with members of the executive committee as hostesses at a Founders' day supper at the Kappa house. Lora Harvey George (Mrs. Robert), B II-Washington, gave an instructive and entertaining talk entitled "Convention Echoes."

Because so many in our group are busy helping to do all the things necessary in these times, there will be fewer meetings this year. But each one has been carefully planned by Pauline Muntinga Shaw (Mrs. Emmett), Γ Γ-Whitman, with her committee of Margaret Sayre Boyd (Mrs. William), Γ Γ; Goldea Peairs Leithe (Mrs. Erich), B K-Idaho and Mildred Beckeberg Martin (Mrs. Frederick), B II.

Officers for the year are: president, Ethel Cornwall Blankenship (Mrs. Russell), Γ Γ; vice-president, Mary Cortelyou Rust (Mrs. John), Γ A-Kansas State; recording secretary, Mary Goodheart Wilson (Mrs. Lawrence), B II, and treasurer, Edna Gullixon Grimstead (Mrs. Loren), B II.

#### Personals

Rosina Kistner Maxwell (Mrs. James), B A-Illinois, with the aid of several alumnae and members of the Mothers' club, put up many quarts of fruit for the active chapter.

Mary Agnes Graham, T-Northwestern, has come to take graduate work in public school music. She lives at the chapter house as graduate counselor.

Jane Patten Flynn (Mrs. Charles), B II, is touring the central Pacific bases as the lead in the stage show "Personal Appearance," sponsored by the USO.



Nancy Goodfellow, B II, has sailed for Maui in the Hawaiian islands, where she will teach home economics in the high school.

Ruth Trenholme, B II, in England since March, writes that she is going to Scotland for a short rest from her Red Cross work.

Marjorie Calhoun, B II, has finished her Red Cross training and is a staff assistant in England.

Ruth McKinney Turner (Mrs. Milton), B II, is back as executive secretary at the Nurses' Aide headquarters, while her husband begins his third year in Ambassador John Winant's office in London.

Pat O'Sullivan, B II, is a WAVE at Smith. She recently finished a course in languages at Boulder, Colorado, specializing in Japanese.

Minerva Elworthy, B II, is still serving the Red Cross in Alaska.

GRACE STIPEK SEVERIN

### Beta Phi—Chartered 1909

#### Montana State University, Missoula, Montana

Beta Phi chapter was fortunate in pledging 20 girls, September 20.

Beta Phi chapter entertained alumnæ, pledges and actives at a Founders' day banquet at the chapter house, October 13. The alumnæ representation was unusually good.

MARJORIE POWELL

### Missoula, Montana—Established 1919

Last spring we gave the graduating Kappa seniors an informal dinner at Baillie's tea room. Our parting gifts were appropriately titled sheets of music, accompanied by clever poems about each girl.

Disbanding for the summer, we met once again, September 21, at the Kappa house to discuss fall rushing. Margaret Garrison, active, was there to invite us to the parties. Lucille Leyda Jesse (Mrs. R. H.), Σ-Nebraska, our membership adviser, discussed rushing plans and rules for the coming week.

The alumnæ turned out in full force for preference night dinner. September 30 the chapter pledged 20 girls.

Founders' day was celebrated with another formal dinner at the Kappa house, for alumnæ actives and new pledges. Hulda Miller Fields (Mrs. Ralph), director of membership and Panhellenic, who had just returned from a two-week Kappa jaunt to Chicago and points east, gave a short talk. Following the dinner, the alumnæ had a short meeting. Our plans are not fully formulated for the year, but we plan to try our hand with the Sponge soap project. Also, we shall continue knitting afghan squares.

#### Personals

Our 1944 treasurer, Virginia Crutchfield, left Missoula November 1, for Washington, D.C. She received a transfer appointment to the division of personnel in the Forest Service.

We bade a fond farewell to Barbara Bonnell

Kopet (Mrs. Jerome C.), B II-Washington, who left Missoula last spring for Spokane.

We have welcomed a new member, Helen Luke Kenworthy (Mrs. Max), B K-Idaho. Helen is the new home demonstration agent for Missoula county.

Barbara Streit is doing personnel work in one of San Francisco's large department stores. Marjorie Jacobs went down to visit her in September.

Carlobelle Button Allen (Mrs. Donald C.) and her husband came up from Texas to attend the wedding of Virginia Rimel, October 2. Virginia's husband, Major Fred J. Higgins, had recently returned from a three-year stay in India.

Among the Beta Phi summer visitors to Missoula who were accompanied here with their young families, we saw Mary Jo Dixon Hills (Mrs. Ralph G.), from Baltimore, Maryland; Barbara Sterling Hogarty (Mrs. Barry), from Billings, Montana, who left here for her new home in Denver, Colorado; Mary Kohn Blastic (Mrs. Henry), from Denver; Mary Leaphart Carter (Mrs. Joseph C.), from New York city; Betty Leaphart from Detroit, Michigan; Gertrude Pease from Rochester, Minnesota; Dorothy and Gladys Peterson, from Alhambra, California, and Washington, D.C., respectively and Jobie Hunt Forbis (Mrs. C. J.), from Farragut, Idaho.

Carolyn Barnes Brobeck (Mrs. George K.) arrived in Missoula from her home in Chevy Chase, Maryland, in October. She came out to spend a few weeks with her parents and sister, Betty.

Many of our members have gone into some branch of the service, and several are now serving overseas with the American Red Cross. It will be of interest to many to know that Isabel Brenner James (Mrs. Robert H.), Γ K-William and Mary college, and a B Φ affiliate, has returned to Missoula from her Navy stint as an ensign. Her husband is teaching at the Montana State university, and she has taken over her new job as housewife.

BETTY C. BARNES

### Billings, Montana—Chartered 1939

Our new year began with a barbecue picnic for the Billings girls going to college. Everyone had a gay time, and we are considering making it a traditional affair.

Our fall project will be a rummage sale that we hope will balance our budget.

We are happy to welcome as new members Mary Elizabeth Carroll, Marion Mequison Chapman (Mrs. Harry C.), Katherine Hurd Haughey (Mrs. James), Elizabeth Songster Clark (Mrs. William White), Josephine Broadwater Pickering (Mrs. Orr).

Part of our old guard of members has come back after being scattered around the country with their husbands who are in the service. They are Edith Matheson Cosman (Mrs. Elbert), Teresa Saltero Manning (Mrs. Phillip) and Jean Wilkins Gullickson (Mrs. Howard).

EDNA MAE SCHILTZ



**Butte—Chartered 1938**

Our alumnae association began its year's activities with a picnic at the Boy Scout camp honoring the Butte girls going to Montana State university. We think the picnic was a huge success, for we now have four new Butte pledges. Three of the girls are at Missoula: Helen Kallgren, Joan Ryan and Mary Agnes Kelly. The fourth, Donna Kelly, is a pledge at Madison, Wisconsin. The thought of having four new members from Butte is like a shot in the arm, and we are filled with new enthusiasm!

Our first regular meeting was at the home of Adele MacArthur Swayne (Mrs. William H.), with Jo MacArthur co-hostess, October 12. We outlined our program for the year, and made tentative plans for a Christmas party.

The November meeting was at the home of Joan Middleton Smith (Mrs. Kendrick), with Sally Murphy Sheridan (Mrs. Leslie) as co-hostess.

DORIS ALBERT SHERIDAN

**Beta Omega—Chartered 1913****University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon**

Life is a double feature for college women who combine studies with a myriad of war activities somewhere between their 7 o'clock wake-ups and 4 o'clock labs. Service is the college theme and the campus is as sensitive as a seismograph in its infectious response in aiding the war effort.

Spring term, Kappas dug deep, backed the Red Cross drive with the largest donation of \$109, and emerged with a silver cup. Under the chairmanship of Beverly Jacobs, Kappa Kappa Gamma was also the first house on the campus to go 100% in the drive.

Twenty per cent of the house membership completed training in Nurses' Aide and is now actively assisting in the local hospitals.

The long awaited crescendo of rush week was reached when 20 potential wearers-of-the-key were pledged.

The domestic side of our news features our new housemother, Mrs. Ruby Marks, mother of Alexis Marks,  $\Omega$ -Kansas. Kappa schedules tick with the precision of a metronome under her managerial eye. A new cook is also winning her way to Kappa hearts, gastronomically speaking.

Founders' day tea graduated into a dinner this year with 20 alumnae attending. To commemorate Sally Allen, who died in 1943, her key is presented to the upperclassman appearing to possess Sally's qualities of sincerity, good humor and genuine friendliness. The key was presented at the dinner to Gerd Hansen, senior.

**Personals**

Kappa is the center of gravity for campus activities this year. Alyson Hales, chapter president,

was selected as senior representative on the executive council of the ASUO, and is head of sports for the Women's Athletic association.

Gerd Hansen was elected president of Mortar Board. Gerd is also campus social chairman, a member of the Junior weekend committee, and chairman of the athletic card drive.

The fleur-de-lis is truly a symbol of royalty. An established tradition for Kappa is to be represented in the royal family which reigns over Junior weekend. This year Princess Pegge Klepper succeeded last year's Kappa queen, Mary Bently.

Two sophomores have been the shining stars in the galaxy of campus activities. Barbara Pearson was elected sophomore class president and a member of Kwama, sophomore women's honorary; and Marjorie Cowlin is business manager for the yearbook, a heretofore unheard-of appointment for an underclassman. Marge is also YWCA representative and was tapped for membership in Kwama.

Phi Theta, junior women's honorary, has two Kappas on its roster: Mary Bush and Sally Twohy.

Warblers Joyce Davis (pledge) and Mary Boles are in the university Vesper choir. Nancy is also president of the university Librarians' club.



Barbara Pearson

and Marjorie Cowlin is business manager for the *Oregana*, the college



Marjorie Cowlin

MARY FAIRCHILD

**Salem, Oregon—Chartered 1940**

The first meeting of the year was October 13 at the home of Mrs. Brazer Small (Constance Cartwright),  $B \Omega$ -Oregon, with Mrs. Ross Hogue (Leah Ross),  $B \Omega$ , as assisting hostess. A Founders' day program was arranged by Mrs. Wm. C. Speirs (Barbara Miller),  $B \Omega$ , who gave an excellent talk on Kappa history.

We expect to follow many of the fine program suggestions made by our Iota province vice-president, Mrs. Harold Baird (Helen Newman),  $B \Phi$ -Montana for the coming months.

Each member of our group is contributing to the war effort and assisting in community activities

A guest whom we enjoyed was Mrs. Chester A. Smith (Gladys Cartwright),  $B \Omega$ .

Mrs. Dan Fry, Jr. (Rita Steiner),  $B \Pi$ -Washington, and her husband are going to Mexico for the winter

MARGARET WAGNER



**Beta Kappa—Chartered 1916**

University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho

Beta Kappas were pleased to return to school in the fall and find that the walls had been re-calso-mined in all the upstairs rooms and in the living room, which is significant in its dark and light blue color scheme. The smoker was refinished with a gay plaid wallpaper of white and two shades of red, set off by blue woodwork.

Kappas at Idaho have taken an active part in war work, and last winter and spring participated in a Red Cross knitting program and in Minute Maid activities. Mary Holden was tapped in the spring by the Minute Maid organization on the campus to sell war stamps and bonds.

Shirley West was awarded a \$100 scholarship in journalism for the current year at the annual awards assembly, October 11.

Elizabeth Ann Bollinger, graduate of 1941, was one of two audition winners of the Southern California symphony association-Daily News-KFI auditions, and as a prize appeared at a paid performance in the Hollywood Bowl, August 20. She is a lyric soprano.

SHIRLEY WEST

**Gamma Gamma—Chartered 1918**

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Washington

Gamma Gamma songsters captured first place and with it the Gena Branscombe cup in the annual



**ACTIVITIES WOMEN at Whitman are these members of Gamma Gamma chapter: from the left, Barbara Boyd, president, WSG; Joyce McKay, 1944 May queen; Martha McRae, Varsity ball queen, and Helene Harding, vice-president of the Whitman student body.**

The re-opening of several fraternity houses this year and a general return of men to universities provides more social life on the campus, and exchanges have been extended to an hour in length.

Founders' day, October 13, was celebrated with a formal banquet to which alumnae were invited. The next evening Beta Kappa's 19 pledges were presented at the formal pledge dance, the theme of which was "Gold Nuggets."

Beta Kappa is happy to announce the initiation of Artys Marie Powell and Denise Magnuson, October 26.

Mrs. H. E. Samms, new housemother for the Beta Kappas, was introduced at a tea given in her honor, October 29.

*Personals*

Mary Elizabeth Pennell Mangum (Mrs. William F.) was tapped by Mortar Board last spring and elected president for the current year.

Cardinal Key, junior honorary, tapped Patricia Hagan and Evelyn Thomas at the annual May fete last spring. Patricia Hagan was elected president.

Eileen Quinn and Marian Griggs were tapped for Spurs, sophomore women's honorary, last spring.

choral contest last April. This was quite exciting, since the cup is an envied prize on the campus.

Founders' day was celebrated last spring with a banquet at the Marcus Whitman hotel, at which time Jean MacDonald was awarded the freshman scholarship cup. Members of each class discussed Kappa Kappa Gamma in wartime and brushed us up on Kappa history with brief reviews of interesting highlights. Florence Martin Groesbeck officiated as toastmistress.

The Kappas have continued to help the war effort by taking turns entertaining wounded soldiers at the local military hospital, rolling bandages for the Red Cross, and doing Nurses' Aide work at the Walla Walla hospitals.

A new student union was opened in the spring by the students who volunteered their services in keeping it open. Kappa Kappa Gamma was there to help, and the girls learned how to turn out some of the niftiest hamburgers and most delicious sodas ever tasted! Always interested in outdoor fun, too, the Kappas have made several bicycle trips outside of town and through the wheatfields to the mountains. Everyone enjoyed thoroughly those "heaps of fun" picnics which took place out near a swimming hole on the local river. We're all looking forward to more like them!

We wish we could report on our new pledge



class, but rush week is not over yet and this must go to press.

#### Personals

Joyce McKay was chosen queen of the annual May fete, with Barbara Atwater and Mary Lou Hansell as two of her six princesses.

Betty Tobey, our new president, was tapped by Mortar Board. Barbara Boyd was elected president of Women's Self Government, and Nancy Coffin was elected secretary of the same.

Phi Beta Kappas this year were Joyce McKay, Barbara Holmes and Barbara Atwater.

Helene Harding is Whitman's new student body vice-president. Jo Ann Davis (pledge) is editor of *The Clocktower*, college magazine. Sally Storm was chosen secretary of Associated Women Students and also business manager of the school paper, *The Pioneer*.

Peggy Glase received undergraduate honors for her outstanding scholastic record and Betty Tobey was selected by the faculty to be marshal in charge of the graduation exercises of the Class of 1944 last spring.

BETSY WILLIS

### Gamma Eta—Chartered 1920

#### State College of Washington, Pullman, Washington

With the advent of school again for Washington State coeds, 31 members of Gamma Eta chapter left their defense jobs, summer camps and beach homes for the call of the campus.

September 9 was the proud initiation day for Dorothy Brundage, Marjorie Lindley, Maribeth Spencer and Camille Wilkinson.

September 16, following a successful rush week, we pledged 16 girls.

One of the nicest additions to our house this year was the arrival of our new housemother, Mrs. D. F. Godfrey, former housemother of  $\Delta \Delta \Delta$  sorority at Colorado State college. A formal tea was given in her honor, October 14.

October 13 found the active chapter and many of our alumnae at our annual Founders' day banquet.

Not to be outdone by last year's canning record, a September Saturday found us at the local canning center, from which day's work we boast canned tomatoes, grape and tomato juice and grape jam.

#### Personals

Margaret Schleaf is Mortar Board president, former junior class president and Junior prom princess.

Jan Wolters was elected president of  $\Pi T I$ , pre-medical honorary.

Viola Raugust, AWS social chairman, was recently elected to  $O N$ , home economics honorary.

Doris Hope (pledge) is AWS president and member of Mortar Board.

Beatrice Bale is a newly-elected member of  $\Sigma K \Phi$ , foreign language honorary.

Former president of  $\Gamma H$ , Patricia Person, is a

member of Mortar Board and was Air Corps princess in the spring.

YWCA claims Kathleen McCaw as vice-president.

Musically speaking,  $\Gamma H$  boasts five members of the select college choir: Maxine Dye, Beatrice Bale, Dorothy Brundage, Peggy Israel and Suzanne Sampson (pledge).

Mary Beth Masemore is sales manager of the *Chinook*, college yearbook, and Spur adviser.

Patricia Malony was tapped for Spurs, sophomore women's honorary.

LUANN TRAVIS

### Spokane—Established 1923

Picnics are always fun, and the one we had in August for the actives was no exception. We went to the home of Geneva Dyer Thornhill (Mrs. Harold), and had a grand time.

The first meeting of the year was in September at the home of Agnes Sweeny Wegner (Mrs. Arthur), where the tentative program for the year was discussed.

Our Founders' day banquet was not only exceptionally well attended, but we were honored by having Helen Newman Baird (Mrs. H. L.), province vice-president, as our speaker. Her most interesting talk was thoroughly enjoyed by all of us.

Since there are more and more service women being stationed in and near Spokane, we are trying to organize a Service Women's Center for them. We are all anxious to take this project out of the idea stage and make it a reality. Although wartime restrictions and shortages have resulted in many delays, we firmly believe that "where there's a will, there's a way."

We sew for the Red Cross during our meetings, and have turned in numerous finished articles. Practically all of our members are engaged in some type of volunteer work, many of them devoting practically all of their time to service organizations.

Helen Hale McPhee (Mrs. John H.) is secretary and treasurer of the Spokane Panhellenic. Kay O'Shea Dimeling (Mrs. Henry) is president of the Spokane Junior League, and Marguerite McCarthy Roberts (Mrs. William D.) and Barbara Atwater are provisional members.

Janet Campbell is doing occupational therapy work in England. Mary Doolittle is now a lieutenant in the WAVES.

BETTY MALONY HUGGINS

### Gamma Mu—Chartered 1924

#### Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon

A summer of war work came to an abrupt end and Oregon State Kappas were back at school September 27, to start another year with seriousness of purpose.

The wartime campus is much the same as last year, but with the biggest freshman class ever to enter, giving much promise of fresh spirit to the coming year.





**CAMPUS ACTIVITIES OFFICERS in  $\Gamma$  M—Oregon State.** From the left, Anne Lumsden, treasurer, Home Economics club; Flo Sims, AWS sergeant-at-arms; Marge Sutherland, Talon vice-president, and Ruth Faubion, second vice-president of the student body.

Gamma Mu chapter is proud to announce the pledging of 21 girls.

College life, while curtailed, will continue even if the form is different. The Kappas will continue their Red Cross work, bond drives and volunteer services. There will be a more extensive field for entertainment within the house.

#### Personals

Pat Kendall and Virginia Floeter enlisted in the WAVES and have gone to Hunter college, New York, for training.

Talon, sophomore honor society, claims Pat Strand, Marge Sutherland and Laura Jean Hampton (pledge). Marge is vice-president, and is also on the war board council.

Also in a group of three are Nancy Austin, Marion Kierzek and Dorothy Maag, members of  $K \Delta \Pi$ , education honorary. Nancy is president, Marion is historian and Dottie is treasurer.

Ruth Faubion represents Kappa as second vice-president of the student body.

AWS officers include Flo Sims, winner of the Kappa undergraduate scholarship, who is sergeant-at-arms.

Molly McBride was initiated by  $\Lambda \Lambda \Sigma$ , pharmacy honorary.

Publications head is Marion Kierzek, who edits the *Beaver*, Oregon State yearbook.

Marion Kierzek was tapped for Mortar Board.

Markie Weatherford, chapter president, was selected as alternate for the Danforth fellowship.

Dottie Maag was tapped for  $O N$ , home economics honorary.

Rae Arlene Wheeler and Rosemarian Rauch are members of Orchesis, national dance honorary.

Home Economics club officers include Anne Lumsden, treasurer, and Laura Jean Hampton (pledge), director for the annual freshman party.

Margy Glenn acted as co-chairman of Rookess

counselor registration, and also is a member of the newly activated campus Red Cross chapter.

ANNE LUMSDEN

#### British Columbia, Vancouver—Chartered 1929

The British Columbia alumnae association had its first fall meeting October 2, at the home of Margaret Buller. There was an extremely large attendance of enthusiastic alumnae. At this meeting



**MARION REID OWEN (Mrs. Milton),  $\Gamma \Upsilon$ , president of the British Columbia alumnae association, was photographed with some of the ditty bags filled for the Merchant Marine as the alumnae October war project.**



the actives' rushing list was read and discussed for recommendations. A war project was adopted for October. Ditty bags were distributed, to be filled with comforts and presents for the Merchant Marine. These are to be brought to the meeting in November. The bags are placed on board ships here in port and opened by the men at sea Christmas day.

The actives' rushing tea was attended by a number of alumnae who are working in close coöperation with the chapter

Canada is nearing the end of her fifth year of war and individual alumnae in Vancouver are work-

ing even harder to help bring the peace. They are joining the women's service, the Red Cross corps, and helping at the many service centers and the blood donors' clinic.

#### Personals

Among the members in the women's services are Frances Webb, Jean Dawson and Barbara Diether, all of the WRENS.

Betty McLennan, a nurse in the RCAF for the past two years, is now stationed at Coal Harbour, B.C.

VERNA E. NEWSON

## Kappa Province

### Pi Deuteron—Chartered 1880; R. 1897 University of California, Berkeley, California

During the summer term there were only 20 active members at Pi chapter, because many girls left college for the summer. After a short rushing season, we pledged eight girls. To introduce the pledges to campus life we had a theater party, picnic and open house for them.

Every girl did some war work this term, either Nurses' Aide, making USO scrapbooks, rolling bandages or taking care of children. Many of the girls were engaged in campus activities such as Women's Judiciary committee, housing board and Little Theater. Nancy Haven was made a member of  $\Phi$  B K and Prytanean.

This summer we had many social functions with other sororities. The Kappa Alpha Thetas, Delta Gammas, Gamma Phi Betas, Pi Beta Phis, and Alpha Phis came to our house for dessert and coffee. We had a wiener roast with these sororities at Lake Anza in Berkeley.

Charlotte Geary joined the WAVES October 1.

MARGARET E. LIPMAN

### San Francisco Bay—Established 1898

The San Francisco Bay alumnae association had its June meeting and installation of officers at the home of Mrs. John F. Shuman in Berkeley. The rain kept us from enjoying her beautiful garden as in previous years, but her gracious hospitality made it a memorable day.

Under the leadership of our president, Mrs. Arthur P. Denton, we are planning to streamline our activities for the year. Our first general meeting was our annual Founders' day breakfast, October 18, at the Women's Athletic club in San Francisco. At that time, Mrs. Alfred McLaughlin spoke to us on "Pacific Relations."

A group of Kappas meets every Wednesday at the surgical dressings unit in connection with Alta Plaza to roll bandages. Mrs. Frederick K. Hartenstein has charge of this group.

Last year we gave \$150 to the Rose McGill and

Nora Waln funds, and \$100 to Mrs. Walker for use in making triptychs. We decorated a room for the WACS at Angel Island under the direction of the camp and hospital committee of the Red Cross.

We have enjoyed our association with the western field secretary, Mrs. L. E. Cox, who is an honorary member of our board.

#### Personals

Mrs. Alan Livingston (Dorothy Cooper Willis) has managed the food department of the San Francisco Stage Door Canteen since July, 1943.

Mrs. Daniel Volkmann is co-chairman, with Mrs. James Black, K A  $\Theta$ , of the Alta Plaza Red Cross center in San Francisco.

Mrs. Andrew Hass has charge of production of all surgical dressings in Alameda, in addition to being vice-president of Kappa province. Mrs. William Cavalier does the same for the city of Piedmont.

Mrs. Clinton L. Walker has made beautiful, artistic triptychs used as backgrounds for the devotional services held by chaplains of all denominations in our various theaters of war.

Mrs. John Gifford works with the armed forces entertainment committee under the auspices of the AWVS, Red Cross and USO. They arrange for professional entertainment for the Army and Navy hospitals in the bay area and transport the entertainers.

Mrs. E. N. W. Hunter and Patricia Walker have both been staff directors of the San Francisco blood bank.

Mrs. T. Crockett MacCormack works at Letterman hospital with the arts and skills division of the American Red Cross.

Mrs. Arthur P. Denton and Mrs. Grant T. Hunt are staff assistants of the Oakland Red Cross shop.

Mrs. W. Foster Stewart is a staff director of the AWVS in San Francisco.

Mrs. Breck Lamont is appraiser for the San Francisco bond exchange shop of the AWVS. Seventy-five per cent of the sale value of the merchandise brought in is paid for in bonds, the shop retaining 25 per cent. The shop has cleared \$20,000 in three months. Mrs. Lamont has also had



charge of the art poster contest for the blood bank in all the San Francisco public schools.

Mrs. Roy MacDonald is a Grey Lady; Mrs. Frank Andrews and Mrs. Arthur Dunne are Nurses' Aides.

GLATHA H. LATIMER

### Palo Alto—Chartered 1924

Friday the 13th might be an ominous day for a new KEY correspondent to be writing her first news letter for the Palo Alto alumnae association, were it not for the fact that it is Founders' day. No day could be unlucky which ushered in an organization that has meant so much to so many people.

Our first meeting took cognizance of the significance of the day, and was a tea at Allied Arts. Fifteen different chapters were represented, Beta Eta having the largest representation.

We had as guests three of the active chapter, now no longer active, by request of the university administration, and the housemother, Mrs. Arthur Macondray, whom we have enjoyed so much. Thirty-one Kappas are now living in the house by consent of the administration, and it is with great regret that we alumnae are, by the end of the year, to lose the inspiration that the actives have given us.

A wise, somewhat elderly Red Cross worker who has a K A Θ sister said to me, as we made bandages at the Stanford women's club house, "Do you know, I think Stanford has lost a great deal in banning sororities from the campus?" She is not alone in this opinion.

Young Kappa mothers of wee girls, and there are quite a few round about, are already hoping their daughters may be instrumental in the return of sororities to Stanford in some fortunate future year. For 20 years, sororities and their alumnae have combated a campaign to be rid of us.

Helen Bower's inspirational talk at the officers' conference in Colorado Springs had an applicable expression: "had to leave behind possessions once treasured." To work and play with these fine, alive young girls; to see, as Helen Bower puts it, their "moral beauty" unfolding has been a privilege.

Our association greets the new president, Mrs. Seacrest, most cordially, at the same time remembering our pleasant contacts with Beth Schofield. Then we can speak enthusiastically of Beta Eta's Emily Caskey Johnson. We are glad always of a visit from officers.

Our program for the year, under the guidance of loyal Ida Miller, includes talks on "China—Our Ally," "Gardens," "Ceramics," even "Out of Door Cooking" at the picnic gathering in May.

EDNA WALLACE CATHCART

### Gamma Zeta—Chartered 1920

University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona

Last February 26 Gamma Zeta chapter initiated 22 pledges. The ceremony was celebrated with a

formal banquet at El Merendero. Senior Kappas were honored near graduation time with a dinner party at the house. Among the graduates were Jane Thompson, Jessie Crosby, Virginia Skiff, Mary Lou Blish, Ed Dell Wortz and Jane McCannon.

A short entertaining skit given by the Kappas at a university assembly won second prize in the assembly contest for the school year. Gamma Zeta chapter was awarded a \$25 war bond.

Jane Thompson was elected Σ A E queen of the year, and Nada Matonovich was chosen attendant to the university Desert queen last spring.

Gamma Zeta won the university activities cup last year for showing the most interest and enthusiasm towards campus activities. This fall the chapter was awarded the scholarship cup for having the highest scholastic rating, which was the highest average ever made by a group on campus. Carolyn Kemmler wore the diamond key last semester for her 1.21 average last fall, and Jean Webster is wearing the scholarship key this semester for her 1.18 average last spring.

Fall rush ended with the pledging of 26 girls. Formal pledging was celebrated with a picnic at Sabino canyon, September 24.

New wearers of the key include Marianne Dunn, Dorothy Trubey and Suzanne Mead, initiated October 7, and honored at a formal banquet following the ceremony.

Founders' day was celebrated with dinner at the house. All members were present.

In the first sports event of the year, Kappa won third place in the swimming meet.

#### Personals

Carolyn Kemmler, president of Gamma Zeta, and Jean Webster were elected to Mortar Board last spring. Jean was also elected president of AWS.

F.S.T., junior women's honorary, initiated Susan Blue, Marian McKale and Nancy Robertson. Nancy is also standards chairman, treasurer of AWS, vice-president of the Desert Mermaids, and a member of the university Racket club.

Four Spurs (sophomore honorary) represent the house this year. They are Madelyn Plant, Kathryn Morton, Sally Dixon and Sammie Wells.

Marianne Dunn, scholarship chairman, is secretary-treasurer of the student body.

ELAINE ATHA



### Tucson—Chartered 1923

Our first meeting of the season was a buffet supper September 26 at the home of Dorothy Rice James (Mrs. H. C.). We were honored to have as our guest Martha Galleher Cox (Mrs. L. E.), field



secretary. Her interesting, vital suggestions were enthusiastically received.

We are eagerly awaiting the opportunity to greet the new pledges of Gamma Zeta chapter at a buffet supper at the home of Ruth Prina Stanley (Mrs. Ernest), October 24.

VIRGINIA WILSON

### Glendale—Chartered 1938

Our first meeting and luncheon of the year was October 2, at the home of Bess Stewart (Mrs. Wylie), with her two daughters Bette Stewart Beatty (Mrs. Frank) and Margaret Stewart Bone (Mrs. James) assisting.

Our new president, Marjorie Gibbs (Mrs. Frederick), presided. It was fun seeing old friends again, and to find that with car pool aid we can manage a good attendance.

Most of our vacations were spent near home, with the exception of Irene Douglas (Mrs. Thornton G.), who was lucky enough to make a trip to New York.

Our only big group activity and money-raising project is our annual February rummage sale. Some of our faithful members still do individual work with the Red Cross, war relief sewing, and help to staff the Service Women's Center at the Los Angeles Hayward hotel.

#### Personals

We are glad to welcome Margaret Stewart Bone (Mrs. James), now in Glendale, with son James, Jr., while her husband is overseas.

We are sorry to lose Phyllis Hoopes Higgs (Mrs. George B.), who moved to Madera, California; Alice Barber Peach (Mrs. Wm. B.), who is now in Oregon, and will eventually go to her home in Idaho; and Margaret Jane Stevens Ross (Mrs. David), who has gone to Arizona.

EDNA REIFERS SULLIVAN

### Long Beach—Chartered 1926

While members busily knitted on an afghan, our president, Sally Torrance Lemon (Mrs. Stuart), B Φ-Montana, conducted our first meeting of the year at the home of Edna Carroll Roberts (Mrs. L. A.), I-DePauw. It was decided to forego our bridge this year and devote our time to service to the community, under the chairmanship of Ruth Calderwood Reeder (Mrs. Charles), B Δ-Illinois. Our program includes making scrapbooks for the day nurseries, furnishing material and making crib quilts for the Navy relief and bed jackets for hospitalized service women.

We are continuing to contribute financially to the Los Angeles Service Women's Center and to staff it one-and-a-half days a week, with Rosemary McCrady Bullis (Mrs. J. A.), Γ Ξ-UCLA, as chairman and May Sutherland Edgecomb (Mrs. F. A.), X-Minnesota, Edna Baker Brainard (Mrs. H. H.),

Σ-Nebraska, and June Knisley Simpson (Mrs. Walter), B Δ-Michigan, on the committee.

We are all looking forward to November 4, when we will have our annual celebration of Founders' day at the ranch home of Helen Mae Smith Thompson (Mrs. John), Γ Θ-Drake. Emily Caskey Johnson, Kappa's new vice-president, and Myrtle Henrici Hass, province vice-president, will be our guests.

#### Personals

During the past year three of our members have acted as sponsors at ship launchings in this area: Lois Lembke Fellows (Mrs. Joseph Jr.), Γ Ξ-UCLA; Roberta Berry Burton (Mrs. John), ΠΔ-California, and Elizabeth Clare Taubman (Mrs. George Jr.), B X-Kentucky.

NELLE NEWTON LODER

### Riverside-San Bernardino—Chartered 1942

The Riverside San Bernardino alumnae group celebrated Kappa's birthday, October 13, in fine style, even to the traditional cake and candles. Gasoline shortage did not prevent us from attending this most important celebration. It was our first get-together since last spring and enthusiasm was high. We agreed to sell Sponge soap, the proceeds to go to the Rose McGill fund. The president received many magazine subscriptions which will be sent to the Kappa magazine agency. We know that alumnae associations must keep doing things to keep in step with our active sisters.

Clarissa Hoskins Halsted (Mrs. Samuel), B Z-Iowa, has accepted a position as librarian in the Honolulu public schools. She is active in Red Cross work on the island.

RUTH GELHACH

### Pasadena—Chartered 1939

The Pasadena association felt greatly honored to have won the Almira J. McNaboe award. This handsome silver bowl, which is ours for two years, was presented by Emily Caskey Johnson (Mrs. Sidney Lee), B H-Stanford, to our president, Rosemary Jo Wentworth Shidemantle (Mrs. Andrew J.), Ω-Kansas.

The presentation was made at the October meeting in the home of Ellen Andrews Wright (Mrs. Charles Lovel), B H. All past presidents of the association were our honor guests. We also welcomed Lucy Guild Quirk (Mrs. Akeley), Γ Ξ-ULCA, public relations chairman; Marjorie Willer Hoar (Mrs. F. W., Jr.), Γ Z-Arizona, province president; Sarah Harris Rowe (Mrs. R. Y.), T-North-western, grand vice-president, 1914-1920, and grand president 1920-1922; and Mrs. Ida Bowman Reichenbach, B Γ-Wooster, a Kappa member for 68 years. The presidents from the Long Beach, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Junior, San Fernando, West-



wood, Glendale and Santa Monica associations were also our guests. We enjoyed a sparkling greeting from Alice Burrows, B M-Colorado. Here from New York city, she is a member of the general executive committee of Service Women's Centers.

In honor of our 74th Founders' day anniversary, a clever historical playlet, "The First Kappa Meeting," written by Rosemary Jo Shidemantle,



**EMILY CASKEY JOHNSON** (*Mrs. Sidney Lee*) right, vice-president of Kappa Kappa Gamma, presents McNaboe award won by the Pasadena alumnae association to Rosemary Jo Wentworth Shidemantle (*Mrs. Andrew J.*), Pasadena association president and general fraternity chairman of Service Women's Centers.

was presented and delightfully interpreted by Dorothy Hamblen Poole (*Mrs. John H.*), B II-Washington, as Jennie Boyd; Marjorie Kendall (*Mrs. Jackson*), B M, as Mary M. Stewart; Betty Keeler Lockbridge (*Mrs. Richard*), B M, as Louise Bennett; Geraldine Howard Henry (*Mrs. L. L.*), Γ Γ-Whitman, as Anna Willits, and Elizabeth Knox Muth (*Mrs. Robert*), B M, reader and director.

Our officers, unanimously reelected, are: president, Rosemary Jo Shidemantle; vice-president, Florence M. Baldwin (*Mrs. Gates*), B H; secretary, Katherine Dearle Keith (*Mrs. James V.*), Γ H-Washington State; treasurer, Mabel Cowell Leeds (*Mrs. J. H.*), Π<sup>A</sup>-California. The election was at the April evening meeting in the home of Betty Hunt Siegmund (*Mrs. William H.*), γ. In May, at luncheon with Ida Hull Lloyd Crotty (*Mrs. Homer D.*), Γ Ξ, we heard from Martha Cox, field secretary. We ended the year with a picnic luncheon at the home of Florence M. Baldwin.

For the coming year, our plans are made to continue our support of the Service Women's Center, to aid Kappa philanthropies and to contribute to the war effort.

Emily Caskey Johnson (*Mrs. Sidney Lee*), with an outstanding record of Kappa service, is now Kappa's vice-president. We are fortunate in having her a member of our association and happy in sharing her charm, ability and enthusiasm.

FRANCES HUNT LAWS

### San Fernando Valley—Chartered 1942

Our first regular meeting of the fall was in October at the home of Barbara Richards Rolapp (*Mrs. Ralph*), Γ Ξ-UCLA. We found our number somewhat depleted, so much so that we will be unable to staff as a unit a regular shift at the Los Angeles Service Women's Center.

However, we were not surprised to find our number smaller, as we are too fond of each other to forego summer meetings and had just had a farewell party at the home of Norma Raley De Groote (*Mrs. Clark V.*), B M-Colorado, for our only war casualty, Margaret Morrow, Γ E-Pittsburgh, who left us for the glamor of Smith college and a potential commission in the WAVES.

We are glad to welcome back to our group a charter member, Beth Porter (*Mrs. Horace*), Γ M-Oregon State, who has been moving about for the past two years from one suburb of Los Angeles to another, and has now come back to the valley songs are written about.

JANE ARCHIBOLD WITALIS

### Sacramento Valley—Chartered 1935

The Sacramento Valley alumnae association had the misfortune during the summer to lose its newly-elected president, Betty Lindmeier (*Mrs. R. W.*), B A-Illinois, who moved to Los Angeles.

The association was further crippled by the loss of Elizabeth Shields Smith (*Mrs. Harold I.*), treasurer, who moved to Oakland, and Ruth Shoemaker Williams (*Mrs. Wilbur S.*), program chairman, who moved to San Francisco.

As a result the main order of business at the October meeting was the electing of three new officers to fill their places. Grace Burgett Dean (*Mrs. Ray*) was chosen president, Jean Kirtley Roberts (*Mrs. Carl E.*) was elected treasurer, and Harriet Harman Rourke (*Mrs. George*), was selected program chairman.

In addition to the regular monthly meetings, plans for the year include a Christmas party in December and a picnic supper in May.

New members are Patricia Wehr Govern (*Mrs. Frank*), Γ X-George Washington university, and Elizabeth Elliott Morrison (*Mrs. Daniel*), Γ Z-Arizona.

GRACE BURGETT DEAN

### San Diego—Chartered 1927

San Diego alumnae association is being held together by a few as nucleus in this war-busy city of transients. We are always welcoming and bidding farewell to many members.



Our main activity this fall has been coöperation with Panhellenic. We were co-hostess at the meeting October 7, at which films were shown as a plea for blood donors.

Founders' day this year was celebrated October 18, our regular meeting day, as a pledge to the fraternity. Instead of our usual luncheon for ourselves, we had a gift sale for a fund to send to one of the fraternity projects. This meeting was in the home of Thelma Hare Foran (Mrs. W. T.) B K-Idaho, president of the group.

Mary Porter Fadden (Mrs. R. J.), Γ H-Washington State, is treasurer of Panhellenic this year.

THELMA HARE FORAN

### Santa Monica—Established 1944

This is the first report of the Santa Monica alumnae association. Our group is small but active, under the guidance of our president, Virginia See-rie Boyle (Mrs. Robert C.), Δ Z-Colorado college.

At present each member is knitting squares to complete an afghan for wounded servicemen. We also planned a bridge party October 28 at the home of Katherine Crane Macintosh (Mrs. Richard R.), B H-Stanford, to raise money for the support of the Service Women's Center in the Hayward hotel in downtown Los Angeles.

NELDA WALKER GOEN

## Lambda Province

### Beta Upsilon—Chartered 1906

West Virginia University, Morgantown,  
West Virginia

A newly-decorated house welcomed us back to school this fall and put us into the right mood for initiation and our formal rush period.

The first event of the fall semester was the initiation of Nancy Kent Brown, Lucy Eskew and Margaret Ann Jackson. Formal rushing immediately followed initiation and was climaxed by the pledging of 18 new girls. An intensive pledge training program has now been started and we are using many of the helpful suggestions made by Mary Jim Chickering on her visit here last spring.

Because of restricted social activities this year, a result of our war-invaded campus, we are planning hikes, parties, picnics and short jaunts to nearby Cheat lake and Cooper's Rocks. Leisure hours once used for gala social affairs are now devoted to war work, rolling hospital bandages here in the house, knitting, donating blood to the local blood bank and working as aides in the hospital. We have loads of fun and do our bit for the servicemen on our campus by serving as hostesses for the open house at Elizabeth Moore hall every week end. To help strengthen Panhellenic relations, we are also having exchange dinners with the different sororities on our campus.

Last March we were awarded the scholarship cup for having a chapter average of 1.9, the highest average on the campus for the two preceding semesters. We were pleased to find on returning this year that we had a chapter average of 2.0, the highest average ever made by any sorority at West Virginia university. To celebrate this and to honor Founders' day, we had our chapter meeting last week with the local alumnae.

#### Personals

Betty Hogan is president of Associated Women Students and Mortar Board.

Patsy Ludey is president of Panhellenic. She is also a member of Mortar Board and K Δ II, national education honorary.

Betty Barnard is president of Women's Recreation association and a member of Rhododendron, junior women's honorary. Other members of Rhododendron are Mary Jane Holden and Marjorie Ballengee.

Patricia Stansbury is president of Α Ψ Ω, dramatic honorary. She is also a member of Mortar Board.

Susan Harnish is president of English club and historian of Mortar Board. She is a member of K Δ II.

Joanne White is president of Li-Toon-Awa, sophomore women's honorary. Other members are Mary Ellen Coffroth, Carol French, Ann Rich and Margaret Ann Jackson.

Peggy Speissegger is vice-president of La Terulia, Spanish honorary.

Lucy Cabell was honorary cadet captain and sponsored the graduation dance at Maxwell Field this summer.

Ann Davidson attended the summer term at UCLA and is leaving soon to re-enroll there this fall.

Frankie Lee St. Clair is going to the University of Colorado this year.

MARGARET ANN JACKSON

### Morgantown—Established 1919

The officers of the Morgantown alumnae association entertained with a dinner at the Hotel Morgan, March 10, in honor of Lucy Higginbotham Mann (Mrs. James E.), province vice-president. Later that evening there was an informal meeting at the home of the president, Catherine Davis, when Mrs. Mann discussed plans of meetings used by other alumnae associations.

The association had decided at a former meeting to discontinue for the duration the customary annual senior breakfast in the spring. But due to the few activities for the girls at this time and the large number of girls graduating, the matter was reconsidered at the April meeting and the breakfast given at the recreation center, May 27, in a less elaborate manner, but carrying out the tradition.



The September meeting was at the home of Emma B. Davis (Mrs. Eston), this year's president, with Maude Lough (Mrs. Roy A.) as co-hostess. After the business meeting Catherine Davis was honored with a shower for her new kitchen, and the appointments for the dessert course had bridal motifs.

Officers for the coming year are: president, Emma B. Davis (Mrs. Eston); vice-president, Louise R. Hennen (Mrs. Robert D.); secretary, Mrs. Hazel Bennett Sisler; treasurer, Hope Donley (Mrs. Robert T.); magazine chairman, Margaret Reay; KEY correspondent, Mary Virginia Brown; members of the executive board, Ann Cox (Mrs. B. B.) and Ethel Moreland (Mrs. James R.); rushing chairman, Evelyn Cox Stewart (Mrs. Alfred).

#### Personals

With the death of Mrs. Charles Miller, September 18, Eleanor M. Welton's (Mrs. Wm. A.) mother, the active chapter and alumnae association lost a loyal friend who had been housemother from September, 1936, to June, 1942.

MARY VIRGINIA BROWN

### Charleston—Chartered 1935

Cabell Farms, home of one of our Charleston actives at West Virginia university, was the scene of the Charleston alumnae rush picnic in late August. Forty rushees and 30 alumnae roasted wieners over an open fireplace. Afterwards everyone sat around the fire in the rustic cabin while Kappa songs were sung. A meeting of all Kappas was conducted at the home of Mrs. Clarence Burdette later in the evening.

October 7 the annual pre-football game Kappa luncheon was given at the Charleston Woman's club. Twenty actives and alumnae attended.

Glenna Ballard, B X, has been assigned to overseas duty with the American Red Cross.

BETTIE BLAINE POOLE

### Wheeling—Chartered 1936

Before we disbanded for the summer, the Wheeling alumnae elected new officers: Susan Smith Bachmann (Mrs. Carl G.), B T-West Virginia, president; Sara Ann Ryder, A<sup>Δ</sup>-Monmouth, vice-president; Alfreda Carney Vieweg (Mrs. George B.), B T, recording secretary; Marie Talbott, Γ Ω-Denison, treasurer; Mary Lou Bullard Moore (Mrs. Wendell S.), B T, KEY correspondent; Martha Nay Kepner (Mrs. Wade), P<sup>Δ</sup>-Ohio Wesleyan, rushing chairman, and Martha Phillips, Δ B-Duke, magazine chairman.

With this group of officers, we began our fall and winter meetings by giving a picnic for rushees from this section of West Virginia going to colleges and universities all over the United States. The picnic was at the beautiful home of Martha Nay Kepner, August 26. Our entire membership cooperated.

Since then, we have had a September luncheon meeting at the Wheeling Country club with Gloria Reed Byrum (Mrs. James), B T, and Josephine McKay (Mrs. Earle D.) as hostesses; and the 74th anniversary Founders' day banquet at the Windsor hotel, Marie Talbott and Mary Lou Bullard Moore as hostesses.

The war is ever with us, and even though we are miles from any camps, we are striving to do our part. Our membership is constantly changing as the Kappa wives of servicemen come and go.

#### Personals

Ruth Anne Feeny Bullard, B T, is living in Chicago with her husband, Dr. Arch H. Bullard, who is interning at St. Luke's hospital.

Mildred Hamilton McKinley, B T, is with her Marine lieutenant husband, Johnson B. McKinley, at Eagle Mountain lake, Texas.

Nancy Pugh Hamilton, B T, and her husband, Lieutenant James L. Hamilton, are living in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, where Jim is stationed with the Naval Air Corps.

Susan Bachmann Ezell, Δ B-Duke, is with her husband, Lieutenant James Donald Ezell, Army Air Forces, at Grand Island, Nebraska.

Katherine Neudoerfer Lively, B T, has joined her husband, Lieutenant William Lively, at San Luis Obispo, California.

Ruth Phillips Polack (Mrs. E. H.), Δ B-Duke, president of Lambda province, attended the officers' conference at the Broadmoor hotel, Colorado Springs, Colorado, in June.

MARY LOU MOORE

### Gamma Kappa—Chartered 1923

College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia

The fall semester began September 23. We initiated Patricia Darby, Martha Humbert, Betty Jane Taylor and Dulcie Daniels, October 19-20.

We are looking forward to redecorating our house. We have new carpeting and slipcovers, and draperies are being made.

ELIZABETH HALL

### Gamma Chi—Chartered 1929

George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Gamma Chi ended a successful school year with a house party at Ocean City that erased all thoughts of finals.

Last spring, too, Nancy Autrey was elected beauty queen of the university, so we could leave that cup where it was. Catherine Prentiss (pledge) led Kappa to the inter-mural swimming cup.

Summer rushing began right away with teas, a lawn party, a picnic and many individual parties. It was lots of fun and helped us forget our government-girl woes.

Seven pledges initiated in November are Juli-



anne Fiske, Dorothy Buckalew, Sallie Cramner, Ann Hanford, Catherine Prentiss, Annabel Pugh, Marilyn Wherry and Bertie Stamm.

Although most of us stayed home to work and humidity, July found Florence Williams and Betty Barrow in Mexico City "studying" and learning new Kappa songs from Kappas from everywhere.

School and rush week began October 1 with the usual parties, meetings and worry; but we ended with 23 pledges. A pledge dinner was given at Barbara Stellwagon's, October 10, to celebrate.

We welcomed transfers Katherine Wrather, Γ Φ-Southern Methodist, and Polly Peterson, Σ-Nebraska. We also said goodbye to Mina Brown, SPAR, and Nancy Wilson, WAVE. Nancy Winfrey will transfer to the University of Pennsylvania and Jane Gass will work for her master's at Purdue.

#### Personals

Mary Carol Beisemier was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

Gerry Locke received the Cue and Curtain president's award. Gerry was elected president of Cue and Curtain and Virginia Beavers, secretary.

Marjorie Brown (pledge) was named "Dream Girl" of Π K A.

Bertie Stamm (pledge) was named head of the Big-Little Sister functions.

PEGGY PRITCHARD

#### Washington—Chartered 1924

Washington alumnae started off our season with a reception for the George Washington prospective rushees, at the home of Elinor Lynch Stellwagon (Mrs. Seiford), X-Minnesota, in September. Frances Morgan (Mrs. Robert) had charge of the party.

Founders' day banquet was celebrated with a dinner at the Washington club, with more than 90 Kappas attending, including representatives from College Park association, George Washington and Maryland active chapters and many new Kappas recently arrived in Washington. Our newly-elected president, Maude Loveless Collings (Mrs. Banks), Γ Δ-Purdue, presided, and after welcoming us introduced our speaker, Edith Gaylord, Δ Z-Colorado college, recently elected president of the Woman's National Press club. Miss Gaylord told us of the part women played in the newspaper field today.

We were also happy to welcome Margaret Baughman Craig (Mrs. Malin, Jr.), Γ K-William and Mary, Kappa's Army and Navy chairman and an Army wife. Though Margaret said she continued to live out of her suitcases, she hoped to be with us awhile, and explained to us some of her duties as Army and Navy chairman. The George Washington actives entertained us with singing and some good harmony.

Letta Brock Stone (Mrs. Edward), E-Illinois Wesleyan, has planned an interesting program for

our monthly supper meetings for the coming year.

Vivian Ruffer Kramer (Mrs. Ivan L.), B BΔ-St. Lawrence, is in charge of our bridge group which continues to meet for a bit of recreation every third Tuesday.

We are proud of the war work many of our Kappas are doing. Carolyn Barnes Brobeck (Mrs. George), B Φ-Montana, spends most of her time as a Nurses' Aide at Walter Reed hospital. With two boys overseas, she feels she cannot do enough to help. Ruth Montgomery Sexton (Mrs. Horatio), M-Butler, a Navy wife, spends much time in Navy work. Helen Cook Batham (Mrs. Jack), Ω-Kansas, is studio pianist at the Washington School of Ballet and does a lot of entertaining for the soldiers at Walter Reed, Navy hospital, Stage Door Canteen, etc. Elizabeth McGowan Piper (Mrs. Chas.), B M-Colorado, one of our new members, spends much time at Red Cross. A great many others are continuing to give their time and energy to help with the war effort.

FRANCES BRUBECK FELT

#### College Park Alumnae—Chartered 1938

The College Park alumnae association closed the 1943-1944 season with its annual dinner meeting in May. A record crowd attended. New officers were elected, and the social half of the evening was spent in catching up on the news.

October 11 the first meeting of the new season was at the home of our president, Winifred Kerstetter Cutting (Mrs. Fred), Γ Ψ-Maryland. This year we are trying an innovation, in having a program chairman whose duty it will be to bring timely and interesting speakers before the association. Already lined up is a South American evening for November, with slides and curios.

We have decided that we are all used to traveling without gas. So we plan centrally located monthly meetings this winter, rather than our sectional meetings of last year.

Our chapter newsletter is getting to be a tradition. Editor Patsy Royster Lozupone (Mrs. Frank), Γ Ψ, sends out four editions a year, which are enjoyed by members far and near. Gamma Psis who read this letter and are away from home, let us hear from you.

EMMA CARROLL GIBBS DIGGS

#### Delta Beta—Chartered 1930

##### Duke University, Durham, North Carolina

The Kappas were right on hand to open Duke this fall, and the freshman advisory council, under the leadership of Carolyn King, took charge of Freshman week. Emily Anderson and Nancy Baumgartner, advisers, helped to keep the freshmen happy, while Barbara Luessenhop, coed editor of *The Chanticleer*, came back early to handle freshman pictures.

No sooner had the freshmen settled down than the upperclassmen returned to begin a mad siege of



rushing. All the sororities on campus had open houses for the freshmen October 1 and October 8. Margaret Bacon is doing a grand job as rush chairman. Our final rushing occurred October 25-27, with three evening parties.

Before we could catch our breath, the annual fall selection of beauty queen candidates took place. Delta Beta is represented by Margaret Bacon, Dorothy Groone, Charlotte Crane, Carolyn King and Dorothy Gentner, who was also chosen "Duchess of the Month" for September. Along with beauty comes brains, and the Kappas walked off with the Duke sorority scholarship cup for the spring term of 1944.

When it comes to war work, Delta Beta is busy rolling bandages, attending USO and Camp Butler dances, writing to soldiers, knitting and doing all kinds of COGS work (a war service organization instituted at Duke by Kappa's Dorothy Chorpene).

We are happy to welcome Harding Boehme and Sarah Covington back after their rest in Florida, but we are sorry to lose Jean Lundsten, Nancy Young, Jeanne Dunphey, Sarah Cheek and Doris Dill to other colleges.

We are proud of Christine Hall (pledge) for her art work in the September issue of *Mademoiselle*.

#### Personals

Our chapter had two major beauty queens this year: Beth Holcombe, May queen, and Dorothy Groome, Campus queen.

Carolyn King has been chosen chairman of the freshman advisory council for the coming year.

Geneva Eldridge is vice-president of WSG.

In a close contest for the Freshman Beauty queen title, our new initiate, Char-



Beth Holcombe

lotte Crane, won the crown.

Dorothy Groome is coed business manager of the Duke monthly magazine, the *Archive*, and Jeanne Dunphey was art editor and also treasurer of her class.

Sandals, sophomore honorary, tapped Charlotte Crane, Jeanne Gabrielle Dunphey and Kay Hollmeyer.

EMILY ANDERSON

#### Baltimore—Chartered 1926

The following officers of the Baltimore alumnae association were elected at the last meeting in the spring, too late to be sent to the April *Key*: president, Lois Jenney Gregg (Mrs. Walter E., Jr.), Δ Θ-Goucher college; vice-president, Myra Ferrier Wolf (Mrs. Irvin O.), Γ Ψ-Maryland; secretary, Louise Berry Wise (Mrs. Gerald F.), Β Δ-Illinois; treasurer, Elaine L. Updyke, Γ Δ-Middlebury; magazine chairman, Zola Huff Dobson (Mrs. J. F.), Γ Δ-Purdue; *Key* correspondent, Marjorie Coles Smith (Mrs. Ernest H.), Φ-Boston; advisory board, Mabel Allen Patten Stockbridge (Mrs. Henry, III), Δ Θ; Emily Schilpp, Δ Θ, and Jean Heimer, Β ΒΔ-St. Lawrence.

During the summer there were no meetings. But Baltimore Kappas have been busy staffing the Service Women's Center, generously assisted by members of other women's fraternities represented in Baltimore. The Center, sponsored by the Kappas, was opened in March, and all service women who have visited there have been most enthusiastic in praise of its charming and home-like atmosphere.

The first meeting of the year was October 16, at the home of Emily Schilpp. For the second meeting, November 13, a Red Cross program was planned.

Allie Angel Clark (Mrs. Herbert), Γ Φ-Southern Methodist, whose husband is an engineer with Overseas Airways, had expected that they would be transferred to England, but we are delighted to know that she will remain in Baltimore. Mail had already been sent to her in England.

MARJORIE COLES SMITH

## Mu Province

### Beta Omicron—Chartered 1904

H. Sophie Newcomb College, New Orleans, Louisiana

Kappa heaven for Beta Omicron chapter is on the third floor of the famous campus tea room, which now houses various sororities on campus. At all hours of the day we can be found there in our room. However, we do not spend all of our time taking life easy.

We are proud to say that, besides ranking third scholastically at Newcomb, many Kappas have prominent offices on campus. The Kappas here are

interested in the war stamp booth, and many of the members are Nurses' Aides.

We had a wonderful time during rush week, September 19-25. Of course, one of the things we are most excited about is our outstanding new pledge class. Every sorority on campus had a quota of 21 pledges this year. Kappa filled its quota with the 21 girls we wanted most.

#### Personals

Lillian Hammond, an outstanding Kappa on campus, is president of the Newcomb student body



and vice-president of the Tulane student council. She is a member of Tri Beta, Lagniappes, the Tulane University theater,  $\Lambda \Sigma \Sigma$ , Newcomb honor board and the student center council. She has recently been chosen by all the students of Tulane and Newcomb as the Tulane Homecoming queen.

Charlotte Hillyer Dupuy (Mrs. Homer) is president of the Newcomb Panhellenic. She is also a member of  $\Lambda \Sigma \Sigma$ , senior honorary.

Mina Lane, a senior this year, is sponsor of the war bond and stamp booth at Newcomb.

Judith Clark is an outstanding member of the Tulane University theater. She recently played an important role in "The Queen's Husband."

Alice Clark was elected as treasurer of the Newcomb student body.

Felice Maurer was elected as the vice-president of the sophomore class. Felice was chosen as an Asset, a freshman honor.

Eleanor Woodward (pledge) and Peggy Hendren were named as *Erchin* freshman beauties. Eleanor was also in the freshman beauty court.

Frances Huger was elected treasurer of the sophomore class, but she has recently moved to Charleston, South Carolina. She was also an Asset.

PEGGY HENDREN

### Newcomb—Established 1922

Our alumnae association undertook the redecorating of our chapter room, which was getting quite shabby. A regular drive for funds was organized, and 75 alumnae came across to help. Margie Moss Black (Mrs. Durel), B O-Newcomb, one of our most talented and resourceful alumnae, took over the decorating job. The finished product, ready for rush week, is a joy to behold.

Whether it was the beautiful room or just because our actives are so attractive, the chapter pledged 21 freshmen.

Our next meeting will be a tea in the chapter room to introduce the pledges and to meet their mothers, who will be our guests.

Since the only work the Kappa alumnae did as a group was the weekly bandage rolling, it was with deep regret that it had to be discontinued for awhile. However, we are now planning to have our bandage rolling meetings at night and hope for a large attendance.

AGNES GUTHRIE FAVROT

### Beta Chi—Chartered 1910

University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky

Kentucky Kappas donned their blue jeans this fall, and launched into a rigorous campaign of decorating a new chapter house. We moved into the former Delta Tau Delta house only five days before our first rush party, and with record-breaking speed set out amid scattered furniture with gay new chair covers to wield paint brushes and hang curtains. The house girls painted their own rooms, and used their ingenuity in making curtains.

With renewed enthusiasm and happy with our new housemother, Mrs. Verna Henderson, we entertained with our first rush tea, September 23. That evening we went to the first football game at the University of Kentucky since the beginning of the war.

During the week we entertained with our alumnae shipwreck party, an Army OCS and canteen party; with our final tea preference night amid a simple garden setting. With the competence of our rush chairman, Ethel Blanton; her assistant, Margaret Julia Wharton, and our alumna adviser, Mary James Ireland (Mrs. James), we pledged 17 girls, September 29.

After pledging, the new girls came to the chapter house for a buffet supper in a candlelight atmosphere. Following a pep rally for an oncoming football game, we enjoyed a slumber party at the chapter house in honor of the new pledges.

We also welcome into Beta Chi this fall two Kappas from K-Hillsdale, Janice Ayers and Beverly Leachman.

Our Nurses' Aides this fall include Julie Landrum, Sally Spears, Louise Milward, Polly Gallaher, Ruthie Dimock and Elizabeth Taylor (pledge). Mary Jane Gallaher (pledge), who is going to Chapel Hill, North Carolina, this year, and Julie Landrum contributed their services as Nurses' Aides this past summer at Camp Breckenridge, Kentucky.

October 24 and 25 we initiated Mary Marrs Swineboard, Polly Gallaher and Ann Oldham.

### Personals

Sara Ewing is studying for her M.A. in child care at Mills college, Oakland, California.

Algernon Dickson, our Phi Beta Kappa this past spring, is working on her master's degree at Columbia in New York.

Louise Wilson is teaching physical education in New York, and working with the YWCA.

Martha McCauley and Roberta Parker are employed by Dupont, and are living in Gibbstown, New Jersey.

Betty Garr has accepted a position with the



BETA CHI'S new Kentucky home is the former Delta Tau Delta house on the Kentucky campus.



child welfare department in Richmond, Kentucky, but plans to go to Columbia in New York to do graduate work.

FRANCES F. FIELD

### Gamma Pi—Chartered 1927

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama

This fall the University of Alabama had 1800 women students registered, more than ever before in 'Bama's history.

Gamma Pi chapter started the year with a successful rush week. A tea dance, in honor of our new pledges, has been planned for Homecoming week-end, November 18.

Last spring the scholarship committee started us on a new study table program. It has been continued this year and is helping us to keep our good scholastic average.

Jean Moore and Frances Bradley Matthews (Mrs. Maximilian) have been elected to  $\Phi$  B K. Other outstanding Kappas on the campus are Minnie Hayes Rast (Mrs. Tom E.), Mortar Board; Ruth Hoeksema, president of Triangle, and Betty Brannan, president of  $\Phi$  T and secretary-treasurer of SGA.

Gamma Pi has kept up with the war effort by entertaining soldier patients at Northington General hospital, by Red Cross work. Bertha Spenser and Eleanor Lambert are well on their way to receiving private pilot's licenses.

We will end our fall activities by having our annual faculty reception in December.

DOROTHY FARMER

### Delta Epsilon—Chartered 1932

Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida

Hayrides, teas, the Panhellenic coffee, and all the other rushing parties that comprise a hectic and exciting week are over. Now we can proudly present our seven new pledges.

War and marriage have taken many of the upperclassmen from Rollins' campus.

#### Personals

Delta Epsilon welcomed back Gail DeForest Harris (Mrs. Paul), Patricia Fuller, Nancy Ragan Dominick (Mrs. D. C.) and Jean Farrell Overcash (Mrs. R. J.), who were all here during the first two weeks of school to visit and help us with rushing.

Nieta Amaral, who graduated from Rollins last year, has returned to her home in Rio De Janeiro, Brazil.

Nancy Ragan Dominick (Mrs. D. C.) is now living in New York, where she is attending Columbia university. Nancy is studying occupational therapy while her husband is in the service in France.

Charlotte Smith spent the summer in training to become a flight stewardess with American Air-

lines. She received her wings in August and is now stationed in Memphis.

Margaret Knight Coates (Mrs. H. L.) is now living in Little Britain, New York, while her husband is an instructor at Stewart Field.

MOLLY RUGG

### Orlando-Winter Park—Chartered 1932

The deadline for news from this part of our country coincides with the return from northern points of many of our members. Added to the normal peregrinations of Florida Kappas are the wartime shifts and changes.

Our saddest change is in the life of our president, Frances Perrotet Olsen, whose husband was lost in Europe. Frannie left Orlando after her husband's death was confirmed and has gone to New York to live. Florence Bumby Fishback has moved up from vice-presidency to the presidency of the alumnae. Another change in our executive board was the departure of Frank Greer, whose husband was moved from this area. Mary Joe Stroud has undertaken the secretaryship in her place.

At the first meeting of the alumnae association, it was decided to continue the sewing meetings initiated last year to bring Kappas together informally in a project that would provide gifts for members requiring Rose McGill fund assistance. Materials donated are made into attractive and useful articles, like bed-jackets, purses, bed-side pockets, bolero jackets and neckwear. Also some underwear was made from material purchased for this purpose. Helen Steinmetz and Gladys Trismen have undertaken the planning for these sewing meetings.

#### Personals

Stella Rose has been spending some time in California with her daughter, Harriet Spears, while Harriet's husband is on duty in the Pacific area.

Jean Shannon, her two children and her father have returned to Winter Park after a two-year trial of living in Tampa, where Jean's husband is engaged in ship construction work.

Our artist, "Billy" Greene, spent the greater part of last winter in Mexico, Guatemala and other points south, preparing material for lectures on subtropical flowers, illustrated by her own delicate water colors and colored films. Billy expects to take another tour this winter among the West Indian islands, giving lectures before garden-minded groups and painting the flora of that area.

Ada Yothers modestly avoids publicity for the leading part she plays in the excellent Antiquarian society of this part of the country. A wealth of interesting heirlooms makes the collection of antiques here an interesting hobby.

Louise Duckworth is another violet who avoids the light of public attention, but she and her husband are recognized as musical intelligentsia in this part of Florida.



Margaret Weissenburger is executive secretary of the Civic league in Winter Park; and active in the League of Women Voters, the Girl Scout project as well as the Hungerford School for Colored. Margaret recently bought a home in Winter Park, and took up residence again, following a couple of years' absence after the death of her husband.

Mary Wattles finished her second term as president of the Woman's club last spring, and is devoting her energies to the presidency of the high school Parent-Teachers association, and to the board of the colored day nursery.

Helen Steinmetz continues to be in her Red Cross uniform most of the time. The hours she devotes to Red Cross will make a staggering total before this war is over.

Jessie Rittenhouse Scollard is acting as chairman of the Republican women of Orange county.

Harriet Scott is due back this week after spending the summer running Elizabeth Arden's glamorous health farm. We await her arrival eagerly, for surely she must have a lot to tell us about the struggle for beauty, but we fear the answer may be to *rest*, which puts the luxury of beauty out of the reach of most of the Kappas, it seems!

Your correspondent was able to find out many things about the activities of the members which otherwise would have remained unboasted, because she acted as chairman of the nominating committee for officers for the alumnae association! It might be a good idea if KEY correspondents elsewhere undertook to fill offices in order to unearth the responsibilities and activities of the membership!

GLADYS C. TRISMEN

### Delta Iota—Chartered 1935

Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

New initiates, May 6, are Beverly George, Virginia Newman and Toni Voelker.

Chapter officers are: president, Hildamae Reiley; standards chairman, Martha Welsh; scholarship chairman, Johnita Flemington; treasurer, Marilee Arne; recording secretary, Toni Voelker; corresponding secretary, Meredith Gibson; pledge mistress, Vassar Wheritt, and marshal, Mary Pipes.

CAROLINE MCHENRY

### Delta Kappa—Chartered 1938

University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida

April was a busy month for Delta Kappa chapter. The most important occasion was when eight girls were initiated, April 15. They were Kay Burritt, Jane Curnin, Lauri Gilbert, Helen Godere, Roberta McCahill, Rita Meersman, Geraldine Rasmussen and Barbara Swirles. Roberta McCahill was named "best all-round pledge," and Barbara Swirles was awarded the prize for scholarship. Barbara was also on the list of those who made freshman honors.

Later in April the pledge class gave an amateur show in the auditorium.

Betty Batcheller was elected Poinciana queen in May. She reigned at the annual Poinciana festival in Bayfront park. Several Kappas were chosen as her attendants.

In June Betty Batcheller, Dorothy Davis, Dorothy Hamilton and Shurley Maberry were graduated.

Our contribution to war work included entertaining the servicemen at the Biltmore Army hospital every Sunday afternoon during the second trimester.

August 1 our summer rush party was given. The "pin-up girl" theme was carried out with several girls modeling fashions from the hoop-skirt era up to the present day.

Founders' day was commemorated October 10 with a buffet supper at the home of Bernice Read Mayes (Mrs. Thomas),  $\Gamma$  I-Washington university, president of Mu province. After dinner Mrs. Mayes gave a report of the officers' conference at Colorado Springs this summer.

KAY BURRITT

### Jacksonville—Established 1942

As we look back over the past year, filled with so many contacts with new Kappas in town, servicemen's wives and Kappas engaged in special war work, the Jacksonville alumnae club feels that its activities, mainly in line with war service projects, have been both interesting and worthwhile.

Under the direction of Grace Gilmore Stormont (Mrs. F. N.),  $\Delta$ -Indiana, our war work chairman, a great many items have been collected, such as magazines, furniture, etc., for use at the local service camps. This effort is continuous and much appreciated.

We are proud of the contribution in time and talent of Virginia Stuart Wood (Mrs. E.),  $\Gamma$  K-William and Mary, to the local war effort. She is the originator and writer of the Tracy Family, a 13-weeks' radio program, sponsored by the Civilian Defense Volunteer Office of Jacksonville. Each program, currently broadcast over a local station every Sunday night, is a complete story of this entertaining family, expertly handled by members of the local Little Theatre group.

Recently we said goodbye to Helen Geiss,  $\Omega$ -Kansas, who reported to Washington September 25 for a two weeks' training course, preparatory to going overseas with the Red Cross as recreation worker, either in a club or clubmobile or aero club.

At the September meeting in the home of Elaine McDonald Phillips (Mrs. Fred H.),  $\Theta$ -Missouri, with Virginia Stuart Wood as co-hostess, plans were made for regularly scheduled winter meetings, the fourth Monday of each month. During the meeting all members were engaged in folding Christmas seals, a vast amount of which must be





**HOME FRONT**, peace-time philanthropies are not forgotten in wartime by members of the Jacksonville alumnae club, as they fold sheets of tuberculosis Christmas seals. Standing, from left: Helen Griscom Baker (Mrs. Clifford N.), B I-Swarthmore; Elinor Rock Warren (Mrs. W. J.), B A-Illinois; Dorothy Crise Green (Mrs. Irvin), Δ K-University of Miami. Seated, from left: Elaine McDonald Phillips (Mrs. Fred H.), Θ-Missouri; Virginia Stuart Wood (Mrs. Emmet), Γ K-William and Mary; Grace Gilmore Stormont (Mrs. F. N.), Δ-Indiana; Alice Loos Obenauer (Mrs. V. J.), B Z-Iowa; Mary Appgar Sanford (Mrs. R. M.), B Z; Dorothy Watkins O'Connell (Mrs. William M.), B Θ-Oklahoma; Janet Meek Northon (Mrs. R. L.), ΠΔ-California, and Beatrice Larsen Vincent (Mrs. D. C.), Δ E-Rollins.

ready for the drive annually staged by the Duval chapter of the Tuberculosis association. A picture of this group appeared in a local newspaper.

#### Personals

Anna Louis Sloo Harkey (Mrs. Clifford E., Jr.),

Ω, has left Jacksonville and moved to Topeka, Kansas. Ann was secretary-treasurer of the Jacksonville club.

Jess McNamee Bell (Mrs. D. A.), Δ, has left Jacksonville and returned to her home in Boston.

ALICE LOOS OBENAUER

### Connecticut Alumnae President Celebrates Golden Wedding

**I**DA HALEY LANE, E-Adrian, and her husband, Dr. Elbert C. Lane, Σ A E, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, August 8, 1944, with a reception at their home in Hartford, Connecticut. They were assisted by Mrs. Lane's niece, and had as their houseguest a cousin who had attended the wedding ceremony 50 years ago in Addison, New York.

The Hartford *Times* that night, reminded Hartford that 25 years ago, Dr. and Mrs. Lane were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary at their church in Wilson, Connecticut.

Dr. and Mrs. Lane were college sweethearts at Adrian college and were married two years after their graduation. Dr. Lane has been a Congregational minister, and recently retired after long service as a professor at the Hartford Seminary foundation. Dr. Lane has studied at Adrian, the University of Michigan, Chicago university, Hartford Seminary foundation and the University of Berlin. Mrs. Lane is a graduate of Adrian and did graduate work at the University of Michigan. She has been a loyal and active Kappa for 52 years and is now the president of the Connecticut alumnae association. Both Dr. and Mrs. Lane are looking forward to traveling when the war is over.





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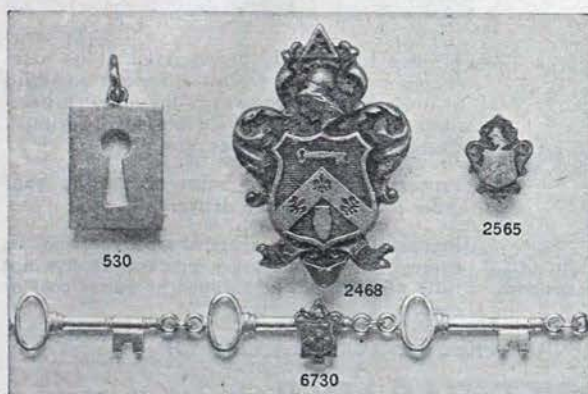
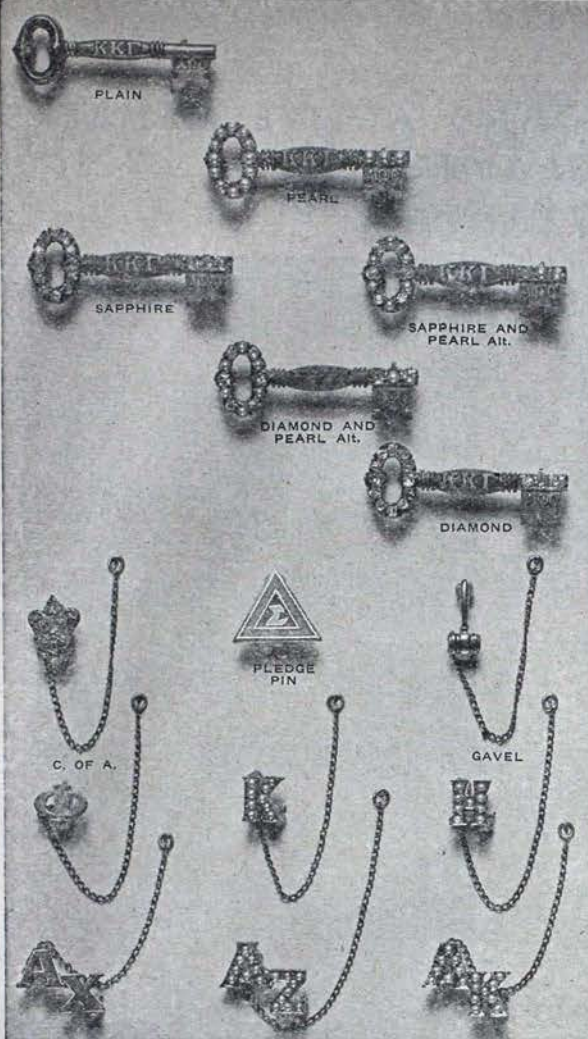
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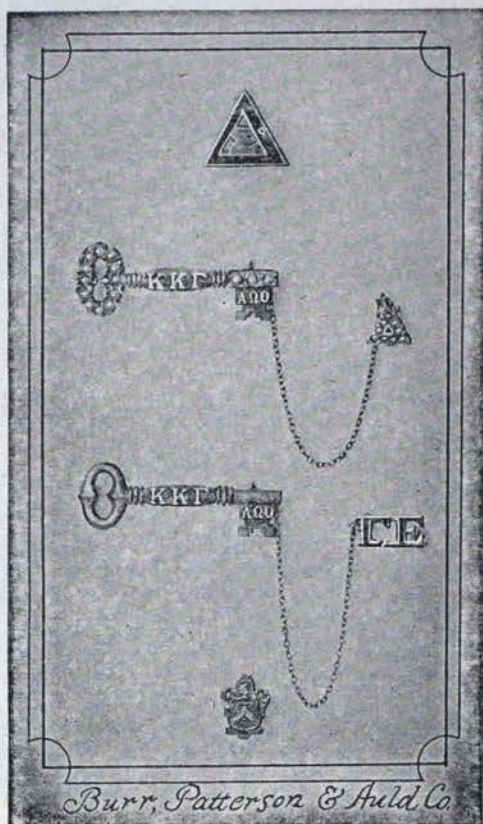
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# What to Do When

(Continued from Cover II)

## MARCH

- 1—Treasurer mails pledge fees to central office for all members pledged since major rushing season.
- 1—President of chapter house corporation notifies central office of housemother reappointment or contemplated change for next school year.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—(On or before) Corresponding secretary sends names and addresses of officers and alumnae advisers to central office.

## APRIL

- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—President sends annual report to director of chapter organization and province President.
- 15—Chairman of alumnae advisory board sends annual report of activities of the board to the director of chapter organization and province president.
- 30—Treasurer sends central office per capita tax report and per capita tax for each member active at any time during the second half year, as well

as per capita for all associate members, also check for annual audit.

- 30—(On or before) Corresponding secretary mails typewritten annual chapter report to central office.

## MAY

- 1—Membership chairman sends order for supplies to central office.
- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 15—Province president sends an annual report to director of chapter organization.
- 25—Send birthday greetings to Kappa's only living founder, Mrs. Joseph N. Boyd, 210 E. Magnolia St., Lakeland, Fla.

## JUNE

- 10—Treasurer places monthly finance report in mail to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.
- 10—Alumna finance adviser sends list of uncollected accounts to chairman of budgeting and bookkeeping.

## JULY

- 10—(On or before according to date last term of year ends) Treasurer expresses ALL material for annual audit to central office.

(For Alumnae Association and Club Officers and Province Vice-Presidents)  
(Club Officers responsible only for reports which are\*)

## OCTOBER

- \*13—Founders' Day
- \*15—Corresponding secretary places semi-annual news letter for December KEY in mail to editor.
- \*15—Secretary sends list of alumnae who have moved to other cities to the nearest alumnae organization and to the central office corrected lists furnished them of their district. Secretary also sends to director of alumnae, central office, and province vice-president the organization's program for the current year and a directory or list of all local alumnae with their addresses.

## DECEMBER

- 10—Corresponding secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to director of alumnae on special stationery.

## JANUARY

- \*15—Secretary sends informal report to province vice-president.

## FEBRUARY

- \*10—Secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-lis* to director of alumnae on special stationery.
- \*15—President appoints chairman of membership recommendations committee and sends name with address to central office. Information for publication in THE KEY.

- \*15—Secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-Lis* to director of alumnae on special stationery.
- 20—Province vice-president sends informal report to director of alumnae.

## APRIL

- \*10—Secretary sends news items for *Fleur-de-Lis* to director of alumnae on special stationery.
- \*15—(On or before) Alumnae groups elect officers, secretaries send names and addresses of new officers to director of alumnae, central office, and province vice-president.
- \*30—Secretary sends annual report to director of alumnae and province vice-president and a list of alumnae who have moved to other cities to the nearest alumnae organization and to the central office.
- \*30—Treasurer sends to central office the annual per capita tax report and per capita tax for members of her organization during the current fiscal year (June 1, 1944-May 30, 1945).
- 30—Treasurers of alumnae associations send to central office annual convention tax.

## MAY

- 20—Province vice-president sends report of her province to director of alumnae.
- \*25—Send birthday greetings to Kappa's only living founder, Mrs. Joseph N. Boyd, 210 E. Magnolia St., Lakeland, Fla.
- \*30—Membership Recommendation chairman orders recommendation blanks from central office.

**WITHIN ONE WEEK AFTER REGULAR OR SPECIAL ELECTIONS** secretaries of chapters and alumnae groups send names of new officers and addresses to central office.



